

GIVES APPROVAL TO LEGAL ASPECTS OF MICHELL'S TRIAL

War Department Board of Review Completes Its Survey of Records in the Case.

RECORD WILL GO TO PRESIDENT

Judge Advocate and Secretary of War Must Pass on the Record Before President Does.

Washington, Jan. 19.—(AP)—Conviction of Col. William Mitchell by an army court for violation of the 96th article of war was approved today by the War Department board of review insofar as legal aspects of the trial are concerned.

The trial record, with the board's report, will be forwarded probably in the next day or so to the judge advocate general of the Army and for further examination by him will be started on its way through Secretary Davis to President Coolidge.

The action of the board of review which considered the record wholly from a legal aspect would seem to put at rest all speculation as to the right of the court to sentence Col. Mitchell to suspension for five years from duty, command and rank in the army, as well as to deprive him of all pay and allowances for five years.

Major General J. A. Hull, the judge advocate, is expected to forward the papers to Secretary Davis, and it is not anticipated that he will delay its delivery to President Coolidge. Until the President acts the court's findings cannot be made effective.

Regardless of the recommendations, Secretary Davis and Gen. Hull may see fit to make, it is regarded as likely that Mr. Coolidge will give careful attention to the pay forfeiture before he determines his course of action.

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ROWAN'S VALUATION

TOTAL \$56,184,746
\$16,250,000 on Farm Lands and 18,000,000 on City Lots.

Salisbury, Jan. 18.—County Auditor E. B. Neave has just completed tabulation of the tax returns for the past year and his books show some interesting figures.

Says Communism and "Youth Movement" Infest University.
Columbus, O., Jan. 18.—Communism and "the youth movement" have footholds at Ohio State University.

Ten Pages Today Two Sections

Toledo Clubber Gets Another Victim, The Seventh In One City

Body of Mary Handley, 47, Found in Yard Near Her Home.—Head Crushed and She Was Gaged.

ARMED CITIZENS SEEKING CLUBBER

City Offers Reward of \$1,000 For Arrest.—Women Fear to Go on Streets Alone in Some Sections

Toledo, Jan. 19.—(AP)—The body of Mary Handley, 47, seventh victim of a "clubber" in Toledo in less than a year, was found early today in a yard next to her home.

Bloodstains on the sidewalk, police said, indicated Miss Handley had been attacked there and dragged into the yard. The body was found by Mrs. Mattie Sturrell when she started her daughter to school today.

The scene of the tragedy is in the heart of the district where the "clubber" operated a few months ago. Miss Handley is the third woman whose death is attributed to the "clubber." Four women have been injured by the maniac.

Miss Handley had been away from her home since Sunday morning. She had gone on a trip and was expected to return Sunday night.

A reward of \$1,000 was offered by the city council several months ago following the death of the second woman, still stands.

For months many Toledo women have feared to venture on the streets alone after nightfall.

Organized bands of citizens armed with improvised weapons searched the streets for several nights for the clubber without avail.

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Opposition Expected by Senate on Taxes
Income, Publicity and Inheritance Rates Predicted as Points of Contention.

Washington, Jan. 18.—A fight against some provisions of the tax reduction bill ordered unanimously reported to the Senate by its finance committee appears certain despite the compromise agreement between Republicans and Democrats.

The resolution for repeal of the inheritance tax and the publicity of income tax returns are almost certain to be made the basis of the contest by some western senators of both parties.

The compromise, however, will have apparently overwhelming support for the bill and its enactment by March 15th seems assured.

Secretary Mellon withheld definite approval of the bill today pending a study by experts to determine the full extent of the reduction it will provide.

Chairman Smoot said he would present the bill to the Senate as soon as it is printed but he expressed doubt that this would be possible before Wednesday.

THE HOTEL CONCORD NAME CHOSEN FOR THE NEW HOSTELRY
The Hotel Concord was the name chosen this morning for Concord's new hotel.

DIES AFTER BEING STRUCK BY AUTOMOBILE
Dan Little Hit By Auto Driven by WHI Whitley.—Inquest Today.

Washington, Jan. 18.—An attack on metropolitan newspapers and the Associated Press as a part of the "great organized propaganda to destroy the Democratic party" was made by Senator F. M. Simmons, senior Democratic member of the Senate finance committee, in a statement today with regard to newspaper stories on the Democratic party in tax reduction.

There is an organized propaganda in this country to control the great metropolitan dailies, owned by those interested in the propaganda," said Senator Simmons.

Whole Country Propagandized.
There are a great many independent newspapers in this country but they generally instruct their correspondents here not to cover the stories that the Associated Press covers.

ALUMINUM CASE IS GIVEN MORE ATTENTION
More Facts Developed in Case in the Senate Inquiry.

Washington, Jan. 19.—(AP)—About four months elapsed between the time the Federal Trade Commission offered the Department of Justice evidence against the Aluminum Company of America, in which Secretary Mellon is interested, and the Department assigned an investigator to examine that evidence.

MISS ESTELLE WRIGHT GROWS STRONGER DAILY
Miracle of Recovery is Still a Marvel to the People of Asheville and the Mountains.

Asheville, Jan. 18.—Miss Estelle Wright, of Candler, who has been an invalid for the past two years, and who suddenly recovered last Sunday night at 9 o'clock, is reported to be growing stronger each day.

South Carolina Missionary Held Captive by Brigands.
Greenwood, S. C., Jan. 18.—Miss Clifford Barratt, of this county, still is a captive of Chinese brigands.

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Nation-Wide Hunt for Pretty Girl



Miss Julia Deffrey, pretty 17-year-old school girl, has disappeared from her home at Kenosha, Wis. An intense desire to study art is believed to have been the cause of her disappearance.

Organized Propaganda to Destroy Democratic Party, Simmons Says

Jonathan Daniels in Raleigh News and Observer.
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WOULD HALT ACTION ON WORLD COURT PLAN
Senators Blease and Johnson Voice Opposition to World Court.

Washington, Jan. 19.—(AP)—Fighting for time opponents of American membership in world court continued today their argument in the Senate against the resolution proposing adherence to the court protocol.

Arthur Montague Must Die for Crime.
Raleigh, Jan. 19.—(AP)—Governor McLean today declined to commute the death sentence imposed in Burke county on Arthur Montague for an attack on a deaf and dumb child of a state institution at Morganton.

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Dixie Pays Reverent Tribute To Venerated Hero, Robert E. Lee



R. J. Newman, of Dallas claims the championship in two marathons events—dancing and automobile driving. Recently he drove continuously, chained to a car, for 58 hours and 18 minutes.

Marathon King

Recent Advances Followed by Slight Today.
New York, Jan. 19.—(AP)—Recent advances were followed by slight reactions in the cotton market early today. First prices were barely steady at a decline of 2 to 8 points on active months, owing to rather disquieting Liverpool cables, reports of full private ginning returns to January 16th and rumors of increased spot offerings at a slightly easier basis in the South.

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ANNOUNCES NEW DRY PLAN FOR THE SOUTHLAND

United Coast Guard, Customs and the Prohibition Forces in Four States in the Southland.

DUNNING NAMED TO LEAD WORKERS

The Plan Will Be Tried First in North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia and Florida.

Washington, Jan. 19.—(AP)—In order to develop closer liaison between coast guard, customs and the prohibition forces in enforcing the Volstead Act, in the southeastern states, Assistant Secretary Andrews has in effect molded the three agencies into one unit, and has appointed M. O. Dunning customs collector at Savannah, as co-ordinator for prohibition in the states of North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia and Florida.

During the holidays Mr. Andrews visited all the four states mentioned, conferring with all executive offices under his jurisdiction. Mr. Dunning accompanied the Treasury official on the tour and is held to be equipped at the outset with a full knowledge of conditions.

CAMERON MORRISON HITS POLICIES OF McLEAN

Governor Refuses to Respond to the Criticism by His Predecessor.
Special to Charlotte News.

Raleigh, Jan. 18.—Publication of Governor Morrison's statements on his recent visit to the capital in which he was quoted as objecting to the super-government of the State got no rise from Governor McLean who is an official one-year-old without a quarrel to his credit.

Mr. Morrison has rarely ever suppressed any objection that he had of political affairs in the state and on the occasion of that last trip here he was heard by numerous official folks to observe that representative government has about played out.

The observation of Mr. Morrison was that Mr. Gillen, a Wisconsin Republican, and Mr. Burke, a Louisiana man, are running the state. As much had been many times half-way said in the newspaper columns, but nobody who cuts the Morrison figure had observed.

Mr. Burke is the useful man with the budget and Mr. Gillen is seen more in the House-Wilson relationship. But no man of the stature of Mr. Morrison has objected before.

The rest of the McLean hold will probably be made right here. The State has been pretty self-conscious. While it never would pay many big salaries, it gladly pays myriads of small ones.

Political genius has figured out \$10,000 salaries to judges and \$15,000 to governors would never do but \$2,000 salaries to call the State are all right.

Mr. McLean is running the State as he would operate a huge corporation. He is making every man count and he is getting good ones if he has to send out for them. The State has not had to stand for that policy before.

The question now is will the State like it? Has it been done impressively enough to overcome the politics of 100 years?

The governor has made State business less attractive than it ever was. There was a grand rush to Raleigh for State positions, but under his driving the work and the wage are less attractive. This may prevail over the age-old policy.

To date the McLean economics have been wonderfully popular.

McKendree Long to Hold Revival in Salisbury.
Salisbury, Jan. 18.—Rev. McKendree R. Long, of Statesville, comes Wednesday of this week to begin a revival meeting at Second Presbyterian church, of which church Rev. Eugene Alexander is pastor.

SAT'S BEAR SATS:
Fair tonight, slightly colder in central and east portion; Wednesday increasing cloudiness. Moderate, with winds.

SATAN IN SABLES By Bradley King
This new Serial Story will begin in The Tribune Next Thursday