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KANNAPOLIS Y. M. C. A.

VS. LENOIR-RHYNE
Night at Towel City Gymnasium—Undeclared Pioneers Will Meet Wincoff High in Preliminary Contest—1925 Loopsters Tangle With '26 Team This Afternoon—Final Christmas Entertainment at the Y's Tonight.

tunity to see Santa Claus in flesh and hear him in a short talk. A movie of comedies will top the entertainment. Announcement is made that the quarterly meeting of the Ladies Aid and the Woman's Missionary Societies will be held Thursday evening at the Trinity Methodist Church. All members are urged to be present as some very important business is to be discussed. The meeting will convene at 7:30 o'clock.

Chinese genius for self-government is all that saves China from complete chaos during the revolutionary ups and downs of the country, said A. H. George, British government commercial agent in Shanghai.

SAVINGS PILE UP RAPIDLY WHEN INTEREST HELPS

By S. W. STRAUS, President American Society for Thrift. A NEW ENGLAND bank recently revealed a situation which should teach a valuable lesson in thrift.

In 1835 a savings account was opened in that bank with a deposit of \$5. Not a cent has been withdrawn; not a cent has been added, excepting interest. Yet that account today amounts to \$382.16 or more than 76 times the original deposit.

The incident reveals how money piles up when given a chance. There is little or no magic in the accumulation of wealth, excepting the magic of compound interest.

What you can earn personally has its limitations. There are no limits to the earning possibilities of your money. Perhaps some concrete figures will interest you. Save \$30 a month—invest and enjoy the income at 6 per cent and in 25 years you will have \$61,975.

Put \$5 in your savings bank each week for 15 years. Based on 4 1/2 per cent interest compounded semi-annually you will have \$5,500.

Save \$25 a month for five years. Increase your savings to \$50 a month for another five years. Go up to \$100 for five years more; to \$150 for the next five years and to \$200 for the last half decade of the twenty-five year period.

If your income from these savings has been compounded at 6 per cent every six months, how much will you have? Exactly \$54,946.61.

Even \$1 deposited weekly for ten years will amount to \$635.23 at 4 per cent compound interest. Start at the age of twenty and save \$32.14 per month with interest compounded at 4 per cent semi-annually and at 65 your accumulations will be \$50,000.

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1925 LOOPSTERS VS. HIGHS

The 1925 high school loopsters, one of the strongest cage combinations produced at the local institution, will angle with the present highs in an exhibition affair this afternoon at the gym. Four members of this club are still playing basketball, two being in scholastic circles and the other two with Y. M. C. A. teams. They are fighting aggression from the rival up. Line-up for the game follows:

Table with 3 columns: 1925 Team, Pos., 1926 Team. Includes names like C. Fowler, M. Widenhouse, J. Hollins, R. G. J. Widenhouse, Walton.

CHARLOTTE HIGH IN NEXT OFFICIAL GAME

The dawn of the New Year will ring Jack Caldwell's Charlotte highs out for the next official game carded by the Little Wonders for January 5.

The pre-Yuletide season has been for the local highs an unqualified success. But the heat of competition has not been as great as will be evidenced in the approaching calendar of contests.

Charlotte, Salisbury, Lexington, Gastonia and Belmont Abbey are to be clicked off in regularity. Better say played, for every team named looks mighty strong on paper.

Jack Wade in Tuesday's issue of the Charlotte Observer, has this to proclaim: "Charlotte high was used out of two championships last year in the cage game. They were formidable in the state titular race and in the tournament held at State College they looked to be the class of the bunch."

And to make it more terrifying the majority of the letter men returned this year and sewed up berths on the unit.

TOWEL CITY NEWS ITEMS

Christmas entertainments will close tonight with the presentation of the mammoth Y. M. C. A. program which is planned to start at 7:30 o'clock.

A cargo of toys was imported on Monday for distribution among the kiddies. Besides receiving the gifts the young people will have an opportunity to see Santa Claus in flesh and hear him in a short talk.

Have You Heard This One?

Travelling By Street Car. Jane—"Did you notice the beautiful moon this evening?" Katherine—"Yes, I saw the moon coming home on the street car."

Nothing Much. "Pa, what are ancestors?" "Well, my son, I'm one of yours. Your grandpa is another."

Bright Pupil. "Now suppose a man suddenly fell off the river bank into the river. He can't swim. He cries out for assistance. His wife hears him and runs to the bank. Why does she run to the bank?"

Not Enraptured. Farmer—"The West is a fine place. I've gotta good crop." Neighbor—"How come? We ain't had no rain this year."

Time To Leave. Lecturer—"Allow me, before I close, to repeat the words of the immortal Webster."

Holiday For A Certainly. Teacher—"Now, suppose I am leaving the school and a man comes up to me, gives me a blow which knocks me down, and my head strikes the pavement with great force and I am killed. What is the consequence?"

"Pause. Finally, a pupil rose and said: "We would have a holiday!"

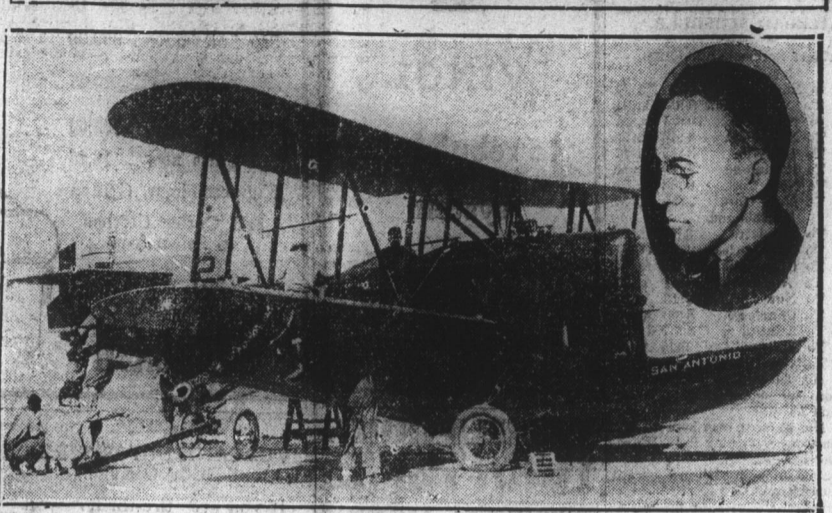
WILSON PEACE AWARD IS GIVEN ELIHU ROOT

Recognition of Labor For Permanent Court Made Through Award. New York, Dec. 28.—Elihu Root, former secretary of state, received the Woodrow Wilson foundation peace prize for 1926 at a dinner at the Hotel Astor tonight on the 70th anniversary of the birth of the wartime President.

Norman H. Davis, president of the foundation, and marked the recognition of Mr. Root's work in 1920 in the creation of the permanent court of international justice.

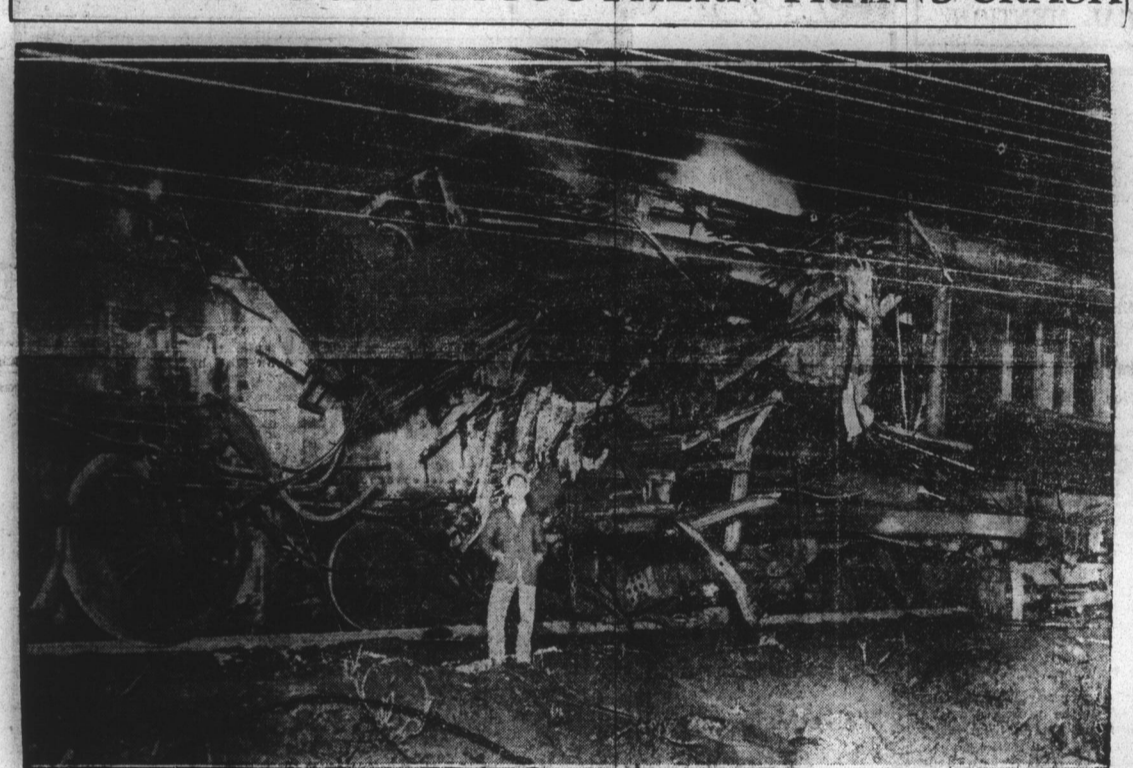
medal accompanies a cash prize of \$25,000. Mr. Root is the second person to receive the award. Viscount Cecil of Chelwood, having received the 1924 prize. Viscount Cecil is Great Britain's chief representative to the league of nations.

Plane Tuned Up for Flight to Southern Climes



Men are shown tuning up the San Antonio, one of the planes that were used in the army's flight through southern republics. Major H. A. Dargue, who will command the flight, is shown in the inset.

18 KILLED AS CRACK SOUTHERN TRAINS CRASH



Here is what was left of the locomotive of the Ponce de Leon, crack passenger train of the Southern Railway, after it drove its terrific force into the Royal Palm at Rockmart, Ga., December 13, resulting in the death of 18 and serious injury to at least 50 other passengers.—International Newsreel Photo.

TILLIE THE TOILER

ON OUR RIGHT, THE HANDSOME DR. SHRIVEL WHO RUNS A REDUCING ACADEMY ON THE FLOOR ABOVE SIMPKINS AND COMPANY, AND WHO IS RESPONSIBLE FOR KEEPING UP TILLIE'S NEW INTEREST IN LIFE. MAC SAYS, "WH, KEEPING UP ON THE FLOOR ABOVE."



A MOVE SHE'LL NOT PERMIT

GREAT SCOTT! WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN AND HOW LONG DO YOU EXPECT ME TO PUT UP WITH THIS NONSENSE?

YOU THOUGHT I MIGHT NEED YOU! OF COURSE YOU WASN'T SURE. MAC, COME IN MY PRIVATE OFFICE, I WANT TO SEE YOU.

WHAT ARE THEY TALKING ABOUT? MAYBE I'M GOING TO GET FIRED—WELL, I WON'T MIND THAT. I CAN GET ANOTHER JOB—MAYBE THEY'LL TRY TO FORCE DR. SHRIVEL TO MOVE TO ANOTHER BUILDING—LET 'EM TRY IT!

FERRY ON THE JOB

I DON'T GET THE SAME KICK OUT OF NEW YEARS THAT I USED TO.

WHY DON'TCHA GO TO SOME NIGHT CLUB AND SPEND A THOUSAND BUCKS? THERE'S SOME THAT LIKE THAT.

OR YOU COULD MAKE A LOT OF GOOD RESOLUTIONS—THAT'S CONSIDERED GOOD CLEAN FUN.

BUT I DON'T SMOKE, DRINK, CUSS OR CHEW TOBACCO.

SOME BOSSES GIVE THE EMPLOYEES A YEARS WAGES ON NEW YEARS.

The Happy Christmas Season. Calls to mind the pleasant relations we have had with you during the past year and brings to us a deeper appreciation of old associations, and of the value of new friends.

WE THANK YOU. With the drawing near of the end of the old year, we wish to thank our many patrons and friends for their most loyal support during the months and years passed.

Atwater Kent Factory now on their Second Million. Get Yours Today From Yorke & Wadsworth Co. THE OLD RELIABLE. Browns Cannon Co. OPPOSITE NEW HOTEL.