

# Member Associated Press. MORE VESSELS DESTROYED DURING LAST WEEK THAN IN MANY MONTHS **RIOT BREAKS OUT BIG MILITARY BALL**



Warfare in the Last Week Are Crest of Period of Unusual Activity by U-Boats.

One Day of the Last Week is Regarded As a Record-Methods of Destroying Boats Are Constantly Being Improved.

London, June 20 .- The weekly list of been active in pushing the sale of the British losses in torpedoed ships to be tickets Music is to be furnished by issued today will show the highest total Hood's orchestra, of Greensboro, and of many weeks, the number being com- during the evening refreshments will be parable to the worst week since the served ruthless campaign began. The returns

from the last three months show that to accommodate a large number of the U-boat activities run in waves and dancers and many are coming over from it is assumed that this week is the Greensboro, Thomasville, Ashboro and crest of a period of super-activity no- other nearby cities and towns to partiticed the previous week.

however, is not regarded over pessi- city. mistically by naval men, who insist that the admiralty methods are constantly GENERAL BREAK CAUSED growing in efficiency. In support of this they point to the increasing number which escape the submarines. The Action in Liverpool Caused Decided Germans are resorting to every possible method of preventing the patrol's effectiveness and the submarines frequently change the scene of their operations.

The military ball for the benefit of Company M., First North Carolina regiment, is to be held at the armory to night and indications point toward one of the most enjoyable hops in the history of the city being pulled off. The armory has been handsomely decorated, great amount of bunting and many American flags being used Tickets to the dance have sold rapidly

IS ON FOR TONIGHT

Large Armory.

and but a small number remained this fore the police got on the scene and no afternoon, according to one member of arrests were made. the local military company, who has The banners were inscribed:

The size of the armory floor is ample

cipate Tickets may be secured from

The last week includes one day which the officers of the company or from a is regarded as a record. The situation, number of places of business in the

## IN COTTON MARKET

Slump in Cotton Right After the Opening Today. Washington, June 20 .- Sensational

New York, June 20.- There, was heavy charges

NOT EVEN OUIT NOW

Meeting to Consider Himself.

learned the bishop's resignation, now in

the hands of Joseph G. Brown, of Ral-

The bishop is cahirman and it is un-

to call a special meeting.

Big Dance Given Tonight for "Treasonable" Banners Are Snatched From Hands of Suffragists **About White House** 

**OVER "SENTINELS"** 

Washington, June 20 .- The peaceful, Twelve million women are denied the picketing of the White House grounds right to vote. President Wilson is the by silent sentinels of the suffrage cause chief opponent of their national enled to the first disorder today when franchisement. Help us make this naa crowd of angry men tore down ban- tion free. Tell our government it must ners the women were holding for the liberate its people before it can claim Russian mission to see when it visited free Russia as an ally. the President. The rumpus was over be-

The banners attracted groups of men passing who stopped and discussed them. Finally discussion gave way to action.

irls between the ages of 10 and 20

the request of the state department

Commissioner Woods ordered Joseph

A. Faurot, head of the detective bu-

reaux, to inquire theroughly into the

methods and operation of the detectives

ARE GIVEN ASSISTANCE

City Council Voted to Give Organization

Cries of "traitors," "treason" and "President Wilson and Envoy Root "they are enemies of their country," are deceiving Russia. They say, 'We were should at the two women holding are a democracy. Help us win a world | the banner and when one yelled, "Let's war so that democracy may survive, tear it down," the crowd jumped for-We, the women of America, tell you ward and it was torn down, leaving the ter and company, Oxford, the contract

that America is not a democracy. suffragists holding the frame,





All Districts Created Prior to June 19 Will Be Finished At the Old Price, But New Ones Will Necessitate Advancing Figure.

Three Times Amount of Original Paving Has Been Done or Is Scheduled-Statement by the Contractor to Council.

Last September, before the increase in street paving became so marked, the street paving becam eso marked, the ity of High Point awarded R. G. Lassito construct 40,000 square yards of

pavement at a stipualted price. Since that time work has been done and started on streets that will run the total amount of paving laid up to 111,950, just a little less than three times the amount originally contracted for. The Lassiter company, despite the increased costs of

with its part and will finish any and all more ladies and genthemen will start the Searching Investigation Into Op- streets upon which work has been started and which were created assessment eration of the Police System districts prior to June 19 at the old will raise \$30,000; Durham has raised price. But any new streets slated for \$19,000 and will raise at least \$30,000;

the increase desired for further work

be subjected to an increase in price of

"I believe High Point will come up to the mark," said T. J. Gold, chairman of the High Point chapter of the Red Cross this morning.

WILL BE SECURED

Chairman of Local Red Cross

Raised in City.

Chapter Sure \$15,000 Will Be

"The week ending June 25 is to be devoted to a campaign for contributions to the Red Cross war council fund. The

Presidents has called upon this country to raise \$100,000,000 by next Monday night. This call has come because there is an imperative need for the money. Organizations for relief in the United States and in the war zone must be formed and be ready for service before our armies begin fighting in France so as to then make the living more comfortable and relieve the sick and wounded when the fighting does begin. We

who do not go to the firing line just as well realize now that our time to go to work is upon us. "Our portion in this city and vicinty

is \$15,000, less than \$1 to the person. Some people are not able to give this small amount and unless those who are well off give greatly, even give to the point of sacrifice, we cannot hope to materials and labor, is going through reach the goal. A committee of 20 or drive tomorrow with tremendous force, Raleigh has already raised \$15,000 "and

paving, and petitions are in for 13, that and the subscriptions in Greensboro are in an hour or two, require from seven New York, June 20-More than 800 have not been created as districts, will growing by leaps and bounds. Our peo- to ten cars to transport them from the ple must become alive to their manifes years have disappeared from their homes increases for such items as pipes. Fur 15 per cent for the paying and greater duty.'



Many of the Larger Stores of the Country Are Now Taking to High Point Furniture Because of This Fact.

Some Interesting Facts About the Furniture Market in High Point Are Given-Why There Is An Increase in Price.

During recent months organized efforts have been taken by the manufacturers of the city to increase the interest of the furniture dealers in High Point as a market; to get the men who sell house furnishings to visit the city and see the furniture in process of manufacture, and on the floor of the

local show rooms, four in number, Not mank weeks ago an appropriation of \$5,-000 was set aside by the manufacturers to start a rather comprehensive advertising campaign, direct in nature

This campaign is beginning to get results-an average of seven buyers visit the four show rooms seven days each week. Some of these buyers represent a small or medium sized store they own; others represent a chain of big department stores and their purchases, made sity The High Point furniture manufacturers by reason of location giving them marketing advantages, casy accessible raw materials and low cost of production, are increasing their business anywhere from 50 to 100 per cent with the cream stores of America's biggest cities. They are doing this, it is claimed, because they are making the right kind of furniture priced right. High Point has long since been recgnized as the furniture manufacturing center of the south and one of the two great ones of the United States. The market for the product of the many factories of the city has been found in all ment that a gold and silver coin ship. parts of the country, in all well conment stolen from an express car safe ducted furniture stores. Likewise are last night amounted to nearly \$30,000 samples from the lines manufactured in was made today by G. M. Curtis, gen. the local mills shown on the big expoeral manager of the western department sition floors, notably at the New York of the Adams Express company. A and Grand Rapids shows, where the lopackage of diamonds was found in check. cal products compare favorably with ing up the contents of the safe. J. R. that of the famous factories of Grand Andrews, messenger in charge of the car, Rapids, America's leading furniture which was attached to a C. B. and Quin- manufacturing center. That the High cy train, and W. R. Smiley, messenger Point furniture compares favorably, in on another car who was with Andrews both quality and finish, with that of ers ordering shipments devoid of distin-Both men had been questioned by the guishing labels and then disposing of

#### Two More Sinkings.

British steamer Eleie, presumably by a 46 to 69 points lower with October sell-German submarine, was reported in a ing at 25.50 and December at 25.56 on cable received today by the Leyland line the call or 110 or 114 points below the from her commander. The vessel left high levels reached on yesterday's adhere June 8 for Manchester, Eng., with a vance. There was good buying which general cargo. The cable made no ref- steadied the market right after the call erence to the crew. but the news seemed to be bringing in

The Warren liner Bay state from slling orders from the country and be-Boston May 31 for Liverpool, has been fore the end of the first hour October sunk by a German submarine. Advices sold at 25.05 and December at 25.20, or and as a result the secretary has reto the company gave nothing regarding 108 to 105 points under in night's newed his complaints. the crew of the steamer. close. The action in Liver oil was sup-

The Dutch steamer Emdijk which left pased to be the result of competition for here May 13 for Rotterdam with grain the supply of American cotton now for the Holland government has been available there. sunk, according to advices received by Cotton futures opened weak. July

agents here today. First reports gave 25.90 to 25.95; Oct. 25.75 to 25.90; Deno details as to the safety of the crew. cember 25.65 to 25.56; January 25.56 to

25,73; March 25.94.

### LIVERPOOL HAS THE COTTON MARKET CLOSED BISHOP KILGO CAN

Sensational Advances in the Market There Brought About the Decision of He Has Resigned, Was Chairman of the Directors.

Liverpool, June 20 .- The cotton exchange was closed temporarily today after a short period.

(Unusual advances have occurred in Methodist Episcopal church, south, and the Liverpool market in the last few the Trinity college class of 1917, asdays. The high prices yesterday showed sumed a new aspect today when it was gains of 148 to 182 points.)

Notice of Closing.

London, June 20.-An exchange tele- eigh, president of the board of trustees, graph dispatch says the cotton associa- cannot be acted upon in deference to the tion decided to close the market in view constitution of the college, which emof the sensational movement.

New York Advised.

New York, June 20 -Notice of the ceived here today by the president of will have to wait until the regular of time. the exchange in the following cable meeting of the board next winter. from the president at Liverpool:

"Pending consultation tomorrow with ITALIANS RESUME THEIR the board of trade and in accordance with its wishes the directors have deeided the future markets be closed temporarily.

COAL INDUSTRY PARALYZES

Washington, June 20,-Government resumption of the fighting begun June 000,000. pools of coal production and distribution 11 on the Trentino front southeast of and of rail and water transportation the city of Triest, the capture of which were recommended to congress today by is one of the chief Italian objectives.) the federal trade commission as the only means of avoiding a shortage next win-

ter.

"The commission believes," says the tack on the administration food control report submitted after months of inves- bill in the senate when Senator Gore. tigation, "that the coal industry is par- democratic chairman of the senate agrialyzing the industries and that the coal cultural committee declared it strikes at itself is paralyzed by the failure of the farmer, will cause losses to produtransportation. There are enough cars cers this year of \$250,000,000 in wheat, timption with the greatest expedition." tion,

liquidation and a sharp break in cotton Newport, R. L, training station are extoday with sentiment unsettled by the posed to open gambling houses, immoral announcement that Liverpool had closed tesorts and illegal sales of liquor were Boston, June 20.-The sinking the the exchange. The openings here was made by Secretary Daniels today in anruoncing that he had appealed to the sovernor of Rhode Island. in response to a proliminary com-

had ordered the most searching inquiry himself by securing the h into police conditions since the Rosenplaint the mayor of Newport made a that murder. general denial and declared there was

naval recruits at

The investigation is a direct outcome no unusual degree of immorality in the of the finding of the body of Ruth Cru- received from A. R. Williamson, general city. The navy department with the asger, a high school girl, buried in the sistant of agouts of the department of cellar of a motorcycle shop conducted by justice thereupon made an investigation Alfrdeo Cocchi for whom the Italian government authorities are searching at

ANNUAL MEMORIAL SERVICE OF ODD

that

## FELLOWS SUNDAY

and policemen who failed to solve the The Odd Fellows of this city will hold Cruger mystery. The girl's body was their annual memorial service next not found through their efforts, it was Sunday evening at the Green Street said, but by private detectives employed Bantist church, the annual sermon to be by Mrs. Grace Humiston, a woman lawpreached by the pastor, Rev. J. M. Hilyer who is counsel for the Crugers. liard. All Odd Fellows of the city are

urged to attend and hear the final ser-ASSOCIATED CHARITIES mon of the present pastorate of Rev College Board, and Cannot Call a Mr. Hilliard.

Durham, June 20. - The controversy SMALL FIRE IN THE between Bishop John C. Kilgo, of the CITY THIS MORNING

**AT FURNITURE PLANT** A committee representing the Asso- Parkway street to city limits; Ray, ciated Charities, composed of Fred N. The members of the fire department Tate, Mrs. Frank Gurley, Miss Clara I. were called to the plant of the Continental Furniture company, just off

fore the city council last night and ask-Eeast Green street, this morning shorted that an appropraiation of \$200 be ly before 2 o'cloc in response to an made the society to be used in its work. alarm sounded when a small blaze was One or two cases which have been called powers only the chairman of the board discovered in a shed of one of the build-

to the attention of Mrs. Gurley, the secings of the emopany. Hose were quickretary, were cited and the council voted ly connected with hydrants and the closing of the Liverpool market was re- derstood that action on his resignation flames were extinguished without loss to give \$100 immediately. The request had been for \$100 to be available at

present and \$100 available in October The council stated that they would try and see some manner of raising the .non paigns in all sections today entered upon ey in October, whereupon Spokesman Tate announced that they would return.

## TAXATION OF NEWSPAPERS

Washington, June 20,-Taxation newspapers, magaines and other publica- mit the city to run the street through other year. tions was reopened today by the senate his property provided drainage pipes

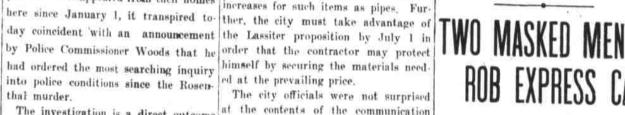
Wheat.

finance committee in revising the revenue would be laid and sidewalks put down bill. The committee adopted Senator but that Mrs. Carrick would not con-Penrose's motion to reconsider its decis- sent to sign. The proposed street would open up a large tract of land very desirion to levy a 5 per cent tax on publish-

> FORMER KING OF GREECE HAS REACHED SWITZERLAND

Dugani, Switzerland, June 20 .- For- tain former Premier Venielos will take than any other state in the union. It Chicago, June 20-Improvement in crop prospects gave a fresh downward mer King Constantine, of Greece, arrived office at the head of the government leads Michigan by 40 per cent. Local impulse today to wheat. Opening quo- here today.

Children's day will be observed by Eb-enezer church, near Freeman's Mill, next yesterday's finish to three cents lower peror was handed to the king when he shortly to German beadquarters to de-far distant when North Carolina-and and not enough are delivered and these 500,000,000 in corn and result in famine Sunday, June 24. The people of the city with July at 2.02 to 2.04 and September left the train. The immediate future mand assistance. Consternation has High Point is her gene will be gene cars not moved to the point of con- next year owing to the reduced produc- and section are cordially invited to at- at 1.79 to 1.81 were followed by a ma- moves of the former king are unknown been caused in Sofla by Constaine's abbut it is believed he will go to Germany. diontion.



#### Official Announcement is Made superintendent of the Lassiter company last night. They saw the justice in the That \$30,000 in Coin Was Sestand of the contractors and no strencured. uous objections were filed to granting

Chicago, June 20 .- Official announce-The sum and substance of the proposi tion means that the property owners along certain of the streets for which petitions for paying are now on file will have to pay just 15 per cent more for the paying since assessment districts have not been created. These streets

Hamilton street, East Washington t: Southern railway track; High street, Hamliton to Rankin; West Broad, North Main to Park; Best, English to Jones; Hamilton, East Commerce to railroad Dewey, East Washington to Pond; Wil. at the time two masked men bound them Grand Rapids has been proved on more lowbrock. High to Ward: White Oak, and robbed the safe, were in custody than one occasion recently by large deal-Commerce to East Green; Steele, Wash. Itoday. \$100 for Relief of Poor During Last ington to Richardson; Lindsay, Howell

police and the express company and re- High Point furniture at "strictly Grand to English; Glenn avenue, entire length; peated the story of the affair without Rapids" sales. Newspaper cuts supplied change, the police say

TAKE PART IN THE

The streets that have been ordinanced Cox and David H. Parsons, appeared be, and which, if not already paved, will be dropped from the train and disappeared ments of these "Grand Rapids" sales in and no trace has been found of them.

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North Main to King

### WANT CHILDREN TO CONDEMN PROPERTY TO **OPEN UP THOROUGHFARE**

City Attorney is Instructed to Start All children of the city who have pa-Proceedings Against Rev. and Mrs. geant costumes or costumes that are industry here-and for many years Thomas Carrick.

City Attorney Dred Peacock was in- at the Elm street school Friday after- cheap goods, going into one particular structed to start condemnation pro- noon at 2 o'clock to take part in the sections of the south. Growth, expericeedings against Rev. and Mrs. Thomas parade which is to mark the opening of ence and changes in public demands Carrick last night during the meeting of the 1917 chautauqua. The advance rep- bave wrought a wonderful change in the the city council to open up a street from resentatives of the Swarthmore chau- quality of High Point furniture. Espethe Barker property, on North Hamilton tauqua circuit is spending today, Thurs- cially has the process during the past IS AGAIN TAKEN UP street, to North Main street. It was day and Friday in the city arranging for two years been astonishing. stated that the signature of Mr. Car- the opening of the 1917 attractions of rick was secured to an agreement to per- which promise to eclipse those of any west and the east were secured to in-

> BULGARIA WORRIED OVER THE GREEK PROBLEMS

Geneva, Switzerland, Tuesday, June ical comparison with any made else-19. (Via Paris), Juen 20 .- The semi-of- where in this country. ficial Balkan news agency says King Statistics from the United States gov-Ferdinand of Bulgaria has been im- ernment prove beyond the chance of a impressed deeply by the abdication of dispute, that North Carolina maufac-King Constantine and considers it cer- tures a larger quantity of furniture

and Greece will enter the war against manufacturers feel, as one of them

by local manufactuers illustrating their After the robbery the masked men lines, have been used in the advertisemany parts of the country.

Thirty years ago there was one lone factory in this city. Now there are 30, with a wide range in grades and lines, CHAUTAUQUA PARADE nearly everything being produced to make up a complete stock for a modern store. During the first stages of the unique in any way are asked to meet thereafter-the output was confined to

In the early days artisans from the struct native labor. At present there is a generation of native born workmen turning out as first class work as is to be found anywhere. It will stand crit-

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Red Cross Work Goes On. Washington, June 20-Red Cross cam-OFFENSIVE ON TRENTINO the third day of the week's intensive canvass to raise \$100,000,000 for war re-

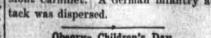
Rome, June 20 .- The Italians resumlief with more than a third of that office reports the capture of Austrian sum, or about \$35,000,000, in pledges positions on Monte Ortigara and nine already reported to national headquarters here. If the same rate is main-

tained today the total will be \$50,-

ing is in progress on the Aisne front. Early today the Germans carried on a er's profits but reached no decision re- able as residence sites, it is stated. severe bombardment of French positions garding substitutes.

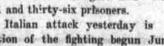
Washington, June 20 .- A vigorous at-

Observe Children's Day.



terial setback.

ed the offensive yesterday. The war ITSELF COMMISSION SAYS hundred and thirty-six prisoners. (The Italian attack vesterday is a



Attacks Food Bill.

# Only Artillery Fire.

Paris, June 20.-Heavy artillery fight-

near LaFaux hill and in the region of Mont Carnillet. A German infantry at-