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TURKISH NOBILITY READY TO FLEE CONSTANTINOPLE

Da-denelles Has Given Them a Scare---Several Vessels of the Allied FleetAre in the Harbor Bombardment All Along the Front

the Turkish nobility are prepared to source of great delight to all. flee from Constantinople, Asiatic Tur-

ready to flee.

Another Attack on German trade by British and take its place. French merchants is about to be made through a business men's voyfrom Southampton at a date not yet artisted and have been with the announced for reasons of caution, large Chautauqua. bearing fifty French merchants representing the silk, cotton, wine and made a great hit with our people. other industries of France and a hun- He is one of the greatest in his line dred leading business men from on the platform today.

Sails on Government

Rome, Feb. 27.-Vehement attacks on the government were made cator and lecturer, who is platform Friday by extremists in the chamber of deputies because of instructions given prefects to prohibit meetings, even when described as private, if there is reason to believe they would result in disorders. The order was designed to prevent clash- of Washington, D. C., will bring a es between those who favor Italy's intervention in the war and those who advocate strict noutrality.

A tumult arose Friday when the such meetings was a suppression of musicians favored the morning sesliberty and in violation of law. Premier Salandra replied that the instructions to the prefects were designed to protect liberty, which was threatened by violence, raise the dignity of the country, which had been injured by dissensions, and coment a moral unity, which would lead to triumph.

As the extremists shouted that it - was a plan to prevent Italy's intervention in the war, the premier de-* - elared amid applause:

of do not know whether our nation is destined to march to war, but "If this will be the case we must all unanimously obey the orders of the fatherland and the king." Russians Active

Berlin, Feb. 27 .- New Russian forces have appeared along the Prezanysz-Lomsea-August of battle line in Poland and begun a general offensive. Northwest of Louisea the Russians have begun a series of violent attacks At Skeroda they were repulsed and lost eleven hundred in prisoners. Northwest of Grodno a bloody battle is in progress. In the western battle theatre the fighting around Ver- day. dun and near Perthes continues. For seven successive days the French have assaulted German positions ness Perthes.

A SOCIAL LEADER



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Shelling Of Forts at TRENTON ENJOYS

An Event of Much Interest to the People of That

Trenton, Feb. 27.-The three days chautauqua opened on Thursday at Trenton in the school auditorium at Continues --- Activity 3:15 p. m. to a large and enthusiastic audience which almost taxed the hall. to its full capacity. Mr. Hal Merton, the famous magician of Brooklyn, N. Y., opened the program to the delight of not only older people, but Athens, Feb. 27.—Two Turkish to the children as well. His tricks forts inside the Dardanelles are be- in magic are most novel and intering heavily shelled by several vessels esting and his pleasing personality of the Allied fleet, and have been is the delight of his audience. In the damaged. The outer forts have been evening his program was entirely demolished. Leading familities of different and his ventriloquism was a

Dr. W. H. Sears, America's great humorous lecturer, set his audience wild with delight, with his two lecheld at Haigar Pasha. Residents of tures on "Don't Worry" in the af-Prince's Island, ten miles from Con- ternoon and "More Taffye and Less stantinople, have been notified to get Epitaphy" at night. His stories rolled out with a rapidity, that one hearty laugh was scarcely concluded London, Feb. 27.-Another attack until another rib-splitter was there to

Friday 26th, The Swatters Quartette and Swiss bell ringers gave two age to Latin-America. A French lin- of the best programs ever heard in this er, renamed the Argonaut, will sail part of the State. They are all ar-

Mr. Plumstead, the impersonator,

Great Britain's manufacturing dis- Saturday the LaDell Concert Company, of Toronto Canada, are the attractions for Saturday afternoon and manager.

The educational rally arranged by Prof. Barker, the county superintendent of schools, was a very helpful and entertaining feature.

Next year the Radcliffe attractions large tent and a great three day boosters festival will again co-operate with the wide-awake up-to-date citizens of Trenton and the county. Miss Barker and Miss May, two talented local sion with music.

C. E. Love left yesterday morning for a business visit to Morehead City and Beaufort.

Dr. Ernest W. Dunn left yesterday morning for a professional visit to Washington, N. C.

T. J. Roberts was a business visi tor to Vanceboro yesterday.

H. T. Patterson left yesterday morning for a business visit to Washington, N. C.

Dr. R. O. Milbee, of Cove City, passed through New Bern yesterday morning enroute to Bayboro

F. S. Ernul has returned from short visit to Kinston.

Mrs. W. H. Whitehurst, of Latham, spent yesterday in the city

R. N. Harris, of Oriental, was business visitor in New Bern yester-Superintendent T. B. Attmore, of

public instructions for Pamlico county, returned home to Stonewall last night after a short visit to the city. L. I. Moore returned last night from

Snow Hill where he attended Greens county Superior Court. W. B. Pugh returned last night

from a business visit to Kinston.

Clyde Eby has returned from a everal days business visit to Baltinore, Md., and Washington, D. C.

public instruction for Craven county, eturned last night from a visit to love City.

Mrs. K. P. C. Bonner, of Morehead City, spent yesterday in New Bern curoute home from a visit to friends at Dover.

NEW BERN COTTON MARKET

Strict Middling Receipts yesterday, 20 bales.

NEW BERN COTTON MARKET.

MANY APPEALS FOR ASSISTANCE

Rev. W. B. Everett Tells of Charity Work Being Done Here

The week just ending has been another one in which many appeals for help has come to us. Through the kind and prompt response of many of our people I have been able to relieve to a greater extent than heretofore. Many have come forward with clothing and other necessities, while the doctors of our city have responded nobly to the calls we have made upon them in behalf of the sick. assure each one that you have my hearty appreciation for any kindness you have shown me in this great work. It has been the means of furnishing employment to some which is the main thing we have to consider as a medium through which we may in a measure relieve the necsity of having them brought before us as charity charges.

for this help we have had, we are still asking that you keep our poor in remembrance, and if you have employment to offer as well as necessities for the relief of extreme cases, kindly notify us, and we know that God will reward any sacrifice. We would also ask any who are unemployed and who are anxious to help themselves, to let us know about

it, we may be in a position to fur-

nish you with something to do. We are asking our ministers to remember the meeting Monday at 11 o'clock at the Presbyterian lecnight, with Dr. Geo. R. Biddle, edu-enter and heaturer who is platform that each minister will be present, as business of importance will claim our

W. B. EVERETT.

MEET MR. ABERNETHY *

stated that Solicitor Charles L. Aber- name and destination. nethy of the New Bern district is a son of the late Rev. J. T. Abernethy, and several uncles, including, Rev. J. E. Abernethy of Shelby, are prominent PEACE GATHERING in the ministry of the Methodist church. He belongs to a large family. all of whom have wrought well and successfully in the State. Solicitor Abernethy's grandfather,

the late Dr. R. L. Abernethy, the

founder and builder of Rutheford College, in Burke county, a college that has played a large and influential part in the educational history of the State, in that Rutherford College has, in a quiet though thorough way, educated hundreds of young men and women for a better opportunity of service in ife. His grandfather, Doctor Abernethy, was a unique and powerful figure in the life of the State some years ago. His name lives and is a priceless heritage to a large offspring. Solicitor Abernethy, like a great majority of the others entered the practice of law via the teacher route. He has been a lawyer since 1890. He has always been active in the affairs of the Democratic party, being a member of the Executive Committee, presidential elector in 1900 and 1904. He is now serving the third term as solicitor. He was originally appointed by ex-Governor Glenn and thereafter nominated twice without opposition and the third time won the nomiof being loyal to a cause and friends

where he stands. The expected happened in the room of the committee having charge of the Carter-Abernethy affair this afternoon. Neither side to the con troversy could have afforded a compromise of any sort, and an investigation was an inevitable consequence of the charges preferred in the matter. A legislative investigation will be the result, and it is improbable that this could be concluded before the close of the present mession. The taking of the testimony is going to require time and its consideration is highly respected residents of Pamligoing to require more time. There co county.
would seem no way of avoiding a Mr. Reel
prolongation of the present session for some tir

WHAT HAPPENS WHEN WOMEN VOTE



The women of Chicago went to the polls by the thousands, and that their little children did not prevent their exercising the franchise is shown by this photograph. In it Sol Van Praag, lieutenant of "Bathhouse John" Coughlin, is seen taking care of babies while their mothers cast their votes for the First ward alderman.

s as charity charges. While we feel so deeply gratified FIVE STEAMERS TO THE WAR ZONE

Left New York Yesterday Contrary to Reports, Op-With Hundreds of Passengers

New York, Feb. 27. Five passenger liners bound for ports in Ger- statements made during the past ncluded in today's sailings from this John L. Roper Lumber Company

well as the fastest passenger ship March 1st., a telegram received here traveling the Atlantic, has many yesterday afternoon ordered that opsteam er Rotterdam for Rotterdam week, be closed.

question is being heard over the high, were painted on both sides of is no explanation for such an order. of its findings State. One way of locating him, the St. Paul's hull. Two more would be to say that he is a grand- American flags were painted on her not in the city yesterday but it is

IN CHICAGO, ILL.

National Conference Now In-Session In That City

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 27 .- A national peace conference was opened here today for adoption of a plan by which Caught In Red Light Dive was set for Tuesday noon as a special the influence of the American people may be exerted toward early peace in Europe. Peace advocates from al parts of the nation attended. The meetings was under auspices of the emergency federation of peace forces.

Miss Jane Adams of Chicago presided. Edwin D. Mead of Boston said explanation was given with the anin an address that in the present European erisis the neutral nations had but other employees immediately con- desire. been silent too long.

cils of state partially, if not largely, sational conduct in Louisville, Ky., is responsible for the continuance of the plague of war upon earth," said the tenderloin district and buying also passed by a vote of 44 to 43 by Dr. Stephen S. Wise, rabbi of the wine for the habitues. Free Synagogue of New York. The belief that man was born a fighting here, was informed that her husband animal and must forever remain one, had lost his position, she said: he called "the most immoral of heresies." He viewed diplomacy's ing at all. When my husband comes nation over strong men by a three-fourths vote. He is popular in the district, and he enjoys the reputation to the district, and he enjoys the reputation to the district of t hidden ways as one of the ultimate home he will do the talking for the

and in all matters leaves no doubt of WELL KNOWN MAN which men do." **DIED YESTERDAY**

B. Reel Died At Reelsboro Sick for Some

for some time and was recently taken

of the editorial staff of the Releigh afternoon and the remains interred hundred pounds for oranges in earlevening Times, arrived in the city in the cometery at that place. The loads from these points to Billings, last night for abort risk with his descented is survived by a large number,

Butto, Helens, and Great Palls, State than any other property she nother,

THE ROPER PLANT

TO REMAIN CLOSED

erations Not to Be Resumed

war zone were three weeks by the officials of the Hundreds of passengers were to the effect that their local plant, which was closed down on February The Lusitania, now the largest as 1st, would resume operations on

bably work both day and night, there Superintendent A. T. Gerrans was way of detail, however, it might be by lettering on her hull giving her folk today in conference with the stated that Solicitor Charles L. Above

upon his return to New Bern early in the week, will probably be able to give out some statement as to why the company so suddenly decided to allow the mill to remain closed and also as to why the planing mill has been ordered closed.

WIFE'S ESCAPADE **COST HIM HIS JOB**

Her Reputation Is Ruined

nected the removal of the official with "Absence of women from the counthe publication of Mrs. Webster's senwhere she was arrested for touring

When Mrs. Webster, at her home "That's his affair. I shall say noth-

In Louisville, shortly after her arrest, Mrs. Webster was quoted as saying "that women should do anything

Webster put up each bail for his wife's appearance in court at Louis- Lookout, where the Government is

When Mr. Webster arrived in Chicago early today he was summoned able. to a conference with President H. R. Kurrie and Vice President Fred Zimmerman, when, it is understood, his resignation was requested.

RAILROADS ORDERED TO ES-TABLISH A RATE Washington, Feb. 27,-Railroads

carrying grape fruit and orange shipseriously ill and his demise result-day were ordered by the Interstate Commerce Commission to establish a rate of not more than \$1.02 1-2 per

JUDGE F. CARTER WILL BE CLEARED THINKS PEARSALL

eigh, States His Views

VERY OPTIMISTIC

Be Fully Vindicated

been looking after the interests of Wooten, Speaker of the House. Judge Frank Carter in the Abernethy who was injured in an autor evening from Raleigh and will spend died at Rex Hospital this afternoon.

meeting of the committee on Friday afternoon at which time the favorable report on the Clark resolution calling for an investigation of the case and also the charges against Judge Carter as to immoral conduct with women

Full Vindication

Col. Pearsall had nothing to give out to the public in regard to this meeting further than to say that the investigation was now in the hands of R. A. Doughton, of Allegheny, chairman; L. H. Allred, Johnston; A. R. Dunning, Martin; H. P. Grier, Iredell; W. P. Stacy, Wilmington; J. C. M. Vann, Union; R. S. Hutchinson. Contradictory to the numerous Mecklenburg and that Judge Carter, his counsel and his friends felt sure that he would be vindicated of the

No Sentiment

When asked to what was the sentiment in Raleigh, whether in favor of Abernethy or Carter, Col. Pearsall replied that it was "just talk" and stated that the affair was one of the cabin passengers booked for Liver-, erations be not resumed and also that chief topics of discussion around the at Kinston with military honors at pool. The American liner St. Paul the planing mill, which has been capital city and that it was being 3:30 tomorrow afternoon, the funfor Liverpool, the Holland-American going full blast for the past three talked on every street corner and in eral being conducted from the Bapevery public place, but no one tist church. seemed to have any definite opinion . The body left Raleigh at 7:20 this

American flags and the words erous orders to fill and would pro- hand when the committee appointed Craig with Mrs. Craig, Lieuter

COMES UP MONDAY

Argument On the Matter to Be Resumed Then

Raleigh, Feb. 27-The Senate this morning set the anti-Jug bill as a special order for Monday night, when argument will be resumed where it was left off at midnight for the purpose of reachipg a vote by Monday night. The crop lien bill order. The Senate voted down a resolution from the House to bar the introduction of new bills after Monday. The House is considering Chicago, Feb. 27.-William T. amending it. Representative David Webster, general freight agent of the today put through an amendment Monon-Railroad, resigned today. No to section 15 to give counties the option of having more than one townnouncement at the president's office, ship lister if their commissioners so

The Senate killed by a vote of 8 to 29 the Weaver child labor bill. The House passed on second roll call reading the machinery bill. The House number bill granting absolute divorce after five years of separation and one for statutory causes named existing.

HOLD TO WHAT WE HARE The people of this section endorse

what the News and Observer has to say in its editorial columns of Saturday to hold to what we have. We are certainly opposed to the State selling the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad. It would be a fatal mistake. It is the key to Cape ville and then saw her safely on a committed to an appropriation of train for Chicago. than a million of this sum is avail-

Cape Lookout, the way the ships have to travel is nearer the Panama Capal and the South American trade than it is from New Orleans to same points. It would be a fatal mistake and Heariguan Ducties. to waste away such great opporto waste away such great oppor-tunities. Wehope the State will stand by its own people. This is a serious matter. If you want to sell any railroad stock, sell that from Goladboro ments north from Jacksonville and to Charlotte, from inland point to other basing points in Florida to-day were ordered by the Interstate nects with the ocean and the foreign trade of the world.

It is hard to estimate the value

HOUSE SUCCE

The Colonel Back from Ral- Emmett R. Wooten Died Yesterday Afternoon In Capital City

VICTIM OF AUTO

Feels Sure That Jurist Will Injured Last Thursday When Big Touring Car Turned Turtle

Col P M Pearsall, who has Raleigh, Feb. 27.-Emmett R Carter case which has been up for accident last Thursday night and in investigation by Judiciary Commit- which William Aycock the enprosetee No. 1, returned to the city last ing clerk of the Senate was killed,

Early this morning sympl Cel. Pearsall was present at the pneumonia developed in lung and he slowly sank until came. The body will be carried to Kinston for interment.

The accident in which Spe Wooten was injured occurred the Cowper place on the try Club road. The car below Mr. Matt Allen, of Goldsboro, occupants were Messrs. Ayeock and Wooten, and Senator Johnson, of Daplin, and the driver, a negro by the name of Matthews. Johnson escaped without injury, and the negro was thrown in front of the car and so escaped. The three gentlemen were returning from Country Club about midnight and must have been running at a rapid rate of speed, and in trying to make the turn, the driver failed. The car struck the bank and turned over, pinning Mr. Ayeock under the wheel, Mr. Ayeock was the son of Mr. B. F. Aycock, of Freemont, and was a young man of unusual ability and great

Body to Kinston Emmett R. Wooten will be buried

the Louraine for Havre, and the This action came most unexpect| Kristianial jord for Bergen were the officials had so emphatically stated that they had number of the deceased, and the others sailing. evening accompanied by the wife General Young, Major Durham, committees from the Senate and House, and a military escort of six four from Company B. of the State infantry, and two from the Committee Committee

Artillery.
The Committee The committee from the Separate accompanying the body were as follows: Senator Ward of Craven. Thompson of Qualow, McLeod of Robeson, and Johnson of Duplin. The committee from the House are: Representative Hanes of Forsyth, Noland of Haywood, Brown of Rowan, Roberts of Buncombe, Allen of Wayne, Hutchinson of Mecklenburg. Tucker of Person, Ebbs of Madison

Grant of Onslow, Thomas of Anson, and Kittell of Vance.
All the Senators and Representa-tives named above accompanied the body last night with the exception of the last two Representatives named Messrs, Thomas and Kittrell: These were unavoidably detained, but as expected to arrive today.

Military Funeral

His position as a State office titles Mr. Wooten to a funeral full military honors similar to th accorded an officer of the rank of colonel, and this feature will add to the impressiveness of the amonies. Last night the six mil men in dress uniform walked the hearse from the train, six each side, to the residence where was carried. A great crowd met t party at the station.

Speaker Wooten was a n Lenoir county, and has sever represented his county in the (eral assembly. His election as aper brought him encomiums from press all over the State. He is survived by his wife, his mother, and two children.

NO SPECIAL SESSION

Washington, D. C., Feb. 27
President Wilson vigually has de-