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GASTONIA, N. C., MONDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 17, 1922.

lins Party En Route Home from Making Speech.

(By The Associated Press.)

DUBLIN, April 17. - An attempt on the life of Michael Collins, head of the

having addressed a meeting at Naas, construction becomes possible. county Kildare, when the attack occur . Granting that the Russian problem is the best site for an economic conference

The headquarters barracks was attacked by riflemen from all sides at midnight, about 20 shots being discharged. Commandant General Ennis was fired at outside of the gate. The garrison raked the surrounding territory with bullets, and the assaulting party withdrew. An army transport also was attacked, but without results, the beseigers fleeing after a sharp exchange of shots.

Shots were fired on the premises of capied by the civic goard at Balls Bridge. No damage and no casualties were reported.

In his speech at Naas, county Kildare, yesterday, Mr. Collins charged the op ponents of the provisional Free State government with setting barriers against the onward march of the nation. He declared that Eamonn de Valera had a dopted "methods of anarchy" because the people of Ireland were not willing to o'low him to decide the treaty uncerion for them. De Valera regarded this at titude of the people as an "unforgive able sin," and for it they were to be deprived of their right to choose a govern

#### SUNRISE SERVICE AT METHODIST CHURCH

Early Morning Easter Service than twice as large as Gaston, and their vington. Main Street Methodist large. None of these counties have come

One of the most beautiful of the many state chairman, and other state officials mass horses, according to meagre reports at Raleigh, Gaston County put on one of available here early follow. A special this remains the control of the many state chairman, and other state officials mass horses, according to meagre reports at Raleigh, Gaston County put on one of available here early follow. Easter services held in Gastonia Smeday at Raleigh, Gaston County put on one of available nere early today. A special was the Sunrise service held at Main the best campaigns for the Near East Restrain operated by the Hilmons Control Schoolsts, Mrs. Williams. Selicits, Mrs. Williams. The service consisted United States. Due credit is given the residence to Centralia where they were the performers participating in the factor and the Easter modification of Conch Armstrong. All the performers participating in the factor and the Easter modification of Conch Armstrong. All the performers participating in the factor afternion to message by Miss Lois Long and the tembers of industrial plants, capvassers.

One family of seven at no warm were several plants, capvassers, motion picture bouses and injured, were dragged from the ruins of the Lord's surject. Despite newspapers, motion picture bouses and injured, were dragged from the ruins of the carry hour, and the threatening others who assisted in the campaign, as the treatening others who assisted in the campaign, as form the ruins of the carry hour, and the threatening others who assisted in the campaign, as shown at several points in this occasion by furnishing the mode for this occasion. was present to empty the Easter service, chairman, and Rev. James H. Henderlite, ears from window glass.

One of the features of the service 8.8 D. D. city chairman.

Irvington is six miles southwest of One of the training of the service was the beautifully described on the beautifully described for the beautifully described fo

there was a garden." Isn't it a formity is going to have a hard time raising its ful thought and a beautiful custom that quota this year, as many counties have on the resurrection morn, as it comes to fallen down hadly on their share of this.

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The statement of the powerful is going to have a hard time raising its of any damage or loss of life were region. us again after nineteen hundred years. that His house should be transformed great work. All children not provided into the semblance of a fresh, pure, dewey garden? Fifled with the pertime an account of lack of funds. There fume of the lily, the flower so scrabela is no other alternative. So efficient is of the death and resurrection. The the work of the Near East Relief that filly bulb that so shart time ago was uneach child can be clothed, fed and taken sightly, brown, withered and apparents care of on \$5 a month, or \$60 a year. dead? The bulb that the gardener This is made possible through economic planted, knowing that out of it tind. would bring forth life and beauty, management and quantity purchasing.

Planted in the dark, damp, gloominess of TWELVE GOVERNMENT the cellar, symbolic of Christ's burial in the cold, silent tomb. After awhile the gardener again visited his bulbs to find that they had died, died like the dear NORFOLK, Vo., April 17. — today, shows:

Christ Himselg, but died to live again. Twelve government buildings on Fisher. Cottonseed crushed 2.849,431 fons, com-And fresh green shoots were coming up man's Island, in Chesapeake bay, were pared with 3,525,628 for the same period

destroyed by fire late yesterday. message for us, but especially at Easter | +100,000. The weather bureau station, 926. From them we learn the laws of hospital and one other building escapgrowth of patience and progress. They call the flames, tell us to be like to the purpose for The blaze was reported to const which we were created. They lift their guard officials here by the Cape Henry 326,600, faces up to God's sweet sunlight and weather observer, show us the beauty of gratitude and the duty of obedience. They droop their was distributed from Party, Mourge \* duty of obedience. They droop their heads at eventide, or at the close of life and teach us resignation. Their purity to be of assistance. There were about 15 buildings on the rebukes our sintuiness. Their beauty fills us with inspiration and joy, their fragrance teaches unselfishness, their frailty teaches their absolute dependence on a soul that really appreciates their worth and hands that eare for them tenderly. They are God's messengers of ers had been in camp. It spread rap a hope, and that is why they become so idly through the brush toward the mingled with our thoughts of the risen buildings and the efforts of the care 12 Christ at Easter time. The flowers with taker, the only man on the island, to \* their suggestion of everlasting life. Only extinquish it, were unsuccessful. a few weeks ago the air was chill and filled with flurries of snow. But our

bloom we need not lose hope. piternates had reached above 2,000 to-The name "Golgotha," the place of a day when the 31st continental congress skull, is repulsive, suggesting degrada- of the Daughters of the American Revtion, desolation, death. But when we olution convened in Continental Hall, 2 read that, "In the place where He was thereby assuring, general officers said, " Institute. crucified there was a garden," how our the largest meeting in the history of the society. (Continued on page six.)

hearts are glad today because life is

pushing out in nature everywhere. As WASHINGTON, April 17. - The

long as spring returns and flowers recording of accredited delegates and

# ATTEMPT MADE TO TAKE Two More Conferences Will Be LIFE OF MICHAEL COLLINS, Necessary Before Final Peace IRISH FREE STATE LEADER Is Restored To War-Torn Europe

What After Genoa Is the Question Uppermost in the Minds of Delegates to International Economic Conference.

(By The Associated Press.)

provisional free state government, was what? This is the question appermost in on a large scale. made here shortly after midnight this the minds of the delegates to the intermorning, coming almost simultaneously national economic conference. Experts ably would not participate in this, as Gerwith an assault on the Beggars. Bush and delegates alike are agreed that it many is already disarmed under the terms headquarters of the Irish Republican probably will be necessary to have two of the Versailles treaty, and the United army, says an official army statement. | more conferences at least, before peace States is not directly concerned with Mr. Collins was on his way home after is restored in Europe and financial re- European army affairs.

red. A group of men, some armed with settled in principle, and recognition is to follow the disarmament meeting, but rifles, rushed at the Collins' party's car granted Russia by the Genoa confereec, holding the meeting there would scarce, and opened fire, the Free State leader ap- which apparently is the most that can be be possible unless the Russian Governparently being the especial target. The hoped for from the present gathering, a Collins' party quickly rturned the fire, disarmament conference probably would by the United States, and one of the attackers was captured, be the next step in an effort to end what A revolver and a live bomb was found the Russians say is virtually a state of war between Japan and Soviet Russia, During the fighting a general head and Rumania and Soviet Russia. Turkey titude toward Russia increases and the dequarters car from the Beggars' Bush and Greece might also be admitted to this legates are eagerly asking the Americans barracks was disabled by rifle fire and conference in an effort to stop the fight- in Genon how long the United States will ing in Asia Minor.

cass disarmament with her friends, but crously with food, not with her enemies, consequently, there | France's fixed determination not to may be some difficulty in getting her to permit the slightest revision of the Verconference embracing all the powers great bancheap to another economic or

Swedish economist, and other experts at breaking much ice, and Mr. Lloyd George, Genoa apparently are agreed that sum- the British Premier, is generally looked formulal or economic conference is post gard.

STATE IN NEAR EAST

Money For Near East Re-

lief Than Any Other County

BUILDINGS ARE DESTROYED.

(By The Associated Press.)

The army mine planter General S

2,000 at D. A. R. Meet.

(By The Associated Press.)

GASTON COUNTY LEADS

in North Carolina.

Jarger or smaller.

current fiscal year.

sible, as lessened military expenses are GENOA, April 17. - After Genoa, imperative before loans can be floated

Washington is generally regarded as ment were in the meantime recognized

As the chances for recognition of the Soviet by the European powers becomes brighter, the interest in America's at-France has expressed a desire to dis- Government, which it is helpinig so gen-

enter a general disarmament or peace sailles treaty would undoubtedly prove a which still have armies on a war footing. | financial conference, which would have Frank A. Vanderlip, the American to deal so largely with the reparations financier. Professor Gustay Cassell, problem, but the present conference is mentag of a disarmament conference is upon as a leader skillful enough to over necessary step before a successful come any French opposition in this re

### ONE KILLED AND MANY INJURED IN TORNADO

This County Raised More Twister Strkies Illinois Town program prepared by the cheer under the life as unable to cast any light upon it. Orphanage.

RAELEIGH, April 17. - Gaston CENTRALIA, 11.1.8., April 17. - One county holds the distinction of having baby was killed and two persons are in raised more money for the Near East St. Mary's buspital here in a critical which was fautlessly rendered: this year than any county in the state condition as the result of the tornado when struck Irvington, south of here, a bout midnight, lest night, hospital at Mecklenburg, New Hanaver, Wake, tendants reported today. A number of Forsyth and Ginlford county are more other injured persons remained in Ir-

NASHVILLE, ILLS, April 17, -Church - Miss Long Makes quywhere yet nearing their quota, but Tornada striking at Irvington, a town of Short Talk on Easter - their chairmen report that they expect to about two population, shortly after mid Mrs. Church Beautifully Decor- go over the top before the end of their night, killed one person and insued be-According to Col. George H. Bellamy, or budly damaged 15 residences and busi-

spirace, ivy and palme. The trail spirace in the North Earth, spirace in the State which have suggested in the State which have suggested in the North Earth, spirace in the State which have suggested in the North Earth, spirace in the State which have suggested in the North Earth, spirace in the State Sta there was a garden." Isn't it a beautiful custom that full thought and a beautiful custom that going to have a bard time raising its on the resurrentian meaning that custom that going to have a bard time raising its of any department. The extent of the startment was not learned. No reports the grant and a beautiful custom that

> Near Mentrose two bouses were demolished. Occupants of both escaped in the Near East Relief orphanages at that livry by fleeing to the basement. A half to drive the use were use and rainstorm following the ternado at Fayette broke a number of windows in the Howard Payne College. Much disting to young fruit is report- the example of Paul are the greated

#### REPORT OF COTTONSEED PRODUCTS CRUSHED

WASHINGTON, April 17. — The cottonsest and cottonseed products report of the Census Bureau for the eight months period ending March I, issued

Un a year ago, and on hand at mills March The flowers always have a beneatiful official estimates say the loss may reach 21st, 107,058 tons, scompared with 302

Crude oil produced \$75,676,202 points compared with 1.126,063,546 and on land 60.088,993 pounds compared with 164,

#### CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. CALENDAR.

Monday, April 17. 7:30 p. m. Retail Merchants Institute.

7:30 p. m. Retail Merchants will be intensely valuable to everyone Tuesday, April 16.

Wednesday, April 19. 7:30 p. m. Retail Merchants

Thursday, April 20. 4:00 p. m. Board of Directors. 7:30 p. m. Retail Merchants

Friday, April 21. 7:30 p. m. Retail Merchants



Nothing to Justify Such an Explosion as Happened in 1916-However, the Situation Is Ticklish.

(By The Associated Press.) LONDON, April 17 .- claster Monday cas looked forward to with little trepidation by the citizens of Dublin. Reports to the marning newspapers indicated there was nothing to justify an assumption that the day would bring such an explosion as the rebellion of

The Daily Mail's correspondent says: Anything or nothing may never in the next few days," and, notwithstanding the existing memore to order, many reports suggesting that the majority of citizens are inclined to believe it will e nothing.

The Times' Dublia correspondent says the statement by Rory O'Commer, head of the troops which seized the Four Courts that his forces did not content a built hole through his body inflicted plate a coup bears the stamp of sin by Policeman J. W. Mills when he at day's paper. The official canvass of Of Chicago, Who Is In Gastenia This Week To Conduct a Merchants' Institute Under The Auspices of the Mercantile

> frish armies watching each other quired constant attention since he had candidate, unofficial and subject to corthrough the sandbagged windows of dif- an attack of paralysis last year. The rection at the meeting of the county ferent public buildings, the situation is langerous. The country's immediate shooting took place just before mon to convention this afternoon; hope rests on the resumed meeting of day. peace conference on Wednesday Policemen Mills and Gilbert who went between representatives of the Free to the Allison residence on Davie avtares and Republicans).

Elaborate Musical Program by Choir of Main Street Methor being put to the rival leaders to reach they read the warrant to the negro boy in agreement which will eliminate the on the porch. About that time Raydist Church-Rev. R. C. Long Delivers Powerful Address on the "Crusade For

Templar of Gastana. The musical Irisa Republican army, and he admits the chest piercing the upper labe of the and Demolishes Many direction of Miss Marie Torrence was some de Valera, speaking last night in Dul-Homes - Narrowly Missed of the most elaborate ever heard in the scheduling of the Easter re- locally of the shooting one that the bull localing, reiterated his hostility to the let entered the right chest and came out tonia. The musical program preceded freaty and told his hearers they could the back and another that the build en the Knights Templar sermon and con have unity and a stable government be tered the back and came out in front.

hand volunteers who stood for the re- Young Allison was harried to the hospi public. These were the spear points of tal and latest reports indicate that his the Irish movement for freedom, he condition is favorable. While he has lost Violin Solo, "Reverie," Mrs. F. C. sand. It was not apparent whether this considerable blood yet it is thought that allusion was to O'Connor's troops.

## Among the Dead," Soloist, Miss Char LOCAL HIGHS PLAY BESSEMER CITY TEAM

High School Baseball Team Faces Heavy Schedule of Motion Picture Depicting Use Post-Easter Games Thils Week-Underwood Out of Game For Rest of Season.

of Easter anthems and songs, an Easter people of Gaston, preachers, supering placed in lessitals.

Miss Lota Long and the tendents of industrial plants, capvassers, successfully formally of seven, at of whom were sacrament of the Lord's support. People of Gaston, preachers, supering placed in lessitals.

One family of seven, at of whom were showed by their rape of the lord another high school base in appreciation and enjoying and the lord appreciation and enjoying and the lord appreciation and enjoying and the lord appreciation and enjoying their family of conclusions.

All the performers partitioning in the direct measurement of the Lord's support. The place of industrial plants, capvassers, inclined in the superior of the lord and the

Fraceling the masic the Estight. The basels have played eight games to this week by County Farm Demon nishing the masic for this occasion.

that will probably weaken the field employs the best known method and adjudges, J. L. Beal, D. H. Williams, E. J.

## Week For Gastonia Mer-Gastonia retail or firsts a now or subspeople will be of no 7:30 neck at the teasons thumber of

20th and 21st-Instructors complish Delegates.

the present at the first of the series for the same institut will be held at be shown at the school house. the Interstate Commerce Commission to- League work.

day asked permission to assume liability
for the payment of interest and princi7:45 to 8 o'clock, devotional service; 8 pal of an issue of \$9,300,000 in equip-ment trust certificates, from sale of triet problems; 8:45 to 9:30, social hour. which the company will finance pur Mr. P. L. Plyler, of West Gastonia, is

AND GERMANY IS SIGNED GEONA, April 17. - A treaty between Germany and Russia was signed at Rapallo yesterday, the signatories being the foreign ministers of the two countries, George Chitcherin, for Russia, and Dr. Walter Rathenau, for Germany. The treaty nullifies the Brest-Litovak treaty and re-establishes full diplomatic relations on an equality basis.

The pact cacels all war claims, as well as claims arising from the nationalization of property.

# RAYMOND ALLISON, OF

It Is Alleged He Kicked and R. Rhyne was overwhelmingly nomin-Officer Returned the Fire.

(By The Associated Press.)

course well understood that with two ex Sheriff T. J. Allison, who has to

mue with a warrant for Charlie Allison "Powerful pressure of many sorts is charged with selling liquor state that military peril, guarantee freedom of the mond came out and ordered Mills away bections and aflow public opinion to the officers alleging that Raymond hit express, itself during the coming and kicked the policeman as he went off. As the policeman reached the street he The correspondent remarks that allestates that Raymond Allison fired but obscure feature of the situation in this the hullet went wild. Mills returned the vice held Sunday evening at Man connection, if any, between Eamounde fire twice in quick succession one fullet street Methodist church for the Kaights Aubera and the secoling section of the taking effect, passing entirely through

There are conflicting reports as to the there are fair chances for his recovery less complications develop.

### "GOOD BYE, BOLL WEEVIL" **REEL FOR GASTON FARMERS**

of Calcium Arsenate in for the various events. Fight Against Cotton Pest

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two weeks will and aloy in closed out tion bureau is the Southern Cotton Oils phin may yard today for Cape Henry, of fown, some of the logger aims be Company which appropriated this year where she will be used as a target for simmo for the purpose of demonstrating the Atlantic fleet in a series of radio to the cotton farmers how this method and gun experiments. works. In Gaston county six communi | For two years the lown has been EPWORTH LEAGUERS TO HOLD the one in each township, are going to used as a radio experimental control with THREE-DAY INSTITUTE HERE

the asked to furnish a demonstration tract of cotton. The Southern Cotton tract of cotton. The Southern Cotton of Company will then furnish the duster and the choicel for treating one-half of the plot planted so as to show the farmer just exactly what this method will aecomplish.

At Franklin Avenue Methodist Church April 19th, 20th 12th Justice Complish.

Four Departments — Thirty as follows: Tuesday night, Cherryville: modern battleships are equipped. or More Leagues to Send Wednesday night. South Point; Thurs- The control of the vessel has been day night, New Hope; Friday night, transferred from the Ohio, which also Bowling Green; Saturday night, Besse- will be sank, to the destroyer Dicker-A dissert Parecta League Institute mer City. At each place the picture will son.

Franklin Assembly Methodist church here It is expected that the largest crowd BODY OF "POP" ANSON April 19th Sure and Stat. It is expected at any of these meetings will be at Cherthat all of the tors or more leagues in ryville tomorrow night. Mr. Gowan has the described send their officers and offered two cash prizes to the following department superintendents to this insti- communities for the best attendance and Adrain U. Anson, here of thousands of tute. Instantors for each of the four the best singing, namely; Black Rock, basefall fans and other sports enthusi-APPLIES FOR LOAN, (By The Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 17. — The program promises to be one of vital ini
Paril The Paril The Program promises to be one of vital ini
Program promises to Southern Railway in an application to terest to all who are engaged in Epworth dance will count 50 points and singing marked simplicity. Final fribute was 50 points. It is expected that several

#### THE WEATHER

chases of new rolling stock. It is pro- president of the district league confer- North Catolina, probably showers toposed to make the obligations payable ence and will gladly furnish any desired night and Tuesday, warmer in west and Philadelphia, will be brought here and information relative to the institute, central portions tonight,

## RHYNE, SUMMEY, GASTON SELLERS AND THOMPSON ARE PRIMARY WINNERS

Final Vote Has Not Yet Been Tabulated - J. W. Summey Wins Over Puett in Commissioner Race-Rhyne Clearly Outdistances Two Opposing Candidates.

According to a preliminary and hasy count of the vote in Saturday's Demtests were decoded as follows: J. W. Summey defeated Mr. John P. Puett STATESVILLE, IS SHOT Summey defeated Mr. John F. Puett for county commissioner from Dallas township by a decisive nanjority. G. Then Shot at Policeman - ated for sheriff over the other two candidates, W. N. Davis and R. A. Christenbury, H. S. Sellers and H. B. Gaston received the nominations for the lower House in the General Assem-STATESVILLE, April 16. - Ray bly. H. R. Thompson was nominated mond Allison lies in a local hospital with for Register of Deeds ovver G. C. El-An exact count of the vote was cerity, and the city has become quite tempted to arrest Charlie Allison, a negro the vote was made at the meeting of attendant of Raymond, Allison's father, the Democratic county executive com-

Following is the total vote of each

For Sheriff: Davis 1,281; Rhyne 6.650; Christenbury 612, For Commissioner, Dallas township: Summey 3,181; Puett 1,552; River Bend

township, Daveaport 1,956; Gastonia awashin, Beat 2,075. For House of Representatives: Gason 2,472; Jackson 1,979; Sellers 2,126. For Register of Deeds: Thompson

dio, Edlis 1,402. For Treasurer: Craig 1,754. For Coroner: Kincaid 1,185; Quinn

For Clerk Superior Court: Hendricks

## ROLLER SKATING CONTEST TOMORROW EVENING

Much Interest Being Manifested by the Young Folks in Athletic Event-Many Prizes Offered-Music by the Pythian Band - Streets to Be Illuminated.

One of the big events of this week will w the roller skating contest which is to se held Tuesday evening commencing at o'clock under the auspices of Comnumity Service. Entries for this conest have been open for the past several weeks and a large number of the children

City Manager W. J. Alexander, who is to Be Shown Over County a member of the committee in charge of This Week by Agent Gowan the central, has set uside two blocks on and Southern Cotton Oil West Second avenue extending from Oaks Company—Contest at Cher- hand to South street and this section will-

BE USED AS IAR (By The Associated Press.) BE USED AS TARGET PHILADELPHIA, April 17, - The

ON TO CHAPEL HULL. Susing using but the farm demonstrate United States may, left the Philadel-

20th and 21st—Instructors Tonight the reel will be shown at the Provided for Each of the Union school house. The other dates are

BURIED IN CHICAGO. (By The Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, April 17 .- The body of

eral service yesterday at which Kene-The cemetry where the body will is close to Jackson Park, where Mr. Anson spent much time in recent years on the golf links and at the traps. The body of Mrs. Anson, now buried in