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OUARTER MILLION FIRE HITS RALEIGH

For Second Time Plant of The News and Observer Consumed By Flames

THIS TIME LOSS IS COMPLETE

Big Printing House of Uzzell and Company Burned-State Loses er had retired and it was said that Many Valuable Papers In the Conflagration—Several Firemen and retary had departed from London. Buriness Manager of News and ment in respect to the Dardanelles and the Serbian campaign has been Observer Injured.

newspaper, the Raleigh News and Ob- about the left arm and side, being server, was destroyed early today in a fire which swept half, a block, caus- while attempting to leave the building a property loss estimated at a ing with books. quarter of a million dollars.

The printing house of E. M. Uzzell & Co., State printers, is also a total of the apartments of the building was loss. In the lizzell plant was a warehouse containing many copies of Suthat cannot be duplicated.

The loss to the State in papers, stock and printing supplies is estimated by Secretary of State J. Bryan Grimes at approximately \$70,000. About 30 per cent, is covered by in-

The fire started in the plant of Uz-

discovered. Some of the men had this afternoon. just reached their homes.

plants. The News and Observer saved ing picture house. only copies of the mailing list, the J. L. O'Quinn & Co., florists, lose NATIONAL HORSE galley Proof even being destroyed. heavily in stock and fixtures.

iels became Secretary of the Navy in H. Bagley, business manager of The ready decided upon. the Wilson cabinet the plant of his News and Observer, was severely cut !

> The Uzzell company carried large contracts for State printing and one

used as a storeroom for State papers. Edward E. Britton, editor of The lina laws, the property of the State loss to The News and Observer will of North Carolina. According to a probably exceed \$100,000 and probably statement of the Secretary of State half of this amount is covered by inthere is none of the State papers lost surance. Mr. Britton stated that he had hopes that some of the earlier files of The News and Observer in the basement of the building could be

of the building is left standing, Temporary offices of The News and their old positions on the east bank zell & Co, and shortly afterwards an Observer are being published in the of the river. explosion, which firemen attributed to plant of the Raleigh Evening Times gas, sent the flames into the adjoining and the newspaper will be issued to- and 6,000 Russians have been capmorrow as usual.

The editorial and mechanical forces, Secretary Daniels was notified by of The News and Observer had left telephone of the fire and immediately enly a short time before the fire was left Washington to arrive here late!

Practically nothing was saved from pany, a retail concern, is a complete cording to an announcement made this The News and Observer and Uzzeil loss, as is the Crystal Theatre, a mov- afternoon by the French war office.

WILL TRY RUN VILLA OUT NORTH MEXICO

Obregon Reaches Agua Prieta to Take Charge of the Campaign.

WILL WAGE RELENTLESS * nation of M. Zaimis will not take * dollars a day will be spent for floral

lowed to Cross Over Ameri- + their portfolios in the new cabi- + dle horses. can Soil, But Must Come Without Equipment.

military commander, reached Agua however, as they will arrive without Prieta today, to inaugurate a cam- equipment. paign to drive Villa out of Sonora. The General came via Douglas from 11 Paso on board a special car, which was carried across the border.

Concentrating For Attack.

day that General Obregon, Carranza's Many State officials will attend. thief commander, would arrive at louglas tomorrow to begin a formidable campaign. Carranza troopers, travelling unarmed, will be brought Restaurant -- Advt.

WILL DISSOLVE PARLIA-

♣ effect in the interim before the ♣ decorations.

over the American railway from Douglas, Arizona, Nov. 6.—General Laredo to Douglas. They will be unwaro Obregoa, Carranza's principal able to take the field for some days.

Political Leader Weds.

Albany, N. Y., November 6.-Frederick C. Tanner, chairman of the Republican State committee, will today ing of the London streets has provid- posed is three quarters of a mile. Washington, Nov. 6.—Carranza take as his bride Miss Jane Ogden, of ed a new occupation for the small boy. The ground upon which the new forces to the north and south of Villa's Albany. The ceremony will take place Armed with a small electric flash- combination freight and passenger state. St. Augustine, Fla., November 6.retreating army are concentrating for in the State Street Presbyterian lamp, he takes his position soon af- tion is sought is that a big tannic The 39th annual convention of the blow which the de facto government church, this city. Miss Olive Whitter nightfall at the suburban subway acid plant is to be built there and a American Humane Association, which leaders believe will end the strife in man, daughter of the Governor, will station and carefully scans the faces depot will be convenient. be flower girl. Among the ushers is of arriving passengers. Espying a Major General Funston reported to U. S. Senator James W. Wadsworth, stranger, he advances, and flashing

Delicious Oyster Roasts

NEAR EAST

Kitchener Said to Have Departed On An Important Mission.

London, November 6 .-- The Post says that Earl Kitchener, Secretary of War, has been entrusted with important mission to the near east and has already departed from London.

In an official statement issued in London yesterday denial was made of Premier Asquith was in charge of the war office during the temporary absence of the field marshal. This was the first intimation that the war sec-

The policy of the British governsubjected to severe criticism in Engsent to the near east to determine longing to George A. Holderness, Tar Raleigh. N. C., November 6.-For Two firemen were slightly injured icy for Great Britain or to supervise president of the North Carolina Bank he second time since Josephus Dan- and were removed to a hospital. W. some movement of importance allers' Association.

THE RUSSIANS

preme Court reports and North Caro- News and Observer, stated that the While French Repulsed the Teutons, According to Claims Today.

> Berlin, Nov. 6.—(By wireless to recovered. The previous fire, nearly Sayville)-The Austro-German forces three years ago, was only a partial in Galicia are said by the war office loss to The News and Observer. This to have won a further victory over one is complete. Only the front wall the Russians along the Stripa river. The Russians were thrown back to

> > In recent fighting there 50 officers

Fresh German Attack Repulsed.

Paris, Nov. 6.-A fresh German attack against the French position at The store of the Wake Shoe Com- LaCourtine had resulted in failure, ac-

SHOW BIG EVENT

New York Nov. 6.—The National Horse Show, which opens today in Madison Square Garden, will be the only great indoor horseshow in the world. The variety of prizes, the high class entries, the enthusiasm of leading horsemen and horsewomen, and which makes the Garden a bower of beauty, all contrive to make the event sary to make a beginning. The busia notoble one in the horse world.

The interior decorations have trans formed the Garden into a fairyland Ivycovered arches, fountains, minature lakes, banks of growing plants and flowers are on every side. Under Athens. Greece, Nov. 6 .- + the direction of E. T. Stotesbury, the A Parliament will be dissolved by A Philadelphia millionaire, who is presi-* King Constantine and the resig- * dent of the association, three thousand

WARFARE, IT IS SAID + general election, is the opinion G The show will have an international respressed in an authoritative raspect this year. Canada has sent ♣ quarter here. It is expected that ♣ some of its best horses, and has loanall but two of the ministers of fed some of her best judges, including Carranza Forces Will be Al- the Zaimis cabinet will retain & Lady Beck, a qualified judge of sad-

Prizes and trophics, many in number and of great value, have been offered * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * by the Vanderbilts and other patrons of the show. Lord Decies has given a trophy for a new military class in Cup, given by Sir Adam Beck.

Small Boy Finds New Play. London, November 6.—The darken- the town and that the one now pro to this important convention.

teen cents, according to the distance.

What One Man in Eastern North Carolina is Doing in This Way.

Nearly Two Thousand Hogs Treated In This Way In Edgecombe County -Raleigh Banker Gives a Banquet -North Carolina Literary and Historical Society Ready for Annual

Dispatch News Bureau. Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 6th. Dr. B. B. Flowe has returned from

of cholera. Of the lot containing nearly 20 carloads, 13 had died but inthe serum and expect it to prevent any able in the world. spread. The improvement of the animals treated warrants their hope

Mr. Holderness is cleading Edgecombe farmers in hog and hominy. His pigs range in weight from 90 to 140 pounds and he expects to put just 100,000 pounds of meat on that lot acres of ground in peanuts and soy beans upon which the herd grazes! costs men 15 cents a pint come back and declare Mr. Holderness a man of great humanitarianism toward the

The banker puts the animals in a pen when he lays on the last fat and then butchers them. And being a man of sense he makes his hog investments bring him more than a whole town-

ship of cotton acreage. The W. R. Bonsal Co., of Hamle'. was chartered today with authorized capital of \$200,000, all of which is paid in by W. H. Bonsal, O. L. Cloud and S. C. Bauersfeld. The business is varied, real estate, general merchandise, development of lands, mining and many other things being allowed. The National Play Ground Supply Company of Durham, a corporation or-

ganized to make paraphernalia for sport and recreation of varied character, is-chartered with B. E. Byrd. wonderful scheme of decoration J. Southgate Jones and Sidney C. Chambers subscribing the \$300 neces-

ness is capitalized at \$100,000.

Want New Depot. The Corporation Commission has an

west of North Jefferson. The old fight is revived. The option was up last year for the estab-Jefferson people, won out before the be greatly increased." Corporation Commission by a divided vote, Chairman Travis and Commis- SOUTHPORT WILL sioner Lee voting with Speaker Bowie's adherents in the contest for a site and Judge Bell dissenting. The commission thought that in spite of the town of the new site, the roads

venience would result. the judging. Another trophy for the is understood to have been made with interest of the town. army men is the Canadian Challenge a view eventually of getting one at Southport has gone with a vim after the old site contended for last year. the Edison research laboratory in this The Arizona and the Pennsylvania are ment today by Captain Bell, of the The National Horseshow will con Speaker Bowie, made a tremendous way and last night a mass meeting the nearest ready, and they are of 31, steamer. The fire is now virtually tinue all next Week, and the judging fight before the commission and won damed a delegate, the citizens to pay 400 tons displacement. The Californ out. will take place from day to day, by it to his reasoning. His opponents named a delegate, the citizens to pay ia, Idaho, Mississippi and two others declare, however, that the site advo- Deeper Waterways convention at Sa- which have been authorized but not ed to the British Sugar Commission cated by Mr. Bowie is two and a quar vannah. Captain J. J. Adkins was yet named will be of 32,000 tons each. ter miles from the corporate limits of named as Southport's representative

were much better and greater con-

Banker Gives Dinner. his little lamp, offers to conduct the Citizens National Bank, celebrated his all the anti-cruelty societies will be day from Villaverde, 22 miles south of jority leader of the House, called at stranger to his destination. The price twenty-one years as the president of represented at the convention, and Sonora. of the service, which is generally eag- his institution with a dinner to his many individuals interested in the

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BULGARIANS AT LAST TAKE NISH

BIG FINANCIER IS DEAD

Well Known Traction Magnate and Former Political Leader Passes.

Philadelphia, November 6.-P. A. B. Widener, the widely known financier, died at his home at Elkins Park, near here, today. Death is believed to have been due to advanced age. For several years past Mr. Widener had been gradually withdrawing from the directorships of a number of corporations in which he had formerly been active.

He was born in this city November 13th, 1834. After receiving a public school education he started his business career as a butcher. He soon became interested in politics and for more than twenty year's bore a part in all the important political movements of this city. In 1874 he was defeated for the nomination of mayor and this incident practically closed land and if the statement of The Post Edgecombe county where he treated his active political career. It was is correct the war secretary has been with serum more than 1,800 hogs be- then he entered upon the life which made him conspicuous in financial afby personal inspection the proper pol- boro banker and farmer and former fairs. He began by buying a few shares of street railway stock here and there and finally became a Doctor Flowe went to the Holder-trolling factor of all the Philadelphia ness farm and found that about 55 of street railways and accumulated a river in Serbia, northwest of Nish, who invaded Serbia from Bosnia, jointhe big planter's hogs had evidences fortune estimated at more than sixty also was announced today by the Ger. ed forces with their comrades, who ad-

Aside from gaining control of many thousand Serbians, were taken prison- extends from the border of Visahegra juries in shipment appear to have done traction companies. Mr. Widener was ers. more damage than disease. The treat- active in formation of the United The town of Tralievo, thirty-five ans, however, have advanced considment of the diseased pigs went on States Steel Corporation and the miles southwest of Kraguyevatz, also with remarkable rapidity and the vet- American Tobacco Company. Mr. has been captured by the Germans, ki railway and are said to be threatenerinarian believes that he has saved Widener was a great lover of art and who pursued the Serbians to the east ing Pristina. many of these now sick. Both he and his collection of paintings is said to of that point. The Germans have Holderness have invincible faith in be one of the largest and most valu- reached the Zupanyevac district and

IS TO ORGANIZE

New York, Nov. 6.-The "Sing just treated. He has several hundred Sing Alumni Association" is completing plans for a permanent organization. The charter members are senddaily and uplanders who go down there ing out invitations to all "graduates" and see these pigs fed on a diet that of the institution conducted by Thomas Mott Osborne, outlining the benefits and social advantages of the new organization.

One of the first things in view i. the establishment of an employment bureau for the "graduates," to find employment for men as they leave their alma mater. Because of the wide variance of training and adaptability of the Sing Sing "graduates," the committee will have its hands full to find just the right job for each man

Then there will be established club-room. On the reading table, of course, the "Star of Hope," the peri odical now published in Sing Sing, will find prominent place, with other periodicals of the day. Comfortable chairs will be provided, so that the "old grads" can sit and talk over the good

Then again, it is planned to have an annual banquet, at which their former jailers will be the guests of

"Though it may sound strange," says Deputy Warden Church of Sing Sing, there is a good, sound theory underlying the proposition. These men have decided to make a clean breast of to the United States Navy, will be givapplication from citizens of Asho their records before the public, and en her official trials off this port next county asking for a depot two miles to help other ex-prisoners who might week. She must make at least 20-1-2 otherwise fall into the old paths. They knots, per hour for four hours conwill consider their Sing Sing training tinuously. The Nevada should have ponents of this depot when the ques- as an asset. With nothing to hide, it can at least be said that the probalishment of a station accessible to the bility of the men going straight will first installed. The Navy Department

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little city is moving these days and of the world's largest and most power-, fire in the cargo of sugar on the every fortnight a mass meeting-an ful battleships, she will soon be sur British steamer, Rio Lages, which put The application for the new depot enthusiastic one, too-is held in the passed in size by the seven battleships in here late last night with the flames

Humane Convention.

will open here on Monday, has attracted many humanitarians from all now served at the Lumina Oyster erly taken advantage of, is ten or fif- forces in the parent institution and prevention of cruelty to children and animals will attend.

Three Days Fighting Results Victory For the **Invaders**

GERMANS ALSO CAPTURE TOWNS

Second Largest City of Serbia Falls Before the Onslaught-Only Seventy. Miles Now Open for Retreat of the Defenders Into Montenegro -Drawing the Cord About Them.

ed officially here today.

Capture of Varvarin, on the Morava man war office. More than three vanced from the north. The line now

in the Morava valley and pursued the

Serbians beyond Obrezsiciriza. SING SING ALUMNI of Nish after three days' heavy fight that the Serblans have open a line

> Sokobanya also they won a victory, the northern and western Montenetaking more than 500 prisoners and grin frontier. six cannon. The Bulgarian and Ger-

possession of the invaders, who also remained until that city was threatenhave taken a great part of the counded by the invaders. In the last month try's railway system. The new junc- various towns have been mentioned

Berlin, November 6 (By wireless to, man and Bulgarian forces, reported Sayville) .-- The capture of Nish, Ser- by Berlin today completed the semibia, by the Bulgarians, was announc- circling wall of hostile armies about the retreating Serbians.

> east along the railway to Varvarin, thence south to Uskup. The Bulgarierable to the west of the Nish-Saloni-

The whole movement represents a great closing in on the Serbians from the northeast and south and the formation is that so often employed The Bulgarians effected the capture by the Teutons. It is said in Berlin ing. In these engagements the Bulless than 70 miles for retreat into garians captured 350 Serbians and Montenegro. Should they seek to retreat into that country they would be Near Lukovo the Bulgarians defeat- | menaced by the Austrian forces which ed the Serbians and in the vicinity of have already begun to attack along

With the exception of Belgrade, man forces got in touch east of Pri- Nish is the largest city in Serbia: Soon after the outbreak of the war the capital was transferred from Bel-More than half of Serbia is now in grade to Nish. There the government tion effected between the Austro-Ger- as the temporary seat of government.

INCENDIARY BOMB CAUSED FIRE

NEWEST BATTLESHIP READY FOR TRIAL

Rockland, Me., Nov. 6.—The battleship Nevada, nevt of the heavy first-line fighting ships to be added been completed some months ago but for trouble with the type of engine at Flames Now Extinguished and gave its consent to a change in the

type of machinery. The Nevada is of 27,500 tons displacement, or 500 tons larger than the SEND A DELEGATE Texas or the New York. She is a sister ship of the Oklahoma. She carries fourteen-inch guns in three-Southport, N. C., Nov. 6.—This gun turrets. While the Nevada is one are nearly ready to be commissioned.

AMERICAN PHYSICIANS NOT SLAIN BY MEXICANS cendiary bomb in a sugar bag. He

Naco, Ariz., November 6.-H. R. Thigpen and James Miller, the Amer- almost unknown. ican doctors, and two chauffeurs, A L. Wilson and J. D. Pylant, reported Joseph G. Brown, president of the sections of the United States. Nearly by General Villa as shot,, arrived to- Underwood, of Alabama, former ma-

> Visit The Oyster restaurant at Lumina. - Advt.

Ship That Loaded Sugar In New York Got Ablaze on The Ocean

PUT INTO HALIFAX AFIRE LAST NIGHT

Steamer Will Proceed on Voyage—British Ship Loaded With Sugar From America Was the Victim.

Halifax, N. S., November 6.-The now under construction, some of which still smouldering, was caused by an incendiary bomb, according to a state-

> Captain Bell said the cargo, consignat Queenstown, had been loaded by Austrian and German stevedores at Yonkers, N. Y., and there was ample opportunity for a spy to place an inadded that spontaneous combustion in such a cargo as his vessel carried was

Washington, November 6.-Senator the White House today and arranged a conference with President Wilson for next Wednesday on National pre-