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EBERT DYNASTY IS NO MORE

ACCORDING TO A REPORT FROM STUTTGART, AND GERMAN LEADERS WILL MEET TO FORM NEW REGIME. THE GERMAN EMPEROR IS STILL SUFFERING FROM HIS OLD MALADY AND CALLS IN A SPECIALIST

Paris, Dec. 19.—The German government headed by Frederick Ebert has resigned as the result of the events of Tuesday, according to a despatch received from Stuttgart says the Journal's correspondent from that place.

Calling German Representatives Together

Copenhagen, Wednesday, Dec. 18.—The German government has decided to call a conference of all the representatives of the German state December 29th to select a President of the German Republic, according to a Berlin report. The step is said to have been taken in order to avoid further outbreaks.

German Kaiser III

Amerongen, Holland, Wednesday, Dec. 18th.—Former Emperor William has been confined to his bed since Sunday with a severe chill. His despondency on account of his recent troubles has brought about a recurrence of his old trouble with his throat, according to a despatch from Utrecht.

London, Dec. 19.—The Estonian Provincial government controlling the territory formerly under the Russian Baltic province of Estonia has notified the Entente allies that it has placed itself under the protection of the allies until the Peace conference.

Soldier's Workmen to Resign
Basel, Switzerland, Dec. 19.—The Soldiers and Workmen's council of Berlin intend to resign, according to a message from the German capital. It is explained that it will be replaced by an executive committee elected by the General Assembly of the Soldiers and Workmen's council of the Empire.

COURT ADJOURNS

After opening court this morning and continuing those cases set for trial at this term Judge Connor adjourned court on account of the influenza. Solicitor Allsbrook was also at his post and there was quite an attendance of jurors and witnesses. The Grand Jury was also in session during the session of court.

There were three jail cases, Robert Horton, Clarence Farmer and Ed. Gill. Sam Black, a negro who was sent over by Mayor Winstead from Elm City for shooting a man over there sometime back. His case and bond was continued.

MARKETS

COTTON

New York, Dec. 19.—Cotton futures opened steady with Jan. 277.50, March 26.45, May 25.50, July 24.70, October 22.85.

At noon January was 27.85, March 26.47, May 25.52.

Spots Wilson market on the basis of middling 27 cents.

STOCKS

New York, Wall Street, Dec. 19.—Advances of from one to five points in Shippings, oils and tobaccos and reversals of from one to two points in local tractions and the specialties indicated an irregular tone in the stock market today at the opening session. Some of the popular equipments dropped from fractions to a point, but the rails hardened, and Baltimore and Ohio rose a point despite the cut in the annual dividend.

LEAGUE OF THE NATIONS

President Wilson Thinks This Essential to the Lasting Peace

OF THE WHOLE WORLD

Paris, Dec. 19.—After four days of gathering views of leaders in France, President Wilson's closest advisers say he has no reason to change his belief that the foundation of a league of nations is inseparable from the actual treaty itself.

These advisers say that the President in explaining his definition of "the freedom of the seas" will reassure Premier Lloyd George that he has no intention of demanding a reduction of the British navy to a point involving the unsafety of the empire, but will emphasize his feeling that the plan of a league will strengthen the empire.

King Emanuel, who is expected to arrive on Thursday already has been fully advised of the President's plans through conferences with Count Di Celleri, Italian Ambassador to the United States, but the President will take the opportunity to make personal explanations to the King.

The hope is expressed by those surrounding the President that the exchanges of views will clear away any partial misunderstandings which may exist in regard to Mr. Wilson's attitude and prepare the way for the assemblage of the conference with complexities removed, so that it will be ready to deal with principles and any outstanding differences of opinion that remain.

In all his conferences the President has taken opportunity to impress his view, it is said, by those who are authorized to speak for him that no one nation is entitled to assume the role of master, or dictate the manner of the conditions of the representations of others.

There is some indication that considerable headway is being made in this direction and that the members of the American mission are now seeing their way clearly. All express the conviction that delegates will enter the conference in a spirit of accommodation.

Some undercurrents are interpreted as showing indications of regret because the acceptance of President Wilson's points in a general way prevented some nations from achieving their own objects which might have been gained if Germany's collapse had been made even more complete. In reply, it has been made plain to those with whom the President conferred that the United States government does not consider the war a victory of arms alone and that victory would be incomplete without an organization of nations to guarantee world peace.

The papal letter presented to President Wilson yesterday by Monsignor Ceretti, the papal under secretary of state pleaded for assistance on behalf of small oppressed nationalities, especially Armenia and Poland. The pope's letter also expressed the hope of a just and durable peace being reached through enlightened action.

Pope Benedict also spoke in behalf of the new countries arising from the partisan of the dual monarchy, mentioning especially Bohemia. The pontiff asked President Wilson to help those countries to realize their ambitions regardless of race and religion.

FAIR TONIGHT

For North Carolina fair tonight, Friday cloudy and warmer with probably rain and moderate to fresh east winds on the coast.

Odessa, Dec. 15.—By the Associated Press—PTroops under the command of another German Ukrainian leader Petura are today occupying Odessa.

6000 NAMES IN CASUALTY LIST

128 Names of North Carolinians Included in List Today. One of Them

FROM WILSON COUNTY

Washington, D. C., Dec. 19.—The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American Expeditionary Forces:

Killed in action	164
Died of wounds	86
Died of accident	21
Died of airplane accident	2
Died of disease	281
Wounded severely	1,605
Wounded, degree undetermined	1,372
Wounded slightly	2,167
Missing in action	489
Total	6,187

The following North Carolinians are included in the list:

Killed in Action
Private Travis Robinson, Harvard
Died From Accident and Other Causes
Captain Basil S. Snowden, Elizabeth City.
Sergeant Aston Jensen, Asheville.

Died From Wounds
Private Wess R. Ellis, Clarrisa.

Died of Disease
Amberst William Hoyle, wagoner
Private William Schutt, Advance
Private Lee Garlton, Turkey.
Private Raleigh B. Price, Hollis.
Private Eugene Headen, Cumbach.
Private Joe Sprill, New Bern.
Private James Swinson, Magnolia.

Wounded Severely
Lieutenant John Henry Royal, Clinton.
Corporal Bryan W. Woollen, Winston-Salem.
Corporal Joseph A. Caveness, Lillington.

Private Ed Helms Monroe.
Private Elmer M. Ozment, Greensboro.
Private John Elijah Horne, Peachland.
Private Robert W. Ware, Winston-Salem.
Private Carl A. Batchelor, Sharpsburg.

Private Thomas Branch, Pinnacle.
Private Fred W. Sapp, Winston-Salem.
Private Marce F. Kerley, Hiddenite.

Private William A. Stainbach, Henderson.
Private Deasey Thompson, Raynham.
Private Joseph B. Tyson, Ansonville.

Private Henry B. Brown, Charlotte.
Private Isaac D. Hendrix, Advance
Private Norman E. Pennell, Morrisville.

Private Manuel Shepard, Call.
Private Cronley Hanchey, Watlia.
Private Charles P. Weaver, Duke.
Private James E. Coe, Mount Airy

Wounded, Degree Undetermined
Lieutenant Wilbur B. Sumner, Fayetteville.
Lieutenant Wilbur B. Sumner, Asheville.

Sergeant Wilbur M. Brown, Randleman.
Sergeant Paul Jones Heath, Matthews.
Corporal Clem R. Warren, Durham.

Corporal Harry Wilson, Durham.
Corporal Edwin J. Brown, Utah.
Corporal Berkeley D. Wright, Tabbar.

Corporal John H. Seawell, Sunbury.
Corporal Russell E. Alfred, Greensboro.

Private Alexander Clark, Manson.
Private Ernon E. Curtis, Ramseur.
Private Blum Penland, Hayesville.

Private William Taylor, Nowell's.
Private John Callihan, Cariand.
Private China Turner, Norwood.
Private George L. Metts, Kinston.
Private Walter L. Routh, Mandleman.

Private Willie Greene, Cressmont.
Private Ernest Baxter, Marble.
Private William F. Tatum, Louisville.
Private Lester M. Crisp, Maccles-

Private Rufus Cousar, Gibson.
Private Basil R. Ellis, Raleigh.
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Private Charles F. Cooper, Cary.
Private William V. Fisher, Carthage.
Private John F. Lowery, Marshville.

Private Gillie M. Poplin, Waswood.
Private Samuel D. Seizer, Collettsville.
Private Clarence Summerlin, Wilmington.

Private Richard D. Lee, Norwood.
Private Roy Anderson, Climax.
Private Frank J. Kaylor, Marion.
Private Ernest G. Morris, Leechville.

Private John Rorie, Waxhaw.
Private Carney T. Allen, Pungo.
Private James L. Davis, Rosemary
Private Dorsey H. Edwards, Battleboro.

UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVES

Would Sink Enemy Ships and Remove Them From Desire to Build

HUGE WORLD NAVY

Paris, Dec. 19.—The American delegates to the peace conference have resolved to advocate the sinking of the surrendered enemy warships and resist any proposition to distribute them on the basis of naval losses. This announcement is made by those in close touch with the American representatives who, it is added, felt that such a position would result in avoiding contention and materially support President Wilson's declaration that the war was not based on aggression or the acquisition of property.

England, through Sir Eric Geddes first lord of the admiralty, had previously acquiesced in the American plan to destroy the captured or surrendered warships, and it is declared will continue to support the United States, although it is expected that some of the lesser naval powers will demand that the prizes be distributed.

Private Floyd Raper, West Mills.
Private Jants Edgerton, Franklinton.
Private Tommie V. VParker, Four Oaks.

VPPrivate Ernest Edward Young, Asheville.
Private Milton L. Miller, New London.
Private William Ross Pardue, Jonesville.

Private Walter H. Kennedy, Deep Run.
Private Thomas F. Macon, Seagrave.
Private William E. Poole, Asheville.

Private Fred Wilson, Statesville.
Private Charles W. Spurill, Creswell.
Private Leonidas P. Webster, Burlington.

Private Jacob C. Brown, Asheboro
Private Herbert M. Brown Prosperity.
Private Will Hughes, Rndleman.

Wounded Slightly
Sergeant Theodore R. Fogleman, Franklinton.
Sergeant Jefferson L. Davis, Inez.
Lieutenant Henry L. Myrover, Fayetteville.

Corporal Archie C. Rasberry, Fayetteville.
Corporal Jasper Dennis, Gritton.
Corporal William K. Griffin Rocky Mount.

runo Musgrave, mechanic, Bikeville.
Corporal James W. Morrison, Statesville.
Corporal Franky Thompson, Mockville.

Corporal Hallett W. Harrison, Princeton.
Fletcher Lee, mechanic; Smithfield.
Private George F. Deberry, Welton.

Private Garlie C. Hardy, Rusk.
Private Walter Shepard, Liberty.
Private Rollen Robbins, Elm City
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KING GEORGE WILL REMAIN

CRITICISM FROM MR. POOL

Who Finds Fault With for Reproducing Articles Sent to News and Observer

ALSO COPY ANOTHER

Mr. J. M. Poole of Black Creek requests us to reproduce this article in the Times. Answer is on editorial page:

As to Farmers' Union

To the Editor:—I see in your issue of December 13 a report of the Farmers' Union convention, held in Wilson, December 11 and 12, headed in large type "Palitics Swamps the Farmers' Union, Butler Republicans in force Backing Alexander Machine, etc."

The whole report is very misleading, and the greater part untrue. I must say that I am surprised that the News and Observer which claims to have the largest circulation of any daily paper in the State, and a very prominent paper, should give as much prominence as you have to such a scurrilous article about the farmers' organization which has by far the largest membership in our state, or any other farmers' organization, at the time so much depends on the organized effort of the farmers. Every unbiased thinking person, I don't care what his politics may be, knows the intention of the article was to discredit the Farmers' Union, as a farmers' organization, and prejudice if possible, the membership and farmers who are not members, by partisan appeal, the very thing that has been and is now holding back progress along all lines of endeavor towards co-operation, which is so essential for the common good of our own country and all of the world at the present time.

The News and Observer as a leading paper and with the largest circulation of any daily in the state, as you claim, will be copied no doubt by every partisan daily and weekly in the State. I have already seen the "me to" in the Wilson Times. Thus before the new officers can get organized and start the work, they are attacked by the press, which confirms what Dr. Alexander said about the press, that it is controlled by special interests who are very much opposed to a farmers' organization.

The Farmers' Union guarantees perfect political and religious liberty, and no good union man questions another's politics or religion to hold office in the union, and just why the partisan political papers are so interested and fearful about the politics of the members of the Farmers' Union and who they elect as officers, I can not understand, unless the editors are fearful that the union will educate the farmers to some things that would cause them to take action to protect themselves from the advantage that is being taken of them by the fellows whom you seem to especially represent.

No, Mr. Editor, the union is not heading for the rocks; we are going to travel in the middle of the road on our broad platform of even-handed justice to all people. The farmers are not asking for charity or special privilege, but we are entitled to justice, and we are going to organize and co-operate to get it, knowing that is the only way.

Ye editors may shout Alexander machine and Butler Republicans, but the farmers are going to elect whom they please for officials of their organizations and are not going to be dictated to by the big gun editors of the large dailies nor the popgun "me to" editors who copy from you and yours. And if we have any disgruntled members who think more of their partisan politics than they do of the great principles and work of the Farmers' Union, let him bump his head against the rocks of the profit-takers until he learns

sense enough to be loyal to his organization and co-operate with his brother farmers for self-protection.

Now, Mr. Editor, if you are a fair-minded man and want to be just to the great producing class who feeds you, you will publish this article and give it as much prominence as you did the one to discredit the farmers' organization, and the small fry "me to" editors will copy if they have any degree of fairness and justice in their make-up. I wish to state I was one of the delegates from Wilson county. I am a Democrat, and were the other three; always I voted the straight ticket, am a subscriber to your paper and have been for some time. We all voted for Alexander and W. R. Dixon.

JOHN M. POOL
Black Creek, N. C.

WILSON TO HAVE LIVE APPER SOON IS REPORT
(New & Observer Correspondence)
Wilson, Dec. 18.—Editor A. I. McIntosh of the Co-operator, a weekly paper published in this city in the interest of the farmers' Union, is authorized that Wilson may soon have a live, progressive paper. "In fact," says editor McIntosh, "a wealthy gentleman of Eastern Carolina, who has a hobby for literary work, has already purchased an up-to-date newspaper outfit and has been casting about for a location. He was in Wilson a few days ago and expressed himself as being well pleased with the outlook and the liberal manner in which merchants and others use printer's ink."

Wilson town is growing and there's no mistaking the fact that it is destined to soon become the distributing point for Eastern Carolina and there's no reason why another paper, properly conducted could not be a success, for competition is the life of all successful enterprises.

IN LONDON AND WELCOME PRESIDENT WILSON INSTEAD OF GOING TO SANDINGHAM PALACE WHERE HE USUALLY SPENDS CHRISTMAS KING CHARLES OF AUSTRIA AND FOUR OF HIS CHILDREN ARE DOWN WITH THE "FLU."

London, Dec. 19.—King George announces that he will not spend Christmas this year at Sandringham Palace but will remain in London in order to welcome President Wilson.

Emperor Charles Down with "Flu"
Copenhagen Dec. 19.—Former Emperor Charles of Austria is suffering from influenza according to a telegraph despatch from Vienna. The former Emperor has a very high fever.

A MINE BLOWN UP

Paris, Havas Agency, Dec. 19.—A German mine which had been placed at Guise has exploded, killing 15 persons and injuring 25, according to a Guise despatch to the Matin. This bomb, it is explained, was placed during the war and was overlooked after the armistice was signed.

Other Contingents Returning Home

Washington, Dec. 19.—Returning home on the transport George Washington which sailed from France December 15th, announced by the war department, are the following units: 139 Forst artillery, battalion's A, B, D, E., Headquarters companies of the 137th field artillery corps and the officers of the 138 Field artillery and a number of the casuals.

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