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sult of Train Crashing Into Car

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# AUSRIA REPORTED DR. POE'S APPEAL **ASKS THE ALLIES**

TO SEND TROOPS TO RE-STORE ORDER IN VIENNA. GREAT KRUPP THE WORKS WILL PAY NO **DIVIDEND THIS YEAR.** MONEY FROM RUSSIA TO FINANCE REVOLUTION IN GERMANY

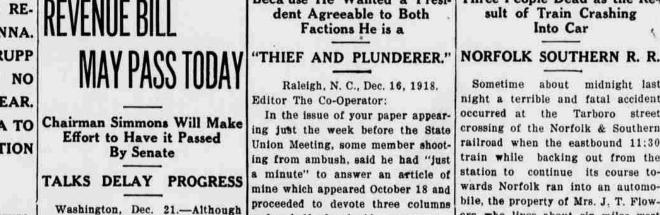
Paris, Dec. 21 .--- Zurich newspaper sare printing the report contained in a despatch from Vienna that the Austrian government has asked the allied governments to send troops to Vienna to preserve order. They also say that the request is for either American, British, or French troops.

# Krapps Will Not Pay Dividend This Year.

the stockholders and directors of the former declared the bill contained Great Krupp gun works in this city the decision was reached not to pay any dividend this year. Last year the company paid ten per cent. The firfist two years of the war it paid twelve per cent each year.

General Mencher Appointed.

Washington, Dec. 21 .- The appointment of Major General Charles who said national bankruptcy would T. Mencher who commanded the 42d result unless such a system is put in-Rainbow division in France as di- to ecect. rector of air service, succeeding John Ryan has been announced by General March.



renewal of general Senate debate halted progress on the war revenue bill, Senator Simmons, chairman of the Finance Committee, announced that an ecort would be made to pass the measure before adjournment today. Republican leaders, however, expressed the belif that the measure would go over until Monday.

Practically all of today's session was devoted to discussion, the principal speakers being Senator Jones of New Mexico and Senator Thomas

Berlin, Dec. 21.-At a meeting of of Colorado, both Democrats. The many inequalities and injustices which handicap the conduct of business.

> Speaking in support of a substitute measure, of which he is author, Senator Thomas declared the watchword for this Congress should be "retrenchment, frugalit yand economy." Adoption of a Federal budget system was urged by the Senator,

Senator Thomas opposed granting directly nor indirectly asked any-

Sometime about midnight last Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 16, 1918. night a terrible and fatal accident occurred at the Tarboro street In the issue of your paper appearcrossing of the Norfolk & Southern ing just the week before the State railroad when the eastbound 11:30 Union Meeting, some member shoottrain while backing out from the ing from ambush, said he had "just a minute" to answer an article of station to continue its course towards Norfolk ran into an automomine which appeared October 18 and bile, the property of Mrs. J. T. Flow-

ers who lives about six miles west and a half of valuable space to an of this city. As a result Mrs. J. T. Flowers, her daughter Laura and If he can write three and oneher son-in-law, Mr. Harvey Harrison third columns about me when he has

all the occupants of the car are dead "only a minute," I guess he could the train striking the machine about write a 12-volume biography if he the front wheels smashing it to pieces, grinding it up and dragging Josh Billings once remarked, howit about fifty yards, while the bodies ever, "It's better not to know so of the occupants of the car are badly

much than to know so much that mangled and broken. ain't so"-and the trouble with the brother in ambush was that he knew came to Wilson yesterday morning so much that ain't so. and took the ten o'cclock train for My Course at Winston-Salem

FOR HARMONY

I can't get three and one-third columns to the minute, but I do wish to say that insofar as that article tried to make it appear that I went to Winston-Salem last year anxious to help any faction or to knife any individual, it is not only not true but just as nearly the reverse of the truth as it is possible for erring mortals to get. The brother charges that I went ahead of time to

Winston-Salem and sought out and brought out a certain candidate for president, etc., etc. The facts are that the writer at Winston neither

the recommendations made by Sec- body to become a candidate for presretary Daniels for increased naval iden, and I didn ot know that the German Revolution Financed from appropriations declaring "every dol- gentleman who was voted for had

attack on me

had little time.

HOLDING WELL The Plant at Wilmington Turning Out Ships That Are **Giving Good Service** 

CONURETE SHIPS

PRESIDENT AND

**J. S. DELEGATES** 

11,000 MILE VOYAGE

construction.

"All the hopes and expectations of the advocates of concrete ships seem to have been fulfilled by the few interruptions in the study of the 11,000 mile voyage off the Faith. Mrs. Flowers and Mr. Harrison the first concrete vessel of considerable tonnage in this country," says has apparently the othe nations look-Captain Thomas Hope, of San Fran-Raleigh where they met Miss Laucisco. ra who has been away to school, in

"I saw the Faith when she was in order to meet hr and accompany her the early stages of constructon and FUTURE OF U-BOATS home for the holidays. They met when she was launched, and naturher in Raleigh and took the same train out of Raleigh last night about ally I was curious to find how she would stand the rigors of the sea. 9:30 which caused their death. Ar-I saw her again a short time ago riving in Wilson they secured their car and started for home and in the in New York, and I was greatly immeantime the train had unloaded its pressed. She had gone through passengers and freight and started gales and all sorts of weather, yet on its trip with above disastrous re- apparently was as staunch as the day when she slid from the ways in-| ference.

Mrs. Flowers is the widow of the to the waters of the Pacific Ocean. late John T. Flowers and is highly "It is my judgment concrete ships discussion in military circles since will eb the ships of the future. The the end of hostilities but there is no the death of her husband she has only problem that has to be over- definite information as to what sugmanaged his business in such a way come, in my opinion, is that of gestions the American peace confer-

AT WORK ON MATTERS PERTAINING TO THE PEACE CONFERENCE. KING VICTOR VISITS TROOPS IN BELGIUM. EM PEROR WILLIAM ABLE TO BE OUT AGAIN.

Paris, Dec. 21.-King Wietor Washington, D, C., Dec. 21 .- The Emanuel left Paris at midnight to concrete ship builders at Wilming- visit Italian troops who are now in ton, N. C. and the adherents of this Belgium. With the departure of the type of vessel construction will be King Paris put aside her holiday atinterested in the views of a Califor- tire and the matter of the first considnia as to the future of concrete sihp eration was the arrangement for the peace conference and these began in earnest.

> President Wilson and the American delegates spent the day with preliminary plans for the carrying out of the Wilson program which ing to fo some basis for a league of nations and the freedom of the seas.

Washington, Dec. 21 .- Army and navy officials here believe that the uses to which two weapons which figures so largely in the world conmay be put in future wars will be sharply limited by international agreement evolved at the peace con-

These questions have been under as to add greatly to what he left, that of tonnage. I do not know ence. There appears to be substan-

lar placed in a battleship is a dollar Russia. Berlin, Dec. 21 .- The question as to wether the German revolution was financed from Russia is agitating political circles, the inference being that the Independent Socalists have received large sums of monye from Russia. The Berlin papers say a wireless message has been received from Adolph Joffree the Bolsheviki representative in Berlin sent to Richard Barth and Hugo Hasse of the German ultra radical parties, saying that while Joffree had not actually | paid any money yet they knew where i the funds came from.

# WINGATE FARMERS

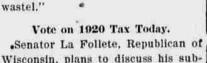
(Marshville Home)

The organized farmers of Wingate community bave followed the example of Lanes Creek and Trinity last spring and withdrawn from Alexander's political union. Wingate sent a delegate to Wilson. He listened, heard and saw enough at 28.45, March 27.15, May 26, July Wilson to make him enthusiastical- 25.22, October 23.10. ly in favor of sending no more camypaign funds to promote the Alexafter he made his report at a regu- middling basis 28 1-4 to 3-8. lar meeting of Wingate Local Union Saturday night, this organization, which consists of about fifty members, passed the following resolutions:

to Wingate Farmers Business Un- of 94.44. The trading was exceedrived from the payment of dues

2. That we express our willingness to federate with other independent unions or clubs and to support county or distdict unions if it shall be deemed desirable to maintain larger representative organizations.

The government accepted your money to bring the war to a close, now the government is counting on you to buy the stamps.



Wisconsin, plans to discuss his substitute bill today, after which Senator Simmons hopes to obtain a vote on the committee amendment providing for \$4,000,000,000 tax in 1920, opposing

Just before the Senate adjourned Senator McKellar, Democrat of Tennessee, announced that before final passage of the bill he would demand a separate vote on the postal section tentatively accepted by the Senate late yestrday proposing th repeal of the present zone system for scond-BUSINESS UNION, class mail and substituting a onecent a pound rate within 150 miles

and 1 1-2 cents beyond.



COTTON New York, Dec. 21.-Cotton futures opened steady with January

At noon the cotton market was as follows: Jan. 29.54, March 27.50, ander State political union. And May 26.50. Spots Wilson market,

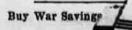
### STOCKS

New York, Dec. 21 .- Speculative issues continued the only eature of interest at the outsite of the week "Whereas, the State president, end session of the stock exchange after bringing a cloud of shame in today. Marine Preferred, United 1917 over the Farmers Union, has Fruit, Mexican Petroleum showed again secured his re-election thro' some improvement, but Studebaker ter to Dr. Alexander October 8, 1917. roll call" up to Thursday night, acpolitical manipulators, therefore be and the Tobaccos displayed reacit resolved by Wingate Local Union,' tionary tendencies. The Liberty 4's 1. That we organize ourselves in-| and 4 1-4 reached a new low level

ion and retain for the present in our, ingly light the market coming to a local organization all moneys de- standstill at the end of the first half friend; a somewhat hur; and disap- ship drive in 1917. hour.

# Will Have A Guard of Honor

London, Dec. 21 .- President Wilson will have a guard off honor when he arrives in London to visit King George. He will be driven in the royal carriage between lines of soldiers to Buckingham palace. Among those who will assist in repledge in good faith and spent the ceiving the President will be David Lloyd George, the Brith Premier.



ever been put in nomination until left many on account of the large after the election was over.

purchase of land.

esteemed by all who know her. Since

She has paid off all his debts and he

My constant purpose at Winston-She leaves several children, one Salem was to get both factions to- of them the wife of Mr. Harrison gether. I thought it would be a who was killed. The bodies were happy solution if Dr. Alexander taken to a local hospital. Mrs. Hon. Willam J. Bryan, of Ashevlile. would retire voluntarily-and I sug- Flowers and her daughter died with; gested that the last one of us who in an hour after being taken to the were then in office retire with him, hospital, while Mr. Harrison lived the section which Republicans are if he would-but since he would not about five hours. All were conscious retire, then I favored concessions on up until the time of their death. both sides which would promote har-The remains were taken to their mony and save the Union.

sults.

Do you remember what Lincoln terment will be made tomorrow afwrote Horace Greely about saving ternoon. It is probable that Elder Geo. W. Boswell will conduct the the Union regardless of the slavery funeral services. issue: "If there be those who

would not save the Union unless they could at the same time save slavery, I do not agree with them. hr home two little boys about and If there be those who would not ten years of age.

save the Union unless they could at

not agree with these. My paramount object in this struggle is to save the Union, and is not either to save or dsetroy slavery. If I could save the Union without freeing any slaves I would do it; and if I could save it by freeing all the slaves, I would do it; and if I could save it by freeing some and leaving others alone, I

would also do that. What I do about slavery and the colored race, I do because I do not believe it would help to save the Union."

So as I saw it, the main thing more than 15,000 missing and nearwas neither to elect Alexander or defeat Alexander, but to save the Union, and as God knows my heart, I strove to this end. My position

was very clearly set forth in my letin which I said: 'Dear Dr. Alexander:

take a position however sincere, the the weakening of the Union, and the (Continued on last page.)

late home this morning and the in-

The circumstances is more than sad because Mrs. Flowers leaves at

the same time destroy slavery, I do TWO MILLION DEAD

GERMAN SOLDIERS New York, Dec. 21 .- When the total German casualties are published the number of dead will be about two million according to the Co-

logne Gazette of November 25, a copy of which has been received here. Up to October 25 the total casualties reported were 6,066,789, of whom more than 4,750,000 were Prussians. The total includes the naval casualties which were 70,000. comprised of more than 25,000 dead.

ly 29,000 wounded.

# 11 MILLION JOIN RED CROSS ROLL; MORE THAN IN 1917

million persons had answered to the London Times, has given The Associated Press a copy of the intercording to reports received yester- view, from which the following exday at headquarters. This number tracts have been made:

"In all the controversies about it was stated is more than the total The congress of Vienna, the coryour speeches and your course since number of new members set as a respondent says, President Wilson the war started, I have been your goal in the first Christmas member- told him, was a congress of "Bosses."

pointed friend, and yet your friend-Reports from the Southern divis- with their own interests and the hurt and disappointed that you could ion announced last night show classes they represented than the North and South Carolina, Georgia, wishes of their peoples. only result of which was sure to be Tennessee and Florida 208,000. The Potomac division figures

were not given.

## BE YE READY

The Red Cross campaign begins in the morning. The organitation desires that you have ready when the members of the committee visit your home one dollar for each member of your family and as much more as you desire to donate for the great cause that appeals to the heart of every soldier in the service and every one who has suffered in Europe.

how large concrete ships can be built."

A government newspaper, edited against warships, jointly by representatives from the Democratic and Republican parties, seeking to make certain that civil is the latest idea championed by populations are never again spl-The newspaper would give the pro- committed by German airmen. ceedings of Congress, the principal may well be that the flying army events at the National Capital, and hereafter will be restricted excluotherwise serve the purpose of a sively to obstruction work and to truly representative mirror of happenings here.

Majority Leader Claude Kitchin, woud per.nit. The submarine problem apparof North Carolina, has been requested to father theidea in Congress. ently attaracts the greatest atten-'The suggestion for a government tion. There is reason to believe paper is an excellent idea and most that the navy general board would favorably impresses me," says Rep- not favor proposals that use of subresentative Kitchin. "But the dif- marines in any form be abandoned ficulty we will have at the short entirely. Navy officers, however, session is that we are so rushed favor prohibition of the use of their with the appropriation bills and craft against any but warships, as revenue bill that Congress will hard that would mean the end of subly have time to consider it. It is marine blockades, and they regard possible, f the Presdent would n- this as one of the most practical elsist upon its consideration, we could ements to be dealy with in discushave it considered, but I do not be- sions of freedom of the seas. lieve he will do this."

# Wilson's Views on Freedom of the Seas.

Paris, Dec. 21.President Wilson, in

an interview given to the correspon-

dent of the London Tihes, is reported

to have stated his views on the dis-

cussion of the freeom of the seas

and to have contrasted the evils of

the Vienna congress with a hopeful

Lord Northcliffe, editor of the

outlook for the Versailles congress.

tial agreement among officers, how ever, that future operations of submarines to be confined stricly

> As to aircraft, offcers say that in jected to such outrages as have been such attacks upon troops as machine gun or simiilar armament

# MAY COMMUNICATE WITH SOLDIERS BY WIRELING

New York, Dec. 21 .- Relatives and friends of soldiers returning on transports from overseas may commun cate with them by wireless and r ceive answers to their messages. up der a Navy Department agreement announced here last night.

The announcement said messages may be filed at any telegraph office and will be relayed to New York, anking Boston or some other naval radio ds for base, where they will be flashed to g our the incoming ships. Answers will were come over the same route. Charges for the service via New same York are 16 cents a word.

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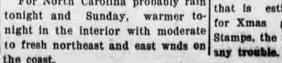
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Ex-Emperor William Improving. The delegates were concerned more Amerongen, Holland, Dec. 21 .--The Ex-emperor of Germany, William was able to take advantage of "Versailles, as President Wilson said," the interviewer continues, "must be a meeting place of the ser-

the beter weather to walk around the estate where he is staying. He has recovered from his chill which has kept him in bed since Sunday. His ear which has also been troubling him is also improved.

RAIN TONIGHT AND SUNDAY If the people of North Caroline would invest the ten Million Dollars that is estimated they will spend. night in the interior with moderate Stamps, the State would sell its quofor Xmas gifts in War Savings



vants of the pepoles represented by

For North Carolina probably rain

delegates.