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## CORPORATION COMMISSION JUNKETS TO SALT LAKE

SAYS GOOD MAY COME OF AT TENDANCE AT SESSION OF NATIONAL TAX ASSOCIATION. VICTOR BRYANT'S DEATH A GREAT BLOW.

### (By Llewxam.)

Raleigh, Sept. 3 .- The three members of the North Carolina Corporation Commission and tax commission and Corporation Clerk Thompson all have gone to Salt Lake City, Utah, to "attend the annual session of the National Tax Association." Nice little junket, but the commonwealth may get something out of it in return, as it is announced that the commissioners from North Carolina will report on the work done toward tax reform in North Carolina. There may be good reasons for the presence of all the members of the commission and a clerk as well. For it is said the North Carolina tax program J. Pershing upon a tour of all the under the revaluation act more near- South American republics that took ly complies with the ideal taxing program laid down by the experts of the association after a number of years' study and suggested to the last meeting than any taxing program that has yet been worked out in any of the American states.

worked out revaluation plans, but that have sent officials to the United purpose. He said he believed that North Carolina has been able to pro- States. fit by the mistakes made in other states and has avoided a number of as personal representative of the peace. them. If the income tax amendment president, but also as a representa passes, and it is generally believed it tive of the state department. will, the North Carolina system of raising revenues will in all probability become a model for many other states.

The sudden death yesterday of Victor S. Bryant of Durham was a great shock to a large number of Raleigh friends. The former state senator and member of the house from Durham in the present legislature was here all through the special session and left for home just one week prior to the date of his death in a hospital following an operation. He was prominent figure in the democratic state convention last April and made a stirring address when the fight to pass the suffrage resolution ABSINTHE RETURN was under way. He had been considered a formidable candidate for congress in the fifth district when Major Stedman retired, and had apparently a bright future. His widow the authorities to have returned in is the daughter of the late Major Leo the disguise of various imaginative D. Heartt, former clerk of the U. S. names. One poster that attracts atcourt here.

# SOVIET ADMITS

London, Sept. 3 .- A Moscow statement says the Bolsheviki advanced Senators who questioned the governup to the town of Brest-Litovsk, occupying a number of villages.

It admits the Poles started an advance upon Lemberg, and says the Crimean fighting is proceeding with alternate success.

Warsaw, Sept. 3 .- The Poles entered Suwalki and were enthusiastically welcomed, says an official state-

leader, is rapidly retreating.

### DANCE GIVEN AS BENEBIT TARBORO BASEBALL CLUB

is for the benefit of the baseball club it was officially announced. and a goodly attendance is expected.

### LABOR NOMINEE WANTS PUBLICITY

and Cox, both publishers, to grant a the collection of democratic funds. column a day to the national committee of each party.

# PROFESSOR PERRIN

auddenly here.

# **GUILTY SLANDER**

Washington, Sept. 3 .- Postmaster General Burleson has ordered the removal from the service of Pierce E. Butler, Fred Anderson, Solomon A. Cohen, John J. Stewart, Harold Hoffman, J. J. Adams, Frederick C. Albrecht, John J. Byrne, Thomas Drury, Leo C. George and Frank A. Halas, clerks in the Chicago postoffice. The cause of this action was stated to be "soliciting or causing to be solicited sums of money from the public and for publishing or causing to be published false and slanderous statements relative to the postal service."

### PERSHING TO VISIT SOUTH AMERICA AS AN ENVOY

Washington, Sept. 3 .- The United States will shortly send General John part in the war. He will probably visit other countries in South America as well.

His visit will be primarily for the purpose of expressing America's appreciation for the entrance of those nations into the war. It will also A number of other states have serve to return courtesies of nations

General Pershing will not only act

# IHROTTLE OPEN RAIN RUNS DOW

Chicago, Sept. 3 .- A freight train seized by men, believed to be striking switchmen, was found near Bensonville, Illinois, with the throttle open, but twenty-

one loaded cars untouched. The engine ran down for lack of steam.

# IN NEW GUISE

Paris, Sept. 3 .- Absinthe, longfought in France and prohibited over night when the war began, is said by tention shows the tall old absinthe glass with the sugar spoon across the top and the one word "Finally" in-POLISH ADVANCES dicating to the addicts of the green liquor that they may have the old sensation again, in spite of the law, session were promised vigorous pro-

### EARTHQUAKE IS FELT

### **DUFFY MUST LEAVE**

number of baseball fans as the affair four hours in which to leave France, pledges his word, you can rely upon ing the petroleum industry.

### **GERARD BECOMES** FINANCE HEAD get spoiled.

New York, Sept. 3 .- Former Am-Chicago, Sept. 3 .- Parley P. Chris- cepted the post of chairman of the is out of sympathy with the culture tensen, the former-labor presidential democratic finance committee, it was of the west. And they must not candidate, today requested Harding announced here, and will supervise abandon their national customs. It

### IMPORTS INCREASE

OF YALE IS DEAD imported into the United States dur- people is in their racial peculiarities. Saratago Springs, N. Y., Sept. 3 .- have increased more than a billion ability and one of the greatest bless-Bernadott Perrin, LLD., professor and a half dollars, while exports have ings of America's control over Tur- a negro, was electrocuted here this emeritus of Yale University, died decreased half a billion dollars, the key would have been the preserva- moraing for the murder of a police-

# SOVIET LEADERS AT TINY MITE TELLS GREW RESCUED OUTS OVER THE WAR OF PAPA'S MURDER

Lenine Fears Monarchic Coup Due To The Long Campaign.

London, Sept. 3 .- A bitter political conflict has developed between Premier Lenine and War Minister Trotzky, of Soviet Russia, according to Warsaw dispatches founded on information received from the returned Polish delegation.

Lenine, it is said, fears a monarchic coup as the inevitable result of a long campaign. Trotzky remains confident of the ability of the Soviet to deal with the threatened coup and wants endorsement of a plan to reform the Russian armies to smash White Poland

Trotzky is willing to admit that the desire to restore a Czarlike government is in evidence among the officers, but declares that the mass of the army is solid for the Soviet and can handle the situation.

According to John Domski, head o the Polish delegation, the Russians endeavored to hide the political split, but could not quite accomplish their the removal of the negotiations from Minsk would hasten the signing of

### TWELVE MEN WAAIT EXECUTION

Chicago, Sept. 3 .- All records for legal executions in Cook county and possibly in the state of Illinois, will be broken here October 14 and 15, are sentenced to be hanged for mur-

Eight of the men are under sentnce to die October 14 and four on other slayers who have been convict- it is resumed late today. ed are awaiting sentence, and it is possible that they also may hang on PERFUMED ROOMS IS one or the other of the two days.

Chicago has had several wholesale executions in the past-the most notable on Nov. 11, 1887, when four of the Haymarket anarchists were executed-but nothing in the memory of jail officials approaches a death list of 12 in two days.

# WOULD PRESERVE

Budapest, Sept. 3 .- "I as a scholar regret deeply the refusal of the United States to accept the mandate over Constantinople because the ment on the subject during a recent learned world lost a unique chance to have an American library in Turkey which would have brought out AT LOS ANGELES mentaries and Arabian philosophy," Los Angeles, Calif., Sept. 3 .- A said Professor Ignatius Goldziher, fa- Labor, has just been made public. slight earthquake was felt this morn- mous orientalist who has just celeing in the outlying parts of the city. brated his 70th birthday. The stu- ment and the petroleum interests into retailing it. No injuries were reported and no dio where Goldziher received the cor- closer relations, the latter will be Budenny, the Bolshevik cavalry particular damage notified to noon respondent of the Associated Press permitted to attend the sessions of oy sent much more along the same shops is "laying off" 32 of its emental science.

"Either old Turkey must be re- vote. FRANCE IN 24 HOURS established, or else the nationalists London, Sept. 3 .- George Gavan must totally modernize it, which will it, which is hardly the case with their neighbors. But when they come into touch with western civilization they DEMAND RANSOM

"A Turk generally picks up the bassador James W. Gerard has ac- style of the Parisian boulevards, but was one of the tricks used by the Germans to delude the Turkish nation by the false hopes of a mock-civili-BILLION AND HALF zation dangled before their eyes. The Washington, Sept. 3 .- Foodstuffs strength and value of the Turkish ing the seven months ending July 31 in their simplicity, honesty, poetcal Department of Commerce reports. | tion of these rational qualities."

Aiding In Killing Her Husband.

Bridgeport, Conn., Sept. 3 .-"You didn't do this?" were G. E. Nott's dying words to his wife near the entrance to their home after a terrific struggle with Elwood B. Wade, his rival, according to testimony of twelve-yearold Ruth Nott, daughter of the couple, at the coroner's inquest.

The little girl told a vivid story of the final moments of the fatal clash between husband and sweetheart in the Nott home on last Sunday, and her story substantiated Wade's confession of his guilt.

Details of the packing of the body in a trunk and its subsequent hiding in the sand marshes near Sport Hill, in the town of Easton, were supplied by Assistant Superintendent of Police John Flood from a statement by Charles Johnson, who with Wade and Mrs. Nott, is being held in connection with the crime.

According to the testimony given by the officer, Wade's confession of Tuesday has been amplified. "Wade told me," declared Flood, "that the knife he used in stabbing Nott to death, after he had beaten and shot him, was supplied by Mrs. Nott."

"I beat him and I shot him, but he seemed to get no weaker," Wade said, describing the struggle. "He had me by the throat and was giving me a battle. I finally called to Mrs. Nott to get me a knife. With this knife I jabbed Nott until he finally lay still. county officials believe, when 12 men We then packed his body into the trunk and washed away the blood-

The widow is now a prisoner at Hillside Home, but it is expected she the following day. In addition, two will be brought to the inquest when

# **NEW LONDON FAD**

London, Sept. 3 .- Perfumed rooms are a new fad of London hostesses. Each room is given a distinctive perfume, the color of the wall paper corresponding with the color of flower room which the perfume is distilled. A lavender bedroom is toned to a pale mauve, and the one that smells TURKISH CUSTOMS of mignonette is colored a greenish yellow. Guests are allotted rooms which, in the hostess' opinion, correspond to their own temperament and

# MEXICO WILL AID

Mexico City, Sept. 3 .- A plan for the still hidden treasures of medieval the operation of the newly-formed Turkish literature, the Koran com- petroleum consulting board of the Ministry of Industry, Commerce and

is in itself a complete library of ori- the board and present claims or give lines which he secured from an ex- ployes in Raleigh beginning Monday, information, but without the power to amination of many witnesses in con- but it is stated that it is only tem-

Another of the announced purposes of the board of which General Agents William McGuire and James announcement caused some little stir recognize the authority of the British The dance for Monday night in Duffy, the so-called Irish republic be a pity," continued Prof. Goldzi- Trevino, secretary of Industry, Comthe warehouse is being arranged for ambassador to France, has been giv- her. "The Turks are the most hon- merce and Labor, is chairman, is the by several ladies assisted by a large en by the French government twenty est people of the East. When a Turk dissemination of information regard-

The board has begun functioning.

Mexico City, Sept. 3 .- Bandit Zamora threatens to execute the American and British subjects, kidnapped by him last week, unless the ransom is paid immediately, according to a dispatch received from military headquarters at Guadalajara.

### LORENZO YOUNG

IS ELECTROCUTED Nashville, Sept. 3-Lorenzo Young

Wade Accuses Mrs. Nott Of Spend Two Days Beneath The Atlantic Ocean On Submersible.

Philadelphia, Sept. 3.-The officers and crew of the submarine S-5 were rescued early today after spending nearly two days locked in the disabled vessel beneath the Atlantic ocean south of Cape Henlopen.

They were taken aboard the steamer Atlantius, which proceeded for the 25: Speights, Cedar Hill. Delaware breakwater with the submarine in tow.

A small buoy, a development of Mayo and Cross Roads. disabled craft ringing a gong, attracted the attention of the steamer 11: Oakdale, Oak Grove and Powells. to the spot.

The wireless failed to say how the HARDING'S SPEECH rescue of the officers and men entombed in the disabled submarine was effected, but it said that none of the men were injured. The first man was removed at one

o'clock and Lieutenant Commander Cook left two hours later.

This was the first practical test of the buzzer device.

Washington, Sept. 3 .- A message to the Navy Department says the submarine S-5 was partially flooded while making a crash dive and that the boat can be salvaged.

The erew are reported in bad shape but recovering.

### POLES WAGE WAR

Berlin, Sept. 3. A statement by the Lithuanian foreign minister says that bloodshed can be avoided only by the withdrawla of the Poles from Lithuanian territory.

tacked Lithuanians while the boundary negotiations have been pending.

New York, Sept. 3 .- Additional details about bootlegging activities on Staten Island were sent to Federal Attorney Ross. Most of the new information was secured from Mrs. Florence Eckert, wife of Arthur Eckert, who is believed to have been murdered by bootleggers.

nection with the death of Eckert. porary and that they will all be re-The statements made by Prohibition instated in about thirty days. The Weldon to the district attorney a few among railway employes, but the auert case were also sent to Mr. Ross. for alarm.

# COX FEATURED THE

OR WILL EXECUTE western swing of the democratic can- Line, Seaboard Air Line and Norplatform address at Toledo at which put into effect the first of this month, Governor Cox said he was in the fight has been ordered postponed until De to win and he featured the League of cember 29, pending an investigation Nations.

The governor said the Hague trib- sion, unal failed to prevent war and added that the League is the "modern idea SUFAR REFINERS of bringing the nearest guarantees of peace."

Cox reiterated the charge that the ministration."

# MAC SWINEY IS SINKING HIS SISTER REPORTS

# STATE DENTAL CLINIC IN COUNTY

Beginning September 5, the state TROTZKY COUNTS MASSES CHILD EXONERATES HER TOWED TO DELAWARE dentist will start work in the county schools. Six central points have been chosen and one week's work will be done at each. The schedule follows: Pinetops School Building, Sept. 6-11: St. Lewis, Sparta, Temperance Hall, and Nobles Mill.

Macclesfield School Building, Sept. 13-18: Edgewood, Crisp, Otter Creek and Old Mill.

Speed School Building, Sept. 17

was released and floated above the Juvenile, Progress and Pleasant Hill. Battleboro School Building, Oct.

### FOR LABOR DAY

Marion, Sept. 3 .- Senator Harding has set apart most of today to work on his Labor Day speech.

He conferred, however, with several callers on campaign subjects.

(By Llewxam.)

Raleigh, Sept. 3 .- The State Col ON LITHUANIA lege of Agriculture and Engineering has found himself completely u !a will offer better advantages than ever to take an independent course at acduring the new school year that be- tion. gins next Tuesday, Sept. 7, to the

young men of the state who attended as students, and especially in the de- that if he advised the release of Lord partment of mechanical engineering. The college authorities announce a faculty of ten for that department, with Prof. L. L. Vaughan at its head. He is a graduate of the State College and received his master's degree at Columbia University, Prof. William J. Dana, a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, has been chosen associate professor in charge of experimental engineering. Since gradu- die if a continued to refuse food. ating Prof. Dana served a three-years apprenticeship in the Baldwin Locomotive Works, after which he taught exercise of clemency, because he was mechanical engineering at the Penn. University. He is an especially well of the Lord Mayor was the proper equipped man for the work in hand. course.

The other members of the faculty include D. B. Worth, instructor in charge of foundry and pattern mak-Although the woman was too ill to ing: C. B. Park, in charge of the maappear in court when three men, chine shops and superintendent of moral Castle. The King's effort to THE OIL INTERESTS whom she charges with the murder power plant and steam heat; J. N. of her husband, were arraigned, she Foster, machine design and applied was able to talk at her home in East mechanics; E. L. Cloyd, instructor in Orange, N. J. District Attorney Mal- descriptive geometry and drawing; oy said that she told his assistant M. B. Maynard and T. J. Martin, inthe names of large dealers in whiskey structors in mechanical drawing; V. who are bootlegging it on Staten Isl- W. Busby, instructor in charge of the In the effort to bring the govern- and and the names of those who are wood shop; W. S. Bridgers, instructor Premier Lloyd George is said to be

in charge of the auto school. Besides this information, Mr. Mal- The Seaboard Air Line Railway

The proposed increase in freight the telegraph wires leading to Balrates on logs, lumber and other pro-LEAGUE OF NATONS ducts shipped from North Carolina Enroute with Cox, Sept. 3 .- The to Norfolk, which the Atlantic Coast didate was opened with a breakfast- folk Southern railways intended to

tions from persons "who would sub- a new reduction of one cent a pound, stitute the bayonet for the golden making the price of fine granulated quitoes. discount of two per cent.

KING GEORGE WOULD RELEASE HIM, BUT PREMIER LLOYD GEORGE OBJECTS; APPEALS TO THE POPE.

London, Sept. 3 .- Lord Mayor MacSwiney shows signs of sinking rapidly, his sister stated this morn-

Members of his family are at his bedside as the think the end is not

London, Sept. 3 .- In a desperate last minute effort to save the life of Leggett School Building, Sept. 20- Terrence MacSwiney, Lord Mayor of Cork, his wife, relatives and friends Oct. 2: Busy Workers, Oakland, and are appealing to Pope Benedict in the name of humanity and civilizathe war, with a buzzer device which Dixie School Building, Oct. 4-9: tion to depart from his ordinary political aloofness and take active steps to bring pressure on the British government to abandon its obdurate attitude. The influence of powerful friends of Sinn Fein in Rome is re-

ported to have been enlisted. Kanmare, County Kerry, Sept. 3. -The government's course in the MacSwiney case is perfectly logical, but it is rather unfortunate that after being illogical with English prisoners for ten years, the government should select an Irishman to begin its logic on, and should excuse itself by the gravity of his crime when he has committed absolutely no crime at all except the crime of being born in

London, Sept. 3 .- For the first time in ten years of his reign, King George is in a conflict with the cal: net over a grave public question, a

He was first notified by his political secretary, Lord Stamfordham. Mayor MacSwiney of Cork from the Brixton prison, through the exercise of the royal prerogative, Premier Lloyd George would defer to the

Accordingly the King forwarded a request for a pardon to the home office, but was then informed that the cabinet was unanimous in deciding that to mayor must be allowed to

His Majesty was extremely annoyed at the official rejection of his personally convinced that the release

He now has taken the unprecedented step of cancelling the customary invitation to the senior members of the cabinet to stay with him at Balrelease MacSwiney has resulted in the arrival of a shoal of letters and telegrams at Balmoral supporting the action and urging His Majesty not to hesitate to provoke the resignation of the cabinet by peremptory action,

The uncompromising attitude of due to the Carsonite element in the cabinet which was prepared to wreck the coalition rather than yield to the

public clamor for the mayor's release. Sinn Fein has never countenanced a petition to the King, taking the position that the republicans did not constitutional system. Sinn Fein leaddays ago in connection with the Eck- thorities here say there is no cause ers sent a letter to the King stating this as their position. Soon thereafter moral Castle were cut. They have since been repaired and are guarded by the police.

### WIDOW MISSED RINGS AFTER MOSQUITO CHASE

Passaic, N. J., Sept. 3 .- As a reby the Interstate Commerce Commis- sult of an offer to chase mosquitoes out of the bedroom of a widow, F. Herbert Mayne, official stenographer of the supreme court of Wood county. REDUCE THE PRICE West Virginia, was held in \$3,000 bail for the Passaic grand jury. Mrs. New York, Sept. 3 .- The Federal Randolph Farrar charged that three republicans were receiving contribu- Sugar Refining Company announced diamond rings, valued at \$3,000 were missing after Mayne chased the mos-

> Mayne, who is fifty, tall and handsome, indignantly denied the charge.