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ELIZABETH CITY, NORTH CAROLINA SATURDAY EVENING JANUARY 6, 1917

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House Rules Committee today.

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Barney Baruch, whom rumor

connected with the loak, was asked

to preserve his broker slips during

the period during which the note

was sent and, the stock market

Projectiles

(By United Press)

Washington, Jan. 6-Calling the

American bids on high projectiles

for the Navy "outrageous", . Secre-

tary Daniels today announced that

the Government Armor Plate Board

is also working upon a plan for

a government projectile factory.

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on ecDember 20th.

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Remember Community Service Month January-February 3rd

WAR THREAT CLUB **IS WIELDED AGAIN**

Statements of Senator Lewis and Secretary Lansing Quoted as Convincing Threat of Break With Germany

(By United Press)

Washington, Jan. 6 .- The administration is wielding anew its war threat club against Germany to force her into line on making peace torms, according to the views of experts on the International situa-

These conclusions are based upon the fact that one official said trankly more than a week ago that threat of war or war, over the submarine question might be used, and innator Lewis, known as the "mafority whip" and certainly in close ouch with the administraton, delared openly yesterday in tflect that the United States was done with time worn German "reparation of apology and, punishment of the

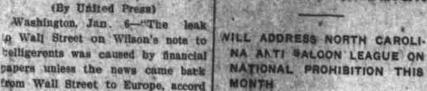
Taken in connection with Secretary Lansing's recent 'verge of war' interpretation of President Wilson's note to beligerents, the Senator's statement is regarded as a direct threat that the United Staites is convinced of a break with Germany



At a meeting of the Boy Scouts last night in the Y. M. C. A. build ing a plan was worked out wherby the troop will take a trip to Washington for the inauguration of Pres ident Wilson March 4th. This trip will be made possible if the troop can get the co-operation of the parents and the boys get out and earn the money necessary.

The Scout troop from Hampton, Va, will slao make the trip in charge of their Scoutmaster, Mr. Jackson and the Elizabeth City Troop will join them at Old Point Comfort, Va.

The expense of the trip will be as follows:-\$4.66 for round trip Norfolk to Washington, D. C. and state room both ways, this amount must be in the hands of Scoutmaster Ford by February 5th so that he can get the reservations. LEGISLATURE DOESNIT KLOW No scouts will be able to arrange to go after the above date. \$2.25 will be needed for meals during the stay at Washington and the round trip from Elizabeth City to Norfolk \$2.80 a total of \$9.71. This will not include any money for sight seeing which will amount to about \$1.00 for street car fare etc. Lodg-



ing to my billef." Representative Harrison of Missippi told the Ralaish Jan. 5 .- The ninth blen-nial Convention of the Anti-Saloon League will meet in the First Bap-Subpoenas for the entire Washtist Church here on January 15th ington Staffs of Financial America and Wall Street Journal were isand 16th.

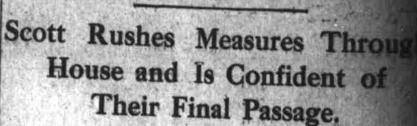
Mr. J. A. Hartness, of Statesville will preside at the first afternoon's meeting and Hon. William Jennings Bryan will address the Convention at two o'clock on National Prohibition.

The W O T U will give a reception from six to seven in Y. M. C. A, building to visiting delegates. Dr. W. L. Poteat will preside at the evening meeting and the report of Supt. R. L. Davis will be heard The address of the evening will be made by Judge S. D. Weakly of Firmingham on the subject "Our Billin. After his address the Judge will be glad to publicly answer any question concerning the bill. Mr. W. T. Shaw of Hickory will preside at the morning session on the second day. Field Secretary R. L. Gray will make his report.

The address will be made by Rev. J. Sidney Peters, State Prohibition Commissioner of Richmond. Rev. J. L. Murphy of Hickory, will preside over the final meeting and the meeting will be one of open teston by loaders in the prohibition movement.

SERVICES CLOSE SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

The week of Prayer services at Blackwell Memorial churrh will



TO BE MADE IN SEN

FIGHT ON LOCAL

But Though Bill to Move it From Plymouth Has Passed Is Likely To Come to Grlef in House,

ROPER AFTER THE COUNTY SEA

By I. P. DAVIS (Advance Staff Correspondent) Raleigh, Jan. 6-The Senate and House recessed today at twe've o'clock to reconvine at shree. Thi last reading of pills reqiring the three separate days was made to day in both House and Senate and Stnat bills were sent over to the House, House bills to the Sente. The rush is somewhat confusing, but no serious fight has developed on any measure. Representativt Scott, has succeeded setting his bill for a repeal of the Highway Commission in Pasquotaak through the House and same has gone to the Senate where it passed first reading today. In the vote upon second reading last night, Cox from Currituck, by request of Mr. Worth of Elizabith City, moved



FIVE NEW TOWAS CAPTURED AND MOST IMPORTANT CITY LEFT IN ROUMANIAN HAND MENACED

(By United Fress) Berlin, Jan. 6-The **DITE** weep of the Teutonic armies Roumania and Dobrudja is des ed in the official statement which announcid the capture of five new tewns, the arrival of German cutpost detachments at the Sa

over the submarine, question if pence maneuvers fail.

Equipment For YMCA

The secretary wishes to announce that the following gym, equipment is been ordered for the Y. M. C. THE P

1 Pr Paralell Bars 1 Vaulting Horse (Leather) 1 Wheel (Arm and Shoulder ex-1 4 4-1914 1 Striking Bag Drum 6 Mats of different sizes 3 Chest weight machines 1 Spring board 1 Climbing Rope 5 Adujustable traveling rings 1 35 ft, hanger for same 1 Pr. Adjustable flying rings o Steel Clothes lockers 00 wire baskets for gym clothes timated cost between \$500 and

a number of these articles are other contributed by triends of the Aunociation. Miles Clark, Duke Gropsey with some friends have agreed to furnish apparatus from the above list to the amount of \$125.00; T. DeLos Crary and friends to the amount of \$135.00 A B. Houtz, Arthur Brothers, W G Gaither, J T Stallings and Tom mie Hughes also are contributors and others whose names will appear later in this paper. This equipment is expected to arrive inside of thirty days.

As the details can be arranged other equipment which is needtd will be ordered

But dont forget the Association has running expenses to be met right now and that membership fee a needed badly from those who nave allowed same to become deent. Don't wait for the Secretary to collect as his time in y taken up and he may not le to get to you and

ing will be furnished the Scouts at Washington, D. C. free. The troop will leave Friday 3:30 p. m. March 2nd, reaching Norfolk at 5:30. Leave Nonolk by Washington boat 6:00 p. m. arriving at Old Point Comofrt, Va. at 7:00 p. m. where they will be joined by the Scouts from Hampton Va. Reaching Washington next morning and that day will be spent in sight seeing. Sunday the boys will attend Sunday School and Church. Monday the parade when the boys will help in handling the crowd along the line of march and will be in a position to get a good view of the parade. Leaving Washington at about 6:00 p. m. that night. Norfolk next morning and arrive in Elizabeth City either at 10:00 or one o'clock that day.

Mr. Ford will accompany th troop and they will be under his personal care.

This is a great opportunity and an educational one that no parent of any of the Scouts should allow anything to interfere with their going

Mr. Ford will be glad to mak engagements or talk over the phone with any of the parents of the boys as regards the trip. In addition any of the parents who desire going or any others in the city of the older people may arrange to go with the party if they see Mr. Ford.

WAR ODDITIES

Londen, Jan. 6-A bevy of Irish girls are studying shell inspection in an English munitions factory preparatory to the opening of nilar plant in Ireland where fem irinh patricite may do their

BE GOVERNOR WHO WILL WHEN IT MEETS MONDAY

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Phoenix, Ariz., Jan6-The con dition of Arizona's politics is chaotic today that nobody, knows who will be governor when the legislature meets. Monday. No one knows whether the administration orthe anti-administration will dominate, as the administration is yet to be determined. No one knows anything about it, except there is every indication of one of the livliest sessions in the brief history of the baby state.

The governship is at present tied up in the courts. Tom Camp: bell. Republican, was at that time elected by thirty votes over Governor George W. P. Hunt on the face of the returns. Hunt is contesting, and despite every effort to speed up the case, it is almost certain that the recount and court proceedings will not be completed in time for the inauguration of the new governor.

Campbell will seek to take his seat by virtue " the certified returns. Hunt will seek to have him restrained until the contest is decided. The unusual situation is occupying the attention of politicians to the exclusion of plans for a legislative program. Neither the present or the defacto government elect have done anything toward preparag a message. The legislature is almost overwhelming ly democratic, but it is almost equally divided between the Hunt and the anti-Hunt factions.

CENTRAL COMMITTEE

The Central Committee of Com munity Service Month held a meeting at Superintendent Hinton's office Friday night and selected members of the various committees to press the various phases of the work in the several townships the county. The name of those constituting the committees be announced later.

he city today

close Sunday afternoon at which time the offering for Foreign Missions will be taken.

A number of ladies will take part in this service and it is expected to be the best meeting of the series. The meeting will begin promptly at \$130 and all the ladies of the church are urged to be present. Visitors will be warmly welcomed.

CHRIST CHURCH

Services 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Subject in morning, Mk 4:I, "And he began again." At night, The Epiphany, the Manifestation of Christ to the Gentiles, "They precented unto him gifts; Gold, and Frankincense (symbol of religious thought), and Myrrh (symbol of sorrow)" Sunday School at 10:30 A. M. Lesson Acts 12. Who was king? Did he like the church? Who was James? Why was Peter arrested? Where was he kept, and what was made for him? Was he trightened in jail? (See Psalm 127: 2). How was he released? Where did he go? What were they doing in this house? When the prayers

of these people were answered, what did they think of it? What became of Herod? What grew and multiplied? Golden text 24.

FOR SALE Young black horse. Good sadier. Will work in all har ness. Will sell cheap, CLIFF MADRIN, Elizabeth City. jan 5 6 8 pd

BLACKWELL MEMORIAL

BAPTIST CHURCH

will preach at the Sunday morning service from the subject "Loyalty to Christ the Secret of Life and

At the evening service Mr. Lof in's subject will be "Words of Cheer amid the Storms of Life". The public is cordially invited to attend these services

Mr. and Mer. M. S. Abbitt buing are visiting Mrs. mother. Mrs. Burgens on

that the bill be laid over for further consideration.

Scott was equal to the emergency knowing that a delay of last nights rtading would make it impos sible to get the bill through in tht short time allotted, and made a right heated speech in favor of his bill, asking that the motion of Mr Cox he not passed. Scott won by a vote of ninety to one, and tht bill passed the second reading.

It is probable that the bill will meet with much objection in the Senate, but Reprisentative Scott is coufident of its final passage Wash ington County delegation is here and a heated fight promises to take place on a bill introduced by Senaotr Davinport to change the County seat of that County to Plymouth to Roper. The bill already has passed the Senate, but will Verv probably meet disaster in the House, as Representative Coggin is opposed to it.

Both House and Senate heartily applauded the message of Governor Locke Craig last night informing them that Cuba had withdrawn application for suit against tht State for repudiated bonds.

INSTALLATION DAY AT CITY ROAD CHURCH

The Sunday school will hold it's Installation Service at the 11:00 o'clock hour. An interesting and inspiring program has been prepared. This is something new and it will be a service worth while,

At the evening hour the Board of Stewards will be installed. The church has been fortunate in securing a very fine program for this ser vice. It is suggestive impressive andinteresting

The public is invited to attend both of these services.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

The pastor will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening services. As this is the first Sunday of the New Year a full attendance of the shurch membership is greatly deod. The pastor will make some important announcements resarding the work of the church. Everyone is invited.

river line, thus bringing # menace to Galatz, the most important Rumanian city left, in the hands of the Rumanians and sians.

Case Goes To Jury

The Judge completed his charge and the case of Saunders vs. Ay dlett went to the jury of eleven men at the close of the morning session of superior court.

When this paper wint to press at three o'clock the jury had returned no verdict.

The case of Saunders vs Aydlett has occupied the attention of Su perior Court here since Wedness day of this weer. Those comp ing the jury are as follows: S. P. Cooper, T. P. Morris, Joseph Temple, T. H. Parsons, G. F. Horner, Elmo Stokely, N. I. Williams, S. Hughes, C. V. Ballard, W. R. Richardson, and G. A. Tuttle. E. N. Belanzia was removed from the jury when, after all evidence was in and argument begun, plaintiff's attorneys produced an affidavit that he had expressed an opinion unfavorable to their client before the trial.

In producing the affidavit the plaintiffs attorneys asked for a non suit, to which the defendant objected on the ground that the suit has been long pending, having already resulted in two non suits. and in the hope that it might be terminated at this term. Attorneys on both sides then agreed that the trial should proceed, leaving the issue in the hands of the remaining eleven jurors.

AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Dr. B. C. Henning will preach at eleven o'clock Sunday morning from the subject 'How to Live." On Sunday evening at 7:30 Dr. Hening's subject will be 'How to Succeed.

The public is cordially welcomed to these services.

THE WEATHER Fair tonigh and Sunday. No main erial changes,

HOLDS MEETING The pastor, Rev. I. N. Loftin, Auccess".

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