

* Buy W. S. S. And *
* Help to Bring The *
* Boys Back Home *

The Daily Advance

WEATHER
Fall in east, probably rain in west portion tonight or Wednesday, warm, moderate winds becoming south.

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CONSIDER NAMING "Y" SECRETARY

Y. M. C. A. Directors Meet Wednesday Evening to Discuss This And Other Topics

The directors of the Y. M. C. A. meet Wednesday evening at five o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. to hear the final reports of the directors' canvass for funds for the current year's budget. As the success of the canvass assures the operation of the "Y" this year as a community center the matter of naming a secretary will be taken up by the directors.

Secretary Gilmore to Camp Wadsworth, who was here to see Mr. Houtz last week, is regarded as one of the best prospective candidates for the secretaryship. Mr. Gilmore has had eighteen years experience in "Y" work having served both as physical director and as general secretary. For the past year he has been in charge of the physical activities of three units at Camp Wadsworth and is recommended to the Board of Directors by T. Delos Cray, formerly of this city, who is now in "Y" work at Camp Wadsworth and has been closely associated with Mr. Gilmore. Mr. Gilmore met the directors of the Elizabeth City "Y" at supper while here and made a most favorable impression.

Another question to be taken up at Wednesday's Board meeting will be that of the method of electing directors under the new plan of operating the "Y." Heretofore the directors have been chosen from the membership, but the terms of all the directors now serving have expired and all memberships have been abolished. In whose hands the matter of determining the personnel of the board is to rest must therefore be decided before the Association undertakes the work of the new year.

Yesterday the campaign for funds for the budget was reported as having passed the three thousand dollar mark, and since that time still further progress has been made. There no longer remains the slightest doubt of the ultimate success of the campaign.

- Below are the list of contributors to date:
- Calvert Cray \$50.00
 - Globe Fish Co. 25.00
 - M. P. Gallop & Co. 25.00
 - Jennette Bros. 25.00
 - C. W. Stevens Co. 25.00
 - A. F. Toxey & Co. 25.00
 - Amo & Gas Engine Works. 25.00
 - C. A. Cooke 25.00
 - E. City Shipyard Co. 25.00
 - Owens Shoe Co. 25.00
 - D. M. Jones Co. 25.00
 - D. R. Morgan 25.00
 - W. S. White & Co. 25.00
 - Mrs. John A. Kramer 25.00
 - J. C. B. Ehringhaus 25.00
 - Mrs. C. H. Robinson 25.00
 - Achoree Lodge I. O. O. F. 25.00
 - Charles Davis 20.00
 - Southern Gas Imp. Co. 24.00
 - N. G. Grandy & Co. 25.00
 - C. A. Cooke 25.00
 - Brock & Scott 25.00
 - Eldon Jones 20.00
 - Frank K. Kramer 15.00
 - The Apothecary Shop. \$30.00
 - T. Delos Cray 25.00
 - Capt. M. P. Hite 25.00
 - O. F. Gilbert 25.00
 - I. N. Loftin 25.00
 - D. R. Morgan Co. 25.00
 - D. M. Jones Co. 25.00
 - Owens Shoe Co. 25.00
 - M. W. Ferebee 25.00
 - Cahoon & Jackson 25.00
 - E. F. Aydtett 25.00
 - Standard Mfg. Co. 25.00
 - N. & C. Tel. & Tel. Co. 25.00
 - L. S. Blades \$75.00
 - G. F. Seyfert 50.00
 - A. E. Brothers 25.00
 - F. G. Sawyer 25.00
 - Mrs. Clay Foreman 25.00
 - H. C. Bright Co. 25.00
 - H. E. Banks 25.00
 - Miles Clark 25.00
 - A. D. Crupsey 25.00
 - Culpepper Hdw. Co. 25.00
 - Culpepper, Griffin & Co. 25.00
 - W. P. Duff Piano Co. 40.00
 - E. City Electric Light Co. 15.00
 - E. City Iron Works & Sup. Co. 25.00
 - J. F. Greenleaf 25.00
 - Dr. M. M. Harris 25.00
 - A. B. Houtz 50.00
 - W. L. Gaither 25.00
 - L. R. Foreman 25.00
 - H. G. Kramer 25.00
 - J. P. Kramer 25.00
 - J. H. Leroy 25.00
 - G. R. Little 25.00
 - J. T. Metcalf 25.00

LECTURES ON POULTRY

Lectures on Poultry Raising will be delivered thruout the county next week by Mr. A. G. Oliver of Raleigh. On Monday night, Feb. 17th, the first lecture will be delivered at Riverside Schoolhouse.

GERMANS ADOPT CONSTITUTION

(By Associated Press)
Weimar, Feb. 10.—The German National Assembly has adopted the provisional constitution with little amendment. The national president will be elected Tuesday.

BOLSHEVIKI ARE REPULSED

(By Associated Press)
London, Feb. 11.—The Bolsheviki launched an infantry attack Saturday against Allied positions near Sredmakrenga, southeast of Archangel, and were repulsed, according to an official statement issued by the war office tonight.

In operations Friday in which Americans, British and Russians improved their positions on the Petrograd road south of Kadsh, the Bolsheviki suffered heavy losses.

- P. W. McMullan 25.00
- M. G. Morrisette Co. 25.00
- Thos. J. Markham 25.00
- P. W. Melick Co. 25.00
- A. R. Nicholson 25.00
- C. R. Pugh 25.00
- Dr. A. L. Pendleton 25.00
- R. E. Quinn Co. 25.00
- C. O. Robinson 25.00
- John Selig 25.00
- Dr. John Saliba 25.00
- M. Leigh Sheep Co. 25.00
- S. L. Sheep 25.00
- W. O. Saunders 25.00
- S. R. Siff Co. 25.00
- I. E. Skinner 25.00
- Spence & Hollowell Co. 25.00
- Jas. T. Stallings 25.00
- Sharber & White Hdw. Co. 25.00
- L. W. W. Sawyer 25.00
- Stevens Jobbing Co. 25.00
- A. B. Seely & Son 25.00
- C. E. Thompson 25.00
- Weeks & Sawyer 25.00
- Jack Wells 25.00
- John Wells 25.00
- P. H. Williams 25.00
- W. J. Woodley 25.00
- J. K. Wilson 25.00
- J. G. Gregory \$20.00
- City Drug Store 20.00
- Zimmerman & Co. 15.00
- C. J. Ward 10.00
- A. B. Holloman 10.00
- J. B. Jones 10.00
- Dr. Julian Selig 10.00
- G. G. Markham 10.00
- Geo. A. Twiddy 10.00
- S. H. Johnson 10.00
- L. S. Sawyer 10.00
- L. E. Old 10.00
- T. T. Turner & Co. 10.00
- Talula Encampment I.O.O.F. 10.00
- C. F. Garrett 10.00
- Geo. C. Culpepper 10.00
- L. E. Thorpe 10.00
- L. Frank Swain 10.00
- G. W. Falls 10.00
- W. Frank Midgett 10.00
- J. W. Modlin 10.00
- Chas. Reid 10.00
- C. C. Blades 10.00
- W. Boettcher 10.00
- H. W. Bundy 10.00
- L. D. Case 10.00
- Edgar Chadwick 10.00
- E. S. Chason, Jr. 10.00
- W. L. Cohoon 10.00
- A. K. Davis 10.00
- M. G. Haskett 10.00
- F. G. Jacobs 10.00
- M. G. Jones 10.00
- C. H. Lane 10.00
- J. B. Leigh 10.00
- P. Delon 10.00
- H. G. Parks 10.00
- Coca-Cola Bott. Works. 10.00
- M. E. Pappendick 10.00
- Geo. F. Pappendick 10.00
- B. A. McCoy 10.00
- Talmadge Miller 10.00
- Herbert Peck 10.00
- Lloyd Perry 10.00
- Geo. J. Spence 10.00
- E. F. Spencer 10.00
- W. H. Weatherly, Jr. 10.00
- J. E. Weatherly 10.00
- H. Grady Williams 10.00
- L. J. Winder, Jr. 10.00
- W. W. Woodley, Jr. 10.00
- Geo. F. Wright 10.00

RETURNS MERELY TO SIGN BILLS

President Wilson Will Be in Washington Only Short Time Hurrying Back to The Peace Conference

(By Associated Press)
Paris, Feb. 11.—Evidence of the President's intention not to abandon the Peace Conference upon the ratification of the Society of Nation's plan was found in the disclosure today that his plan is to return from Washington to Paris by March 15th.

GERMAN QUESTION POSTPONED

In view of the complexity and diversity of problems raised by the armistice the Supreme War Council has appointed a committee of eight members to which has been entrusted the task of studying these questions. The Council therefore has postponed temporarily the adoption of conditions to be imposed upon Germany.

PROHIBITION, CHILD LABOR

Two important features of the American-British Labor programs were accepted today by the Commission on International Labor legislation and will form part of the whole project of international regulation of labor which will be submitted to the full Peace Conference.

These are prohibition, child labor under sixteen years, and uniformity of seaman's wages.

JAPAN REITERATES CLAIM
Japan has reiterated her intention to hold Marshall and Caroline Islands in the Pacific which she took from Germany during the war as well as to insist upon the execution of her agreement reached last September with China regarding Shantung. A formal statement to this effect by Japanese representatives was made public here today.

MEETS WEDNESDAY

The L. N. L. Circle of the Woman's Missionary Society of Blackwell Memorial Baptist Church meets Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. L. E. Skinner on North Road street at 3:30. The fifteenth chapter of the Mission Book will be studied.

All members are requested to be present.

ADVERTISING RATE CARD

- The Daily Advance
- 1 inch 25c
- 3 inches 50c
- 6 inches \$1.00
- 10 inches \$1.50
- 20 inches \$3.00
- 30 inches (1/2 page) \$3.75
- 60 inches (1/2 page) \$7.50
- 120 inches (page) \$15.00
- The Semi-weekly Advance
- For rates in the semi-weekly edition published Monday's and Thursday's
- add 20 per cent to the foregoing.
- 30 inches (1/2 page) \$4.50
- 60 inches (1/2 page) \$9.00
- 120 inches (page) \$18.00
- Want ads and readers are inserted in the run of the paper at the rate of 5 cents a line with a minimum charge of twenty-five cents. Front page want ads or readers accepted at the discretion of the publisher at double the usual rate and with a minimum charge of fifty cents each. January 15, 1919.

KING GEORGE URGES PROGRESS

Speaks From Throne to Houses Of Parliament For Elimination of Poverty And Unemployment

(By Associated Press)
London, Feb. 11.—King George in his speech from the throne to the Houses of Parliament today urged the legislative bodies to act resolutely in stamping out poverty, diminishing unemployment and improving the health of the nation.

FEREBEE BILL NOT ENDORSED

Chamber of Commerce in Favor of Improved Highway To Norfolk But Would Assess Each County On Basis of Mileage in County

The directors of the Chamber of Commerce Monday night endorsed Senator Ferebee's bill for a concrete highway to Norfolk except as to the matter of assessing four ninths of the local cost of the highway against Pasquotank. The directors considered this amount excessive; inasmuch as Pasquotank will get only one eighth of the highway. They went on record as favoring an assessment against each county on the basis of the mileage in that county.

The movement on foot at South Mills to get a concrete road from South Mills into Portsmouth was taken up and the directors went on record as committing the Chamber of Commerce to use all its influence toward getting a road from Elizabeth City to the Pasquotank line opposite South Mills if the South Mills-Portsmouth highway becomes a fact. The Directors expressed themselves as opposed to the Bryan bill providing for raising the funds for a six months school term throughout the state. They felt that the methods proposed in this bill are unfair to Pasquotank and the more wealthy counties generally.

Chas. H. Robinson tendered his resignation as a member of the Board of Directors and W. G. Gaither was elected to fill the vacancy.

C. R. Pugh tendered his resignation as a member of the Good Road committee of the Chamber and L. R. Foreman was elected in his place.

Secretary Case was sent to Raleigh to assist the trustees of the Negro State Normal here in obtaining an appropriation from the General Assembly of \$32,000 for improvements and for such addition to the equipment as will make possible the teaching of vocational training in this institution.

TO SAVE NEW NAVAL PROGRAM

(By Associated Press)
Washington, Feb. 11.—To save the new three year naval building program from defeat thru a parliamentary coup, the House Rules Committee today ordered the report of a rule making legislation authorizing the construction of ten battleships, ten scout cruisers in order for House consideration as a part of the \$720,000,000 naval appropriation bill. Vote on the rule will be taken after two hours debate.

TRADES UNION CONGRESS OVER

(By Associated Press)
Berns, Feb. 11.—The International Trades Union Congress adjourned today after deciding to meet again in May at a place to be selected later.

CASUALTY LIST SECTION 1.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The following casualties are reported by the Commanding General of the American Expeditionary Forces:

- Wounded severely 97
- Missing in action 1
- Total 98

NORTH CAROLINA CASUALTIES Wounded Severely
Clyde H. Stickland, Cumberland Hills
Bernard H. Calhoun, Ruffin.

SECTION 2.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The following casualties are reported by the Commanding General of the American Expeditionary Forces:

- Killed in action 5
- Died from wounds 5
- Died from accident and other causes 1
- Died of disease 10
- Wounded severely 118
- Total 139

SECTION 3.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The following casualties are reported by the Commanding General of the American Expeditionary Forces:

- Wounded (degree undetermined) 210
- Wounded slightly 428
- Total 638

NORTH CAROLINA CASUALTIES Wounded (Degree Undetermined)
Claude E. Harris, Embro.
Wounded (Degree Undetermined)
Clarence S. Hope, North Charlotte.
Haskell E. Page, Benson.
Willie H. Hewitt, Shallotte.
Tullie L. Dozier, Moyock.
John H. Farris, Marshall.

SECTION 4.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The following casualties are reported by the Commanding General of the American Expeditionary Forces:

- Wounded (degree undetermined) 257
- Wounded slightly 213
- Total 470

NORTH CAROLINA CASUALTIES Wounded (Degree Undetermined)
Bunnie Lunsford, Timberlake.
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WESLEY BIBLE CLASS MEETS

The Friendship Wesley Bible class will hold its regular monthly meeting with Mrs. Leathorn at the home of her mother, Mrs. Harrell, on Ehringhaus street.

All members are urged to be present.

FOR SALE

I will receive bids until Monday, February 24th at 12 o'clock M., for the purchase of one N. C. State bond for \$1,000.00 due July 1st 1923 and one bond for \$500.00 due July 1st 1920. Both bonds draw 4 per cent interest payable semi-annual.

C. E. KRAMER, Est.
Estate Mrs. Mary Whitcomb.
F. 11, 13, 15, 18, 20, 22 npd.

John R. Kilby, cashier of the First and Citizens National Bank, returned today from Orange County, Virginia, where he has been with Mrs. Kilby who is kept at home by the serious illness of her father.

Mrs. and Mrs. Bert Davis spent the week-end at Norfolk, the guests of Mrs. Davis' sister, Mrs. A. F. Mercer on Stafford street.

JAP ATTITUDE IS GRAVE THREAT

Nippon Forbids Chinese Delegates at Peace Conference To Make Public Secret Treaties Between Their Country And Japan at Peril Of War

(By Associated Press)
Washington, Feb. 11.—Japan's attitude toward China in the Peace Conference is arousing grave apprehensions among the representatives of other associated powers, according to official diplomatic information reaching here.

Japan virtually has threatened war if China makes public the secret treaties between the two countries and fails to carry out her agreement to make Japan the successor of Germany in rights and properties held by Germany at the outbreak of the European war.

China is relying on the Peace Conference, where her representatives are said to have made an excellent impression. She is seeking the support of the United States and Great Britain.

When the Chinese delegates to the Peace Conference arrived in Paris, information now available discloses, they reported that their copies of the secret treaties between China and Japan were stolen from their baggage while they were passing through Japan and that consequently they are unable to carry out their intention of making these treaties public at the Conference.

TANK STEAMER TAKING WATER

(By Associated Press)
Halifax, Feb. 11.—Wireless calls say that the American tank steamer J. M. Guffey, is taking water in her forehold and sending out distress signals have been intercepted here. The vessel's position is given as off Cape Race.

HAVE VALENTINE SOCIAL

The ladies of City Road Church will have a Valentine Social Friday night in the annex of the church. An interesting and amusing program has been prepared. Ice cream, donuts, and pies will be served. A silver offering will be taken at the door and the public is invited to attend, get a valentine and spend a pleasant evening.