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WEATHER
Fair tonight and Wednesday.
Warmer tonight in interior, moderate northeast winds on the coast.

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WORKERS OUT FOR SUBSCRIPTIONS TO VICTORY LIBERTY LOAN

Fifth Loan Launched Under Favorable Auspices And It Is Hoped Can Be Put Over During This Week And Next

The Victory Liberty Loan was launched Monday afternoon at four o'clock when the Liberty Loan parade began to move from Pennsylvania Avenue.

The popular impression that the public would be disposed to show apathy to the fifth loan, now that actual fighting has ceased, was belied by the crowd, especially of country people, that lined the streets to view the parade. With nothing in the way of speakers or program beyond the parade to attract, the crowd in town and on the streets seemed fully equal to any that has turned out on the occasion of previous Liberty Loan events.

The first prize was won by Mrs. W. P. Duff, the second prize by Mrs. P. G. Sawyer. No third prize was given because there were not enough floats competing.

No active canvass for subscriptions was made yesterday but there was a considerable number who voluntarily went to the banks and entered their subscriptions. The first and one of the two largest subscriptions going through the First & Citizens National Bank was one for ten thousand dollars, made by the Manhattan Life Insurance Company of New York, through Max L. Sanderlin, Manager for the Southeastern Department and J. V. Whitehurst, General Agent.

The Manhattan Life also subscribed ten thousand dollars to the Fourth Liberty Loan through their representatives here thus helping both the bank and the county to reach their allotment of Liberty Bonds.

Tuesday morning Harry G. Kramer, District Chairman, turned over to Committeemen Gilbert, Johnson and Houtz for the Savings Bank and Trust Company on its own account a subscription of twenty-five thousand dollars. At the same time Mr. P. H. Williams, President of the Bank, handed the same committee his personal subscription for five thousand dollars. The first Victory Loan subscriber at the Savings Bank was Herbert Peele and the second, V. E. Gregory. J. W. Walston through the Savings Bank and Trust Company made the first subscription reported from Camden county.

The Victory Loan workers on Tuesday morning began their active house to house canvass for subscriptions and encouraging progress was reported about noon. The same plan used so successfully in the Fourth Liberty Loan is being used and Chairman Duff and his corps of helpers are very anxious that the county shall be put over the top and the campaign wound up this year within the first two weeks.

HOUSEWIVES MEET WEDNESDAY P. M.

Miss Mercie Albertson, Home Demonstrator, Will Speak And A Most Interesting Meeting is Promised

The Housewives League will meet Wednesday afternoon at four-thirty in the Rest Rooms in the Hinton Building.

Miss Mercie Albertson, Home Demonstration Agent for Pasquotank County, will speak to the ladies at this meeting on important phases of home economics and the meeting promises to be the most interesting and most helpful one yet held.

It is very much hoped that all members will be present, and that as many new members as possible will be there also.

MARTIAL LAW IN NORTHERN BOMBAY

(By Associated Press)
Simla, India, April 22.—Martial law has been proclaimed in the Gujerat district.

Gujerat is in the northern part of Bombay and has a population of about nine millions.

OPTIMISM IN LOAN REPORTS

(By Associated Press)
Washington, April 22.—A distinctive tone of optimism distinguished the scores of telegrams which arrived at the treasury this morning, according to an official review of the opening of the Liberty Loan campaign.

ITALIAN PARLIAMENT POSTPONED TILL MAY

(By Associated Press)
Rome, April 21.—The convocation of the Italian parliament has been postponed till May 6th, it is announced here.

W. P. Hedrick of Raleigh has accepted a position as pharmacist in the Standard Pharmacy.

WANTED — A COMPETENT MECHANIC to act as foreman of carpenter crew at Buffalo City, Dare County. Apply to Dare Lumber Co. A-22-2t

WARD TEAM DEFEATS HIGH SCHOOL BOYS

Did you hear the noise at the baseball game last night? when the High School boys played the strong Third and Fourth Ward team, the youngsters tried the best to talk the older heads into losing the game to them. The High School boys lost their pep when they were in the field and were unable to back up the excellent pitching that Theodore Stowe handed to the Ward boys.

The box score below give an insight into the way the game went.

High School				
	Ab.	R.	H.	E.
A. Jones, L.F.	5	0	0	0
Holloman, 2nd	5	0	1	0
McCall, 3rd	5	1	2	2
Lowery, S.S.	5	3	1	2
Gregson, R.F.	4	1	0	0
Jennings, C.F.	4	0	0	0
Quinn, 1st	4	0	1	2
C. Jones, C.	5	1	2	1
Stowe, P.	4	0	0	0

Third and Fourth Ward

Third and Fourth Ward				
	Ab.	R.	H.	E.
E. Weatherly, R.F.	6	0	1	0
W. Weatherly, C.F.	6	0	1	0
Twiddy, 3rd	5	2	0	0
Henderson, C.	5	1	2	0
Beveridge, L.F.	6	2	3	0
Crosey, P.	5	3	2	0
Williams, 1st	5	3	2	0
Bundy, S.S.	5	3	1	1
Raper, 2nd	5	2	0	1
	16	12	3	

COAST GUARD MEN ENTER-TAINED

The Coast Guard men who patriotically came to Elizabeth City and participated in the parade Monday were entertained Monday night, first at the Alkrama, and then at Scott and Twiddy's. Each man was told to bring his friend, sweetheart or wife along. Dr. B. C. Hening made a short speech on the Victory Loan at the Alkrama.

At the supper after the show Captain Chadwick and Captain Hite addressed the men, both speaking in high terms of their fine spirit and able work, and of the splendid addition to the parade which their floats made.

BRAVALDO—WHITEHURST

Geo. R. Bravaldo and Miss Eva P. Whitehurst, both of Norfolk, were married here Monday.

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GERMANS READY FOR ELECTION

Arrangements Made For Immediate Plebiscite on Peace Terms Which Can Be Completed in 48 Hours

Berlin, April 22.—Election equipment is in readiness for an immediate plebiscite on the peace terms which can be completed thruout Germany in 48 hours, according to information here.

It is declared that the cabinet wishes to avoid the responsibility of either refusing or accepting the terms and the plebiscite it is believed will almost certainly result in the refusal to accept the peace terms because the people will overlook the consequences of such acts as the maintenance of a blockade, the stoppage of food importations and accompanying evils which may be expected in view of their reluctance to sanction harsh terms.

SOVIET GOVT. NOW IN TURKEY

Paris, April 22.—A revolution has occurred in Turkey and a soviet government has been declared.

The revolutionary committee is established at Constantinople, according to a telegram from Kiev quoting the Bolshevik representative at Odessa who says that Turkish consuls there has received official announcement of the government change.

CHAOS REIGNS IN BUDAPEST

Hungarian Government Resigns Under Pressure of Rumanian Troops Says Dispatch

Amsterdam, April 22.—The Hungarian government headed by Bela Kun has resigned under the pressure of the Rumanian troops, according to a dispatch to the Central News from Vienna quoting reports received there by aerial mail from Budapest.

Wild chaos is said to prevail at Budapest. It is reported that Czech troops have joined the Rumanians and have defeated the Hungarian soviet troops.

WAS EXPECTED SUNDAY

Budapest, April 20.—The downfall of the Hungarian soviet government is expected here as the result of the desertion of thirty thousand troops to the Rumanians and new movements against Hungary by the Czech-Slovaks.

Columbus Baum of the Coast Guard Station at Kitty Hawk was in the city Monday to participate in the Victory Loan parade.

RUSSIAN SOLDIERS PROTECT HOMES

Wearing No Uniforms These Unique Fighters Are Being Recognized As Foundation of State

With the Americans on North Russian Front, Feb. 8. (Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—In this international army which is fighting numerically superior Bolshevik forces in North Russia there are, mingled with the half dozen or so varieties of uniforms, men who wear no uniforms at all. They fight, as did the franc-tireurs in the Franco-Prussian war and the first minute men of the American revolution, for the protection of their firesides.

They are peasants, bearded or beardless, with nothing to distinguish them from the thousands of other peasants living around them but their guns and cartridge belts. They are the irregular or "partisan" troops and the sentiments they are showing and fighting for in this wilderness of snow and pine trees loom up so patriotically that the government of Northern Russia is beginning to look upon them as the keystone on which to build a Russian state that will be free from Bolshevism.

These peasants have known the ravages of Bolshevik troops in their villages. They have seen friends executed for anti-Bolshevik activities. They hail the Allies as rescuers. In nearly every attack the regular troops make against the enemy onslaughts these armed partisans, crack shots, going ahead of or along the flanks of the Americans, British, French and trained, uniformed Russians to scout a path or take a pot shot at the enemy.

The point of view of these peasants is this: "The army has not yet been organized; we are robbed and ill-treated by the Bolsheviks; therefore we have to defend ourselves." The peasants in the Kholmogory district, along the Dwina river, have been fighting for four months. Military authorities say they do their work as cheerfully and efficiently as regular soldiers. The Red Guard are helpless against the revolted population.

The appearance of peasants fighting voluntarily against Trotsky's forces has a demoralizing effect upon the Bolsheviks as it disabuses the minds of some of them of the theory that they are being opposed only by "imperialists."

The partisans know that if they are captured they will be shot. But, knowing the forest country as city dwellers know their own streets, they are seldom captured. In scouting they are as tireless as wild animals.

The government of the North for a long time did nothing to help the partisans, but, now that their usefulness is recognized, they and their families are provisioned as if they were regular soldiers. In December a big delegation of partisans went to Archangel and, according to the local newspapers, "this new apparition stirred up all the classes of population of the town."

It became clear that a sound evolution from anarchy toward patriotism had taken place among the people, that the efforts of the partisans,

FUNERAL J. P. OVERMAN

The funeral of Mr. J. P. Overman was conducted Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock at the First Methodist church, Rev. J. M. Ormond, pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. Geo. F. Hill of Christ church, officiating. Interment was made in the Episcopal cemetery.

Mr. Overman died Monday morning at two o'clock at his home on East Church street. He had been in failing health for a number of years; but it was not until midnight Saturday that his illness took the sudden and serious turn which resulted in his death.

Mr. Overman was one of the most prominent men of the county and at one time one of the most active. Educated at the University of North Carolina, he was at the age of thirty-five elected Clerk of the Superior Court of this county, an office which he held for sixteen years. Following his long term in that office, he became assistant postmaster and eight years later was appointed postmaster. After serving as postmaster for Elizabeth City for five years he entered the insurance business and continued in that until his health failed.

For many years a public servant, John P. Overman was known as one of the most courteous officials who ever held office in Pasquotank county. He was also one of the most public spirited of citizens and as long as he was in active life no worthy cause failed to enlist his interest or to command his hearty support.

Mr. Overman married first Miss Speight of Hertford, and after her death Miss Anna Pool of this city, who still survives him. There are two sons, Harold Overman of this city and John Overman of New Bern, of the first union and one son, Victor Overman of this city, of the second.

CHAUTAQUA HERE ON FRIDAY 13TH.

Elizabeth City's Seven Joyous Days, Chautauqua Week, began this year on Friday, June 13th.

It is hoped that the purchasers of season tickets this year will buy early just to show that they are not superstitious.

SITUATION IN BAVARIA IMPROVES

(By Associated Press)
London, April 22.—The military situation in Bavaria is improving, according to an announcement by the Hoffman ministry.

The Spartacists who took Dachau, ten miles northwest of Munich by violating the armistice with government troops have been repulsed and the government forces are now holding the place. Reinforcements are moving toward Munich from Ingolstadt, it is said.

WEATHER AGAIN UNFAVORABLE

(By Associated Press)
St. Johns, April 22.—Weather conditions were again unfavorable today for a start on the proposed trans-Atlantic flights by Hawker and Rayham. Fog and rain prevailed here and reports from the mid-Atlantic indicated continued unsettled conditions.

HOME FOR SALE—ON N. ELLIOTT Street, owned and occupied by J. M. Atwater. The property is a bargain for any one looking for a nicely located home. See N. R. Parker & Son. A 22-1f

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though of a local character, must be supported, and that it was absolutely necessary to create a suitable atmosphere for further organization of partisan detachments. A big committee including all political parties has been formed in Archangel to aid in this plan and a new partisan newspaper is to be published for the benefit of the fighting peasants.

SUBJECT TODAY IS JAPANESE

Council of Four in Conference. Wilson Will Take no Action Conflicting With League Of Nations

Paris, April 22.—Premier Orlando of Italy was absent this morning when deliberations were resumed at the Paris White House. Wilson, Clemenceau and Lloyd George were present.

The President and two premiers went again into the Japanese questions presented by Baron Makino and Viscount Chinda which were taken up when the deadlock over the Adriatic question was reached yesterday.

Discussion of the peace terms by the Versailles Congress after the Germans are called in will not be continued longer than May 15th, the Echo de Paris declares today.

The Germans will be required to sign the peace conditions only to ratification by their government, the Allies not consenting that these conditions shall be submitted to German popular vote.

WASHINGTON GETS CABLE

Washington, April 22.—Administration officials were advised in a confidential cablegram from Paris today that in consideration of the problems confronting the Peace Conference, such as Italy's Adriatic claim and the question of an alliance to protect France from future aggression, President Wilson would take no action which might in the slightest degree jeopardize the League of Nations or conflict with its fundamental principles.

COVENANT RECEIVED

The complete text of the revised covenant of the League of Nations was received at the State Department today by cable from Paris.

Acting Secretary Polk has asked President Wilson for directions concerning the publication of the document.

No instructions have been received but it is assumed here that the covenant will be made public upon delivery of the peace treaty to the Germans.

WELFARE CONVENTION HERE MAY FIRST

On Thursday, May 1st, a County Convention of Religious and Welfare workers will be held in the Y.M.C.A. here, to which religious and welfare workers from all parts of the county and a number from the town are invited.

The meeting will begin at 8:30 and last until 5 o'clock with an hour and a half for luncheon.

These conventions are being held thruout the entire South for the purpose of considering after the war problems.

HORSE MEAT MARKET DULL

Pierre, S. D., April 21.—A corporation to dispose of light animals to European dealers in horse meat has been formed by South Dakota horse dealers.

For many years light horses have been of little value to South Dakota ranchers. The plan is said to have been discussed at Washington as one means of providing the poorer classes in continental Europe with meat. Those behind the corporation say the American market has shown little interest in the horse meat industry.

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