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# The Daily Advance

WEATHER

Local thundershowers this afternoon, generally fair tonight and Saturday, mild temperature, moderate west winds.

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## RATIFICATION NOT SUFFICIENT

### New German Constitution Provides For Ratification By States Which Lose Territory

(By Associated Press)

Paris, July 11.—Ratification of the Treaty of Peace by the German National Assembly at Weimar may be held not to be sufficient, according to the Petit Parisien.

The new German constitution provides that in cases where territory is ceded ratification of the Treaty by the states which lose territory is necessary in addition to the approval by the central government.

Consequently independent action by Bavaria for the Sarre basin, and of Prussia for territory restored to Poland may be required.

## CUBS VS. SCOTTSVILLE A. A.

The Elizabeth City Cubs will play the Scottsville Athletic Association ball team at the West Main Street ball grounds Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock p. m. The Scottsville team is very fast, having shut out the Portsmouth Giants 1 to 0 last Saturday and will no doubt put up a good game here.

## FLAG SERVICE ON SUNDAY NIGHT

An interesting Flag Service will be held at Blackwell Memorial Baptist church Sunday night. Those who had members of the family in service are expected to take their service flags. These will be deposited on the table and will be preserved by the church as record of service in the late war.

## FIRELESS COOKERS AT MELICK'S NOW

The P. W. Melick Company now has in stock the celebrated Domestic Science Fireless Cooker, and housewives who have been seeking a way to save work and worry will be much interested in seeing these demonstrated. They are inexpensive, too, considering the amount of fuel saved in a short time.—adv.

## SIFF'S SALE GOES ON ANOTHER WEEK

The sale at the S. R. Siff Store continues most successfully and will last another week. Bargains are getting the attention of shoppers with their low prices and high values. Saturday will be a banner day and some amazing values will be sacrificed for a mere song, says Mr. Siff.

## HOLDS RESPONSIBLE POSITION

E. Fleetwood Dunstan is now employed in the bond department of the Mercantile Trust and Deposit Company of Baltimore, the largest financial institution in the South.

## MEETS MONDAY

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church will meet in the annex of the church on Monday afternoon at five o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

## GUEST OF BROTHER

Mrs. T. A. Smithwick of Merry Hill is in the city the guest of her brother, Dr. F. G. Jacobs.

## VISITING AT SPEEDS

Mrs. J. T. Stallings and little son James are visiting Mr. Stallings' sister at Speeds.

Will pay five cents each for the first three copies of The Daily Advance of Thursday, May 29. The Advance Office.

Mrs. A. S. Mann and children left Friday for Nags Head to spend the summer.

Misses Jessie Hedrick and Nellie Pappendick left Friday to spend ten days at Virginia Beach.

## DERRICKSON—SPEARMAN

### Miss Frances Elizabeth Derrickson Bride of Mr. Roy Johnston Spearman in Beautiful Church Wedding

At eight o'clock Thursday evening, in the First Methodist Church of this city, Miss Frances Elizabeth Derrickson was wedded to Mr. Roy Johnston Spearman, the Rev. J. M. Ormond officiating. The Church in its simple but tasteful decorations of green and white was an appropriate setting for the happy event.

Mrs. I. M. Meekins rendered the wedding march, and just prior to the arrival of the wedding party Mr. Harold Foreman sang "I Love You."

The bride, since her earliest childhood, has been conspicuous for her unusual beauty and personal charm. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Derrickson, of this city. She entered the church with her father. Her wedding gown was of satin foundation and tulle, trimmed with pearls and on her arm she carried a shower of white roses and snapdragons. Her Matrons of Honor were Mrs. C. W. Hollowell, sister of the bride, of Elizabeth City, and Mrs. Banks Arendell, of Raleigh, both attired in orchid organdies and carrying pink roses. Miss Margaret Griggs was maid of honor. She wore pale green organdy and her flowers consisted of a shower of snapdragons. The other attendants of the bride were Miss Marie Martin, of Dover, Del.; Miss Spearman, of Lynchburg, Va.; Miss Nellie Grice and Miss Margaret Foreman of Elizabeth City. Their costumes were of pale pink organdy with shower bouquets of yellow roses and sweet peas. The hats of the bride's attendants were of pleasing harmony, and their entire costume most attractive.

The groom's best man was Mr. Garland Alderman, of Greensboro, and the groomsmen were Mr. Walter Derrickson, of Elizabeth City; Mr. Allan Spearman, of Louisville, Kentucky; Mr. Blair, of Lynchburg, Va. and Mr. Vaughan, of Lynchburg, Va. At nine o'clock, at the residence of the bride's parents on Main street, the bridal party and immediate friends were tendered an elaborate reception. Mr. and Mrs. Spearman leaving at half past ten on their bridal tour. They will reside at Lynchburg, Va.

Mr. Spearman stands high in social and business circles of Lynchburg, and during his visits here has made many lasting friends. The wedding gifts were numerous and exceedingly handsome.

## DESIGNER MAKES NEW AIR MEDAL

Rome, June 12. (Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—Dora Ohlfsen, designer of the Anzac medal has produced in her Rome studio, a new medal dedicated to the American air force. The face side consists of the head of an American aviator, the model for which had served in the American air force operating on Italy's fronts, surrounded by an allegorical design symbolical of America's will and power.

The reverse side of the medal is symbolical of the task America accomplished in transporting her fighting forces across the seas and bearing an inscription taken from President Wilson's message to Congress which reads:

"There is therefore but on response possible for us: Force, force to the utmost; force, without stint or limit, the righteous and triumphant force which shall make right the law of the world, and case every selfish dominion down in the dust."

Miss Ohlfsen is an Australian.

## WOODEN STEAMERS LARGE AND CLUMSY

Stockholm, June 15. (Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—Another American wooden steamer, has arrived at Gothenburg and is offered for sale to the Swedish shippers. The Americans have expected this type of vessels to be especially suitable for the Baltic but the Swedish experts find them much too large and clumsy.

## SOMETHING NEW. See our Boys Tropical Weight Suits. Sizes run from 9 to 19. Our Special Price is \$8.95 for Saturday only. Don't miss this opportunity. T. T. TURNER & Company.

## MISGIVINGS HAVE BEEN DISPELLED

### Commission of American Cotton Men Visit England In Regard to Cotton Conference in New Orleans

London, June 10. (Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—Misgivings Lancashire cotton men had regarding the World Cotton Conference to be held in New Orleans in October have been pretty well dispelled by the commission of American cotton men which has visited this country. At first the Lancashire people could not see any reason for having a conference at that time and no reason at all for holding it in America. It seemed for a time that there would be no delegates from the various organizations in England.

The Americans have pointed out to the British that as the world relies mainly on American cotton most of the problems of hauling it arise there and it would be a good thing to discuss them on the spot. They also maintained that although the Americans were the first concerned the interests of manufacturers and spinners were not inferior to those of merchants and plants.

These arguments have prevailed and Sir Herbert Dixon, chairman of the Fine Cotton Spinners Association has consented to head the delegation. The Liverpool Cotton Association has decided to send delegates and it is virtually assured that the Manchester Chamber of Commerce will do likewise.

It has been suggested at Manchester that British spinners might get along with empire cotton and in this connection James T. Broadbent, one of the members of the Manchester Chamber of Commerce who met the American commission, spoke as follows: "You may just as well get going with the other English-speaking people who helped to safeguard the liberty of the world and let us keep control of the cotton. The question of where it is grown should be only incidental."

## CORBETT AND DOZIER WILL OPEN GROCERY

Mr. J. E. Corbett of this city and Mr. W. D. Dozier of Weeksville are getting ready to open a new grocery store on the corner of Water and Fearing streets, just across from The Advance office.

All this week the work of cleaning up and putting in stock has been going on and they had hoped to be ready for business by Saturday. However, the work is not quite done yet. "We will have some fresh country eggs by Saturday anyway," said Mr. Corbett to a reporter for this newspaper today, and in a few days we will announce our opening."

## BIG SALE OPENS AT BUSY STORE

The Big Sale at the Busy Store, McCabe & Grice, opened this morning. McCabe & Grice's Sales have a reputation for real values that always bring the crowd and the first half day of the sale was a busy one indeed. The store closed at one o'clock this afternoon, but Saturday is expected to be a tremendously busy day. The Sale continues thru next week.

## DIFFICULT TO OBTAIN PASSAGE

Tokio, June 12. (Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—So difficult is it to obtain passage on any steamer for the United States or Canada that advertisements are beginning to appear in the newspapers offering a premium for cabins or berths already reserved. The overcrowding is due to the fact that a large number of Japanese are visiting the United States and Europe and that many foreign residents are visiting their homelands.

## IN AVIATION SERVICE

Chauncey D. Wood who has been visiting here has gone to Belvidere to visit relatives. He was recently released from military service but re-enlisted for another year and will be stationed at Hampton. He is in the aviation service.

## WILSON DOUBTFUL ON DAYLIGHT BILL

### Indicated That President Considering Advisability of Vetoing Repeal by Congress

(By Associated Press)

Washington, July 11.—It was indicated today at the White House that President Wilson is devoting considerable attention to the rider on the agricultural bill repealing the daylight saving law.

The President has before him many petitions, some urging the bill to be repealed and others urging that he veto the action of Congress in repealing the measure.

So far as can be ascertained the President's mind is still open and he is holding himself in readiness to discuss the matter with interested congressmen.

The President is also ready to meet the foreign relations committee either formally or informally and is also ready to confer with senators who may desire to discuss the peace treaty.

## R-34 IS SPEEDING ON ITS JOURNEY

(By Associated Press)

London, July 11.—The British dirigible, R-34, was in direct touch by wireless with Chilton Station at four o'clock this morning. Greenwich time, it gave its position as forty-three degrees and forty minutes, North Latitude, and forty six degree west longitude. The speed of the craft at that time was forty-five knots an hour.

## SINGING CLASS AT SOUTH MILLS

The Odd Fellows Orphanage Singing Class appeared at South Mills Thursday night and won the hearts of a large audience. South Mills gave the class \$63.00.

## LUTHER UPTON LOSES BARN

Mr. Luther Upton of Norfolk lost a modern barn on his farm near the Camden County courthouse Thursday afternoon.

## LIVE LOCALS

Corporal Wiley W. Upton has received his discharge from Camp Lee and returned to this city Thursday.

Mrs. W. W. Sawyer and children, Bessie and William Jr. and Mrs. Rebecca Palmer are spending some time in Norfolk.

Frank Bray, who has received his discharge after twenty five months in the navy has returned home.

Mrs. Ernest Belangia and daughter, Ada, are visiting relatives at Jarvisburg.

Thomas Forbes passed thru the city Thursday en route to his home in Norfolk.

Jesse Mercer arrived home yesterday after twelve months service with the A. E. F.

## CARD OF THANKS

To those who were so generously kind to us in our bereavement and who rendered floral tributes and automobiles as the funeral of our husband and father, W. H. White, July 4th, we are most deeply indebted and extend our most sincere thanks and appreciation.

THE FAMILY.  
MRS. GERTRUDE POOL WHITE,  
MISS ANNIE GERTRUDE WHITE,  
C. POOL WHITE.

16p

## AUTOMOBILE LINE

Leaves Southern Hotel every day at 4 o'clock. Leaves Edenton for Elizabeth City at seven o'clock in the afternoon. Fares will be \$1.50 to Hertford and \$2.00 to Edenton.  
LEVI CRANK,  
Phone 24.

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## CUBS AND PICKED TEAM PLAY A TIE GAME

### Twilight League Apparently Disbanded. Baseball Situation For Coming Months Is Very Uncertain

In a clean and closely-played game yesterday, the Cubs and a picked team made up of players from the three other clubs in the apparently defunct Twilight League, played to a tie score of 4-4, quitting on account of darkness at the end of the seventh inning.

White pitching for the Cubs was fairly effective, but wild, as were both Henderson and Reid of the other team. Cooper who succeeded White in the box for the Cubs, was highly effective during the last four innings of the game.

It appears that the Twilight League has disbanded, due to the withdrawal of the Indians from the League. The Indians took this step, it is said because of the impossibility of getting the players to go out and play with enough regularity. Definite arrangements as to the continuance or disbanding of the League will be made public as soon as they are decided upon. The Cubs are winners of the second series as well as the first, which came to a close some weeks ago, although the Grays for some time held the first place in the League, and were close behind the Cubs when the last series came to a close a few days ago.

## MERCHANTS SMOKER HAS GOOD CROWD

The Merchants Smoker held in the Y. M. C. A. Thursday night was enthusiastic. A good crowd was present, and it was decided to send a representative of the Merchants' organization to the State meeting at Wrightsville.

City Manager Simonds was the first speaker of the evening. Among other things he said that the city ordinances are going to be enforced or taken off the books, the police are coming out in new uniforms soon, there is going to be a regular traffic cop, and there are going to be policemen in the station all night so that they may be called upon at any hour needed.

Mr. Henry of Asheville then made a splendid talk on co-operation, declaring that men and not locations or natural advantages make the city, and illustrating his point with the fact that Michigan City is older and better located than Chicago, but it is Chicago that men have made into a great city.

## WHITE MAN CRUEL TO HIS OWN BOY

Raleigh newspapers the other day carried a police court story of the barbaric cruelty of two negroes to a small colored boy in their employ, but, even more revolting was the case in police court here Friday morning when G. G. Sawyer, a white man, was up for cruelty to his own son, eleven years old. Sawyer was alleged to have tied the child's hands above his head and to have kept him in that position by a rope slung over the rafters for four hours. The last time that he inflicted this form of punishment on the boy, the father told the son that he expected to keep him tied up that way all night, but the boy escaped about ten o'clock in the evening.

Sawyer was fined \$25 and costs by Judge Spence. He took an appeal.

## WOMAN'S WEAR SALE BEGINS SATURDAY

The Sale at the Woman's Wear Store is of especial interest to the fair sex just at this season. The sale begins Saturday and many shoppers are taking advantage of the low prices on quality goods to prepare for their vacation trips. Others are looking ahead and expect to pre-empt high prices that are predicted for fall by buying at this sale.

## SOCIAL FRIDAY NIGHT FOR RETURNED WARRIORS

A social was given in honor of the returned sailors and soldiers by the Blackwell Memorial B. Y. P. U. The amusements of the evening were under the direction of Miss Rose Goodwin and the social was much enjoyed.

## U. S. TO RESUME GERMAN COMMERCE

### Trade Relations Between America And Germany To Be Re-established Immediately

(By Associated Press)

Washington, July 11.—Trade relations between the United States and Germany will be resumed immediately, acting Secretary Polk announced today.

Secretary Polk said that blanket licenses would be issued but that dyes, chemicals and potash would be excepted.

Control over trade in these commodities will be exercised by a reparations commission under the terms of the Peace Treaty.

Formal announcement regarding the resumption of trade relations with Germany is promised within forty eight hours.

## TO BE AMBASSADOR TO WASHINGTON

(By Associated Press)

Copenhagen, July 11.—Maximilian Harden, editor of the Die Zukunft of Berlin, will probably be appointed German Ambassador at Washington as soon as diplomatic relations are restored, says the Fremdenblatt of Hamburg.

## ORDER RESTORED IN CITY OF ROME

(By Associated Press)

Rome, July 11.—Premier Nitti and Foreign Minister Tittoni held a most important meeting at the Foreign Office with leaders of various political parties today. The attitude of the Foreign Minister at the Peace Conference relative to the Italian aspirations was the matter under discussion. The feeling here is that Signor Tittoni will need the support of all parties to master the situation.

## MRS. MOONEY CALLS AT WHITE HOUSE

(By Associated Press)

Washington, July 11.—Mrs. Rena Mooney, wife of Thomas J. Mooney, who is serving sentence after his conviction in connection with the Preparedness Day bomb explosion in San Francisco, called at the White House today and conferred with Secretary Tumulty.

It was understood that she desired to see the President in the interest of her husband.

Secretary Tumulty explained to Mrs. Mooney that the President had done everything that was possible for him to do in the case of her husband.

## GERMANS STOLE FROM U. S. ARMY

### Wholesale Thefts of Food Detected Amount to Loss of Several Million Marks

(By Associated Press)

Coblenz, July 11.—A plot involving wholesale thefts of food, auto tires and other troop supplies for shipment to Germany has been uncovered by army officers here it was learned today when several Germans who are alleged to have had a hand in the plans were arrested.

Three cars of American bacon and three cars of tires and tubes which were billed thru uncoupled Germany as empties were returned to Coblenz today from the edge of Bridgehead. Officers say that shipments under various pretexts have been at Gerneon for weeks and possibly months.

They estimate the loss to the army at several million marks.

Mrs. W. S. Cartwright and children, and Miss Anna Cartwright of Marion, S. C., left Friday for Nags Head to spend some time.