

"MY SON,  
deal with men  
who advertise,  
you will never  
lose by it."  
—Benjamin Franklin.

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## FINAL APPEAL FROM PRESIDENT

### After Miners and Operators Turn Down Secretary Wilson's Proposal

Washington, Oct. 24—A final appeal was made from President Wilson today to prevent the strike of soft coal miners November 1st after the miners and operators meeting jointly with Secretary Wilson turned down two proposals to negotiate a new wage agreement.

The two groups heading the plea of Secretary Wilson agreed to return at four o'clock this afternoon to receive the message which the Secretary hoped to bring from the President.

Washington, Oct. 24—Operators and miners today rejected the proposal of Secretary Wilson that they negotiate a new wage agreement calculated to avert strikes of soft coal miners called for November 1st.

## CONCESSION FOR NAVAL STATION

(By Associated Press)  
London, Oct. 24—It is reported today from Lisbon that Portugal has granted the United States a concession in the Azores for a naval station.

## PRISONERS OF WAR ARE WELL FED AND CLOTHED

(By Associated Press)  
Berlin, Sept. 30 — (Correspondence of the Associated Press)—The prisoners of war returned from England are well fed and clothed, writes C. M. Schmidt from the collection camp at Meschede, where the men concentrate and then are sent to their homes.

They are naturally overjoyed to be at home, their relatives sometimes frantic with joy at having them. The pleasant picture is dulled by only one blot—the independents, Spartacists are already at work trying to win the prisoners to their side and have even placed agents where they can most easily get in touch with the men and preach their unrest and chaos and disorder.

## LABOR OFFICIALS TO MEET SOON

Telegram From Gompers Says Will Consider Industrial Disputes Pending.

(By Associated Press)  
Washington, Oct. 24—A conference of officials of the International Union affiliated with the American Federation of Labor will be held in Washington soon to consider industrial disputes now in progress and impending, according to a telegram from Samuel Gompers today.

## THIRD RED CROSS ROLL CALL

November 2 to 11, 1919

Time to Re-Join

WANTED—SALESLADIES, CAN use five more at once. Good pay to start. F. W. Woolworth Co. oct 23 23 24 npd

## CHARMING HOSTESSES RECEIVE IN HONOR OF BRIDES

Mrs. James G. Fearing, Mrs. L. C. Blades and Mrs. Oliver Gilbert, three of the most charming social leaders of the city, were at home to a large number of friends Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. G. Fearing on West Church street, in honor of the winter brides, Misses Margaret Culpener, Margaret Sheep, Hattie Glover and Shelton Zoeller.

Mrs. Fearing's home in itself is exceptionally attractive in its setting of cannas and other outdoor plants, and the flowers and evergreens were carried on thru porch and into every room in a maze of autumn beauty.

The color note in the porch was crimson and green, with dahlias, ferns, and coleus. Crimson dahlias and ferns were also used in the hall. In reception room, dining room and den golden chrysanthemums were gorgeous in their setting of green. Windows, doors, and columns were festooned with graceful ivy. Magnolia and pine eliminated most architectural lines and made the air as fragrant as the woods.

Their guests were greeted at the front door by Mrs. W. J. Woodley, Mrs. Louis Selig and Mrs. Clennie Hayes.

In the receiving line were Mrs. J. G. Fearing, Mrs. L. C. Blades, Mrs. O. F. Gilbert, Mrs. Harney Jennings, Miss Katherine Hinton, Mrs. Wesley Foreman, Mrs. M. Leigh Sheep, Mrs. Roscoe Foreman, Mrs. Wilson Hollowell, Mrs. C. O. Robinson, Mrs. H. C. Foreman, Mrs. Zenas Fearing, Mrs. Robert Fearing, Mrs. Constant Fearing, Mrs. Isalah Fearing, and the four honorees, Misses Margaret Culpener, Margaret Sheep, Hattie Glover, and Shelton Zoeller.

Mrs. S. H. Johnson, Mrs. Thorburn Bennett, Mrs. Baxter, Miss Mae Seldon and Mrs. W. H. Zoeller ushered the guests into the dining room, where a delicious salad course was served by Mrs. Norman Whitehurst, Mrs. C. C. Parker, Miss Lou Davis, Mrs. Walter Small, Mrs. Pratt Fearing, Misses Susie Stevens, Lillie Mae Stevens, and Fannie McMullan, Mrs. C. B. Williams, and Miss Lydia Williams.

In the hall were Mrs. D. A. Morgan, Mrs. J. T. McCabe, Mrs. T. B. Cooke and Mrs. M. R. Griffin. At the head of the stairway Little Misses Geneva Roane and Willie Fearing played the victrola.

Mrs. J. H. White and Mrs. H. G. Kramer showed the way into the den where ices were served by Mrs. Bessie Stewart, Mrs. W. C. Sawyer, Mrs. F. G. Jacobs, Mrs. W. A. Worth, Mrs. B. L. Banks Jr., Mrs. Brent, Mrs. H. D. Walker, and Miss Margaret Hollowell. Bidding the guests adieu at the terrace door were Mrs. M. L. Sanderlin and Mrs. Clay Foreman.

## MAY EVACUATE SOVIET RUSSIA

London, Oct. 24—The Bolsheviks are considering the evacuation of Soviet Russia it is reported here.

The wireless message says that the plan is for the removal of the cabinet to Tashkend after the abandonment of Moscow and the withdrawal of troops on all fronts to Turkestan.

## ALIEN BILL WAS REJECTED

London, Oct. 24—Members of Lloyd George's cabinet today are considering the situation which has arisen as the result of the averse vote in the House of Commons yesterday when the government's amendment to the Alien Bill was rejected because only about half the members were present when the vote was taken.

It is believed that the government will not resign. The ministerial council under Lord George discussed the political situation this morning and later the entire cabinet assembled.

## MOOSE MEETING TONIGHT

The Loyal Order of Moose will hold their regular meeting tonight at eight o'clock in the Flora Building on Main street. All members and those who have not taken obligations are asked to be present at this meeting.

WANTED BOY OR GIRL FOR office. Leon Sklar, Studio Rooms 23-24, Kramer Building. oct 24/19

## NC-4 WAITING ON WEATHER

(By Associated Press)  
Washington, Oct. 24—The NC-4 is ready to leave Norfolk but will not start until the weather moderates.

## TEA FOR BRIDE ELECT

Mrs. F. M. Grice, Jr., entertained at a delightful tea Thursday afternoon from four to six in honor of her sister, Miss Hattie Glover, whose marriage to Mr. Noah Burfoot, Jr., takes place early next month.

Mrs. Will Newbern received the guests at the door; Mrs. F. M. Grice Jr. and Miss Hattie Glover greeted them and ushered them into the reception rooms. Mrs. W. A. Worth and Mrs. Duckworth Glover presided at the tea tables. Mrs. Ada Lester, Mrs. R. L. Kendrick, Misses Margaret Griggs, Shelton Zoeller, Lillian Whitehurst, Olive Aydtlett, Helen Wood and Ruth Reid served the delicious salad course. Mrs. F. G. Jacobs and Mrs. Pierce Appleby of Norfolk also assisted in receiving the guests.

Crimson roses, scarlet sage and ferns were used in the hall, while the color scheme of pink and green was effectively carried out with roses, chrysanthemums and ferns in one room, and that of white and green by the use of roses and ferns in the other, making altogether a charming autumn bower for the bride-to-be.

About a hundred and twenty-five guests called during the reception hours.

## STORES ITS OILS ACROSS THE RIVER

Texas Company Eliminates Danger of Fire and Yet Has Oil on Tap for Customers in Heart of Business District

Two of the biggest oil tanks in the state of North Carolina are to be erected and ready for use by January 1st on Macheine's island, just across Pasquotank river from Elizabeth City. These two tanks will have a combined capacity of 600,000 gallons and, it is believed, will give the Texas Company ample storage facilities for the sound territory which they supply with the various oils manufactured by the Texas Company.

Foundations for these tanks are already being laid. The tanks themselves are huge stand pipes 43-2 feet in diameter and 34 feet high. They are to stand on a solid foundation of concrete resting on piles driven deep into the marshy soil of the island. Underwater pipes connect these tanks with the company's warehouse at the foot of Fearing street, thus eliminating the danger of storing gasoline and other highly inflammable oils in the business district of the city.

Each tank has a number of compartments thus offering storage for various oils.

## NIKOLAI LENINE IS CAPTURED

(By Associated Press)  
Honolulu, Oct. 24—Nikolai Lenine, Bolshevik Premier of Russia, has been captured by anti-Bolshevik forces, according to a wireless picked up by a ship in the harbor here. The message gave no further details.

## BACK FROM DETROIT

Mrs. C. W. Melick has returned from Detroit where she went as a delegate from Christ church to the Episcopal Convention.

LOST—SMALL SQUARE LOCKET with diamond in front and initials "J.B.F." in back. Reward if returned to Miss Mae Fearing on Riverside Drive.

## SHRINERS HAVE BANQUET TONIGHT

The Elizabeth City Shrine Club will hold its first annual banquet tonight in the Masonic Hall and this promises to be the largest affair of its kind ever held in this section of the state.

Music for the occasion will be furnished by Montaigne's Jazz Orchestra of Norfolk.

On this occasion the various Nobles will have their wives, daughters and sweethearts along to join in the fun with them and a good time is promised all from the invocation by Noble Jimmie Whitehurst to the benediction by Noble Thorburn Bennett. Noble A. B. Houtz will be the toastmaster for the occasion, having gained considerable notoriety in the role last Spring in Wilson. The Shriners' Fezzed Quartette consisting of Louis Siff, Jack Munden, Henry Sharber, and George Wright will render music suitable for the occasion while a novelty "hula-hula" dance will be presented by Noble Latham Cox, garbed in genuine Hawaiian costume. Noble H. D. Walker will be present should any guest have a fainting spell after witnessing this aesthetic dance. A few very humorous anecdotes will be described by Noble C. O. Robinson, who has gained considerable fame as an after dinner raconteur. Dancing will be indulged in after the banquet and the steps will consist of those done in the days of '61 by Noble Charles Grice, days of '82 by Louis Selig, and the modern dances by Noble Eddie Spencer. Noble Willie Overman will also give a few of his own compositions on the piano. It is a known fact that Willie's music sounds like it is original with him.

And in all, the red fez Nobles will have a gala time this evening and many visiting nobles will be present. The hall has been gaily decorated and everyone is waiting for toast master Houtz to say "go."

## RETURNS FROM VISIT

Mrs. P. W. Melick has returned from an extended visit to her son in law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. F. D. Viehe at Binghamton, New York. On her way home she stopped over to see another son in law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. L. S. Blades.

The many friends of Dr. Blades will be glad to hear that he is improving at a Washington Hospital where he has been for an operation and treatment for several months. He plans to get home in time for Thanksgiving Day, at the latest.

## RED CROSS NOTICE

Please take notice that the Annual Meeting of the Elizabeth City Chapter of the American National Red Cross will be held Sunday, October 26th, 1919, at 2.30 P. M. in the Court House for the election of an Executive Committee or Board of Directors, consideration of and action upon reports, and transaction of such other business as may properly come before the Chapter. Each member of the Chapter is earnestly urged to be present.

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

At eleven o'clock Sunday morning, the pastor, Rev. H. K. Williams, will speak from the subject "The Baptists and the Seventy Five Million Dollar Campaign." October 26th has been designated for "The Calling out the Called" and it is earnestly desired that every member of the church make an effort to be present at the morning service. At 7:30 Sunday evening the pastor's subject will be "The Seven Utterances on the Cross."

## VISITING DAUGHTER

Mrs. T. H. B. Gibbs of Lake Landing is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Hathaway, on Matthews street.

Thorburn Bennett, Edward Flora, Aubrey McCabe and Victor Hooper returned from Raleigh Thursday, where they saw the foot ball game between the University and A. and E.

## SUNDAY AFTERNOON AT THE ALKRAMA

Sunday afternoon at the Alkrama Theatre Col. I. M. Meekins will speak upon the League of Nations. The educational department of the Housewives League is sponsor for the lecture.

The public is invited and there will be no admission charges.

## SERVICE IN POLAND FOR LIEUTENANT JOHN WOOD

With the regiment of American troops that sailed from Hoboken for Silesian Poland last week was an Elizabeth City boy.

This boy is Lieutenant John A. Wood, son of J. Q. A. Wood of this city.

When trouble with Mexico seemed imminent several years ago Mr. Wood, a student in a northern university, enlisted in Uncle Sam's regular army and saw service with the regulars first on the Mexican border and later in France.

Lieutenant Wood spent a few days with his parents here in the city recently to bid them good-bye. He does not know how long his regiment will be kept in Poland.

## HAWAIIAN RACE WILL LIKELY BE EXTINCT

Honolulu, T. H., Sept. 27 (Correspondence of the Associated Press)—In the next century the full blood Hawaiian will be extinct, declared former Mayor John C. Lane, in a luncheon address here recently. Mr. Lane is Hawaiian and one of the leaders of his people.

"Among the Hawaiians," added Mr. Lane, the present ratio is 225 deaths yearly in excess of births. On the other hand births of part Hawaiians exceed the deaths by 775 and at this rate in 100 years there should be a new Hawaiian race, a cosmopolitan race.

"When Captain Cook discovered the islands over 140 years ago he estimated the population at over half a million. Today, Mr. Lane said, there are only 22,800 full blooded Hawaiians and 16,000 half Hawaiians.

The Hawaiian Protective Association, said Mr. Lane, has been formed to protect, educate, uplift and rehabilitate the Hawaiian race and the first step is to get the natives back to the soil. He asked for cooperation in getting through Congress a bill to set aside one third of the public land of Hawaii for the remaining natives and their heirs.

## RUSSIA APPEALS TO AMERICAN RED CROSS

Kharkov, Southern Russia, Sept. 5—(Correspondence of the Associated Press)—Medical officers of Denikine's Volunteer Army have appealed to the American Red Cross to aid them in their fight against the swarms of flies that infest the country in general, and the field hospitals in particular, like a pest. The army is without insecticides and has no screening material.

Reports received in this city from Red Cross doctors engaged in a medical survey of the Kremenichou region describe this whole area as swarming with flies, crows, and other birds of carrion. The pests have been attracted by the large masses of decaying material that have been accumulated in the areas recently vacated by the Red armies.

## THOMAS LIPTON SAILS FOR NEW YORK

London, Oct. 24—Sir Thomas Lipton, challenger for the American cup will sail for New York tomorrow to inspect his yacht, Schamrock 4, with which he hopes to win the cup.

## SENATOR MARTIN STILL VERY ILL

Charlottesville, Va. Oct. 24—Senator Martin, Democratic Senate Leader, whose condition was reported critical yesterday, rested fairly well last night and is in no immediate danger. He is still very ill, however and little hope is held for his recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. White, Sr. have gone to Norfolk to visit their son, J. R. White.

## SERBIA WILL SIGN TREATY

Serbia, Like Rumania, Had Failed to Sign on Account Radical Clause

(Special Correspondence by)  
Paris, Oct. 24—Foreign Minister Trumbitch of Serbia who arrived at Paris yesterday brought authorization from the Serbian government to sign the American Peace Treaty. Serbia like Rumania failed to sign the Austrian treaty on account of objections on the part of Jugoslavs to the clause dealing with racial minorities.

## PIERRE LENOIR IS EXECUTED TODAY

(By Associated Press)  
Paris, Oct. 24—Pierre Lenoir, convicted on the charge of having held communication with the enemy, was executed at Sante Prison at seven o'clock this morning.

## RED CROSS NEWS

The cessation of the war, sadly enough, did not at once restore comfort and plenty to bereaved and stricken lands, and the American Red Cross as a sort of "Big Brother to All the World," is having to maintain its overseas activities on a vast scale, and for an indefinite time.

For one thing, all the surplus medical and surgical supplies and the supplementary food stores of the American armies abroad, has been turned over to the Red Cross for the relief programs now being carried out in Poland, the Balkans, Siberia, and other countries.

The American Red Cross, therefore, is obliged to maintain capable medical, nursing and general relief units at suitable points, and to establish under American standards training schools, the graduates of which will be able to carry on the war-stricken lands.

work initiated by the Red Cross in There is also to be considered the distribution of food and clothing among penniless returning refugees—a task that bids fair to last well into the coming year.

Take it all around the Red Cross campaign, known as the Third Roll Call, November 2-11, has this overseas obligation as a most definite objective.

## COSSACKS WOULD HAVE UNITED STATES TOO

Ekaterrinodar, Russia, Sept. 1—By Courier to Paris, Sept. 18—(Correspondence of the Associated Press)—The presidents of the three Cossack states of Terek, Kuban and Don gave a dinner to Americans who recently brought into the Caucasus three trainloads of 103 freight cars in all of American goods consigned to the Red Cross. Each of the three presidents referred to Russia's ambition to become a federation of states patterned after the American union. "The United States of Russia," was a favorite toast.

The supplies are for the hospitals and asylums to the three Cossack states and for the volunteer army.

The territory of the Cossacks particularly the remote regions among the mountains, have been shut off from the world market for the past three years by the Turks on one side and the Bolsheviks on the other.

## HOPKINS—SANDERS

Miss Katie Sanders and Mr. Doctor Hopkins, both of this city, were married Thursday night at nine o'clock at the home of Rev. H. K. Williams on Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins will make their home with the bride's mother, Mrs. M. A. Sanders on Riverside Drive.

Mr. Hopkins came here from New Bern an number of years ago.

R. E. Quinn left this week for the western part of the state, and northern cities, to buy furniture for the R. E. Quinn Company.

J. H. Snowden of Norfolk, formerly of this city, was here Friday.