

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

The Daily Advance

WEATHER

Fair tonight and Saturday, not much change in temperature, moderate northwest to north winds.

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NEXT MOVE IS UP TO ALLIES

And Consideration of New Note To Be Sent to Germany Was Deferred Today

(By Associated Press)
Paris, Feb. 6.—Consideration of the new note, to be sent to Germany as a result of the failure of her representative to transmit to Berlin the list of Germans demanded for extradition was deferred by the Council of Ambassadors today until the arrival tonight from London of Lord Birkenhead and Sir Gordon Hewett, attorney general.

WOULD RISK NEUTRAL TRIBUNAL

Berlin, Feb. 6.—Germany would probably be willing to surrender its nationals, charged with war crimes to be tried by a neutral tribunal, if the Entente will agree, says the National Zeitung.

The Swiss government, the newspaper says, has declared its readiness to arrange such a tribunal.

Triangular Debates By End of March

And Final Contests Will Be Staged at Chapel Hill April 20-24.

Chapel Hill, Feb. 6.—Announcement has been made at the University of North Carolina that the annual High School Week will be held this year at Chapel Hill, April 20-24. At this time several hundred high school girls and boys are expected to be in Chapel Hill to participate in and attend the final contests in the high school debate, the interscholastic track meet, and the interscholastic tennis tournament.

It will be the eighth year that the championships in debating and track have been held at the University and the fifth time for the tennis. All three events are expected to attract more students this year than ever before and extensive preparations are being made for their entrance.

Two hundred and fifty high schools have entered the high school debating union thus far, Secretary Rankin said today, which approaches the largest number the union has ever had. In 1916 there were 325 schools and in 1917, 331 schools, and Secretary Rankin expects the total this year to run up nearly as high. The final debates all over the State will be held toward the end of March. Each school will have two teams, one affirmative and one negative, and those schools winning both debates will send their debaters to Chapel Hill for the final elimination contests and the championship debate for the Aycock Memorial Cup. The subject this year is restricted immigration.

Three thousand copies of a hundred-page bulletin are being distributed now to the schools in the union. It contains a great deal of information on the general subject of immigration, outlines for debate, arguments on both sides, and references to other sources of information.

Sunday afternoon, February 1st, Paul John Weaver, Professor of Music at the University of North Carolina gave a piano recital as the first of a series of music hours which will be held on the first Sunday of each month this spring under the auspices of the Community Club and the University Department of Music. Professor Weaver's program consisted of numbers from Grieg, Chopin, Debussy, Cyril Scott and Rachmaninoff. A large audience of students and members of the faculty filled Gerard Hall to overflowing and listened with eagerness and delight to the music.

KING NICHOLAS NOW IS PLANNING COUP

(By Associated Press)
Paris, Feb. 6.—King Nicholas who remained at the head of the Royal Montenegrin government in spite of the fact that he was ousted by the National Assembly of that country, is understood to be in Albania preparing for a coup which may restore him to the throne.

LABOR WILL WAGE AGGRESSIVE CAMPAIGN

Washington, Feb. 6.—Plans for the most aggressive and general political campaign ever waged by the American Federation of Labor were formulated at the meeting here today of a general committee composed of the Executive Council and heads of all departments of the Federation.

A. J. BAILEY DEAD

A. J. Bailey died Friday morning at 10:30 at the age of seventy-eight years.

Mr. Bailey had been keeper of the County Home for the past five years. He is survived by three daughters, and four sons. The daughters are Mrs. Alice Madrin, Mrs. Gertrude Haskett, Mrs. A. C. Garrett, all of this city. The sons are George Bailey of Norfolk; Reuben, Harry and Claude Bailey, of this city.

The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon. Arrangements have not yet been made in detail.

NEW ARMY PLAN OF ALLOCATION

Men From Same Section Will Hereafter Be Assigned to Same Unit Under This System.

(By Associated Press)
Washington, Feb. 6.—To stimulate regular army recruiting and arouse local interest, the War Department has issued to all recruiting officers over the country a schedule for allocation of recruits by states to specific regiments. Through this method of distribution, officials believe each state will take a personal interest in the regiments to which its men are assigned.

The framework of a divisional organization on geographical lines is also set up. New England will make up one division, New York compose another, and similarly the whole country is covered.

Infantry and field artillery regiments will be so allocated as to best identify each regiment with a separate state, according to the plan. Where the number of regiments is greater or less than the number of states comprising the divisional area, a regiment may be made up of recruits from more than one state.

The regiments to which recruits from each state will go are as follows:

South Carolina, Florida, Mississippi, Georgia and Alabama infantry go to 5th Division regiments, Camp Gordon; field artillery to the 20th and 21st, Camp Bragg; engineers to the 56th, Camp Jackson, S. C., and cavalry to the 6th, Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.

Virginia Infantry recruits will be sent to the 62nd regiment, Camp Lee, Va.; Maryland, Delaware and District of Columbia to 17th, Camp Meade, Md.; field artillery from these three states and the district to 19th, Camp Bragg, N. C.; coast artillery, 53rd, Camp Eustis, Va.; and cavalry 12th, Columbus, N. Mex.

Infantry, field artillery and engineer recruits from North Carolina, Tennessee, W. Va., and Kentucky will join regiments of the 1st division, Camp Taylor, Ky.; coast artillery to 51st, Camp Jackson, S. C.; cavalry to 5th, Marfa, Tex.

REPORT SMALL POX IN VERA CRUZ STATE

(By Associated Press)
Mexico City, Feb. 6.—Travellers from the earthquake district in Vera Cruz state report the outbreak of smallpox and other diseases among the survivors of the January 3rd. calamity.

The government is rushing preventive measures to forestall the disastrous plague there.

RETURNS FROM FLORIDA

Max L. Sanderlin returned from Florida Thursday, where he has been on a business trip in the interest of the Manhattan Life Insurance Company. Mr. Sanderlin reports business on the boom in Florida.

PNEUMONIA WEATHER

At the first sign of that bad cold get a 30c jar of Rex Croup and Cold Salve at the City Drug Store and rub your throat, chest and neck well each night.

A small portion of Rex melted in a spoon and, taken internally at bed time will forestall that bothersome hacking cough. Be sure to rub the baby good with the salve to prevent dangerous complications arriving from a slight cold. The City Drug Store will return your money if this preparation fails to meet every claim made for it by its makers. It is certainly a meritorious formula and is now being used in large quantities by Elizabeth City people with the most satisfactory results. It contains Menthol Eucalyptol and healing balms which are vaporized by the heat of the body.

Phone the City Drug Store on Water Street and get a jar today.

PRINCESS ANNE GOES AGROUND

Old Dominion Steamer From Norfolk to New York Suffered in Storm

(By Associated Press)
New York, Feb. 6.—The steamship Princess Anne, of the Old Dominion line, carrying 32 passengers and a crew of 72 from Norfolk to New York went aground one mile from Rockaway Point on Long Island in the heavy storm this morning.

The Princess Anne sent wireless calls for assistance, reporting that she was not in immediate danger of breaking up but asked to be taken off by tugs.

PASSENGERS TO BE TAKEN OFF
New York, Feb. 6.—Later reports from the Princess Anne were that she was taking water rapidly and the captain requested that the passengers and crew be taken off before night.

ONE MAN LISTS 7 MILLIONS

Raleigh, Feb. 6.—Substantiating the faith of those who believe the Revaluation Act will uncover a large amount of intangible property there has come to the headquarters of the State Tax Commission the report that one man has just listed seven million dollars worth of intangible personal property. This represents the property of an individual who listed for himself and not a corporation.

By way of illustration of the good results of the Revaluation Act the Tax Commission calls attention to the fact that this seven million dollar by one individual "was a greater sum than was listed by owners of intangible personal property by the State last year. It is greater than the total value of all property, real, personal and corporate, tangible and intangible listed in sixty-eight of the one hundred counties last year, and is a greater sum than the assessed value of all real property listed in eight counties last year."

SUNDAY SERVICES IN CITY CHURCHES

All Denominations In Picture City Invite Townsfolk And Visitors to Go to Church Sunday

Following are the announcements of Sunday services in the various churches of the city:

BLACKWELL MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Dr. Geo. W. Clarke, the pastor, will preach Sunday morning from the subject "America's Samaritans," and in the evening at 7:30 from the subject "Some Hard Doctrines Simplified." Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., E. F. Aydtlett, Superintendent.

Junior B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m., Senior B. Y. P. U. at 6:45 p. m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. J. M. Ormond who has been preaching to the young women of Lonsburg College this week will return Saturday and fill his Sunday appointments.

His morning subject at eleven will be "The Birth of Jesus." His evening subject at 7:30 will be "The Good Samaritan."

The public is cordially invited to attend all services.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

H. K. Williams, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., S. G. Scott, Superintendent. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor. The morning theme: "The Sad Farewell of Rejected Love." The night theme: "Heaven." Special music at both hours, morning and evening.

The B. Y. P. U. meets at 6:30 Sunday evening. The mid-week prayer meeting at 7:30 Wednesday evening. The Teacher Training Class at six o'clock Wednesday. There were fourteen present last night for all that the weather was inclement.

The public is most cordially invited to attend all these services.

PREMIER CONFERS WITH PARTY LEADERS

Berlin, Feb. 6.—Premier R. Bauer in conference with party leaders tomorrow will probably determine whether the National Assembly will be called to consider the extradition situation.

BELIEVES MAN IS INNOCENT

Governor Listens to Plea of Woman Lawyer Who Wins Full Pardon For Client

Raleigh, Feb. 6.—Mrs Lillian Fry, attorney of Bryson City, came to Raleigh Thursday and pleaded with Governor Bickett for the pardon of Levi J. Caylor, Swain County man, serving a three year sentence in the State's Prison for larceny, and won out, a full pardon being granted.

Taylor was convicted at the July term 1919, for larceny of lumber. His pardon is effective as of February 3. Concerning the pardon the governor says:

"There is filed with me a petition for the pardon of this man, signed by about eleven hundred citizens of Swain County. Every juror who tried the case asks for the pardon of the prisoner, upon the fact that they fear that they reached a wrong conclusion and caused an innocent man to suffer, and for that reason they say 'we most sincerely request the pardon of Mr. Caylor.' The petition is signed by every official in Swain County. The senator of the District writes me a most earnest letter, setting forth his supreme faith in the innocence of this man. In addition to the general petition, I have personal letters from a very large number of the very best citizens of the county, setting forth their belief that an innocent man has been convicted. An uncle of the prosecutor writes me a very powerful letter in behalf of the prisoner, in which he says that the prisoner has, all his life, born a good reputation, while the prosecutor who is a nephew of his, had the reputation of being a very bad man who would do anything to accomplish his purposes.

"No counter petition has been filed, the only opposition being a letter from an attorney who is employed by the prosecutor. There appeared before me in person, in behalf of the prisoner, Mrs. Lillian Fry, attorney at law, of Bryson City and presented the case of the prisoner with such convincing force that if I allowed him to stay in the penitentiary I could not sleep at night. I need a little sleep and a full pardon is granted."

"RELIEF DAY" IN ALL CHURCHES ON SUNDAY

Pastors Asked to Tell of Needs And Suffering in Near East

Stirred by reports from abroad which paint a sad picture of the plight of the remnants of the Armenian people and the need of prompt relief, pastors all over North Carolina, on Sunday, February 8, will voice the appeal of the Near East Relief for the starving and freezing hundreds of thousands who must inevitably perish unless America heeds the call for help.

Pulpits all over the land, of every creed and denomination, will echo the appeal. It is to be "Near East Relief Day" in the churches, and there will be special services and collections.

The pastors in these churches have been supplied with first-hand information of heart-rending present conditions in Armenia from such a keen and matter-of-fact observer as Col. William N. Haskell, High Commissioner of the Allied Powers in the Caucasus and special representative of the Near East Relief in Armenia. His reports show imperative necessity of immediate relief in the remnants of this historic people—the first Christian nation known to history—are to be saved from utter extinction.

Information collected by Near East Relief workers in hundreds of the centers where the starving and freezing people are being cared for has been sent to clergymen from the Near East Relief. The sad plight of the 250,000 and the thousands upon thousands of girls and young women freed from Moslem harems and slave tents, who must be led into a brighter future, will be the theme of thousands of sermons.

Swiss to Follow Dutch Precedent

(By Associated Press)
Geneva, Feb. 6.—The Swiss federal authorities it is reported will follow the precedent set by Holland in dealing with the demands from the Allies for extradition of Germans who are in Switzerland.

Former Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria as well as several minor officers on the extradition list are now here.

20,000 FOR TREATY

AURELIA H. REINHARDT



WASHINGTON—Armed with a huge roll of signatures of 20,000 California women, Petitioner Aurelia H. Reinhardt, president of Mills College, Oakland, Cal., is in Washington to ask from Congress the immediate ratification of the peace treaty including the covenant of the League of Nations.

CAPT. R. C. OWENS DEAD

The body of Capt. R. C. Owens will be brought here Saturday morning at 11:25 from Norfolk where his death occurred Wednesday night at seven o'clock. The funeral will be conducted at two o'clock Saturday afternoon by Rev. J. W. Bradley from the residence of his mother, Mrs. G. W. Owens at 903 Southern Avenue.

Capt. Owens was 44 years old and had been ill three weeks with pneumonia. He leaves a wife and three children. He was a native of Dare County but later moved to Elizabeth City and lived here until fifteen years ago. He had also lived in Baltimore for a number of years.

His five brothers, Amos Owens, R. L. Owens, F. Owens, and R. D. Owens, live in Elizabeth City. His two sisters, Mrs. B. S. Swindell and Mrs. O. R. Woolford, live in Baltimore.

PROTEST AGAINST RETURN OF ROADS

Triplicate Conference at Raleigh Wants Fair Trial Before Return of Railroads to Owners

Raleigh, Feb. 6.—Claiming that the Cummins bill will give to the railroads a billion dollars in subsidy and that it allows the roads to sign long time notes for the amount of money advanced by the government to cover deficits, the Tri-Partite conference of representatives of the Farmers' Union, the Railroad Brotherhoods and the State Federation of Labor Thursday passed a resolution protesting against the return of the railroads to private ownership until there has been a fair trial made of Government control and operation.

This resolution will be sent to the North Carolina delegation in Congress urging that no change be made in the operation of the railroads at the present time. The question of the Plumb plan was discussed although the conferees did not agree to support it as outlined.

Benjamin C. Marsh of Iowa, secretary of the Farmer's National Council made the principal speech, speaking on the need for co-operation between farmers and organized labor. He thought great harm would be done both unionists and farmers if the railroads were returned to their owners at the present time without a more exhaustive experiment with Federal operation.

Addresses were also made by President Moody of the State Federation of Labor and President Stone of the Farmers Union urging that the farmers and the laborers get together get together more closely in matters pertaining to politics.

The following attended the conference: For the Farmers' Union, R. W. H. Stone, who presided over the meeting, E. C. Faires, W. R. Dixon, T. Ivey, J. M. Ferrell, J. P. Buchanan, Dr. J. H. Templeton and W. B. Gibson.

For the Brotherhoods: George W. Williams, J. Y. Bryant, J. H. Hendelright, C. S. Carver and W. P. Neister.

For the State Federation: W. F. Moody, J. A. Wiggins and L. E. Nichols of the Allied Printing Trades Council.

20 INCHES SNOW IN NEW ENGLAND

And Storm Still Continues All Along Coast From Maryland to Maine

(By Associated Press)
Washington, Feb. 6.—Another twenty-four hours of snow and high winds along the Atlantic coast from Maryland to Maine is the weather bureau's forecast today.

The peak of the storm is now in New England where the heaviest snow fall in the east this winter has occurred. Twenty inches has already been recorded in some places.

The snow fall continued general today from the Canadian border to central Virginia and covered a path as far west as the upper Ohio valley. The damage from the storm is heavy.

High tides, heavy seas and high winds have wrought havoc along the Atlantic coast. Seashore resorts from Georgia to New England and shipping interests also have suffered heavily. Many vessels are reported in distress and all along the coast railroad traffic has been seriously interfered with.

Cities all along the coast north of Virginia today are digging themselves out of the snow. New York streets are piled high with snowdrifts and an army tank is being used to push along stalled trolley cars.

Washington's streets are covered with snow and traffic is greatly impeded.

CASHIER STOPS WOULD BE ROBBER

And Craven County Posse Now Searching For Man Who Tried Rob Dover Bank

(By Associated Press)
Raleigh, Feb. 6.—A posse is today scouring the Dover section of Craven County in search of C. H. Scott, who is alleged to have attempted a hold-up of the cashier of the bank there late yesterday.

The would-be robber entered the bank building, locked the door behind him and ordered the cashier to turn over his cash.

The banker grasped a revolver and opened fire on the intruder, who fled. Armed men have been searching all night for the fugitive and are still searching but he has not been captured.

FEAR FOR SAFETY OF N. CAROLINIANS

Raleigh Headquarters Syrian-Armenian Relief Anxious About Dr. Shafer and Thomas C. Linn

(By Associated Press)
Raleigh, Feb. 6.—Because two North Carolinians are now doing relief work in Armenia and Syria, press dispatches a few days ago telling of the murder of three relief workers by bandits are causing anxiety at State headquarters of Near East Relief here.

The workers are Dr. Irving Shafer and Thomas Calvin Linn, both natives of Rowan County.

Local headquarters have been reminded the names of the murdered workers as soon as they are received from Constantinople.

New York headquarters have expressed the belief that the persons killed were natives engaged in driving supply wagons.

POUND GOING UP

(By Associated Press)
New York, Feb. 6.—Rates on demand bills for the English pound sterling opened at \$3.34 this morning and soon advanced to \$3.39.

This is twenty cents above the record low mark of \$3.19 reached Wednesday.

IS CALLED TO WASHINGTON BY DEATH OF BROTHER

William P. Boettcher was called to Washington, D. C., Friday morning by the death of his brother, Fred Boettcher. Mr. Boettcher left Friday afternoon for Washington.