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WEATHER

Fair tonight moderate to fresh northeast and east winds.

DEDICATE LINCOLN MEMORIAL TODAY

President Harding In Person Accepts The Work In Name Of American Nation

Washington, May 30 (By The Associated Press)—A nation's tribute to its glorious dead reached its climax today at the dedication of the memorial erected beside the Potomac to Abraham Lincoln by his grateful countrymen.

Chief Justice Taft headed the commission which has lavished endless thought on making this stone emblem of American gratitude worthy of the man whose memory it will perpetuate for Americans always.

President Harding, in person, accepted the work in the nation's name.

The Lincoln Memorial is one of the world's most beautiful structures and the greatest shrine of the man who saved the union. Impressive in its simplicity, the memorial probably is the masterpiece of all public buildings and memorials in the United States. It stands in Potomac Park facing the Washington monument, and its construction was begun on Lincoln's birthday anniversary in 1914. The total cost has been approximately \$3,000,000.

This monument to Lincoln is a large rectangular building of white marble, designed by Henry Bacon, a New York architect. It has a beautiful setting on a direct east and west line with the Washington monument and the nation's capitol and rises 144 feet above the level of the park. It is composed of four principal features—a statue of the man, a memorial of his Gettysburg address, a memorial of his second inaugural address and a symbol of the Union of the States.

The most important object in the memorial is the statue of Lincoln in marble by Daniel Chester French, New York sculptor, placed in the central hall where, by virtue of its imposing position in the place of honor, it predominates all else. The statue is colossal in size and yet distinctively personal. It represents Lincoln, seated, in a thoughtful mood and is the first thing that meets the eye as one passes through the immense colonnaded entrance.

OFF ON MOTOR RACE

Indianapolis, May 30 (By The Associated Press)—With the roar from perfectly tuned motors twenty-seven drivers, the pick of three nations, shot away at ten o'clock today starting the five hundred mile automobile race on the Indianapolis speedway for prizes totalling \$85,000. A hundred and thirty-five thousand spectators cheered from the stands and in field when the starting bomb was fired.

IN TROUBLE AGAIN

John Henry Heckstall, a colored character well known in police court circles here, was arrested Tuesday morning by Officer George Twiddy on a charge of breaking into the home of Annie Price, colored, on Green street, and stealing a Victrola. Heckstall was placed in jail and will be tried in recorder's court here Wednesday morning.

Big Kiwanian Spread Here On Friday Night

A big Kiwanian banquet, upon the occasion of the presentation of the charter of the local club, will be held at the Junior Order Hall here Friday night. A special train will bring a throng of merry Kiwanians from Norfolk and Portsmouth to attend the event, and other delegations are expected from Raleigh, Rocky Mount, Wilson, Kinston, Goldsboro, New Bern and Washington.

Twenty prizes will be awarded in the course of the banquet for signal endeavors along certain lines not yet stated by the Kiwanian publicity committee. Preliminary preparations for the charter presentation banquet indicate that it will be one of the biggest events of the kind ever held at this city.

A handsome electric Kiwanian sign, made of metal and attractively designed in gold, blue and white, is now being completed by William R. Pritchard, of Owens Shoe Company, in collaboration with the metal workers employed at E. J. Cohoon's tin shop. The sign, which is strictly "Made in Elizabeth City," is a real beauty, and will be used to adorn future Kiwanian banquets and meetings. The sign bears the words "Kiwanian Club, Elizabeth City, N. C." in gold letters in a circular band surrounding a huge white "K," which is inscribed on a field of blue.

State Will Build Camden Ferry Road

Editor The Advance:

At a meeting of the State Highway Commission held in Raleigh, N. C., May 23rd to 26th, I tried to let contract for the Camden Ferry road and received bids for the surfacing and bridge on the road for something like \$138,000.00.

I promised the people of my District when I was made Commissioner that I would spend their money as I would my own, and as I would not even consider spending \$138,000.00 of my own money on that road I decided to reject the bids.

I succeeded, however, in getting the State to undertake the building of the road themselves, and we will proceed immediately to get material on the ground and push the work to its completion as rapidly as possible, and I believe quicker than any contractor we could have given it to. In my judgment we will save considerable money by building it ourselves.

I trust you will pardon me for the presumption of writing this letter to you, but I feel it is due the people of Camden County to give them some reason why I rejected the bids, and I thought the best medium through which to do this was your paper.

WILLIAM A. HART, Commissioner.

Ty Cobb Suspended

St. Louis, May 30 (By The Associated Press)—Manager Ty Cobb and Outfielder Hellman of the Detroit Americans were indefinitely suspended today before the morning game, a holiday double-header with the Browns. Cobb stepped on Umpire Wilson's toes during an argument in yesterday's game and was banished. The cause of the other's suspension was not stated.

Hartz Takes Lead From Jimmy Murphy

Indianapolis, May 30 (By The Associated Press)—Harry W. Hartz today took the lead from Jimmy Murphy at the 185 mile mark-attar Murphy had captured \$3,250 in lap prizes. His average was ninety-three and fifty-two hundredths miles per hour.

PROCESS EVACUATION HAS BEEN SUSPENDED

London, May 30 (By The Associated Press)—British troops are being kept at Dublin not at the request of the Irish Provisional government but because the process of evacuation has been temporarily suspended. Winston Churchill, secretary of colonies, announced in the House of Commons today.

Jury Trial Is Held In Recorder's Court

Defendant Is Found Guilty After Twenty Minutes Deliberations And Is Fined Fifty And Costs.

The first trial by jury in the history of recorder's court here was held Tuesday morning in the case of Isaac Fisher, of this city, charged with driving an automobile while under the influence of liquor. After twenty minutes of deliberation, the jury returned a verdict of guilty, and Mr. Fisher was fined fifty dollars and costs.

By a coincidence, the first lawyer to ask for a jury in a recorder's court case was Martin B. Simpson, who was largely instrumental in getting the bill creating this type of jury for Pasquotank County through the 1921 special session of the General Assembly. Six jurors were summoned from among the spectators in the court room Tuesday morning by Officer Charles Anderson, a member of the city police force.

The fee of jurors in a recorder's court jury trial is fixed at 25 cents each. In the event of a conviction, this is added to the defendant's bill of costs. Mr. Fisher, therefore, was out just \$1.50 additional by reason of his attorney's appeal for jury trial. Mr. Fisher was also found guilty on a charge of being drunk and disorderly, and was fined ten dollars and costs. According to the evidence, while he was in the Busy Bee Cafe Saturday night, the defendant playfully hit E. E. Clark, typewriter repair man, on the ear with a piece of ham sandwich.

MATHILDE GOES HOME

Chicago, May 30 (By The Associated Press)—Miss Mathilde McCormick instead of sailing for Switzerland today supposedly to wed Max Oser, Swiss horseman, returned to Chicago unexpectedly. She refused to make a statement about her plans. Her return is supposed to relate to guardianship proceedings in which her mother, Mrs. Edith Rockefeller McCormick, intervened yesterday.

Germans Make Reply

Paris, May 30 (By The Associated Press)—The German reply to the demands of the Reparation Commission says that Germany will undertake to meet them on the hypothesis that it will be given a foreign loan within suitable time to maintain paper circulation within limits reached by March 31 and in general that they will comply with the conditions fixed by the commission for partial moratorium.

HARDING ACCEPTS FLAG FROM JUSSERAND TODAY

Washington, May 30 (By The Associated Press)—As a souvenir of this country's participation in the World War, President Harding today accepted the presentation by Ambassador Jusserand of France of an American flag which was displayed beside the French tri-color on Eiffel Tower with the salute of a hundred and one guns when the news came of America's entry into the struggle.

Meet At Atlanta, Ga., To Confer On Freight Rates

Raleigh, May 30 (Special)—Mr. M. R. Beaman, Secretary of the North Carolina Traffic Association, and Mr. T. M. Porter, Secretary of the North Carolina Wholesale Grocers Association are leaving tonight for Atlanta to confer with the so-called Carolina Committee which is a representative body of railroad executives supposed to be working out commodity rates from Eastern states to North Carolina.

In addition to this Mr. Porter and Mr. Beaman, will be present at the so-called Southeastern investigation of freight rates when the question as to increasing freight rates from Western states to North Carolina. This testimony, offered by the railroads, will begin Tuesday morning in Atlanta, Ga. This subject is one of the most important that has ever faced the business men of North Carolina. The North Carolina Traffic Association needs the moral and financial support of every shipper in this effort to protect your interest.

MANCHURIAN MUTINY CONTINUES TO SPREAD

Peking, May 30 (By The Associated Press)—The Manchurian mutiny against General Chang, Manchurian leader, is spreading. Harbin garrison joining in declaring in favor of General Wu, victor in the recent Peking campaign.

Spring Carnival Will Be Held Here Tonight

Will Include Many Novel Entertainment Features, And Will Continue From Eight To Eleven O'clock

Bright, colorful and entertaining, with plenty of good music, and a wide variety of novel amusement features, will be the Spring Carnival to be put on by the Young Woman's Club, of this city, at Miss Lou Morgan's, on Road street, beginning at eight o'clock tonight. There will be a trip around the world, caudy booths, plenty of dancing on one of the best smaller dance floors in the city, and, in short, according to those who are promoting the event, a genuine good time for all who attend.

The admission at the door will be ten cents. The Spring Carnival will close at eleven o'clock; and from eight until that hour, the good genie of wholesome fun will be the king-see of the occasion. The Young Woman's Club positively guarantees an evening of genuine entertainment for all who are present.

COMMENCEMENT IS IN PROGRESS AT ROANOKE

The twenty-fourth annual commencement exercises of Roanoke Collegiate Institute are in progress this week.

The commencement sermon was preached Sunday by Rev. P. P. Eaton of Greensboro. On Monday the graduating class presented a clock to the school, and that evening the elementary grades gave their program. The primary school had already given their entertainment on Friday evening.

On Tuesday the trustees met and planned for new buildings and improvements; then a play was given on the campus, and in the evening an operetta will be given by the seventh grade.

A debate on the question "Resolved that municipalities should control public utilities," is Wednesday morning's feature, and on Wednesday evening the Y. M. C. and Y. W. C. Associations will give a play. Thursday evening come the annual recital, class day exercises and program of first and second year high school. On Friday morning there is an alumni meeting, also the exhibit of domestic art, and the closing program that evening with an address by Rev. G. O. Bullock of Washington, D. C. Diplomats will be presented the graduating class of fifteen members by Rev. R. R. Cartwright of Belcross, and there will be a very interesting musical program.

Seats are reserved for white people and they are cordially invited to attend the exercises.

OFF TO CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Houtz left Monday for a month's vacation in California. While there, Mr. Houtz will attend the International Rotary Convention at Los Angeles June 4th-10th, as a delegate from the Elizabeth City Rotary Club.

BOYS MUST TOE MARK TO SEE GAMES FREE

After considerable perplexity, the directors of the Twilight League have hit upon a plan whereby the gate keepers at the baseball grounds may determine whether or not a boy is eligible to enter without paying admission. Heretofore, an age limit was in force; but that didn't work satisfactorily because the gate man had no way of checking up the boys' statements on their ages. Now, a mark five feet high will be made on the fence. Boys whose height doesn't exceed the mark will be admitted free, and all others must pay the regular admission price of fifteen cents. Gee, but ain't that tough on the youngster who is overgrown for his age!

SHRINERS ADOPT GREAT HUMANITARIAN PROGRAM

One million dollars a year is the amount set aside for the building and maintenance of hospitals by the Ancient Order of the Mystic Shrine—hospitals for the care and treatment of the crippled children of America. Five of these are already under construction and five more have been authorized. Those now being built are located at St. Louis, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Shreveport, La., San Francisco and Montreal. Of the five others authorized, one will definitely be built at Portland, Ore., and the other four will be located somewhere in New England, Pennsylvania, Virginia and the Rocky Mountain States.

Under the plan adopted, more hospitals will be built as fast as money is available until one is in reach of every little cripple in the United States and Canada. Only two provisions govern admission to these Shrine hospitals. One is that the child's parents are unable financially to have the child treated in a private hospital. The other is that the child be susceptible to benefit—and there are precious new suffering children for whom the surgeons can see no ray of hope. The hospitals will be built upon the plan of the Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children, near Atlanta. Every Shriner is assessed two dollars annually for the construction and support of the hospitals, and as the work grows, the members of the Order hope to make it a lasting monument to the branch of Masonry to which they belong.

CHILDREN DECORATE GETTYSBURG GRAVES

Gettysburg, Pa., May 30 (By The Associated Press)—School children here joined today with veterans of the Civil War in decorating the graves of former Union soldiers in observance of Memorial Day.

SUFFERS STROKE PARALYSIS

George H. Wood suffered a stroke of paralysis Saturday at his home near Woodville. At last reports he seemed to be growing weaker and his condition is regarded as critical. He is an older brother of John Q. A. Wood and of Mrs. Mary White, both of this city. Mrs. White is at his bedside and J. Q. A. Wood motored to the home Monday and Tuesday.

Pays Own Way



Zu 'ing Ching works as a waitress and gives readings of 'Madame Butterfly' to pay her way through F. W. W. College. She gives the money her father sends her for college expenses to the Chinese Famine Fund.

LIVES OF BABIES SAVED BY CLINIC

More Than One Elizabeth City Infant Owes Future Health To Work Now Going On

More than one baby's life has been saved already by the Baby Clinic now being held at the Community Building; and, according to Dr. K. P. B. Bonner, the State physician in charge, the health of many more will have been improved by the work of the Clinic. These good results are due to the discovery, in the course of examinations, of defects that had not previously been found to exist, and the giving of directions to the mothers as to the means by which the defects may be corrected.

During the first day and a half of the clinic, up to noon Tuesday, eighty babies were examined. More were coming in right along, and indications were that the day's full quota would be reached or exceeded at the afternoon session. The clinic will continue through Wednesday. Sixty babies were examined Monday.

A good-sized crowd was out to hear Miss Ehrenfeld's lecture Monday night on the subject, "What Public Health Nursing Means to North Carolina." Dr. K. P. B. Bonner is scheduled to speak Tuesday night at the Community Building at eight o'clock on "The Aims and Purposes of the Bureau of Maternity and Infancy."

Many mothers have already expressed their appreciation for the work of the clinic, and the thoroughly efficient and systematic manner in which it is being conducted. Tuesday was tag day for the babies; and the proceeds of the day's sale of tags will be used for the purchase of milk to be distributed through the local Parent-Teachers Association.

Today Completing Knobbs Creek Fill

Engineer Higgs Says Prospects Are Now That Newland Road Will Be Finished By July 1st

"The Knobbs Creek fill on the Newland road is being completed today," stated County Engineer Higgs Tuesday morning, "and all the bricks on the road will be laid within the next two weeks, barring unexpected delays. If the structural steel for the Knobbs Creek bridge reaches us promptly, the entire road should be finished by July 1st."

The Newland road, which has been under construction since April, 1921, is a nine-foot reinforced brick highway extending from this city to Newland Methodist church, approximately a dozen miles north of Elizabeth City. One authorized connecting road to South Mills, in Camden County, is already under construction, and when completed, it will give this city direct connection with Norfolk by improved highway, and by what is declared to be the shortest existing route.

Another will join Newland township with Gates County by a road which ultimately will be made a hardsurfaced State highway connecting Elizabeth City with Winton, on the Chowan River, and incidentally with the rest of North Carolina. With the State Highway Commission already at work on a dependable road from Wilmington to Winton, the day is not far off, it is declared, when an automobile trip from Elizabeth City to the southeastern corner of the State in two days will not be exceptional.

25 MILES OF LINCOLN HIGHWAY DEDICATED

Pa., May 30 (By The Associated Press)—Twenty-five miles of the Lincoln Highway were dedicated today as a road of remembrance and planted with memorial trees.

Virtual Ultimatum By Federated Shop Crafts

Chicago, May 30 (By The Associated Press)—A virtual ultimatum to the railroads through the United States Railroad Labor Board was presented today by the Federated Shop Crafts representing 400,000 railway employes in a request for a conference with the Board Thursday when the Board will be asked to take jurisdiction over all cases in which the railroads are alleged to be disobeying the Board's orders. If the Board declines, a strike ballot will go out to shopmen all over the country.

Vote for George J. Spence for Trial Justice. He will appreciate your support and vote. adv

YOUR BEST EFFORTS NEEDED TO BUILD UP WINNING VOTE TOTAL

It Is Easy Now To Procure Votes, But With a Further Decrease In Vote Earning Power Of Subscriptions It Will Be Hard To Keep Pace With Those Who Put In Work To Good Advantage This Week

The great 600,000 bonus offer closed without any contestant's securing enough votes to forge into a safe lead. Only a club or two separates the leading contestants from one another; so it is perfectly obvious that those who made good reports last week should not become the victims of overconfidence. \$5 that would spell defeat in box-car letters. This week will tell the tale so far as stamina is concerned. Those who want to win will leave no stone unturned to secure subscriptions.

While your competitors are slowing up or resting, get up and move about after the subscriptions. That is the way winners are made. It takes subscriptions to win, and if you wait until near the close of the race, your subscriptions will earn only a fraction of what they will now. Your success depends absolutely on your ability to stay in front.

There is no such thing as standing still. You either move forward or you move backward. Moving forward is how you will win. Moving backward is exactly how so many people lose after having made, in some cases, an auspicious start. You must enter one of these classes. You are either a winner or a loser. It's up to you.

On each club of five yearly subscriptions, or \$20 in cash, a bonus of 400,000 votes will be given up to nine o'clock next Saturday night, June 3rd. It is emphatically guaranteed that never after next Saturday night will subscriptions earn so many votes by thousands and thousands. Never during the remainder of the contest will such an offer appear again giving this amount of votes. There will be a big decrease. You can bank on that. So get as many votes as you can before the big decrease comes.

A contestant may vote only enough votes issued on subscriptions to bring the total vote to 35,000.

District Number One

- Miss Gladys Adams 24,400
Miss Goldie Sanderlin 36,800
Miss Estelle Silverthorne ... 37,100
Miss Aurilla Strahl 178,200
Miss Edna Sanders 177,900

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