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Dardanelles Must Be Free Say The British

Government Adopts This Attitude And De-clares Itself Ready To Make Efforts In This Direction, It Is Authoritatively Stated

FAVORS PLACING THE

Editor The Advance:

WIRES UNDERGROUND

I congratulate you heartily

upon your editorial expression

favorable to the placing of

telephone, telegraph and elec-

tric wires under ground. This

is a long stride in the direc-

tion of ideal municipal condi-

tions. In the light of modern

progress I have ofttimes won-

dered why otherwise beauti-

fully shaded streets should be

conspicuously marred by a net-

work of unsightly wires and

poles to support them. Some

time since I was in a town of

about this size, in the state of

Missouri where the wires had

been placed underground.

The contrast was striking and

greatly added to the attrac-

tiveness of the town. In this

particular town civic pride was

especially noticeable, as I have

W. L. COHOON

Successful Session

Enrollment During Opening Week

Newland High School Indicates

Last Year's Record Surpassed

The new teachers, and particularly

year. This is regarded by Superin-

tendent M. P. Jennings as a remark-

ably good showing, especially in

decided this year that a levy of 30

cents would be necessary if these

trucks were to be operated, and as a

thirty cent levy had been voted by

the people of the district a levy of

ever, disregarded this request and

made the levy 20 cents. A petition

was accordingly circulated and sign-

ed by an overwhelming majority of

the tax payers asking the Commis-

and name a levy of 30 cents as stip-

ulated by the Board of Education.

But still the Commissioners remain-

ed obdurate. Not, in fact, until

Superintendent Jennings produced

before them a signed opinion of At-

teacherage in the County and one of

the first in the section. Principal

The County Commissioners, how-

30 cents was asked for.

no doubt it would be here.

Prospects Indicate

London, Sept. 16 (By The Associated Press)-The British government has adopted the attitude that to effect permanent freedom of the Dardanelles is a vital necessity, for the sake of which it is prepared to make exertions, it was authoritatively stated this afternoon.

Constantinople, Sept. 16 (By The Associated Press)-Upward of two thousand persons perished in the fire at Smyrna, 2,500 buildings were destroyed and all American property was wiped out.

The catastrophe was much greater in proportion, according to advices, than the conflagration at Saloniki in 1917, which caused a hundred millions damage.

CORINTH REVIVAL **BEGINS ON SUNDAY**

Evangelist T. T. Martin And Rev. Howard Martin To Assist The Pastor

A series of evangelistic meetings will begin at Corinth Baptist church near this city Sunday afternoon and continue until the following Sunday sion of Newland High School closed advised to take the college prepara-

The pastor, Rev. R. F. Hall, will be assisted in this meeting by Evangelist T. T. Martin of Blue Mountain, Miss., and Rev. Howard Mar- Principal H. L. Boyd and Mrs. Boyd, tin, of Niagara Falls, N. Y. Evan- his wife, who is also a member of gelist T, T. Martin will do the the faculty, have made most favorpreaching and Rev. Howard Martin

The name of T. T. Martin is known throughout the territory of the Southern Baptist Convention for he has conducted evangelistic meetings all over the South. He is well known in Elizabeth City, having conducted two revivals at Blackwell Memorial church several years ago. "He is a preacher and powerful Gospel ploughs the deepest Gospel furrow of any evangelist in the South,'

says Rev. R. F. Hall. The services will be held each af- service ternoon at 3 o'clock and each evening at 8 o'clock. The public is cor- ting the trucks in commission this dially invited to attend this meet- year involves an interesting story.

ANTI KU KLUX TO NAME CANDIDATE

Dallas, Sept. 16 (By The Associated Press)-The convention of anti Ka Klux Klan Democrats of Texas to select a candidate to run against Earle B. Mayfield, nominee for United States senator, today atname has yet been formally men- sioners to reconsider their action state-wide attention. No tioned. Mayfield defeated James E. Ferguson in the recent primary.

Straw Hat Riot Is In Progress Today

New York, Sept. 16 (By The As- asked for a levy as voted, the Com- ed waggishly "Sam Gregory, I recksociated Press)-Street cleaners are missioners had no choice but to on. husy today as the result of the straw comply with the Board's request, did hat riot extending from the Battery the Commissioners yield their point other two. Dr. Claude B. Williams J. Spence, Mr. Spence making a short talk on 'How a Citizen May Assist to the Bronx. The appearance of and authorize the levy. Hence the and Jethro Hooper, called to their straws in any place in the city is a delay in getting the trucks this year feet along with Dr. Gregory by Parsignal for hoodlums to begin work.

BODY BELIEVED TO BE NORFOLK MAN

Newport News, Sept. 16 (By The H. L. Boyd and Mrs. Boyd found Elizabeth City Kiwanians was in the constitutional right of trial by been issued Associated Press)-The body found their home ready for them upon line with that of every other Ki- jury. "The system," said Mr. in Hampton Roads last night is now their arrival in the Newland com- wanis club of the country this week. Worth, "is the fairest, the most just Richmond. Efforts are to be made here from Buena Vista, Tennessee. started off when Clarence Pugh per- the organic law of Anglo-Saxon peotoday for positive identification.

Rally Day Sunday

Sunday is Rally Day at City Road Rev. H. E. Myers. pastor of City a coat that had been slit up the back practice in our country trial by jury Methodist Sunday School and Sup- Road Methodist Church, former and otherwise badly used and abus- has come into disrepute. Lawyers erintendent Seyffert wants a hundred Superintendent of Education W. M. ed. "Thus our Constitution," said study the jury list when it is made grain has been prepared and visitors erintendent M. P. Jennings, who was amendments heaped upon it and all who is poor and ignorant in a damare cordially invited.

Boys And Girls Back To School On Monday

rowded Conditions Will Necessitate Continuation Of Relay System In Five Grades

With next Monday morning begins the 1922-23 session of the Elizabeth City public schools and Johnny, after three months of comparatively untrammelled fun and frolic, once again takes up his un-

willing way to class-room and books All former high school students and those promoted from the seventh grade are instructed not to come to school Monday until 11 o'clock. New high school students, however, should report at 9 o'clock.

Pupils promoted to the seventh grade should report at 19:30 o'clock. while those promoted to the fourth grade should report at 9:30. New pupils in grades four to seven should

report at 9:30 o'clock New pupils desiring to enter any of the primary grades are supposed to have reported at the primary building last Thursday or Friday. Those in the primary school should report at the primary building at 9

With work on the new school no new class rooms available, the Bulgarians advance toward Saloniki. of Mac, and he ordered Mac from crowded conditions that have prevailed for the last three or four years may be expected to be accentuated Games Will Decide this year.

This means that once again the first five grades will be compelled to follow the relay plan first adopted two years ago. This means that in the fifth grade and grades below it part of the pupils will be in school from 8:45 in the morning to 12:45 in the afternoon; while the other in the afternoon and remain in school until 4:30.

offered in the high school department: Scientific, college preparatory and a business course. Stu-The first week of the 1922-23 ses- dents who expect to enter college are Friday with bright prospects for a tory course.

opening day this year is about 1500. Is getting along well. The faculty numbers 45 teachers.

STORM WARNING

Warning of a storm moving this able impression on both the pupils way from the southeast was sent out in the school and the community at from the Weather Bureau at Wash- City, a medical patient, went home The enrollment for the first week is increasing in intensity, and it is pital. was 193, as compared with an en- indicated that cooler weather is on rollment for the year of 215 last the way.

Opens Studio Monday

view of the fact that transportation by truck was not inaugurated this her music studio at her home, 501 ing. trucks were not yet in shape for Explanation of the delay in get- Monday.

The Newland school committee Stress Citizenship At

ful citizen?

fect that when a district had voted s. W. Gregory, somewhat of a wag. Miss Eva Waiston,

banquet

a tax and the Board of Education after a moment's hesitation, answer-

into commission. Newland High son Myers, to do when their turn

School is not only the first school in came but to make the same answer.

Pasquotank County to introduce So the crown went to Dr. Gregory

transportation of pupils by motor unanimously, though it was not an-

truck. It also has the distinction of nounced how long he was to be per-

having built and furnished the first mitted to wear his self-imposed

laurels.

New Orleans Has \$6,000,000 Fire

New Orleans, Sept. 16 (By Associated Press)-Six million dollars loss is estimated early today as the result of the fire destroying Government warehouse commodity wharves along the waterfront here last night. Reports that five lives were lost have not been con-Forty freight firmed. cars loaded with cotton were also destroyed.

Decide On Course **Regarding Bulgaria**

Beigrade, Sept. 16 (By The Asso-Slavia have completed their ex- Cohoon change of views regarding the attiaccording to the newspaper, Politika.

About World Series

the World Series will be another Norfolk county, who remarked, part will begin work at one o'clock tween the East and West was begun warrant for the arrest of Mac Stal-As heretofore, three courses are the season between the two.

The indicated enrollment for the derwent an operation Thursday and had not been in trouble before.

William Bray of this city was operated on Thursday. Mrs. A. M. Morris, Route Five,

City, is improving after an operation Friday, September 8th Mrs. Lula Jackson, Route Fixe.

went home Wednesday. Miss Elizabeth Dozier of Weeks- helped in the return, they say. Miss Dorothy Gregory will open ville, a medical patient, is improv-

week, by reason of the fact that the West Church street, Monday, Sep- Percy Cartwright, Route One, ally, together with increased gov tember 18 and asks that pupils de- City, is getting along well after an ernment revenues and the return of strike be discharged immedisiring to enroll in her class do so operation for appendicitis Friday, the dollar to par, business has taken ately upon return of the strik-September 8th.

A most pleasing and impressive

number was "Columbia, the Gem of

In Law Enforcement." "Obey the

fellow obeys it." was, in brief, the

witty address.

the mud thrown at it, it is an im- Continued on Page 3

import of Mr. Spence's brief and

Abuse Of Trial By Jury

Kiwanian Banquet Friday

Among Local Matters Brought To Attention Is

The Fire Company's Service

Here was the question the answer mortal document."

Who is Elizabeth City's most use-

to which was to have solved the

"mystery" of Friday night's Kiwanis

torney General Manning to the ef-answer it extempore, the first, Dr. mational colors, accompanied by But of the three men called on to

Then there was nothing for the

The Fire Company Fund, Which Is Not Char-

ity At All, But Expression Of Appreciation Of

Sign Agreements But **Disregard Labor Board**

Sixteen Railroads Today Make Separate Peace —Do Not Repudiate Board But Sign In Accord With Transportation Act, Says Chairman Ben W. Hooper

SURRENDERS TO SHERIFF FRIDAY

land Said To Have Borne Good Reputation

Willis Stallings, colored, aged 23. is in Jail here charged with murder September 2. He voluntarily surrendered to the sheriff Friday night. clated Press)-Rumania and Jugo- accompanied by his attorney, W. L.

Willis's story is that his wife tude they will adopt in case the complained of indignities on the part his house, whereupon Mac grabbed Associated Press)-An agreehis gun. Willis says he then ran into an adjoining room for his own gun, fired three times at Mac and window. Willis's father, sister and wife corroborate his story.

St. Louis, Sept. 16 (By The Asso- that while Sheriff Charles Reid was vania Railroad over wages and ciated Press)-A three games series at the Norfolk Fair last week, he was generally believed to decide whether approached by Officer Williams of New York event or a struggle be- had just started to mall to you a day. here today when the Vankees met lings, wanted here upon three the Browns in the final contests of charges for shooting, but I have just heard that he was killed Saturday night. Unless the negro who did the killing is a bad man, he ought to be was a desperate one."

It is said that Willis has hereto-Miss Naomi Lane of Hertford un- fore borne a good reputation and

Canadian Business Sets House In Order

ington Saturday at noon. The storm Thursday after two days at the hos- The rapid return of the Canadian dollar to a point near par is attri-Richard Mansfield of Camden, buted by Canadian bankers chiefly who suffered a fractured skull after to the fact that Canadian business falling from a cart some time ago, has set its house in order. Revival of business in the United States also

marked activity in industry gener on a confident tone,' said one influential Dominion banker. "In the strikes and rumors of strikes will have small effect. The fact is ap-

IN COURT SATURDAY Ray Aydlett, charged with assault on A. W. White, was fined \$10 and costs in police court Saturday.

Ray Aydlett was fined \$15 and costs, and Jae Swindell, \$5 and costs for participating in an affray.

The case of Charlie Mitchell and tinued until Monday because the prosecuting witnesses were absent.

the Ocean," sung, it seemed with reduced from six to three months railroad officials refused the even more than her usual charm, by because of later evidence.

At The Southern Among the arrivals today at the Special honor guests of Kiwanis Southern Hotel are: Geo. C. Wood on this occasion were Chief of Po- of Edenton, B. F Ried of Edenton, lice Holmes and Trial Justice George J. B. Osborne of Atlanta, Ga., F. K. J. Spence, Mr. Spence making a short Bockus of Baltimore.

Freemasonry In law yourself and see that the other India Flourishes

Bombay, Sept. 15 (By The Assoclated Press) - Freemasonry in In-STRICKEN WITH PARALYSIS Assigned to the Federal Consti- dia is in a highly prosperous conditution as his subject W. A. Worth tion, according to the Indian Ma-Friday night's program of the addressed himself to single phase of sonic Year Book, which has just

All three constitutions of the of paralysis Friday night while sit-United Kingdom are represented ting on the porch at H. G. Godbelieved to be a Norfolk man named munity, after having crossed North stressing the idea of the duties and and the best ever devised. Trial by England by five district grand frey's chatting with Mrs. Godfrey, a Tunnel and not Edward Moon, of Carolina and Tennessee. They came responsibilities of citizenship, Things jury is a right written in blood into lodges, Scotland by a separate grand neighbor. Her right side is paralodge, and Ireland by a number of lyzed, physicians say, and she has The formal opening of Newland sonally conducted the Federal Con- ples wherever they have establish- detached lodges not under a sepa- not yet regained consciousness. High School was held last Monday, stitution, alias Cam W. Melick, into ed government. There is nothing rate jurisdiction.

Among those on the program were; the dining room, Cam was clad in wrong with the system. But in Should Register Monday per cent attendance. A special pro- Hinton, Mrs. J. G. Fearing and Sup- Mr. Pugh, "but despite a'll the public. If they represent a client High School Monday, September 18. fever, and the mother is believed to Monday morning.

Chicago, Sept. 16 (By The Associated Press) - Sixteen railroads signed separate agreements with various labor unions today through methods Negro Who Killed Cousin In New- in vogue before the United States Railroad Labor Board was created arbiter of rail disputes. These settlements do of his cousin, Mac Stallings, in New. not repudiate the Board but land township on Saturday night, rather are "in accord with the transportation act," says Ben W. Hooper, Board chairman.

Pennsylvania Agrees

Cleveland, Sept. 16 (By The ment was reached between chairmen of the Brotherhood ran, jumping through the bed room of Railroad Trainmen and the Order of Railway Conductors A singular coincidence is that with officials of the Pennsylworking conditions, W. G. Lee, union official, announced to-

Says Not Involved

Richmond, Sept. 16 (By The Associated Press) - W. J. At Community Hospital turned loose because the dead negro Harahan, president of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway, today announced that the Chesapeake & Ohio was not involved in the Chicago strike settlement plan. He added that the company, however, was ready at all times to meet the men with a view to bring-Montreal, Canada, Sept. 16 (By ing about adjustment of dif-

Meeting Breaks Up

Washington, Sept. 16 (By The Associated Press)-The "With humper crops in sight, demand by union leaders that all men taken on during the ers is understood to have brokface of this combination of in- en up the conference today befluences making for recovery, tween Southern Railway officials and the general chairman parent that the tide of prosperity of shop crafts which was dehas again set in and nothing can signed to bring about settlement on the basis of the Warfield, Willard, Jewell agree-

Met With Failure

Louisville, Sept. 16 (By The Associated Press)-Efforts of Vivian Bunch, both colored, for par- officials of the Federated Shopticipating in an afray, was con-crafts to effect a settlement with Louisville & Nashville of-The sentence of David Gray was ficials met with failure when terms of the Jewell agreement.

More Workers In Steel Plants Soon

Youngstown, Sept. 16 (By The Associated Press) - More than 1500 additional workers are to be given employment in the independent steel plants of Youngstown district next week, it was announced today.

WHILE VISITING NEIGHBOR

Mrs. Lillie Bunch, whose home is on Cypress street, suffered a stroke

Mrs. Bunch is a widow, the mother of seven children, four of whom make their home with her. One Miss Emerald Sykes will open her son. Wilton Bunch, had just recovmusic studio in the Elizabeth City ered from a long illness of typhoid Pupils can register any time during have been overworked. She suffered from high blood pressure.