

THE DUNN DISPATCH

NO BACK TRACKING BY DEMOCRATS ON TARIFF QUESTION

Minority Leader Claude Kitchin in Sounds Clarion Call to Democracy of Nation

POSITION ENDORSED BY MEMBERS IN CONGRESS

North Carolina Congressman

Spare No Words of Denunciation of Republican Policy of Protection for Big Trusts; Rates Proposed in New Tariff Unprecedented.

Edward E. Britton in The News and Observer

Washington, April 12.—There is to be no back tracking on Democratic principles in the House of Representatives under the leadership of Claude Kitchin of North Carolina.

This afternoon the Democrats of the House caucused upon the matter, and the position heretofore outlined by Congressman Kitchin was endorsed in the fullest degree.

Kitchin Resolution Adopted

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JUNIORS-SENIORS RECEPTION WAS GLORIOUS AFFAIR

School Youngsters Have Big Time in Celebration of Annual Event

On the evening of April 8th, the old and melancholy High School building was changed into a haven of joy and frivolity.

No pains had been spared in the execution of an elaborate color scheme at the lower hall, where the first part of the evening was spent.

Table Beautifully Decorated

The menu consisting of:

They were: Eleanor Hatcher, Ruth Young, Emily Newberry, Emily Grantham, Helen Vaughn, Lucille Thompson, and Kathleen Holland.

After a short intermission, during which chocolate and orange ice cream was served in parfait glasses, Miss Westbrook proposed a toast to the school.

One of the features of the evening was the vocal selections rendered by Miss Turbeville, whose well-modulated voice pleased her audience.

"Among Those Present"

FIND TROUBLE IN BORROWING MONEY

New York Bankers Will Lend, If Money is Kept on Deposit With Them

News and Observer.

Unofficial reports from the mission of Governor Cameron Morrison and State Treasurer B. R. Lacy to New York to market several million dollars of State bonds for road building and institutional buildings, indicate that little progress has been made toward placing the securities, and they will return later in the week to lay the results of their trip before a meeting of the council of State.

Probable return of the Governor and the Treasurer and a meeting of the Council of State Saturday morning to discuss the report they will bring with them was forecast in administrative circles yesterday.

Except for roads and custodial institutions, it was suggested by a member of the Board of Trustees of the State University that university alumni would buy State bonds to the extent of half million dollars, or enough to get the improvements at Carolina well under way before winter.

Britain Encouraging Growing Of Cotton

Heading Every Effort To Escape From Dependency on United States For Cotton

Washington, April 12.—Great Britain is heading every effort to escape from dependency upon the United States for raw cotton, according to a report to the Department of Commerce today from Commercial Attache Dennis at London.

"While our own people have been considerably aroused by the so-called British domination of the world's petroleum resources," Mr. Dennis said, "little attention has been paid to the obvious fact that as a result of the war increased opportunities for the production of raw cotton have developed within the British empire."

LAW AND ORDER LEAGUE EMPLOY'S AN ATTORNEY

Smithfield Observer.

E. S. Abell has accepted the offer made him recently by the Woman's Law Enforcement League of Johnston county to be their legal representative.

MRS. WADE AGAIN CHOSEN TO HEAD WOMAN'S CLUB

Organization Elects Officers For Coming Year—Did Wonderful Work in Last Twelve Months

Mrs. J. Lloyd Wade was chosen to succeed herself as president of the Woman's Club of Dunn when the annual election of officers last week took place.

During the last year the club has accomplished much for the welfare of Dunn and its women members.

The Lucknow Sewerage and Reclamation project is in the hands of the women entirely. If the town is successful in winning its suit against the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, the women will be able to pay for this equipment with money donated by members of the club.

Wayside Shrine Now Erected For Fallen

Near Philadelphia, Tributes To American Soldiers Killed in World War

The wayside shrine which is silent invitation to worship frequently met with along the highways and byways of Europe, is a sight in this country. Such a shrine of piety soon saw the light of day in an American landscape.

One of the few shrines erected here was put in place last long ago near Philadelphia in tribute to the memory of United States soldiers who gave up their lives in France.

The singing of the "Christian's Good Night," by the quartette formed at the church. Led by the pastor, the long procession started toward Riverside.

Cemetery Commission Perfects Organization

T. L. Riddle Elected Secretary, Mrs. W. J. Thompson Treasurer—Start Finance Campaign At Once

Organization of the Greenwood Cemetery Commission of the Town of Dunn was perfected Tuesday night pursuant to an act of the last legislature.

LAST RITES SAID FOR BELOVED JURIST

Judge Fritchard Laid to Rest in Riverside Cemetery After Impressive Service

Ashville, April 12.—The body of Judge J. Conley Fritchard was laid to rest this afternoon at Riverside cemetery with ceremonies conducted in the presence of hundreds of people from all walks of life.

Long before the hour of the funeral service, and before the tolling of the fire bell marked the cessation of all traffic and business activity for the space of three minutes about the city streets, crowds had filled to overflowing the First Baptist church.

To the soft music of the organ the church quartet sang "Jesus Saviour, Pilot Me," rendered effectively and with feeling.

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Offers Rewards For Williams Three Sons

Were Indicted With Father And Negro Farm Boss On Murder Charges

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HARDING AGAINST LEAGUE; ADVISES SEPERATE PEACE

Acceptance of Post World War Treaty of Versailles League, He Declares in Address

Washington, April 12.—Final rejection of the Versailles League of Nations by the American government was proclaimed to the world today by President Harding in a solemn pronouncement of the foreign policy of his administration.

Speaking before the new Congress, assembled to write a program of political and economic reconstruction, the President declared acceptance of the league would be nothing short of betrayal of the mandate of the November elections.

In his recommendation for domestic legislation, the President gave greatest attention to tariff and tax revision and to the railway situation, though he endorsed a list of lesser measures which Congressional leaders declared might prolong the special session until the snow flies.

An emergency tariff to correct serious dislocations in American industry was placed at the head of the President's requests, and within an hour after he finished speaking, the House ways and means committee agreed to report tomorrow the emergency measure passed at the last session and vetoed by President Wilson.

He recalled the campaign promise to separate government department of Public Health, but made no recommendation where the cabinet official should be placed at its head.

Mr. Harding's definite stand against the league covenant was not a surprise to Republican leaders of the Senate, although the exact wording of the declaration was an unexpected question until shortly before the executive left for the Capitol to deliver his address.

COLUMBIA BOBLEY RAISED TO RANK OF BRIGADIER

The many friends of Colonel A. J. Bobley, former commanding officer at Camp Bragg, will learn with interest that he was yesterday promoted from the rank of Brigadier General in the list approved by President Harding yesterday.

For the first time since the day the United States declared war on Germany, the War and Navy Building has been opened to the public. Guides who relate true and near-true stories of documents in the library have begun negotiations for their reinstatement.

PREMIER PROVIDES OPENING TO AVERT SCHEDULED STRIKE

Industrial Peace in Great Britain Now Hanging on a Slender Thread

LLOYD GEORGE SENDS LETTER TO LEADERS

Asks For Reasons For Refusal of the Government's Offer to Settle Dispute; Strike of Transport Workers and Railway Men Set for Friday.

London, April 13.—Premier Lloyd George has provided the leaders of the "Triple Alliance" with another opening for removal of negotiations in the miners' strike, and the general strike of railwaymen and transport workers in support of it, by asking for the grounds of their refusal of the government's offer.

"Dear Mr. Thomas (General Secretary of the Railway Union) and Mr. Williams, (Secretary of the Transport Workers' Federation):

"I am in receipt of your letter. The decision you report is a grave one. You threaten Friday night to dislocate the whole of the transport service of this country, so essential to the life of the nation.

"I should like to know the grounds on which you are determined to reject such a serious blow on your fellow countrymen.

"The 'Triple Alliance' set until a late hour tonight, and it was decided to send a reply to the Premier's letter.

Organized labor, however, is steadily consolidating on the side of the miners. The Amalgamated Society of Leather Workers and Firemen, whose attitude previously had been doubtful, decided today to execute of the 'Triple Alliance'. The Railway Clerks' Association also recommended joining the strike.

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HOMICIDE IN MINGO

Sampson Democrat.