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UNITED STATES FOR PEACE

Treaty With France Along Same Line as England's. Will Stop all Wars.

Washington, March 23—Robert Bacon, the American Ambassador to France, had a conference with President Taft and later was a luncheon guest at the White House. His visit was given an additional interest at this time owing to the fact that there is a general belief here that negotiations soon may be opened between the United States and France looking to the adoption of an arbitration treaty similar to the one that has been proposed between the United States and Great Britain.

Such a treaty would provide for the submission of all matters in dispute between the two countries, even including those of national honor and territory to an arbitral court and would make war practically impossible.

President Taft continues to receive reports daily of the favor with which his proposal has been received in Great Britain and is deeply gratified over the fact. The movement seems to have struck a popular chord in Europe, according to reports received at the White House and there is a chance that other countries even than France eventually may be brought into an arbitration agreement with the United States.

The President feels that if he can negotiate one or two treaties of this kind they will stand as the greatest success of his administration.

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Beaufort Notes.

Beaufort, March 23—The whale which was caught near here a few days ago was a good catch in every way as it has netted \$1,000.

This week off the Hook a haul of 35,000 lbs. of trout was made. 30 thousand of these were sold in varying lots from two to ten thousand pounds each at from two to two and one half cents per pound after selling thirty thousand pounds the demand was filled up, the remaining five thousand pounds being left on the beach.

"Foley's Honey and Tar is the best cough remedy I ever used as it quickly stopped a severe cough that had long troubled me," says J. W. Kuhn, Princeton, N.C. Just so quickly and surely it acts in all cases of coughs, colds, grippe and lung trouble. Refuse substitutes.—F. S. Duffy.

GRAND DISPLAY OF MILLINERY

At Miss Lette's Millinery Parlors Last Night Exhibit in Progress Today.

Beautiful hats, lovely women faultlessly attired and the whole making a scene of splendor greeted the visitors to Miss Lette's milliner parlors last evening when she inaugurated her Spring opening. It had been announced that the doors of this popular little establishment would be opened at six o'clock, but long before that time numbers of visitors had arrived.

The interior of the store was indeed a revelation in the art of decorating. The beautiful potted plants, artificial flowers and bamboo were used to a good advantage. Crepe paper attractively placed around the electric lights made their rays have the appearance of being filtered through filmy lace. Hundreds of beautiful hats were on display and many of them were priced very highly by the feminine admirers.

Small hats are very much in vogue this season and a number of designs were on display. Among these in the line of hats, a very popular little hat shaped like those worn by ancient chivalry. Large hats too are destined to be very popular. In these the hats or wares making Dutch predominates.

The Successful Career.

of a young man or woman depends upon the amount of energy and initiative they possess. It is not the amount of money they have, but the way they use it that counts. The man who has the habit of saving his money and investing it in a safe and profitable way will be successful in his career.

THREE NEGROES BOUND OVER

To Superior Court Charged With Stealing One Hundred and Fifteen Dollars.

Among the cases heard by the Mayor yesterday was one wherein three negroes, Oscar White, Dave Bryan and Charles Sade were accused of robbing from another negro, Ed Moore, one hundred and fifteen dollars.

Moore had been to the West End lot since Wednesday. Feeling pretty good from the effect of a liberal libation of bog juice and the knowledge of possessing a tidy little sum of money he proudly if indiscreetly exhibited his roll to anyone who was interested enough to take notice. The three negroes just mentioned became very much interested and followed Moore home, where one of them bantered him for a wrestle and while the game was in progress another removed the pocket book from Moore's pocket. The other negro who was sitting on a day acted as a 'fence.' Moore reported his loss to police headquarters. Officer Foscoe was detailed to work up the case and he used considerable adroitness and expedition in detecting the robbers. Each one of them was arrested separately and apart and one knew not what the others had told.

When they realized that they were in the toils of the law they were anxious to make restitution to their victim. This, of course, they could not do at the time so they gave Officer Foscoe the money, at least, \$90 of it. The rest of it was not accounted for.

Mayor McCarthy held all three in bonds of \$300.00 each for appearance at the next term of Superior Court for Craven County, in default of which they were sent to jail.

If your neighbors chickens like your vegetables you better see the J. S. Basnight Hdw Co., and purchase a Pitts-burgh Perfect Fence to change the range for their appetites. Phone 99, 67 S. Front St.

Land Sale at Oriental Tomorrow.

Tomorrow (Saturday) morning at 10:30 o'clock one of the greatest land sales ever conducted in that section, will be held at Oriental, Paullico county. The Southern Realty Company, of Greensboro, will have charge of this sale and all who purchase may be assured of fair treatment. The majority of lots that are to be sold are situated along beautiful Neuse river and will make ideal places for homes. Ten years ago this little town was almost unheard of, now it is one of the most promising villages in that county. This only shows the rapid growth. Ten year's hence it will probably be as large as any town in Eastern Carolina. Buy property there now while you can secure it at almost your own price.

EDWARD NOTES.

The weather at present is very pleasant and our farmers are getting busy.

Elder W. G. Windfield addressed quite a large and enthusiastic congregation Saturday night and Sunday last.

Mr. S. T. Wall made a brief visit to Suall Sunday.

Mr. E. B. Walker was the guest of Mrs. Anzela Rowe and family Sunday last.

Mr. H. H. Linn, of Aurora, was in our midst on Sunday last.

Most of the young people in this section are thought to be killed by the recent frost.

Mr. Henry Clayton, of Craven county, visited friends near Edward Sunday afternoon.

Miss Joe Walker was the guest of Miss Maggie Clayton near Edward Sunday night.

Ms. William Faye was a guest of Mr. C. H. Talley, Sunday.

Mr. T. E. Howe, who has been quite sick, is now recuperating.

The daily exercises at the City Mill school were held Friday night, March 17th. The school building, which is a large one, was crowded to the capacity and many were unable to attend.

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DEMONSTRATION FOR WORLD'S

Peace in President's Explanation of Movement Around Mexico. Preparedness Shown.

Washington, March 23—A martial demonstration in the interest of peace comparable with the world cruises of the battleship fleet.

This was the latest explanation of the Mexican situation made by the Administration. The mobilization of troops along the Mexican border, it was declared, was to prove preparedness on the part of the United States to cope with events which it was hoped would not transpire for the very reason that Uncle Sam was ready for them.

The world's cruise of the battleship fleet was a notification to Japan that America had strength enough to maintain peace. The "maneuvers" along the Mexican border in a similar notice to Mexico and all other interested nations.

The Administration has never figured on any immediate exigency, it was said save protection of American property and lives, in case untoward events in the revolution forced a decisive step. President Taft has realized from the very start of the "maneuvers" that Congressional sanction was necessary for invasion. But he did not need Congressional aid to mass the troops in anticipation of possible emergencies.

Announcement.

I hereby at once announce myself a safe candidate, and may I now thank my many friends for past patronage. I now shall cut prices on all kinds of sawed shingles, a large stock on hand, must be sold by April 14th; will close out cheap as I expect to make some change in my business. You win and I lose.

BIG HILL The Stingle Man.

Again the Banana Peel.

An accident that came near causing one of our local attorneys a number of severe bruises and at the same time brought to our mind a reflection we once saw which ran like this: "The lawyer fell, and tore his clothes, and the mishap made him feel that as the phraseology goes, 'He'd lost a suit on appeal.'"

occurred near the Elks Temple yesterday morning when the gentleman stopped on a banana peel that had been carelessly thrown on the sidewalk. Fortunately for him he escaped with only a few scratches on his hand and a wrenched back.

AEROPLANE SMUGGLING DANGEROUS

Machine Falls With Plunder. Aviator Broke Both Legs. Was Caught.

Geneva, March 23.—The first attempt to use the aeroplane for smuggling will likely result in the death of an Italian aviator named Smeroglio. He lies in the Geneva hospital with both legs and his collar bone broken and suffering from exposure to the cold.

Smeroglio came to grief while flying over Mount Genev with a cargo of dutiable goods, which he was attempting to bring in from Italy. His machine fell and was wrecked. Terribly injured, he lay all night in the snow, and was found today by customs officers, nearly frozen to death from cold.

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