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CUMMINGS STANDS BACK OF TREATY IN KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Declares League of Nations is Absolutely Essential to United States.

PEACE TREATY DEFEAT CRIME AGAINST PEOPLE

Temporary Convention Chairman Says Republican Platform is Reactionary.

San Francisco, June 23.—The League of Nations covenant was championed in the "Monroe doctrine of the world" by Homer Cummings, temporary chairman of the Democratic national convention, in his keynote address here today.

Of the peace treaty's defeat in the senate, he said: "No blacker crime against civilization has ever stained the pages of our history."

He characterized the Republican platform as "reactionary and provincial," "filled with premeditated slanders and vague promises, it will be warred in vain for one constructive suggestion for the reformation of the conditions which it criticizes and denounces," he continued.

"The oppressed peoples of the earth will look to it in vain. It contains no message of hope for Ireland; no word of mercy for Armenia; and it conceals a sword for Mexico. It is the work of men concerned more with material things than with human rights. It contains no thought, no purpose which can give impulse or thrill to those who have liberty and hope to make the world a safer and happier place for the average man."

He declared that the peace time record of the democratic party from March, 1913 to the outbreak of the world war has so its credit "more effective, constructive and remedial legislation than the Republican party had placed upon the statute books in a generation."

Praising the administration's course in the war, he said: "We fought a great war, for a great cause and we had a leadership that carried America to greater heights of honor and power and glory than she has ever known before in her entire history."

"Let no one misunderstand us. These great affairs were carried forward under the stimulus of American patriotism, supported by the courage and spirit of our people. All this is freely and gladly acknowledged, but surely the time has come when, because of the calculated criticism and premeditated calumnies of the opposition, we are entitled to call attention to the fact that all of these things were accomplished under the leadership of a great Democrat and of a great Democratic Administration. If the Republican leader are not able to rejoice with us in this American triumph they should have; the grace to remain silent, for it does not lie in the mouths of those who conducted the Spanish-American war to indulge in the luxury of criticism."

Referring to congressional investigations by "smelling committees," he said that over 80 investigations have made, over two million dollars wasted and "the result has been to prove that it was the cleanest war ever fought in the history of civilization."

"The Republican party became so fixed in its incorrigible habit of conducting investigations that it finally turned to the fruitful task of investigating itself. They discovered fraud and gross and inexcusable expenditures. The revelations disclose the fact that the meeting at Chicago was not a convention but an auction. The highest bidder, however, did not get the prize. The publicity which overtook the proceedings frustrated the initial purpose. The Chicago convention left the Democratic party as the sole custodian of the honor of the country."

LIGHTNING DESTROYS STABLES AND FARM IMPLEMENTS

A few days ago lightning struck the stables on the farm of Mrs. Allee King, destroying the stables, farm implements and feed. Two mules, which were also in the stables were burned to death.

PROHIBITION ISSUE LAUNCHED BOLDLY AT SAN FRANCISCO

William Jennings Bryan Pro- duces Plank in Favor of Dry Elements.

BURLESON SEES THINGS IN A WET KIND OF WAY

In Fact, It Seems Now That
A Pretty Stiff Fight
Awaits Issue.

San Francisco, June 23.—Both wets and dries today launched their planks on the Democratic seas of alcoholic differences with a stormy passage promised to the final harbor of the convention floor.

For the dries, Wm. J. Bryan made public his proposed plank a sweeping stand law without increase in alcoholic content for enforcement of the Volstead act.

From the wet camp came alternate planks drafted by Postmaster General Burleson. One declares for "individual liberty" and modification of the Volstead law to remove its "drastic and unreasonable features," and the alternate for amendment permitting beverages "in fact not intoxicating."

The planks are to be presented to the resolutions committee upon its organization, and regardless of the outcome there it was generally expected that the liquor fight would reach the convention floor.

With both wet and dry factions working hard through the Sabbath, there also was a strong movement to (Continued on page four.)

TELLS OF EFFORT TO MAKE MOSCOW BUSINESS CENTER

Letish Information Bureau Issues Information Concerning Activity.

London, June 23.—An attempt to make Moscow look a busy and prosperous city during the visit to that city of the English Labor delegates is told by the Letish Information Bureau, whose Press bureau at Riga has a special correspondent attached to the peace delegation in Moscow.

"The various institutions in Soviet Russia had for a long time been busy in making preparations for the reception of the English Labor delegates in order to show to them Russia in attractive colors," says the correspondent. In Petrograd, where as a rule almost no people are to be seen in the streets, all the officials were ordered to take part in the reception. Theatrical representations and grandiose banquets were organized with the participation of actresses from the Marinski and Alexandrovski theatres. The delegates were taken to Moscow in a special train, accompanied by Tcherkes soldiers in bright uniforms.

In Moscow, the day before the arrival of the English delegates, all the papers published strict orders issued by the military and civil commissaries setting out what every body had to do and how to behave. On May 17 the tramway service in the city was suspended, all the cars being taken to the neighborhood of the Nikolasvski station where gaily decorated, they moved to and fro, trying to convey to the visitors the idea of busy traffic.

In the station all the cars from Moscow were mobilized even the highest commissaries having to walk. On May 18 a parade was organized but no private persons were allowed to be present. This is the way the Bolsheviks organized the trag-comedy of the communistic paradise in order to deceive the English visitors as to the real state of Soviet Russia.

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DECLARES M'ADOO WILL ACCEPT IF NOMINATED AT PARTY CONVENTION

San Francisco, June 23.—Friends of William G. McAdoo have received what they characterize as assurance that if nominated Mr. McAdoo will accept. The definite statement that Mr. McAdoo would accept was made by Thomas B. Love, National committeeman from Texas.

"I say with assurance, that if nominated, he will accept," Mr. Love declared in a formal statement.

While Mr. Love declined to elaborate, McAdoo supporters were unanimous in declaring that it might be taken as authentic. Mr. Love is one of Mr. McAdoo's close personal friends, was an assistant secretary of the treasury under him, and during the last year has been very active in creating McAdoo sentiment.

Mr. Love's statement follows:

"The question is frequently asked whether, in view of Mr. McAdoo's sincere desire that his name not be presented to the convention, he would accept the nomination if made."

"I say with assurance, that if nominated, he will accept."

The constantly increasing demand for McAdoo's nomination among arriving unattached delegates convinces me that he will be nominated. Texas will cast forty votes for him from the beginning and he is nominated."

Word that Mr. Love was assuming that Mr. McAdoo would accept the nomination spread rapidly through the ranks of the delegates and displaced all other topics. Up to that time the McAdoo boomers had been working to hold their candidate in the reserve and bring him out at a moment when it appeared either Cox or Palmer would be nominated.

This, they explained, had been forced upon them by Mr. McAdoo's repeated declarations that he would not accept the nomination.

JOHN SMALL WILL SAIL FOR FOREIGN NATIONS SHORTLY

Tar Heel Among Republican Delegates on Inspection Tour of Orient.

Washington, June 23.—Congressman John H. Small will be a lone Tar Heel Democrat among a number of Republicans who will sail from San Francisco around July 5 for the Philippine Islands and the Orient. Although this gigantic junket is an affair initiated by a California Democrat of more or less independent persuasion, few of the minority members are joining it. Over in the Senate, Senator W. J. Harris is going, but he, like Mr. Small, is in the minority.

There are three things to be done on the trip. The first, of course, is to see everything to be seen from this far east to San Francisco and then take in the scenery from San Francisco to the Orient, including stop overs in the Philippines and the Hawaiian Islands. A second thing is to inspect government reservations like Yellowstone Park and the Philippine fortifications. The third thing to be done is to make one's self believe the trip really has a useful purpose and that the government is getting something out of it.

In order to perform the last part of this triple task, every Republican member leaves as a self-appointed member of some sub-committee of the House or Senate. Congressman Small has no companions whatever about the trip he did have, his reason for going is as good as that of the next member, he will soon be out of congress, but if could, as ranking Democrat on the rivers and harbors committee, appoint himself a sub-committee of one to inspect the San Francisco harbor.

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FRANCE RESTORES PEACE AND ORDER IN THRACE REGION

French Administration Pointed Out as Example of Mandate Benefit.

PUBLIC ORDER EASILY MAINTAINED IN WEST Territory No Longer in Disturbed State and Endangered by War.

Adrianople, June 23.—The French administration, accompanied by a small army of occupation, in Western Thrace is being pointed to here as an example of the benefits a mandate would accomplish under the League of Nations.

The French civil administration began its work in the latter part of last November, and into a country full of warring bands of various nationalities it has brought peace and order, permitted the planting of crops, and the normal pre-war life of the country to be pursued.

When the French took over the country every man's hand was raised against the other. Alarmists rumors about the arrival of the British and Greek, Bulgarian and Turkish troops were circulated frequently. The French took over Bulgarian administration, and for the most part the Bulgarian civilian employes, whom the French found efficient. In order to insure the honesty of these officials the French have adopted the system in many localities where the Turks or the Bulgarians are majority of putting alongside of a Greek chief official, a Bulgarian secretary and vice versa in localities where the Turks or the Greeks are in majority.

The French have in all, including (Continued on page four.)

TIRED OF EVADING CAPTURE, ESCAPED PRISONER GIVES UP

Hilly Cradle, Colored, Tells Local Officer He's Ready to Go Back to Pen.

Hilly Cradle, colored man about 24 years of age, who escaped from the state penitentiary two years ago voluntarily surrendered himself to Police-man Jess Whichard here this morning that he was tired of browsing about the country, bothered by fear of detection at every step and desired to be returned to the penitentiary to serve the remainder of his term of ten years.

Cradle's home is in Swan Quarter. He was convicted on a charge of house breaking about four years ago, and sentenced to ten years in the state prison. He served two years, and decided that liberty was decidedly more desirable than the close confinement of prison walls, and at the first opportunity made his escape. According to information the police he has been wandering from one section of the country to the other for the past two years, several times narrowly evading detection, but finally reaching the conclusion that such liberty was too unsteady and provoking for the nerves.

"Yes, I want to go back and serve the rest of my term," the negro told Policeman Whichard. "Knocking about over the country sounds mighty good to a fellow behind the bars, but after you get out and try to keep policemen from getting you, it's something a man can't stand long at the time."

The negro was taken in custody by the officer and will be held in the county jail here until definite information for his disposal is received from Raleigh. He came to Greenville from Ayden in the morning train, deciding on his way here that he was disgusted with further efforts to evade detectives.

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LATE COMMISSION TO GOVERN GERMAN MILITARY ACTIVITY

Military Control Commission to Form Allied Relation With Germany.

NO PLACE IN GERMANY EXEMPT FROM SURVEY

Sub-Committees Appoints
Agents to Act in Potential
Militarism.

Washington, June 23.—Official advice received here state that the Allied Military Control Commission with Marshal Foch as its supreme directing head, ex-officio, constitutes now the keystone of Allied relations with Germany. It is declared that so long as the commission continues to function revival of German militarism is able to exceed in importance even the Reparations Commission since former President Poincare resigned from the Reparations body because the Allies had decided to limit its authority and since the naval and air commissions have been relegated to positions of secondary importance.

The Military Control Commission began to function as soon as the treaty of Versailles became effective.

Presided over by General Nollet of the French Army with headquarters in Berlin and reporting to Marshal Foch, the Commission, in addition to its supervision of German disarmament, has taken an active interest in the political and military developments in Germany. Reports of the recapture of Prussian military bases in East Prussia and Pomerania first emanated from reports of the Commission to the supreme council.

A sub-committee of the Commission was sent into the Ruhr district for in- (Continued on page four.)

SENTIMENT GROWS IN THE STATE FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE

Tar Heels at Frisco Appear to be in Favor of Giving Women Chances.

San Francisco, June 23.—Strong sentiment for ratification of the Federal suffrage amendment is developing among members of the North Carolina delegation to the Democratic National convention, and it is possible that the convention may take some action towards urging action by the Tar Heel legislature, when it meets in special session in the near future.

Party leaders in the State, personally opposed to equal suffrage, are now disposed to secure prompt ratification, because they believe it means Democratic victory in the fall. They realize that the thirty-sixth State will be secured and can see no reason why North Carolina shouldn't render this service to Democracy.

Secretary Daniels has invited the North Carolinians attending the convention to be his guests at a dinner aboard the battleship New Mexico Monday evening. The secretary called at the North Carolina delegation's headquarters at the Grand hotel Saturday to pay his respects to members and extend the invitation.

National Committeeman A. Wilton McLean has secured tickets of admission to the convention for all North Carolinians here. A hundred thousand and Californians have been denied the same privilege, as the hall will seat only ten thousand.

Misses Lila Henkel, Katy Norwood, Marguerite Bellamy, Frances Williamson, Lucy Williams and Emma Williamson, who accompanied the delegation on its trip west, have been appointed assistant sergeants-at-arms for North Carolina.

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M'ADOO TO ACCEPT IF NOMINATED FOR LEADER OF NATION

Announcement of Decision Nearly Overturns Entire Lineup of Candidates

GENERAL RUSH BEGINS TOWARD M'ADOO IDEALS

Democratic Convention to Have
the "Big Three" as Did
the Republicans.

San Francisco, June 23.—Announcement here tonight that Wm. G. McAdoo would not reject the Democratic presidential nomination overturned the whole situation as to candidates before the convention which now is to have its "big three."

National Committeeman Love, of Texas, regarded as McAdoo's spokesman without specifications publicity states he has assurances that Mr. McAdoo would accept if nominated.

He declined to amplify his statement. The McAdoo movement, which had been straining at the leash, took on a new meaning and his boomers at once asserted that they would be high in the list when the first ballot was concluded.

Rival forces were not certain what would be the effect of Mr. Love's announcement. The Cox camp asserted early in the day that everything possible would be done to bring the McAdoo movement out into the open to force an early show of strength.

Some Palmer supporters conceded that McAdoo as an active candidate from the beginning probably would reduce the Attorney General's vote on the first ballot, but they said they also welcomed a clean open contest from the start.

There was immediately a return of strength from original McAdoo boomers, who have been straying away into other camps as the former secretary has repeatedly declared he would not become a candidate. Delegates who had not originally made him their first choice, but made him second on his statements of declination, immediately returned his name to first place. Various State delegations holding caucuses agreed to vote for him.

As the news of Mr. Love's statement spread among the delegates there was a turning movement, which began sweeping the delegates who prefer McAdoo into a cohesive force, which began at once to renew efforts to bring about his nomination.

Up to the time of Mr. Love's statement McAdoo boomers were estimating their strength from 250 to as high as 600.

The first effect of Mr. Love's statement was to create an immediate demand for further and more authoritative information. In view of Mr. McAdoo's repeated declarations that he did not wish to become a candidate, many expressed the views that something should be given to the delegates either from Mr. McAdoo himself or bearing in an unmistakable way his approval.

Issues will furnish the battle ground for the Democratic National Convention.

CONVENTION LEADERS PREPARE FOR CONTEST OVER PARTY PLATFORM

San Francisco, June 23.—Delegates and leaders prepared for fight over both platform and candidates as the Democratic national convention assembled for the opening session here today. The actual convention work itself was preliminary and perfunctory. The keynote speech of Homer S. Cummings, as temporary chairman, was the principal feature of the day's program. Later in the day newly selected convention committees were to finish the first real developments as they began tasks of writing the platform, hearing appeals from contests over delegates seats and making up convention rules and seats of permanent convention officers.

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Some of those Republican presidential candidates are no doubt watching Mr. McAdoo with interest, wondering why they weren't retiring enough to make the people seek them instead of seeking the people. They may profit by paying close attention to future devel-

opments, and be able to enter the next campaign more fully prepared as to policy.

Herbert Hoover wants the Republicans to ratify the treaty, leaving out Article X, but as Mr. Hoover's desires do not happen to dominate the entire country it is hardly probable they will be gratified. Fortunately people are capable of thinking for themselves, and cannot be coaxed into adverse ways by such leaders as Mr. Hoover.

Harding really has slipped off on a much needed vacation, according to the papers, so now we'll have something great to hear when he gets that speech of acceptance all cut and dried. He has a peculiar way of doing things according to his own way of thinking, but as his way and the people's way diverge somewhat, the speech will have to be eloquent indeed to change present impressions.

Senator Reed, of Missouri, has been denied a seat in the Democratic National Convention, not because of his opposition to the league of nations, but because he talks about things not altogether agreeable to broad-minded people. This action by the convention should prove a lesson to others, and also learn Mr. Reed that he is not the only one in the mesh of political entanglements.

The McAdoo boom has become so generally interesting that people are

expecting something out of the ordinary to happen at any moment. It is almost certain now that his name will be placed in nomination in San Francisco, and if he is nominated, there is nothing for him to do but accept. He may be financially embarrassed as far as campaign expenses are concerned, but if the people want him and are bound to have him, certainly he can't refuse such unfeigned honor. The situation is one of the most interesting in many years, for usually there are other aspirants desired by the people, but this time the people apparently want Mr. McAdoo and intend to have him if such a thing becomes possible.

Bryan, Walsh and Read will constitute the leading opposition to the league of nations at the national convention, but as this is nothing more than has been expected all along, it is hardly probably the fight will be sufficiently convincing as to cause the administration leaders to forget the mission of the nation. Substitutes for the league may be presented as intimated, but it is safe to say the convention is not going to take up much time in considering anything which will not improve the issue. The league has its weak points, but as these are favorable to all nations involved there is no reason for improvement. It is approved by other countries equally as great as the United States, so why should not the American people favor it.

Factionalism, however, reaches a long ways in all things, but it is believe-

able that this will be one time when it will not go very far.

It is gratifying to note that Tar Heels at the convention are standing firmly behind the Wilson administration and the League of Nations plank, for it gives assurance that there will be no lack of support in either case. The president and the league of nations are expressive of the very highest forms of civilization, and if they are adequately supported, at the convention, as they will be, then the United States will have nothing to regret in the future. Secretary Glass will do more than any one person to give the Wilson ideals an ascendent position in the convention platform, and if he is supported, that will be all the party requires because these ideals represent the highest standards of the people and cannot be replaced by substitutes. If Democracy is to endure the president's lofty ideals must be the foundation for its success for he expresses the highest ambition of the times always.

It seems now that the greatest attraction of the Democratic national convention is centered around the plank on profiteering, league of nations, industrial relations, and last but not least, the prohibition question. It has been urged that the latter matter be given its little consideration as possible, but that every effort be made to prevent the possibility of any wet plank becoming a part of the platform. Representative Upshaw, of Georgia, believes it will be advisable to drop the

prohibition plank controversy entirely, but suggests that any wet plank be kept out by all means. The suggestion is no doubt a good one, for the supreme court has settled the question definitely, and leaves no opening for the issue becoming unconstitutional. The convention has many other matters deserving of more pressing consideration and it would be advisable for Mr. Bryan to put more time in these matters and leave prohibition alone.

Representative Upshaw of Georgia has written President Wilson "that it would have a wholesome and composing effect if you would declare before the gavel falls that you would not accept a third term." While there are some who agree with the distinguished Georgian, there are others however who feel that President Wilson would mean the same to the country in administration of duties in a third time that he has in the second. In fact, the president today yields the same powerful influence with the masses of people that he always has, and if he has given a third term any consideration whatever it is safe to say administration leaders will rally around him as devotedly as the people. Such men as Mr. Wilson are not found by a nation every year nor every few years, for he has shown the people that he is perfectly capable of handling the government far better than most high officials. He has not intimidated by word or deed that he would consider a third term, but if the people place him in nomination at the convention there is little doubt but that he will accept.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF PITT COUNTY.

I deeply appreciate the support of those who voted for me in the primary on June 5th. The office of county commissioner is one of responsibility and if nominated by you in the second primary, held on July 3rd, I will hold the office to the best of my ability. I ask all who voted for me to vote again on July 3rd and will appreciate the vote of others who voted for other candidates.

J. E. HARDEE.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF PITT COUNTY.

I heartily appreciate the support given me by you in the primary on June the fifth and assure you, that I have the very warmest feelings as I concede to every free man his right to cast his vote as he sees fit. From reports over the country since the last primary I feel that I will be nominated on July 3rd and will appreciate your help on that date.

Yours truly, N. W. OUTLAW.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Ned Fields, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned, duly itemized and verified, on or before the 22nd of May 1921, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment to the undersigned. This the 22d day of May, 1921. W. L. CORBETT, Administrator. J. J. CLEMENSONS, Attorney at Law.

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TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF NORTH CAROLINA:

I publish the above statement of leading citizens in all walks in life from Mecklenburg and Richmond counties showing the esteem in which Hon. Cameron Morrison, candidate for Governor is held by his home people. I have tried since I have been here to prevent any untruths from being circulated on any candidate. There went out from the city of Raleigh a mass of untruths about Hon. Cameron Morrison on Saturday, June 12, 1920, which have been circulated all over Eastern North Carolina and elsewhere. These untruths were all scattered at the same time, and I heard they were to be scattered, and immediately I received word from all over the East and elsewhere that they had been scattered. They were scattered far and wide for an unholy purpose. Besides these untruths that have been broadcast over the East another diabolical untruth has been scattered, which is that some of the supporters of Hon. Cameron Morrison had a cartoon of Mr. Gardner going to the polls between two negro women. I have investigated this matter thoroughly and denounce it as a base untruth. They have gone so far as to try to insinuate and state that Mr. Morrison has changed his personal views on woman suffrage. No man has ever fought this issue stronger than Mr. Morrison, and they are now trying to misrepresent his personal views on this subject by reason of the fact that he is a party Democrat and stands on the platform of his party.

I desire to state further that I have known the Hon. Cameron Morrison for thirty years. I desire to make a statement that is personal and I ask the indulgence of the public in doing this: My father was a brave Confederate soldier, was in Hoke's Division and was with Johnson's army when it surrendered at Greensboro, and commanded the Sharp Shooters in the defense of Fort Sumter in 1863. He served through the entire war, and was wounded several times, and I had six uncles of my name in the war.

I was on the Democratic executive committee of the State from 1890 to 1901 and in the White Supremacy Legislature and voted and helped to save the East from negro domination, and know the great work Hon. Cameron Morrison did in redeeming the State. I have never scratched and stood by the Democratic party, as my father did before me.

Before I volunteered to help my friend, Hon. Cameron Morrison, I knew his life work, record and character and knew it was without reproach. Knowing his heroic life and his unselfish conduct in behalf of friends and even of foes, I was obsessed with the belief that he deserved this nomination and ought to be elected Governor of this great State.

I have been here nearly three months, working 17 hours a day, Sunday excepted, in his behalf and will be here until sunset July 3. The West, as between Mr. Gardner and Mr. Morrison, has said in unmistakable language by their vote that they want Mr. Morrison for Governor of North Carolina. I call upon the East to ratify what the West has done, as it is the western turn for governorship, and vote for Mr. Morrison. I have tried to be conservative in my statements to the public. It was said by the opposition the night before the primary and numerous times before that they would win over Mr. Page and Mr. Morrison both in the first primary. It was scattered over the State that they had won by ten thousand majority, then the word came three thousand, then the county was made by that honest careful Election Board composed of both Democrats and Republicans, the chairman of which is Col. Wilson G. Lamb, a man of unimpeachable character, and showed that Mr. Morrison lead Mr. Gardner by 87 votes.

Mr. Gardner has requested a second primary. I shall continue this fight on a high plane. I appeal to the supporters of Mr. Morrison to denounce the untruths, do it with forbearance and judgment.

I think the general public will bear me out in saying that the predictions that I have heretofore made have been correct, and I desire to state now that 75 per cent at least of Hon. Robt. N. Page's supporters in North Carolina will vote for Mr. Morrison.

People of North Carolina want to campaign on a high plane, worthy of a great State. I appeal to the supporters of Mr. Morrison and Mr. Page, as there can be no victory for Mr. Morrison without the Page support, and it will be a joint victory of Page and Morrison supporters to actively get into this fight and work until sunset July 3, and I make a prediction, as I did before, that Mr. Morrison would lead in the first primary—that he will be the next Governor of North Carolina.

I call upon his followers over the State to quit their business and get into this fight, and be at the polls July 3, and see that this great Statesman and high-minded North Carolinian is elected Governor of this great Commonwealth. HERIOT CLARKSON, Manager.

PERSONAL.

Mr. M. L. Finch, of Fayetteville, spent Sunday in this city.

Mr. E. B. Nelson, of Raleigh, spent several hours in Greenville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Lincke, of Nashville, were here Sunday.

Mr. W. R. Wilson spent Sunday in Norfolk.

Mr. D. B. Carter returned Sunday from Creedmore.

Mr. H. A. White has gone to Seven Springs for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Greene, of Kinston, spent Sunday here.

Miss Elizabeth Hines, of Kinston, is visiting her brother, Mr. J. M. Hines.

Messrs. R. F. Smith and C. L. Parker, of Mount Olive, are business visitors in Greenville today.

Mr. J. H. White, of Greensboro, is among business visitors in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Forbes, of Goldsboro, spent the week-end with relatives here.

Messrs. B. B. Suggs and R. Williams returned Sunday evening from Seven Springs.

Mr. R. L. Humber is home from Howard University to spend a few days.

Messrs. B. S. Warren, W. L. Best and J. C. Gaskins have returned from Atlantic City.

DEEDS OF TRANSFER FILED SINCE REPORTS SATURDAY

The following deeds of transfer have been filed in the office of the register of deeds for registration since the report of Saturday evening:

O. W. Rollins, to S. F. Harper, consideration \$28000.

J. L. Simmons to W. J. Dunn, consideration \$4050.

D. B. Carter and wife to E. G. Joyner, consideration \$100.

Mr. Clayroe Smith of Kinston, N. C., arrived in the city yesterday and has accepted a position with the Proctor Hotel Barber Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Black and Mrs. W. K. Jacobson from Washington, motored to Greenville Sunday and were the guests of Mrs. Jordan's sister, Mrs. J. S. Willard.

NOTICE.

North Carolina Pitt County.

We, the undersigned citizens of the County of Pitt and State of North Carolina, recognizing the fact that the Clay Root section of Pitt County has not been represented on the Board of Commissioners of Pitt County for a whole generation and believing that said section of the County should be represented on said Board of Commissioners, and further believing that L. E. Smith a prominent business man, merchant and farmer of said section is eminently qualified and fitted for the office of County Commissioner, we take pleasure in recommending him to the voters of Pitt county and we ask that the democratic voters in every section of the county vote for Mr. L. E. Smith for the office of county commissioner at the next Democratic Primary to be held on July 3rd, 1926.

Signed John W. Buck, Jim Buck, B. A. Gardner, R. L. Johnson, J. H. Stocks, R. G. Taylor, Claude Hardee, C. E. Spear, C. L. Stokes, J. M. Dixon, L. C. Turnage, E. O. Smith, L. A. Edwards, John Buck

BARACCAS IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH ELECT OFFICERS.

The Baracca Class of the Immanuel Baptist church held its annual election for officers yesterday. A large number of the members were present, besides several visitors. The election resulted as follows: President, Bernie Warren, vice-president, T. J. Palmer, secretary and treasurer, S. E. Ricks, teacher, Dr. J. B. Turner.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED SINCE REPORTS SATURDAY

The following marriage licenses have been issued by the register of deeds since Saturday's report:

White—Miss Sallie Ella Jones to Mr. W. S. Cole, both of Pitt county.

Colored—Julia West to Dan Graham, both of Greenville township.

Puss Little to Herbert Teel, both of Greenville section.

Rachel McGowan to Charlie Darden, both of Ayden township.

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Pitt County Fair Ground

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IS THERE NEAR GREENVILLE A man really willing to work to prove worthy of an unusual offer? Should preferably be a salesman; otherwise a man who knows something about seeds or truck growing, part time will do at first. Wing Seed Co., Mechanicsburg, Ohio. 26-1f

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WANTED - HIGH CLASS MAN ON commission for Greenville and vicinity, to sell our full assortment beautiful trees, shrubbery, hedges, roses. We pay full selling commission weekly. Part or whole time year 'round. Any intelligent and thoroughly reliable man can make good money. In these times. Well rated references required. First National Nurseries, Rochester, N. Y. 29

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Having this day qualified as executor of the last will and testament of J. T. Evans, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present same for payment within twelve months from date to the undersigned and all parties owing said estate will make immediate payment to E. F. Tucker.

This 25 day June, 1920.

E. F. TUCKER,

ex July Executor

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LATE COMMISSION TO GOVERN GERMAN MILITARY ACTIVITY

Investigation under command of the French Major Graf and it was the report of this mission to official advice, which formed the basis for French contentions at San Remo of German duplicity.

The work of the commission is divided into two general subjects; effectives and armaments. The sub-committee devoted to the subject of effectives is concerned with the size and organization of the German army while the sub-committee on armaments is concerned chiefly with maintaining a proper reduction of stocks of guns and ammunition in Germany.

No place in Germany is exempt from investigation by representatives of these committees as authority of the supreme council in the past has been invoked several times to obtain execution of the commission's demands.

The two sub-committees, in an effort to maintain strict police over potential German militarism, have organized numerous agents into district sub-committees throughout Germany. Such district committees on effectives are presided over by French officers in Pomerania and Schleswig, East Prussia, Bavaria, and Silesia; by British in Berlin and Saxony; by an Italian in Baden and Wurtenburg, and a Belgian in Westphalia and Hanover. Similarly, sub-committees on armaments have as their heads, French officers in Pomerania and Schleswig, Frankfurt, Hanover and Saxony; British, in East Prussia, Westphalia, Hanover, Cologne, and Silesia; Italian, in Berlin and Bavaria; and Belgian in Baden and Wurtenburg.

FRANCE RESTORES PEACE AND ORDER IN THRACE REGION

(Continued from page one.) constabulary, not more than 500 of their own chief administrators. These are generally officers detailed from the army who have had experience in the French colonies. Thus with the skeleton French staff, the French have been able to obtain a reasonable efficiency.

When the French came they had 1,500,000 francs put at their disposal by their government for administrative expenses but so far they have not spent one franc of this sum. They immediately levied indirect taxes and for the period they have been in the country these have been practically double the expenses of the civil administration.

PROHIBITION ISSUE LAUNCHED BOLDLY N AT S. N FRANCISCO

(Continued from page one.) prevent any mention of the liquor question in the platform a movement backed by many powerful leaders.

The Bryan prohibition plank follows: "We heartily congratulate the Democratic party on its splendid leadership in the submission and ratification of the prohibition amendment to the Federal constitution and we pledge the party to the effective enforcement of the Volstead law, honestly and in good faith without any increase in the alcoholic content of permitted beverages and without any weakening of any other of its provisions."

"I guess here is no doubt about what that means," said Mr. Bryan. "We will give every delegate a chance to go on record for or against it. I expect to have it adopted by the resolutions committee."

Mr. Burleson, after reading the Bryan plank, gave out his proposal declaring, however, he had drafted them by himself and spoke only for himself and was not to be regarded as the leader of the forces favoring modification of present laws.

Mr. J. S. Willard has returned from an extended trip to Asheville, Blowing Rock and Lenoir. At Lenoir he attended the annual convention of the North Carolina Building and Loan League.

BETTER GO PAY YOUR POST OFFICE BOX RENT

Notices are posted in the lobby of the post office calling attention to the Postal Laws and Regulations which require that the rent of lock boxes shall be paid before the first day of the quarter, boxes not paid for by then to be closed and placed on the list for rent. There are, but two days left before the new quarter begins, and with the demand for boxes in the local office already exceeding the supply and numerous applicants being on the waiting list, those who fail to pay the rent in the specified time will be running the risk of losing their boxes. It is contrary to the regulations for boxes to be held after the beginning of the quarter for those who have not paid therefor. While this may be some free advertising for "Uncle Sam," it is to the interest of box holders to be advised of this regulation, especially when boxes are so hard to get and other people are waiting a chance at them.

SPORTS

WILLIAMSTON WINS 10 INNING CONTEST FROM GREENVILLE

Second Contest of Series Taken by Visitors Saturday by Score of 3 to 2.

Williamston made it two straight over Greenville by taking last Saturday evening's ten inning contest by the score of 3 to 2, in possibly one of the fastest and best played games of the season. Both clubs showed up in unusually excellent form at the bat and in the field with the exception of Greenville whose six infield errors proved costly before the game was brought to a final conclusion.

Williamston played probably as fast, if not faster, than in Friday's contest, and took advantage of every opportunity of sending a runner over the rubber. This was true in almost every inning and particularly in critical stages. Both infield and outfield showed considerably greater strength than during the first part of the season, this being noticeable in the fast and snappy way in which the ball was handled while in the field. The club failed to show any greater ability at the bat, but luck had its way in both games and assisted materially in bunching hits when they counted for runs.

"Smoky" Smith pitched his usual good game for the locals, allowing the visitors only six hits, tightening up noticeably in pinches. However, he failed to get support in the infield necessary to win the contest, and at no time found it safe to pitch at ease on account of this discouraging feature. Stringfield, as usually, accepted several chances at short, making them all good, and disastrous to the batter. The others made a pretty good showing and tried hard to make up for the errors at the bat. In fact, Stringfield, Ellis, Sheppard and Gammon succeeded in getting one hit each while "Sacks" Barnes landed one of Brown's fast ones for two bases, causing the fielders some anxiety in the long chase connected with the sphere's recovery.

Brown, for the visitors pitched a smooth, easy game but probably fared better than he will any time during the remainder of the season if he happens to catch the boys in a batting frame of mind. Saturday, however, he found them surrounded by the same atmosphere of hard luck which has followed the team persistently and determinedly for the past several days, and consequently, the game went his way without the home circuit being seriously threatened in the latter part of the contest. The locals displayed several week points in the field requiring immediate strengthening, and Williamston evidently found these in the beginning and took advantage of them.

Williamston started its scoring in the fourth inning, Johnson hit for one base, Carroll later being given base on balls; McNeil hit to third, scoring Johnson. The second tally was made in the sixth frame when Neil singled to left field, later stealing second; Johnson hit by pitcher, went to first; Neal scored on Johnson's drive to second. The winning tally was sent across the plate in the tenth frame, when Carson beat out a grounder to third, Brown bunted safely, and on wild throw, Carson went to third, Johnson bunted safely, scoring Carson.

Greenville made its first tally in the fourth inning. Ellis hit by pitcher, went to first; Duncan sacrificed; Sheppard hit for one base, scoring Ellis. The final run was added in the sixth inning when Ellis was given base on ball; Duncan sacrificed, Barnes hit for two bases, scoring Ellis.

The score by innings R. H. E. Williamston... 000 101 000 1-3 6 1 Greenville... 000 101 000 0-2 6 6 Batteries: Brown, Carson; Smith, Wrenn. Umpires, Perry and Lanier. Attendance 1000. Summary—Runs, Ellis, 2; Neal 1, C. Johnson 1, Carson 1. Errors—Wrenn, Ellis (3); Barnes (2), Carson. Base on balls—Off Smith 0; Brown 3.

EASTERN CAROLINA Standing of Clubs.

Clubs:	W. L.	Pct.
Scotland Neck.....	11 6	.647
Tarboro.....	10 6	.625
Williamston.....	10 7	.588
Greenville.....	9 8	.529
Washington.....	7 9	.438
Pine Tops.....	4 13	.235

EASTERN CAROLINA TWO STRAIGHTS FOR HYPHENS.

Scotland Neck, June 26.—The Scotland Neck-Hobgood aggregation made it two straight from Washington here this evening by the score of 5 to 2. The contest was featured by fast fielding work by both clubs from the first to last inning, but the inability of the visitors to bunch hits effectively was directly responsible for loss of the game. Washington's hits were kept well scattered, in fact the locals played consistently at every moment and hit at favorable opportunities. The game in many instances was similar to that of the day before, as both clubs fielded unusually good, and made every opportunity for scores count.

The score: R. H. E. Scotland Neck... 002 120 000-5 6 0 Washington... 101 000 000-2 6 1 Batteries—Smith, Depew, Austin, Person, Floyd.

PINE TOPS STILL SINKING.

Pinetops, June 26.—In possibly one of the fastest and best played games of the season Tarboro defeated Pinetops here this evening by the score of 2 to 1. The game was featured by splendid playing by both clubs in every part of the game, but inability of the locals to bunch hits at opportune moments was more responsible for the loss of the contest than any other feature. Webb, for Pinetops pitched one of the greatest games of the entire season allowing the locals only two hits and making batters fan the air in a vain attempt to land the sphere for a safe hit. Pinetops landed on Champions delivery for eight hits but fast fielding by visitors held the runners close to bases while they tightened up noticeably when the home plate was seriously threatened.

The score: R. H. E. Tarboro... 110 000 000-2 2 0 Pinetops... 001 000 000-1 8 1 Batteries—Champion, Morris; Webb, Gardner.

WHERE THEY PLAY

Monday and Tuesday, June 28 and 29. Greenville at Pinetops. Scotland Neck at Tarboro. Williamston at Washington. Wednesday, June 30. Greenville at Williamston. Pinetops at Scotland Neck. Tarboro at Washington. Thursday, July 1st. Williamston at Greenville. Pinetops at Scotland Neck. Washington at Tarboro. Friday, July 2nd. Washington at Scotland Neck. Pinetops at Greenville. Tarboro at Williamston. Saturday, July 3rd. Scotland Neck at Tarboro. Greenville at Pinetops. Williamston at Washington.

Struck out—By Smith six, Brown 10. Hit by Pitcher—By Brown Ellis, and Sheppard; by Smith Carroll and C. Johnson. Wild Pitch, Brown. Stolen bases—Ellis, Gammon, Carson. Left on bases: Greenville 6, Williamston 7. Sacrifice hits—Wrenn, Duncan 2; Smith. Two base hits—Barnes and E. Johnson.

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