

TWO FIRES CAUSE \$50,000 DAMAGE IN WASHINGTON

Blount Building, Morris Storage Warehouse and Two Dwellings Damaged

Two fires entailing a loss of approximately \$50,000 occurred in the business section of Washington, N. C., today. The first fire was in the Blount building on west main street and the second was storage, warehouse of C. G. Morris Company located on Third Street. Two negro houses, adjacent to the property were destroyed. It required four hours to extinguish the flames in the Blount building while the C. G. Morris Company storage warehouse was practically consumed before the fire company could reach it.

The Blount building a large two story structure was occupied by the Atwater Pharmacy, Sawyer's pool room, Dr. G. H. Swindell's office and a storage room for equipment for the Carolina Telephone Exchange. The fire was first discovered under the staircase leading to the second floor. The fire company responded quickly and for four hours fought with the flames in an attempt to check them.

The fire at the storage warehouse of C. G. Morris wholesale house occurred at 3 a. m., and the building was practically consumed before the fire company reached it. The estimated loss was \$7000.

Mr. Atwater in an attempt to enter his store was overcome with sulphur fumes from the storage warehouse which was to the rear of the store.

SENATE RESUMES INVESTIGATION OF REVENUE BUREAU

Washington, May 6.—The fight over the investigation of the Internal Revenue Bureau and Secretary Mellon was suddenly resumed on the Senate floor today with Republican organization leaders indicating that they were not disposed to further object to the continuance of the inquiry.

Senator Watson, Republican, Indiana, chairman of the special investigating committee told the Senate that he had no present intentions of ever pressing his resolution presented sometime ago designed to end the investigation.

This statement was made soon after the Senate had taken up the resolution of Senator Jones, Democrat, New Mexico, member of the committee which authorized to employ special counsel and "such other agents as the committee deems necessary."

Announcing that he had no objections to the Jones resolution, Senator Watson, when questioned added that he had no intention of pushing the fight to close the committee hearings which he had previously condemned as designated solely to further the controversy between Senator Couzens, Republican, Michigan and Secretary Mellon.

President Does Not Believe Ring Runs Veterans' Bureau

Washington, May 6.—President Coolidge is unconvinced that anything is radically wrong in the administration of the Veterans' Bureau despite complaints at the White House and charges made by Senator Oddie, Republican member of the special committee investigating the bureau.

The president has discussed the administration of the bureau with Senator Oddie but has been presented thus far with only general charges. He believes that specific evidences of maladministration would be helpful because he cannot order changes in the bureau without more detailed information.

Other members of the Senate investigating committee and the president disagree with Senator Oddie who yesterday in the Senate charged the existence of a "ring" controlling the policies and operations of the bureau.

The use of fruits in the diet is beneficial, say extension workers of the State College of Agriculture. Fruits like vegetables, contain those vitamins needed by the body.

Bobbed - Hair Bandit, Hubby Draw 20 Years

New York, May 6.—Mrs. Celia Cooney, the bobbed-haired bandit, and her husband and partner in crime, Edward Cooney, were sentenced to serve from 10 to 20 years each in prison by county Judge Martin, in Brooklyn today. Mrs. Cooney will be sent to Auburn prison and her husband to Sing Sing. The pair pleaded guilty to the charge of assault and robbery.

The young woman who was arrested in Jacksonville, Fla., with Cooney on April 21, held her head high as she walked into the court room to receive her sentence. Half an hour before she had told the jail warden that she hoped Judge Martin would be lenient and that she and her husband would be sent to the same prison. Cooney was sullen and watched his wife closely as the pair stood before the judge.

Judge Martin addressed his remarks to the girl saying: "I have discussed your case with you in my chamber and you told me about all the jobs you had committed. I have had physicians to investigate the mental condition of both of you. You were sane and you are sane now. You must be taught that such acts as you have committed cannot be committed in this community and go unpunished. I send you both to prison from 10 to 20 years, you to Auburn and your husband to Sing Sing."

Mrs. Cooney bit her lip, stood a moment motionless and turned slowly to glance at the spectators that filled the small court room. Then preceding a deputy sheriff she walked as briskly out as she had entered a few minutes before, her husband followed only a few paces behind.

Judge Martin conferred with the couple in his room before going to the bench drawing out the admission that they had participated in 10 hold-ups. The girl had assured him that when she had done her time she would go straight. Cooney was silent but indicated that he seconded his wife's resolution.

When Judge Martin had left the chamber Celia scribbled this note and sent it to him by an attendant, "To those girls who think that they would like to see their names in the papers as mine has been or think that they would like to do what I have done let me say, 'Don't try it. You don't know what you suffer. While I smile my heart is breaking in me.'"

Congress May Not Adjourn In Time for June Conventions

Washington, May 6.—Democratic leaders in the Senate decided at a conference today that there is too much important legislation remaining undisposed of to determine at this time whether adjournment of Congress before the national political conventions would be wise.

There has been divided opinion among the Democrats in both the Senate and House whether adjournment would be permitted before the time of the Republican National Convention in Cleveland.

Republican leaders have indicated a desire to adjourn by June 1 and have informed the president that this will be possible.

250 Revolt Against Zayas Government

Havana, Cuba, May 6.—Approximately 250 men are in revolt against the Zayas government in Oriente province. It has been learned that one band of 150 men are operating near Baire west of Santiago de Cuba and another 100 around Yaceras near Guantanamo.

ROAD SENTENCES FEATURE MONDAY'S SESSION OF COURT

Yesterday's session of county court was featured with a small calendar which was quickly disposed of. Road sentences played an important part in the day's activities ranging from 6 to 12 months. Several defendants were also required to pay heavy fines.

Oscar Little was found guilty of driving automobile while drunk and was fined \$50 and cost.

Thomas Dixon charged with larceny was found guilty and sentenced to 6 months in jail to be assigned to work on roads.

Van Johnson was adjudged guilty of the charge of driving auto while drunk and was fined \$50 and costs. William Andrews and W. H. Oak-

BOBBED-HAIR BANDIT AND HUSBAND GET 10 TO 20 YEARS



MR. & MRS. EDWARD COONEY

NEW ALDERMEN ELECTED MONDAY

Three new aldermen were elected and two present incumbents reelected here yesterday.

In the first ward J. I. Smith defeated Closs W. Hearne, by a vote of 28 to 19.

Second Ward, C. S. Graves received 35 votes. The present incumbent J. L. Hassell did not enter for reelection.

Third Ward, C. B. Rowlett defeated Dr. Paul Fitzgerald by a vote of 57 to 17.

Fourth Ward, Z. P. Vandyke reelected without opposition.

Fifth Ward, Paul L. Clodfelter reelected without opposition.

LOCAL ROTARIANS INSTALL OFFICERS

Last night's business session of the Greenville Rotary Club was taken up with the installation of the newly elected officers and appointment of chairman of the various committees for the coming year.

Owing to the absence of the president, R. H. Wright, Haywood Dail, retiring vice-president presided over the meeting and the installation.

The officers installed were J. N. Hart, vice-president, C. J. Outland, secretary, L. A. Stroud, treasurer, W. H. Rogers at arms, R. R. Brunson, steward.

Following the installation vice-President Hart took charge of the meeting and there were several short talks and various committee reports.

Haywood Dail was called upon for a short talk regarding the new Chamber of Commerce and its plans for the future. He gave a brief resume of the recent organization of the new body and outlined some of the work that is to be taken up immediately to help make a bigger and better Greenville.

A vote of thanks to the retiring officers for their loyal services was given.

Troops May Be Sent to Scene of Execution In Louisiana Friday

New Orleans, May 6.—Governor Parker late yesterday ordered Adjutant General Toombs to have troops ready should Sheriff Bowden, of Tangitahoa parish, call for them in connection with the scheduled execution of six men at Amite on Friday for the murder of Dallas Calmes.

Seven Missing As Result Explosion

Buffalo, N. Y., May 6.—Seven men are missing as the result of a nitro-glycerine explosion at Brandon's Ferry 10 miles south of Franklin, Pa., according to reports received here this afternoon.

STATE FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS MEETS IN RALEIGH

Raleigh, May 6.—With hundreds of women from all sections of the state in attendance the 22nd annual convention of the North Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs opened here today. General sessions will not begin until tonight but during the day a number of preliminary meetings of the various groups were held.

At 11 o'clock the executive board met at the home of Mrs. Josephus Daniels, president of the Raleigh club of the federation. Later in the day Mrs. Daniels entertained the board at a luncheon.

Mrs. Kate Burr Johnson also tendered a luncheon her guests being the past presidents of the federation.

The board of trustees of the state organization met at a local hotel this afternoon to discuss affairs of the organization while the board of directors also met for the same purpose. At tonight's session Mrs. Palmer Jermon, Raleigh, president of the state organization, will deliver the president's annual address and there will be addresses of welcome by city authorities and Raleigh citizens in the capacity of hosts of the federation.

Casey Stengle Fined \$100 and Suspended

New York, May 6.—Casey Stengle, veteran outfielder of the Boston Braves was fined \$100 and suspended indefinitely today by John A. Heydler, president of the National League, for disgraceful conduct in the game yesterday between Boston and Brooklyn at Emmett field. He was ejected from the game by umpire Jack Powell after a heated argument arising over a decision of the umpire regarding strikes. Stengle defied the umpire's orders and took his regular post in the field until a threat that his actions would forfeit the game persuaded him to depart.

Witness Claims That Statement Landis Untrue

Washington, May 6.—C. W. Middlekauf, assistant United States Attorney General at Chicago told the Senate Daugherty investigating committee today that former Judge Landis made an untrue and unwarranted statement in his recent testimony about the conviction and pardon of Phillip Grossman, former Chicago saloon keeper accused of violating the prohibition laws.

In a letter filed with President Coolidge seeking the pardon Middlekauf said that there were only two witnesses who testified to the sale of liquor in the case in which Grossman was convicted. Landis said that there were four Middlekauf agreed that there were four but said that only two testified about liquor sales. One of these, he insisted, was discredited because he padded his expense account.

"I wrote the department that it didn't have a righteous case," Middlekauf said.

"Judge Landis said that it was a matter of common knowledge that Grossman ran a saloon up to the minute of his pardon," suggested Chairman Brockhart.

"It is not a fact" Middlekauf replied, "because the owner of the building took it away from Grossman after his conviction."

Middlekauf insisted that there was no case against Grossman but Senator Wheeler the committee prosecutor told the witness that his statement was ridiculous.

The latter then complained that he had been victimized by scandal and newspaper attacks and Senator Wheeler said, "I'll say to you now that I believe the testimony of Judge Landis about this matter."

BOY GIVES LIFE TO SAVE FRIEND

Asheville, May 6.—After rescuing another student from drowning, Roy Woodrow Wingate, 18, member of the senior class of Christ School near Arden, sank exhausted in the water above the power house dam yesterday afternoon and perished before aid could reach him.

His body was found later, but efforts at resuscitation failed.

Wingate lived with his mother in Asheville. In another month he would have graduated from the school.

Trial Congressman John Langley Opens In Kentucky Today

Covington, Ky., May 6.—Congressman John W. Langley, of Kentucky, charged with conspiracy to defraud in connection with the illegal removal of 1,400 cases of whiskey from the Belle of Anderson distillery near Lawrenceburg, Ky., in 1921 went on trial here today before Federal Judge A. M. Cochran.

The first legal tilt came when A. B. Bessinger, filed special and general demur on behalf of two other defendants to two of the three counts contained in the indictment returned April 7. Judge Cochran overruled the demur but sustained a bill of particulars.

Funds Needed for Sufferers

Our local chapter of American Red Cross headed by Mr. A. B. Ellington has made an urgent appeal to us for further assistance for the tornado-stricken people of Martin county. Mr. Ellington states that the Red Cross is greatly in need of funds with which to care for six hundred homeless people of the stricken area that are now living in twenty-five Red Cross tents, as well as sixty injured many of whom are being cared for by the Red Cross and that money is greatly needed to carry on this work. The Red Cross also appeals for clothing which is needed for these people and asks that we contribute both money and clothing to the extent of our ability.

Anyone desiring to make a voluntary contribution of money will please mail check or hand same to Mr. Ellington. Those desiring to contribute clothing can send it to Mr. Ellington's store on Fourth St. or if they prefer, notify him over the telephone and he will send the

DEMOCRATIC TAX PLAN IS ADOPTED BY THE SENATE

Mellon Plan Is Buried When Body Votes 43 to 40 for Simmons Substitute; Republicans to Seek Compromise

Washington, May 6.—Senate organization Republicans agreed in a conference today to seek a compromise of the Democratic surtax rate voted yesterday into the revenue bill to a maximum of 32 per cent or if that fails to go through to a maximum of 37 1-2 per cent the House schedule.

The compromise move will be made when the bill comes up for final passage. Senator Watson, Republican, Indiana, demanded that an effort be made to secure the 32 per cent maximum while the House schedule of 37 1-2 per cent would be the next and final step in the compromise maneuver.

Washington, May 6.—The much-discussed Mellon tax plan was laid to rest yesterday with the adoption by the Senate of the entire Democratic income tax substitute.

The minority's schedule of surtax rates was approved, 43 to 40, while its revision of normal rates was adopted, 44 to 37. The "public" insurgents joined with the Democrats in supporting the entire program.

Chairman Smoot of the Finance Committee, said that when the bill came up on final passage he would propose a compromise as was done in the House after the Democratic program first had been approved there. He is hopeful that the Senate will accept the compromise as the House did.

The surtax rates written into the bill today provide for a reduction of the present maximum of 57 per cent to a maximum of 40 per cent, and for corresponding revisions all along the line. They are almost similar to those adopted by the House.

The normal rates accepted were two per cent on the first \$4,000 of income; four per cent on the second \$4,000 and six per cent on all above \$8,000. This compares with the present rates of four per cent on the first \$4,000 and eight per cent above that amount.

Efforts to Rid State of Nut Grass, Weeds

Raleigh, May 6.—W. M. Talbot, in charge of the office of weed investigation for the Bureau of Plant Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture, is visiting North Carolina today for the purpose of securing information relative to those weeds and grasses that have become pests in the state. Mr. Talbot is especially interested in nut grass control, it was stated, and since he will be here for several days has expressed a desire to hear from those persons having fields badly infested with weeds or nut grass.

During the time of his visit, Mr. Talbot will be with Professor C. B. Williams, chief of the division of agronomy of the State College Experiment Station.

Professor Williams requests that those who have problems in eradication of weeds from their fields, get in touch with him at the College of Agriculture and if possible Mr. Talbot will make a visit to the affected areas. Mr. Talbot will make some investigations in weeds and their control for the Federal government and while here will select some areas for carrying on these studies.

Organization of National Guard In State Completed

Raleigh, May 6.—Announcement has been made at the office of Adjutant General J. Van B. Metts that the organization of the new North Carolina National Guard outfit, the 117th Field Artillery, has been completed. The organization will be commanded by Colonel William T. Joyner, of this city, it was stated, and will consist of headquarters, service batteries and six line batteries. The last unit to be organized, it was explained, was the headquarters battery at Dunn which will be commanded by Captain J. Robert Young. On May 13, this unit will be inspected for Federal recognition.

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MEETING TIME FOR C. O. P.

Since Senator Lenroot of Wisconsin, excluded himself from further political preferment by his secret visit to former Secretary Full while the latter was refusing to appear as a witness before the Senate Committee investigating the oil scandals, the high command of the Republican organization has been having trouble in selecting a man to be President Coolidge's partner on the Republican ticket.

The specifications which this undiscovered Republican must meet increases the difficulties of the quest. He must be regarded as progressive but known as a reactionary; he must be from the West, but not of the West; he must have no stain of oil on him, but no sympathy with the crusade to expose and punish the corruption for which the oil interests are partly responsible; he must have the friendship of the farmers without forfeiting the confidence of the combinations that exploit agriculture; he must bemoan the high cost of living but love and cherish the protection of the tariff.

Thus far Senator Capper of Kansas has been most frequently mentioned as the vice-presidential candidate to run with Mr. Coolidge. But he has some critics. They assert that he is no longer a prophet with honor in his own country. Many editors of agricultural publications and a very much larger number of members of agricultural organizations are questioning Capper's progressivism and loyalty to the farmers. Moreover, Capper is faced with the practical certainty of being defeated for reelection as Senator if he enters the contest—and this does not recommend him as a vice-presidential nominee.

Frank O. Lowden, Senator Borah, Judge Kenyon, Governor Hyde of Missouri, and Governor Groesbeck of Michigan are others in the list of possibilities. Lowden's expenditures in his race for the Presidency in 1920 suggest Newberry of painful memory. Senator Borah is momentarily tractable—pending his nomination and reelection—but there is a great fear that he may suffer a relapse into "radicalism." And the vice-presidency is not place for a "radical." No one knows how long

a President may keep his health.

Judge Kenyon was once a progressive, and while there is a belief in some quarters that he may have outgrown it, he also rests under the suspicion that he might contract the disease again. Governor Hyde of Missouri is so eager for a chance to be vice-presidential nominee that he has overcome his native modesty and asked for it. But he is deemed too little and too obscure. The governorship of Missouri is more than he has been able to fill. Besides, he has a fierce factional fight on his hands and isn't managing it very well. Groesbeck is bigger than Hyde but not much more widely known. He has serious limitations from the viewpoint of certain Republicans.

Part of the business of the Republican vice-presidential candidate will be to make President Coolidge look good to the voters. And, of course, that makes his selection all the harder.

VANDALISM

When spring brings out the wild flowers and the roadside greens every man woman and child becomes a lover of nature, but so many of these impassioned lovers must pluck the object of their love. They are not content to look upon the new-found beauty but must jealously appropriate it to themselves. With them flowers grow to be picked.

All outdoors has adorned itself with floral raiment of gorgeous hue. The woods, fields, lanes, hills and valleys are ablaze with color and beauty. Everywhere the little wildflowers rear their innocent heads the green shrubs line the roadsides and bursting buds reveal beautiful secrets.

To many persons the temptation to destroy these pictures is irresistible. They must loot the meadows and the hillsides. Their cars must go home laden with blossoms that are not mean for vases in the home. Nature provides its own vases for these blooms and the flowers that are plucked from their setting become like orphans, miser able drooping and homesick.

Newspapers and nature lovers throughout the land find it necessary to remind a thoughtless public of the consequences of this vandalism. Vandalism it is, for many persons are not content with the flower, they must take the stem and the roots as well. Eventually of course, this means extermination of the wildflower. That point has been reached in some instances.

As nature invites its people to the great open spaces at this time of year with a cordiality that is unmistakable, her visitors ought to be considerate enough not to wreck her home and make it a desert. A moment's thought will make a normal person aware of the seriousness of the situation.

It won't be so difficult for a rich man to go through the eye of a needle after the tax-assessors trim him.

Many parties are given just to get a gang of autos in front of the house for people to see.

Best way to improve the postal service is to stop mailing bills.

6,750,000 Tons of Shipping Reported Inactive Today

London.—The year 1923 saw shipping still in the trough of one of the worst depressions through which it has passed, says the annual report of the Chamber of Shipping of the United Kingdom. More tonnage is idle than at any pre-war period. This is estimated to be 6,000,000 tons under foreign flags, and 750,000 tons under British.

The report says that the world is doing much less trade than before the war and there exists much more tonnage, with the result that there has been a great volume of tonnage always ready to put to sea when freights have shown signs of rising, thus preventing any effective recovery of the market.

Although passenger ships have fared somewhat better than general cargo carriers, international ocean-borne trade as a whole has not been transported not only without profit to the ship-owner, but also at a heavy loss. Operating charges, such as fuel, stores, repairs, wages, port charges and expenses are still very high and one of the heaviest items of cost is the wage bill.

Plan for Sanitary Ports Finds Approval In England Now

London.—The scheme to grade all ports from a sanitary point of view to facilitate the clearing of ships, which is being undertaken by the League of Nations, has been approved by the British Chamber of Commerce and will receive the support of the English delegates.

Under the plan a port would be graded according to cleanliness and immunity from disease, so that a ship which had been given a clean bill of health at a port which was internationally recognized to be "Class A" would be admitted without further question to ports in other countries provided it had not touched an infected port en route. The proposal will involve the expanding and modifying of the existing conventions so as to include a greater number of countries, and provide for a periodical inspection of the ports. The proposal has been given the general approval of all the Chambers of Commerce and port authorities of Great Britain, and is favored by the big shipping companies of England and the continent.

MICROPHONES WILL AID DEAF AT BRITISH EMPIRE EXHIBITION

London.—Special arrangements are being made to enable deaf persons to take part in the various conferences which will be held at the British Empire Exhibition.

The four conference halls are being fitted with highly sensitive microphones. Some 200 seats will have ear pieces attached to them to enable their occupants to pick up the voices of the speakers. Attached to each ear piece is a regulator so the occupants using the ear pieces will be able to control the degree of amplification.

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NOTICE. North Carolina, Pitt County, Greenville Township.

In the Matter of Delivery of Sheriff's Deed, under sale for taxes assessed for 1921, against lot listed by Caesar Kennedy, belonging to heirs of Annie Kennedy.

To the heirs-at-law of Annie Kennedy, deceased and all other persons, whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that Pitt county assessed in the year, 1921, taxes against that certain lot situated in the Town of Greenville, on the west side of Colanah street and known as a part of lot No. 100, described as follows: Adjoining William T. Marsh on the north and a part of lot No. 108 in Town plat, cornering at the north east corner of William T. Marsh's lot and running north 44 feet and 3 inches and then 140 feet west, thence south 41 feet and 3 inches and east 140 feet to the beginning.

That said taxes were not paid, that advertisement of said lot was made by the Sheriff of Pitt County, as required by law, to sell the same for the purpose of paying said taxes, that in accordance with advertisement sale thereof was made before the court house door on the 7th day of August, 1922, that at said sale, said lot was bid in by Pitt County, that the Sheriff, issued to Pitt County, a certificate of sale, that the said certificate has been assigned to the undersigned. That the amount of taxes so assessed for said year \$1.50 plus local rate of interest from August 7th, 1922, and costs. And notice is further given that the undersigned will apply to said Sheriff for a fee and title deed to said lot on August 7th, 1924.

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CANDIDATES' CARDS

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I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election for County Commissioner of Pitt County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, to be held June 7th.
W. J. SMITH.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
I am a candidate for re-election for County Commissioner of Pitt County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, June 7th.
L. A. STOCKS

CONSTABLE FOR GREENVILLE TOWNSHIP
I hereby announce my candidacy for Constable for Greenville township, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.
6-9-13-10 THOMAS H. PAGE

FOR ROAD COMMISSIONER.
I wish to announce myself as a candidate for Road Commissioner for Swift Creek Township, subject to the Democratic Primary.
6-18 C. L. STOKES.

FOR CONSTABLE
Ladies and gentlemen, I hereby announce my candidacy for Constable for Greenville township, subject to the Democratic Primary. I will appreciate your support.
6-ft. THAD J. WILLIAMS.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CANDIDACY
I hereby announce myself a candidate for representative in the General Assembly of North Carolina, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.
16 ft ARTHUR B. COREY.

ROAD COMMISSION CHICOD TOWNSHIP
I am a candidate for the office of Road Commissioner of Chicod township, subject to the Democratic primary.
5 ft F. L. COX.

FOR ROAD COMMISSIONER CHICOD TOWNSHIP

I am a candidate for the office of road commissioner of Chicod Township, subject to the Democratic Primary.
26 ft. JOHN T. EVANS.

FOR ROAD COMMISSIONER SWIFT CREEK TOWNSHIP

I am a candidate for office of Road Commissioner of Swift Creek Township, subject to the Democratic primary. If elected I will have no other business to attend to but the roads.
3-ft. A. C. KIRKMAN.

FOR ROAD COMMISSIONER CAROLINA TOWNSHIP.

I am a candidate for the office of road commissioner for Carolina township, subject to the Democratic primary. If elected I will give the best service possible.
29 2wks LEONARD TAYLOR.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS:
I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-nomination as Road Supervisor of Carolina Township of Pitt County.
K. S. WOOLARD
28 20tp

FOR ROAD COMMISSIONER
I hereby announce my candidacy for Road Commissioner of Chicod Township, subject to action of the Democratic Primary.
25-10c-p. W. S. MILLS.

FOR HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVE
I hereby announce myself a candidate for Representative in General Assembly of North Carolina, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.
K. A. PITTMAN

FOR RE-ELECTION FOR SHERIFF
I use this method to advise the voters of Pitt County that I am a candidate for re-election as Sheriff subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. I will continue to do my utmost to fulfill the requirements expected of me as to the enforcement of all laws and other duties that belong to me. I will appreciate your vote and support in the coming primary, and stand ready to serve all people alike.
AMOS C. JACKSON.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.
I beg to announce my candidacy for re-election as Treasurer of Pitt County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. I appreciate the support given me in the past, and I trust that my record in office is sufficient for me to ask your vote and support in the coming primary, assuring you that the same will be appreciated.
15 ft AT MOORE.

FOR THE SENATE
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the State Senate, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.
8 M. JONES

TO THE VOTERS OF PITT COUNTY.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Pitt County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary of June this year. I am entering the campaign at the request of my many friends, who have urged me to enter the race. Your vote and your support will be appreciated. In return I pledge a fair and impartial enforcement of the law, and an administration conducted in a business-like manner for the best interest of the public in general.
Yours for service,
H. CORBETT.

JAMES L. EVANS FOR COUNTY JUDGE

I want to be County Judge because I stand for Law and Order, for Service above Self, and for the administration of the law with fairness and impartiality to all without undue harshness to any and with special favors to none.
JAMES L. EVANS

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

I am a candidate for the office of Judge of the County Court. If elected I will to the best of my ability enforce the criminal laws justly and impartially to all.
20 ft W. A. DARDEN.

TO THE VOTERS OF PITT COUNTY
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds for Pitt County, subject to the approval of the Democratic Primary. I will greatly appreciate your support and I will render my very best service to the people of my county if nominated to this office.
J. C. GALLOWAY.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE

I am a candidate to succeed myself as Judge of the County Court and will appreciate your support.
LEWIS C. COOPER

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COMMUNIST TICKET LATEST FACTOR IN FRENCH ELECTIONS

Paris, May. — The new electoral system which will be tried for the second time in the French Election of May 11, is so complicated that even the Frenchman who can explain it is rare.

The voting, however, is simple; it resembles the Australian system, but the method of counting the votes and determining the result is the product of several years of study to arrive at a reasonable representation of minority parties in parliament. Incidentally this has abolished the old second balloting that was resorted to when no candidate had a majority, and put an end to coalitions between two parties to beat a third on the second try.

Formerly deputies were elected by *arrondissement*. The reform provided that they be elected by department, that is to say, the electoral district for deputies comprises the entire department instead of a single *arrondissement*, and three are on each ticket as many candidates as the department is entitled to. This change permitted the inauguration of what is called the "quotient" system to obtain the desired representation of minorities by choosing the deputies elected in proportion to the strength of the parties.

The "quotient" is obtained by dividing the number of votes cast in the election by the number of deputies to be elected. Each party is entitled to as many deputies as its rate contains multiples of the quotient. There is an example: the department of Rhone, which comprises the city of Lyons, elects 12 deputies. In 1909 the total vote polled was 155,308; that total di-

The Staff of Life in Other Lands



TWO little bread vendors on the streets of Naples, Italy. Sanitary bakeries are few and far between there, and the American slogan, "No hands touch the loaf," is unheard of. Above one of the sixteen modern bakeries of the Ward Baking Company, which, through a recent merger, constitutes the world's largest bread company, turning out 250,000,000 loaves of bread yearly. William B. Ward, the fourth generation of his family to continue in the baking business, is president of the organization.

vided by the number of seats to be filled, 12, produced the quotient, 12,850.

The "National Block" ticket in the Rhone polled 58,000 votes, the Radicals 37,800, the Socialists 38,600, a ticket of war veterans 12,800, and there were about 7,000 scattering votes. The four highest candidates on the "National Block" ticket were declared elected by the quotient, as the total of that ticket contained the quotient four times: the Socialists were entitled to three and the Radicals to two, leaving three seats open. The new electoral law provides that when there are seats left over after the calculations on the basis of the quotient have been made they go to the ticket having the highest average vote. In this case it was the "National Block" that was highest and seven

of its candidates were declared elected. In this department this year, the Socialists and Radicals have formed a coalition. If they should together poll the total of the votes cast for their two tickets last year they would have an absolute majority, and carry the whole twelve seats of the department. That is what they hope to do, but a new and uncertain element in the field this year is the Communist ticket. No one knows exactly how great a proportion of the Socialists went over to the Communists, but if, as frequently estimated, the defections are more than 50 per cent, the coalition would barely equal the strength of the "National Block," and, there being no absolute majority by application of the quotient and the highest average vote.

The Socialists and Radicals calculate that they lost together 105 seats from the application of this law in 1919, and they hope to get them all back through their coalition this year.

CROP OUTLOOK GOOD THROUGHOUT STATE

Raleigh, May 6.—The early part of April was too cool and wet for agricultural work in North Carolina, but since middle of the month the weather has been unusually favorable for farm work in most sections of the state, according to Frank Parker, State Agricultural Statistician in his summary of crop conditions in North Carolina. The lower Piedmont counties are reported to have had some heavy rainfall and the upper Piedmont section reports the weather cool and windy, but in general it has been good, says the report. No damage was reported to have been done by frost within the last 15 days though some counties in the central coastal area report several slight frosts.

"Planting has been rather slow during the latter part of April, due to the fact that the weather conditions the first of the month did not permit of sufficient preparations of the soil and quite a bit of this work was late in getting started," says the summary. "Plowing is proceeding with a rush now, although the soil is reported as being somewhat cloddy in the central Piedmont counties; there has been more progress made in planting in the southern and southwestern section of the state than in the mountain counties. Several counties in the lower coastal section report that they are about half through plowing and planting and several say that cotton and early corn are about completed. Gardens are planted. The majority of farmers report that they are about two weeks late in their work, caused, in most cases, by cold weather and rain, though in several counties in the central Piedmont and Southern Coastal area indications are that work is not late but rather early, and is well up the average.

"There is much evidence of more fertilizer being used this year than last, especially in the central Piedmont counties. Prices are reported a little lower than last year and farmers seem to have no difficulty in securing plenty for their needs.

"Reports indicate an increasing interest in improved breeds of livestock. Livestock is in very good shape. Beef cattle are reported in poor demand in western counties. The prices, in most cases, are fair. County agents are being very helpful in increasing the livestock interest. Cattle wintered well."

Farmers seem very optimistic of their ability to cope with the situation this year. They are in good

financial shape and many report that they are paying cash for their fertilizer and other supplies. Farm labor has not been very plentiful. Good weather, good roads, and better business conditions are encouraging.

We are expecting the boll weevil in full force this year, but, in spite of it, the increased acreage in cotton is evidence of the farmers' belief that they can overcome them. Many report that the marketing of

their produce is made easier by the help of their county agents. Considerable idle land is reported in the southern coastal section. In general the outlook is good in all sections of the state."

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Society

Mesdames H. E. Austin and I. F. Lee are attending the North Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mr. Harry White, of Montreal Canada is visiting relatives here.

Mr. George Stephenson, of Raleigh was here yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Whitehurst and child, of Long Branch, N. J., are visiting Mrs. Willie Gardner.

Mr. John L. Horne has returned from Baltimore.

Captain J. J. Laughinghouse of Oriental is spending a few days here.

Mrs. Laura Brown and Miss Jessie Bullock have returned from a visit in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. James Coleman and children spent the week-end in Raleigh.

Mrs. Mallissa Tyson left Saturday for Robersonville to visit her daughter, Mrs. Kelly Rawls.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses have been issued since last report:

W. C. Cannon, Ayden to Miss Elsie Kinstry, Richmond, Va.

Robert A. Cannon, of Ayden, to Miss Callie Manning, Ayden.

Lewis Harris, of Halifax county, to Miss Pattie Gunter, of Tarboro.

DEEDS OF TRANSFER.

F. G. James, Comm., to J. L. Dilda, consideration \$2100.00.

L. J. Smith to J. W. Godwin and wife, consideration \$950.

Farmville Land Company to Monroe Cannon and wife, consideration \$2750.

R. A. Stamper to Joe Everett, consideration \$90.00.

Jasper Everett and wife to Dr. James Morrill, consideration \$100.

Dr. Mac Johnson to G. E. Moore, consideration \$30.

E. R. Rollins to Blaney Joyner and wife, consideration \$118.

Wednesday Afternoon Woman's Club Benefit at Horne and Staton's Drug Store

The Horne-Staton Drug Co. have shown a generous interest in the work of the Woman's Club of Greenville in supporting the Public Library, by giving them a benefit at their store on the first Wednesday afternoon in each month. Cold drinks and ice cream, home-made cake, sandwiches and candy are for sale. Ladies, show your appreciation by going to Horne and Staton's for your treats.

Wednesday, May 7th
Woman's Club Day at Horne-Staton's
Home-made Cakes and Candy
Sandwiches, Cold Drinks
and Ice Cream

"Unseeing Eyes" Is a Thrilling Drama

Seena Owen Also Featured in Cast of Cosmopolitan's Film Version of an Arthur Stringer Story.

Not only is "Unseeing Eyes" which is coming to White's theatre on Thursday for one day, one of the most thrilling photoplays ever made, but it is also one of the most pictorially beautiful films of all time. In bringing Arthur Stringer's story to the screen, the Cosmopolitan Corporation actually filmed the greater part of it in the heart of the picturesque Canadian Rockies where the author located his pulsating romance of love and adventure.

In making scenes in the Canadian wilderness, the "Unseeing Eyes" company achieved several new and distinct records in photoplay making. For the first time in the filming of a Northwest story, aeroplanes play a predominant part. Many of the most thrilling scenes were made around Castle Rock in the Columbia Valley between the Selkirk Range and the Canadian Rockies. Three huge glaciers were utilized and they soared more than 10,000 feet above sea level. The filming of the picture involved many dangers as the hundreds of small valleys thereabouts have extremely strong air currents. Dangerous camera and aerial stunts were exploited over and over again, where the slightest slip might have resulted in a tragedy.

In filming the spectacular aerial scenes, the company had three gigantic Curtiss planes. Charles Sherman "Casey" Jones, chief test pilot of the Curtiss Company, was the supervising pilot of the expedition. Captain William G. Sharpe, who served as a flier with the British army in Mesopotamia during the war, was the licensed Canadian pilot.

DOWAGER QUEEN IS "VERY FRAGILE."



DOWAGER QUEEN ALEXANDRA

According to the London Daily Graphic, Dowager Queen Alexandra, widow of King Edward VII. and mother of King George V., of England, has been compelled to cease reading because of falling eye-sight. The condition of the Dowager Queen, who is 79, is described as "very fragile."

COLLEGE NOTES

May Day is to be celebrated at East Carolina Teachers College Monday, May 12. A Pageant of the seasons will be presented on the front campus in the afternoon. In this half of each class in the college and all of the Model School grades will take part. Instead of having a few who will be carefully drilled the effort is made to bring in as many as possible and to have it as the result of the year's work in Physical Education, a kind of summation of the various kinds of work. Half of each class in the college and all the grades in the Model School will take part. More than three hundred will be in costume. The girl voted by her fellow students as the best all round girl in college has been chosen as the Queen of May, and she chose as her attendants the president and official heads of the various college organizations.

The exercises will not be very long and will move swiftly. There will be no bazaar features connected with the celebration, and nothing that will extend into the evening. The Y. W. C. A. will perhaps sell refreshments on the grounds, but solely for the convenience of the crowd. Heretofore emphasis has been placed on the entertainment in the evening.

Every afternoon groups are practicing on the front campus. Miss Tolleson, teacher of Physical Education, has charge of the festivities. Miss Tarpley, teacher of sewing, has the direction of the costumes, which have been designed by the students in her classes. They will be made also by the students. More than three hundred girls and children in lovely costumes will take part in the

pageant. The occasion will be one worth coming far to see. People in the college are expecting visitors from far and wide to attend the festivities. The public is not only invited but is urged to attend.

The final games in the tournaments will be played in the morning, and the cups given for athletics presented at the afternoon performance. Leading parts will be taken as follows:

Queen of May—Helen Knott.
Attendants: Y. W. C. A. outgoing president, Miss Gladys Bateman, incoming president, Christine Vick; Senior-Normal Class, Miss Blanche Wilkins; Senior Class, Annie Felton; Junior Rebecca Colwell; Sophomore Freshman, Priscilla Austin; Junior-Normal, Ella Outland; Poe Society, Pearl Wright; Lanier Society, Maude Johnson; Student Government, outgoing Augusta Woodward; incoming Grace Strassburg; Athletic League, Nancy Brantley.

President Wright has returned from a business trip to New York and Nashville. He delivered the address at the closing of the school at Roseboro. He has an engagement to speak to the teachers of New Hanover County next week.

Mr. H. E. Austin, teacher of Geography and Chairman of the Appointment committee delivered the address at the closing of the Columbia school Friday evening. Mr. R. C. Deal of the department of Language delivered the address for the school at Fountain the same evening.

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MODEL SCHOOL PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION

The Model School Parent-Teacher's Association will hold the last meeting this year on Wednesday afternoon, May 7th at 3:15. At attractive program has been prepared. The fourth and fifth grades will give plays and there will be features from other grades and other pupils. All parents expecting to send children to enter Model School first grade next year are requested to come. Matters of importance will be discussed.

MR. H. L. SMITH LEAVES FOR FLORIDA

Mr. H. L. Smith who a few weeks ago resigned as secretary of the Pitt County Chamber of Commerce left yesterday afternoon for Ocala, Fla.

Mr. Smith came to Greenville three years ago and has during his stay here been very active in the business and religious circles of the city. He will be greatly missed by a large number of friends. Every success is wished for him in his new work.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

Rev. and Mrs. G. T. Adams, of Dunn, N. C., announce the engagement of their daughter, Martha Fitzgerald, to Mr. J. W. Winslow, Jr., the wedding to take place on Wednesday, June 25th.

Miss Adams is a member of the Greenville Graded School faculty and is very popular with a host of friends.

Mr. Winslow is a prominent business man of Goldsboro and is well known in Greenville having visited here several times.

PRIEST PAPERS HIS DWELLING WITH CANCELLED POST STAMPS

Burbank, Cal.—Perhaps the most patiently papered house in the country is that of the Rev. A. Bucci, a retired priest, who has "hung" two rooms of his home here with 149,242 canceled postage stamps.

More than 30 years were required in collecting the stamps, according to Father Bucci, and practically every nation in the world is represented in the geometrical designs, of the wall borders and in the color schemes employed on walls and ceilings.

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bare ceiling remaining after Father Bucci completed his "papering."

Congo to Have Airplane Service.
London.—Designed to fly at 100 miles an hour with 800 horsepower engines, carry 14 passengers and complete the journey between Lon-

don and Brussels in less than two hours, four giant airplanes of British design are nearly completed at a factory near Brussels. A larger type of the same machine is being built with three engines, for a Belgian air service up the River Congo.

TUB BLOUSES
FOLLOW THE TAILORED MODE

Every summer wardrobe needs plenty of Tub Blouses but this year they are so attractive they demand particular attention. Mannish waistcoat effects, small pointed collars, and other new notes contribute to their boyishness. One very tailored style, in English broadcloth is to be worn with a monogrammed tie and cuff links. It is very smart for sports. There are dainty styles, too in voile and dimity that are attractively tucked and trimmed with Irish or Venetian lace.

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NORTH CAROLINA BAPTISTS BREAK FORMER RECORDS

Will Complete Quota of 75 Million Campaign By Fall, Says Maddy

Raleigh, May 6.—North Carolina Baptists have exceeded their former records during the past year, reaching a total amount for benevolences, not including local expenses, from May 1, 1923 to May 1, 1924, of \$891,016.63, according to Reverend Charles E. Maddy, secretary of the Southern Baptist Convention. Of this amount \$403,325.88, it was said, came in since the last meeting of the State Convention in Gastonia in December 1923. During the past

week \$115,057.81 was received by Treasurer Walters Durham, it was announced. This is \$27,916.13 in excess of the amount received last year during the same week.

Dr. Maddy has expressed himself as being greatly pleased with the splendid showing that North Carolina Baptists have made in the collection of the Southern Baptist Convention which meets in Atlanta on May 11 to 13. There is a determined purpose on the part of North Carolina Baptists, he says, to win the victory this fall in the great round-up of the 75 million campaign, which closes the five year period November 30. While North Carolina Baptists have approximately a million and a half dollars to raise between now and that time, he believes that they are going to do it with a great will. They are united and determined, he declared, and with the momentum already gained and a sense of obligations made, it is felt that the 340,000 Baptists in the state will raise their quota without any trouble. The past week has demonstrated what they can do when aroused, he added.

Will Try New Flight Across Nation.



LIEUT. RUSSELL MAUGHAN

The War Department has announced that Lieutenant Russell Maughan, transcontinental flyer, will, about May 15, attempt a new daylight-to-darkness flight from New York to the Pacific Coast. He made two similar attempts last year, being forced down first in Missouri and a second time at Cheyenne, Wyo.

NEW YORK'S HOTELS WILL EASILY ABSORB VISITING DEMOCRATS

New York.—New York City is used to conventions, about 800 are held here annually, but it will get its first big test in handling a convention on a great scale when the Democrats meet in June to nominate candidates for President and Vice-President.

While there have been notable gatherings attended by many thousands of delegates in the past, there has never been a convention here that will approach the size of the Democratic meeting. Ordinarily, a convention is swallowed up in the city's vastness and there is no noticeable increase in the crowds. A few thousand people more make but little difference in a community of over 6,000,000.

This June, however, New York is bound to feel the influx of many thousands of visitors. Some estimates place the number expected at 200,000. The first result will be to tax the city's transportation system to the limit. The highways, elevated and trolley lines are already jammed daily with struggling, strap-hanging people, especially in rush hours.

The problem can be visualized when it is realized that 2,700,000,000 passengers were carried on the various transit lines last year, an increase of 10,000,000 over the previous year. The normal increase in local passenger traffic is about 2,500 persons a day.

New York, however, has a habit of taking care of such problems and the out of town visitor may be pushed a bit in the subway jams but he will be able to get about town quickly.

The city has 300 hotels and hundreds of boarding houses. Reservations already have been made for the delegates and alternates at the principal hotels. A visitors accompanying the delegates also will be provided for, and a special committee has been working for weeks perfecting plans for taking care of every one.

The hotel owners have agreed not to raise prices. The thousands of restaurant owners have entered into a similar agreement.

Newfoundland Government to Change Again.



HON. WILLIAM WARREN

The Newfoundland Government of the Hon. William Warren, Premier, has been overthrown by a vote in the Legislature. This vote followed the indictment of the former Premier, Sir Richard Squires and others of his Government on charges of larceny of Government funds. Squires' followers succeeded in defeating the Warren Ministry.

Exported 26,000 bales against 33,000 last year, at New Orleans 33,000 against only 5,000 one year ago, or a total of 59,000 at the two ports, compared with only 13,000 last year.

Except for the firmness of Egyptian Liverpool and Manchester advisers of late have been less favorable, one cable stated that the spinners were reeling cotton.

Late returns from Germany are favorable as regards the probability of the Dawes plan having been victorious which is reflected in the firm-

ness of foreign exchange it ruling it shade higher today.

The important future of market will likely be governed by what ever not the predicted showers and cooler weather will materialize and by the ten or of tomorrow's keenly weather and crop government report. Prospects are that the weather will develop wet, but on the other hand it is likely that the weekly government review will be favorable as a whole.

H. & B. BEER.

Planet Mercury To Pass Between Sun, Earth Tomorrow

Williams Bay, Wis., May 6.—The planet Mercury will pass slowly over the sun on the afternoon of May 7, appearing as a small black dot on its brilliant surface when viewed with a proper telescope but it will be invisible to the naked eye, announces Edwin B. Frost, director of Yerkes Observatory here.

Since 1610, Mercury has crossed the sun 40 times. On May 7 it will be 51, 830,000 miles from the earth and its angular diameter projected upon the sun will be about one hundred and sixtieth that of the sun.

At 3:45.6 minutes, central time, the edge of the planet will touch the northeastern edge of a point 58 degrees from the north point of the sun's disk. It will occur within the same minute for the whole country, but the hour will be 4 p. m. for regions rising eastern time, 2 p. m. for mountain time and 1 p. m. for Pacific time. Three minutes later Mercury's image will fall wholly upon the sun. It will thereafter move southwesterly across the sun at the rate of one diameter of Mercury in every three minutes. The end of the transit will be observed in Alaska that evening and in Asia early the next morning.

Professor Frost explained that the planet Venus also makes such transits but have occurred but five times since the invention of the telescope. The last two were in 1874 and 1882 and the next pair will be in 2004 and 2012.

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THEFT OF WINE 113 YEARS OLD CAUSES SENSATION IN BERLIN

Berlin.—The theft recently of a lot of Rhine wine of the vintage of 1811 created more of a sensation and excitement than usually attend a diamond robbery or murder. The wine belonged to a wealthy family, which formerly owned its own vineyards and had been handed down for generations.

Rewards were offered for the return of even part of the wine and detectives assigned to the case took up the watch at antique shops.

Norway Leads in Whaling. Christiania.—Norway is now the leading country in the world as regards the whaling trade, with 30 companies employing 4,000 workers. According to the latest report the whaling industry during the last season yielded products valued at 70, 900,000 crowns.

COTTON LETTER

New Orleans, La., May 6.—Indications for the immediate return of unfavorable wet cooler weather, in cotton region, showers and cooler predicted for nearly all districts of the belt, colder for northwest portion transformed an easier market in early hours to one of firmness later in the day.

A significant feature of the weather Bureau forecast is the prediction for thunderstorms in the western central and western portion of the eastern belt as thunderstorms are usually productive of heavy rains if only local.

Instead of wet cooler weather, dry, warm weather is desired in all sections of the cotton region since the only dry spot, the lower Rio Grande district, has been relieved by recent beneficial showers.

Advises from the early producing section of south west Texas are to effect that the young plants have a bad cold and are infected with weevil cutworms and lice.

Meanwhile exports from the United States continue free, since Friday 29,000 against 32,000 last year, thus far this season 1,374,000 against 1,117,000, there is on shipboard at Galveston today awaiting to be ex-

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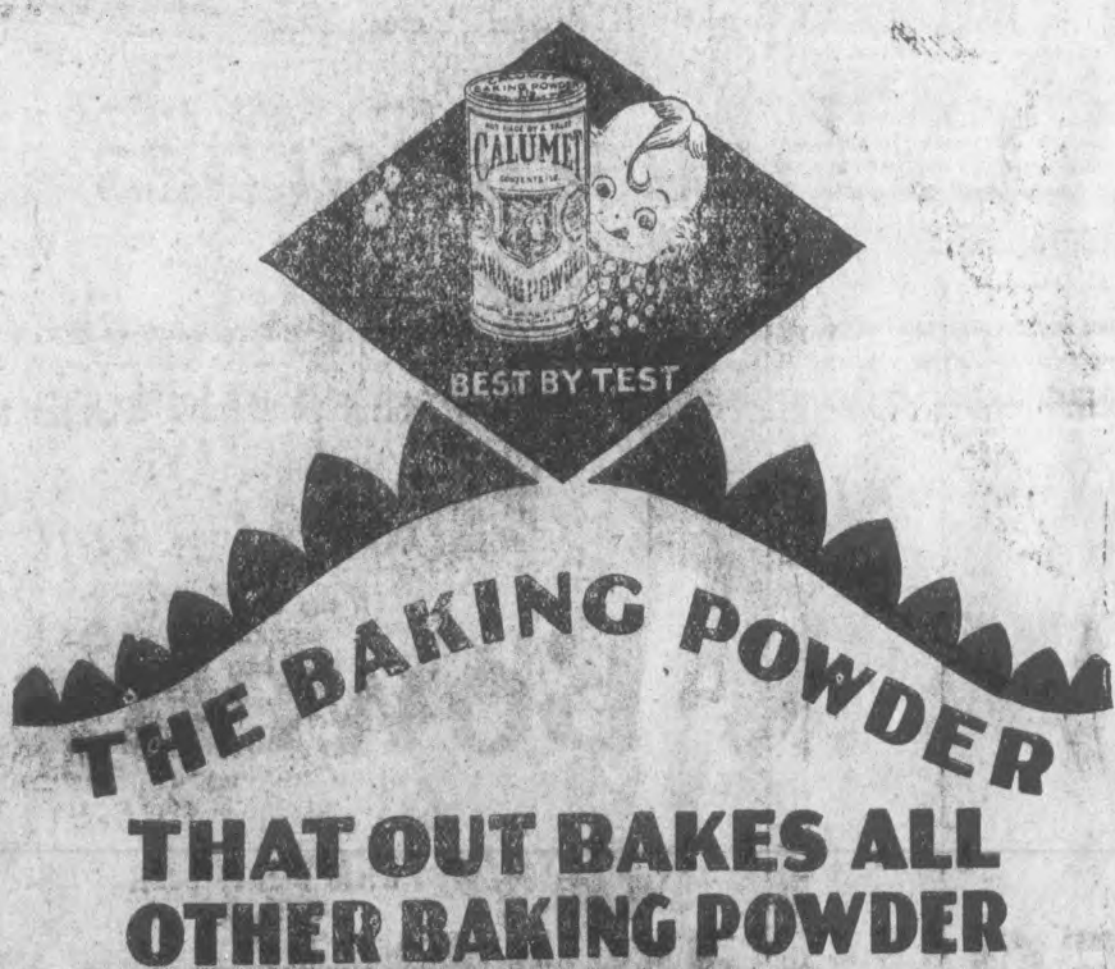
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WOMEN WILL TAKE AN ACTIVE PART IN JUNE CONVENTIONS

New York, May 6.—Women, who will be more numerous and more powerful at this year's National Democratic convention than in any previous convocation of the party, have set out to show their male conferees a few things about convention conduct.

The authority for this statement is Miss Elizabeth Marbury, committee-woman from New York State, member of the Democratic national executive committee, and recognized leader of her sex in councils of the party.

Among other things, Miss Marbury says "men have had political conventions all their own way for so long they've fallen into a rut; women in politics 'have been taught to take the responsibility more seriously than men;'" feminine delegates to the Madison Square Garden proceedings "are going to get something more out of the experience than the novelty of voting for a presidential nominee;" and they "are going to be shown that New York is something besides a glorious jazz band of bustle and show-off."

It is only 56 years since, at the last national convention held in this city—1868—Susan B. Anthony had the temerity to appear before the frock-coated, silk-hatted delegates there assembled, to demand that a "votes-for-women" plank be spiked to the Democratic party platform.

This year women have equal representation with men on the National Democratic committee, and party leaders, including the men, predict that fully a third of the delegates to the Madison Square Garden doings will be women.

JAPAN CHERRY BLOSSOM SEASON RUINED BY FIRE AND EARTHQUAKE

Tokio. — Cherry-blossom time in Tokio, with a reputation as one of the most beautiful sights in the world will be a comparatively drab season this year. The great fire of last September is the reason.

Before the disaster there were about 90,000 cherry trees in Tokio. Fully a third of these were destroyed in the fire and many more were so badly damaged that it will be years before their former glory returns. The central and eastern wards of the city, the once famous cherry districts will be dreary this spring.

Tokio's cherry season comes the latter part of April.

frage amendment. Hundreds of women delegates and alternates are expected at the coming convention, to say nothing of women visitors. Women of Ohio, and particularly of Cleveland are planning their welcome.

Mrs. Nettie M. Clapp is chairman of the women's reception committee for Cleveland. Mrs. Clapp is the first woman legislator in Ohio who effected the passage of a new law. Her measure made instruction concerning the state and federal constitutions compulsory in the public schools. She is a member of the state house of representatives, and the only woman member of the executive branch of the convention committee for Cleveland. As an educational preparation for the convention, Ohio women have been attending the Republican "Women's Plattsburgs," or training schools in practical citizenship and party policy.

As Republican county chairman of women, Miss Genevieve Kline is captain of the Republican Women ward leaders of this country. An energetic Republican, she has her own conception of the requirements of party loyalty.

"If my party should nominate an unfit candidate," she said, "loyalty would oblige me and other Republican women to discipline the party by supporting his opponent. Unless women take that position it would be better that they had not received the vote."

MEN AND WOMEN IN NEWS OF THE DAY.



Below: KENNEDY, M. LANDIS & ALFREDO ZAYAS
Below: JAMES W. WADSWORTH & MRS. SUNDAY

U. S. Senator James W. Wadsworth, Jr., of New York, is President of the choice as permanent chairman of the Republican National Convention, held in Cleveland. At the request of President Zayas, the United States has forbidden the sale of arms to political factions in Cuba. Former Federal Judge Keneaw Mountain Landis, now Chief of baseball, appearing before a Senate committee in Washington declared he could not understand why President Coolidge pardoned Philip Grossman, whom Landis had sentenced in Chicago as a rum seller. Mrs. W. A. Sunday ("Ma" Sunday), wife of "Billy" Sunday, noted evangelist, was knocked down, but not seriously injured, by a motor truck in Memphis, Tenn.

Carolina Will Enter Southern Track Meet

Chapel Hill, May 6.—The University of North Carolina will be represented at the Southern Conference track and field meet which will be

held in Montgomery, Alabama on May 9 and 10, according to a statement from the athletic authorities here. Approximately 250 athletes representing 17 colleges will participate in the meet.

The event will be held in Crampton Bowl, which has been put in good

condition, and a faster track is expected as a result of resurfacing of the tracks, according to advices received here from Montgomery.

The Georgia Tech challenge cup now held by Mississippi A. and M. will be awarded, along with F. J. Crampton trophy for the one mile relay, and the silver cup offered to the individual high point man. Gold medals will be awarded to men taking first place in events; silver medals for second place; and bronze medals for third place; and bronze medals for fourth place.

Sewanee is a new entry, having been admitted to the conference since the last meet.

Carolina is expected to put up a good fight for field honors, it was said by athletic authorities here who base their predictions on the showing that the University made at the state track meet held in Raleigh last week.

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