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OUTLINES COMPREHENSIVE LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM BEFORE CONGRESS TODAY

President Coolidge in Annual Message Gives Suggestions Dealing With Pressing Domestic and International Problems

Washington, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Renewing a number of recommendations he already had made to Congress, President Coolidge, in his annual message transmitted today to the House and Senate, outlined a comprehensive legislative program dealing with pressing domestic and international problems. His suggestions included:

Tax reduction along lines mapped out by the House Ways and Means Committee.

Adherence to the World Court. Continued effort to strengthen aviation, without radical change in the organization of the army and navy air services.

Curtailling of the Shipping Board's powers, with the government fleet under the control of a single executive.

Increased authority for the President and Departments of Commerce and Labor to deal with labor disputes in the coal industry.

Encouragement of co-operative marketing as an aid to agriculture. The President devoted a section to the prohibition question, appealing for law observance by the public and vigorous action against violators by enforcement officials.

He also renewed his advocacy of railroad consolidations and development of inland waterways, recommended retention, for the present, of property seized from aliens during the war, reiterated that reorganization of government departments should be authorized, and declared that states and local communities must co-operate more with the federal government in reclamation work.

Urging sale of Muscle Shoals to the highest bidder who will agree to produce nitrates primarily with power development incidentally, he contended that the Muscle Shoals problem had "assumed a place all out of proportion with its real importance."

"It probably does not represent in market value much more than a first class battleship," he added, "yet it has been discussed in the Congress over a period of years and for months at a time."

Under the heading "The Negro," Mr. Coolidge renewed his plea for tolerance and against "bigotry" and declared it fundamental that "there should be full right to liberty and equality before the law without distinction of race or creed."

"Our country has many elements in its population," he said, "many different modes of thinking and living all of which are striving in their own way to be loyal to the high ideals worth of the crown of American citizenship. Bigotry is only another name for slavery."

Prefacing his recommendations with a statement that the country does not appear to require radical departures from the policies already adopted so much as it needs further extension of these policies and the improvement of details, and an appeal for continued vigilance against extravagant governmental expenditures, the President emphasized the need for further tax reduction and declared he approved "in principle" the bill drafted by the Ways and Means Committee.

"In so far as income-tax exemptions are concerned," he continued, "it seems to me the committee has gone as far as it is safe to go and somewhat further than I should have gone."

In a long discussion of foreign relations Mr. Coolidge made these assertions:

That the Locarno security agreements represent the success of the policy of having European countries settle their own political problems without involving the United States. That reduction of land armaments not only is of prime importance but a problem peculiarly European in its practical aspects, and that "our country would look with particular gratitude upon any action which those countries might take to reduce their own military forces."

That "the general policy of our country is for disarmament, and it ought not to hesitate to adopt any practical plan that might reasonably be expected to succeed. But it would not care to attend a conference which from its location or constituency would in all probability

WOOD SAYS HE WAS ON WAY TO PRISON WHEN ARRESTED

Says He Decided to Surrender in Compliance With His Mother's Request

Stateville, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Otto Wood, prison breaker and slayer, was still in Iredell cell this morning, awaiting orders from prison officials in Raleigh as to his return to state penitentiary following his capture near Mooresville yesterday.

Wood told newspaper men last night that he was enroute to State prison at the time he was arrested. He said he spent last week end with friends in Wilkesboro. Since his escape from the penitentiary two weeks ago the prisoner said that he had been through South Carolina, North Carolina, Virginia and West Virginia. He told officers that it was in West Virginia where he visited his mother that he decided to surrender himself after his mother had made this request.

Stateville, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Otto Wood, escaped convict of State Prison captured yesterday near Mooresville left here today for the penitentiary at Raleigh in custody of the man who captured him, Chief of Police Woodside, of Mooresville. At Raleigh Chief Woodside will claim the \$250 reward offered for the return to the prison of Wood.

Coolidge Creates the Lava Bed Nat. Monument

Raleigh, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Creation by President Coolidge of the Lava Bed National Monument, in north-eastern California, is announced by the Department of Agriculture in a department bulletin just received here.

Chiefly noted for its lava beds and caves, this new national monument is expected to attract the attention of many geologists. Inscriptions and paintings upon the rocks of the region, believed to be the work of early Indians, is also expected to attract the attention of archaeologists and students of Indian history.

The President's action was taken, say the Department of Agriculture, to preserve the area in its natural condition, since embraces many geological and archaeological features of outstanding interest. As the area lies almost entirely within the Modoc National Forest, it will be administered and protected by the forest service.

The Lava Beds National Monument is described by officers of the forest service as a weird and fantastic example of nature's handiwork, such as can be found in few places in the United States. The area has never been entirely explored by white men, although more than 100 caves have been mapped.

In 1873 this region was the scene of conflict between white settlers and Indians and was the site where General Canby and many soldiers were killed during the campaign against the Modoc Indians under their chieftain, "Captain Jack."

Report on Muscle Shoals Being Sent to White House

Washington, Dec. 8.—(AP)—The entire report of the special commission on Muscle Shoals is being sent to Congress by President Coolidge, it was announced today at the White House. This action will result in the entire document being made public.

PRINCE OF WALES MAKES TANGO FASHIONABLE

London, Dec. 8.—(I. N. S.)—The tango is the fashionable dance of the season. Reason: The Prince of Wales displayed perfect familiarity with the four steps of the new French tango at a recent large charity ball. The Charleston has made little head way in London and is being rapidly relegated to the limbo of forgotten things, but the regulation fox-trot remains popular.

Boys Bow at New Shrine



Babe Ruth's home run average is forgotten, the last man Dempsey put to sleep has faded from the mind of Young America as he turns in adulation to "Red Grange," the great (green) back, who has turned his football ability into a small sized fortune. The little fan in front typifies Young America as it pays homage to a new idol.

Opposition to a Federal Blue Sky Statute is Voiced

St. Petersburg, Fla., Dec. 8.—(AP)—Opposition to a Federal Blue Sky Statute is voiced in the report of the Committee on securities presented here today to the Investment Bankers Association of America at the second days session of its fourteenth annual convention. The committee in expressing its belief that the Federal Government does not desire to create another bureau, which the enforcement of such a law would necessitate, points out the differences between two bills which probably will be introduced at the present session of Congress. One of these by Congressman Christopher, of South Dakota, the committee said seeks to regulate the interstate sale of securities, while that of Congressman Dennison, of Ill., only deals with the interstate transaction.

Some Investment Bankers, the committee said, thought the real remedy lay in fraud laws, but declared that various commissioners have pointed out reasons why even these failed to govern the sale of securities. The committee recommended that its efforts be directed in the future toward obtaining uniformity in legislation and co-operation between states in controlling fraudulent securities.

Volstead Act Draws Flood of Proposals Amendments, Repeals

Washington, Dec. 8.—(AP)—With the new Congress only a few hours old, the Volstead act and its parent law, the 18th amendment, already have drawn a flood of proposals for amendments and repeals. While the preponderance of these are "liberalizing," proposals from the wet sides, the dries have nearly balanced the scales with their measures for tightening up prohibition enforcement.

U. S. to Be Invited Participate in Work Special Commission

Geneva, Dec. 8.—(AP)—The League of Nations Council decided today to invite the United States, Russia, and Germany to participate in the work of the special commission which is to prepare for an international disarmament conference.

Kipling's Condition Continues to Improve

Burwash, Eng., Dec. 8.—(AP)—A medical bulletin issued from Rudyard Kipling's home at noon today says that the author, who is suffering from pneumonia, had another good night and is maintaining his improvement.

Attention Mothers, If You Are Interested in All-Day Clinic

If you are interested in the all day clinic which will be conducted by the Health Department in co-operation with the State Board of Health, call 130 and advise them the time which will suit you best. After all interested have called a date will be announced. The clinic will be held for the purpose of examining children under 4 years of age, and giving the mothers advice in regard to their care.

Dr. W. G. Byrd, specialist from the State Board of Health Department of Maternity and Infancy will be here for the day and will assist the local doctors in examinations and instructions.

Two Measures Dealing Shipping Problem Presented in Senate

Washington, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Two measures dealing with the nations' shipping problem and decision to end the troubles which have caused a breach in recent months between the Shipping Board and the Senate, were brought forward today in the Senate.

One of them, sponsored by Chairman Jones, of the Commerce Committee, would provide for divorce of the Shipping Board and the Fleet corporation. In the other measure Senator Edge, Republican of New Jersey, proposes abolition of the Shipping Board and empowering the President to transfer all Fleet Corporation function to the Commerce Department.

Berenger Appointed French Ambassador to the United States

Paris, Dec. 8.—(AP)—The appointment of Senator Victor Henry Berenger as French Ambassador to the United States was approved today by the Council of Ministers.

Senator Berenger is expected to leave in the near future to relieve M. Daeschner, the present Ambassador in Washington. The Senator has for years been the foremost financial authority in the Upper House of Parliament, and ranked next to Finance Minister Caillaux on the French Debt Funding mission to Washington.

Douglass Visits Office of Attorney General

Raleigh, Dec. 8.—(AP)—When R. D. Douglass, of Greensboro, was a visitor in the office of the Attorney General a few days ago, he recalled that he had sat in the office as Attorney General 25 years ago, when he was a very young man.

Mr. Douglass served a term of about two months. When Z. V. Walser resigned as Attorney General, Governor Russell appointed Mr. Douglass to serve out the unexpired term. He took office on November 24, 1900 and the term expired the following January. He was only 25 years old at the time, he recalled when he was here the other day.

FINANCE DRIVE FOR BOY SCOUTS TO BE STAGED THURSDAY

Finance Committee Will Start Drive Promptly at 2 O'clock; Proceeds to Be Used for Scout Work in This Community

The drive for funds for the Boy Scout work of our community was to have been made last Wednesday. This was a very rainy day and the Finance Committee decided to postpone the date to Thursday, December 10th, 2 p. m. The same committees representing the different organizations have been continued by the President of these organizations. The committee is as follows:

Women's Club: Mesdames R. T. Burnette, P. T. Anthony, J. M. Edwards, G. B. W. Hadley, J. R. James, J. B. Kittle, H. L. Rivers, Van Station, S. B. Underwood, C. S. Forbes, H. C. Sugg, J. E. Winslow, W. S. Galway, L. C. Skinner, W. H. Horne, E. T. Forbes and L. H. Bowling. Kiwanis Club: J. B. James, C. W. Harvey, C. B. Rowlett, W. H. Woolard, Dave Turner, Frank Harrington, Berry Bostie, J. Key Brown, K. T. Futrell, E. W. Griffin, Guy V. Smith, Dr. W. L. Wooten, Dr. L. C. Skinner, B. W. Mosley, E. G. Flanagan, Chas. Forbes, Luther Herring, Geo. Woodard, J. L. Starkey and John Short.

Rotary Club: J. H. Blount, J. C. Gaskins, D. D. Overton, B. S. Warren, F. J. Diener, Curtis Perkins, S. T. White, W. H. Norris, J. K. Proctor, L. A. Stroud, D. J. Whichard, Jr., Julian White, E. S. Williams, Francis Bowen, Geo. Chapman, W. H. Dail, J. N. Hart, Jack Blanks, W. H. Rogers, Dr. C. L. Cutland and D. L. Turnage.

American Legion committee, Dr. A. M. Schultz, J. H. Waldrop, C. W. Williams, S. O. Worthington.

A letter has been written each member of this committee requesting them to meet at the city hall, Thursday afternoon, December 10 at 2 o'clock. It is the purpose of the Finance Committee to start this drive promptly at 2 o'clock. If every member of the solicitation committee will be at the city hall promptly at 2 o'clock the work can be finished in a very short time. All plans have been made to start on time and every one is urged to be present on time.

The Finance Committee is well aware that everybody is very busy, especially those selected to help in this drive. But, Mother, Father, you must remember that the boys and girls of our community are looking to you to back them up in their effort to better themselves. The Boy Scout work will do this very thing. It will build them physically, morally and spiritually. The Mothers and Fathers of today, must do their utmost to mould the characters of the mothers and fathers of tomorrow. It will require only a few moments of your busy time to do a great deal to help these boys and girls and again we remind you to be at the City Hall Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The citizens on whom these committees call are urged to contribute very liberally to this cause. It is a matter in which every single citizen of this town and community should have a part. Your part can be your contribution and we trust you will see fit to help the boys and girls by giving most liberally.

Finance Committee: J. B. Kittle, chairman; W. E. Hooker, Dr. C. L. Outland, J. R. James, D. J. Whichard, Jr.

Gov. Ferguson Will Not Call Special Session Legislature

Austin, Texas, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Governor Miriam A. Ferguson today issued a statement declaring that she will not call a special session of the legislature as requested by speaker Lee Satterwhite, and other members of the House.

Commission for the Reorganization of M. E. Church Meets

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 8.—(AP)—The Commission for the reorganization of the Methodist Episcopal Church South met here today to formulate its report to the General Conference next May. The task of the commission is to work out plans looking to a reduction in the number of Church boards and the correlation of the activities of the church.

SAYS APPROPRIATION OF \$314,965,000 NECESSARY VETERANS BUREAU WORK

COTTON PRODUCTION WILL AMOUNT TO 15,603,000 BALES

Last Year's Crop Totaled 13,627,936 Bales; Estimate Causes Drop New Orleans 105 Points

Washington, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Cotton production this year will amount to 15,603,000 equivalent 500 pound bales exclusive of lintless, the Department of Agriculture today announced in its final report on the cotton crop, which was based on conditions as of December 1. Last year's crop totaled 13,627,936 bales.

Cotton of this year gained prior to December 1 amounted to 13,857,686 running bales compared with 12,237,659 bales to that date last year.

The production by states together with the acreage abandoned since June 26th follows:

Virginia abandonment one percent, production 50,000 bales. North Carolina one percent, 1,090,000 bales. South Carolina two percent, 875,000 bales. Georgia two percent, 1,050,000 bales. Florida one and one half percent, 40,000 bales. Missouri four percent, 260,000 bales. Tennessee one and one half percent, 490,000 bales. Alabama one percent, 1,335,000 bales. Mississippi one percent, 190,000 bales. Louisiana one and one half percent, 900,000 bales. Texas nine percent, 1,100,000 bales. Arkansas two percent, 1,500,000 bales. Oklahoma two percent, 1,500,000 bales. Kansas one and one half percent, 61,000 bales. Arizona three percent, 94,000 bales. California one percent, 125,000 bales.

All other states two and six tenths percent and 22,000 bales.

The gainings included North Carolina 1,008,608, South Carolina 893,408, Texas 3,661,010, and Virginia 44,660 bales.

New York, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Cotton prices broke two and one half to three dollars a bale on the New York cotton exchange today following the increase in the government crop estimate to 15,603,000 bales indicating the second largest yields on record. Short covering later brought about partial recoveries.

New Orleans, Dec. 8.—(AP)—The government's final cotton estimate caused a drop of 105 points on the local cotton market, or more than \$5.00 a bale.

Confesses Embezzl'm't \$55,000 From Bank

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 8.—(AP)—Confession today of Leo J. Farrell, a tele. to embezzlement of \$55,000 from the Merchants Bank of this city, has disclosed defalcations which are expected to total between \$100,000 and \$200,000, the Bank's directors announced.

Farrell is under arrest and bank officials expressed the belief that his operation could not have been carried on without accomplices, and that other arrests were expected. They said the financial struction of the bank was not in danger.

SEEKS NEW CHILD LABOR AMENDMENT

Washington, Dec. 8.—(AP)—A new child labor amendment to the constitution is sought in a joint resolution introduced in the House by Representative Griffin, Democrat of New York. The amendment would prohibit persons under sixteen years old from working in mines, quarries, hills, factories, and like industries.

A pending child labor amendment thus far has failed to receive the required ratification of three-fourths of the states.

Trappers Busy. Milford, Ind., Dec. 7.—(INS.)—Early arrival of winter today was proving profitable to trappers in the north central Indiana lake region. During the last few weeks they were reported to have averaged from \$35 to \$75 a week for wild animal pelts.

Excluding Expenses Adjusted Service Certificate Fund and Hospital Construction Director Hines Gives Above Figures for Activities '26-'27

Washington, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Excluding expenses necessary for the adjusted service certificate fund and for hospital construction, an appropriation of \$314,965,000 is estimated in the annual report made public today of Director Hines as necessary for all Veterans Bureau activities during the fiscal year 1926-27.

This figure represents a material reduction in the appropriation for the current fiscal year, provided a proportionately smaller amount is asked for administration of the adjusted service act as was the case this year, when \$50,000,000 compared with \$100,000,000 last fiscal year, was allotted for that purpose. Current appropriations, including that for the adjusted service fund, total \$405,713,559.

In an introduction to his report, Director Hines said that during the last fiscal year "as over no other period has the service of the United States Veterans Bureau been brought to the disabled veterans."

"Inspired by a broad policy of decentralization of authority and made possible through the provisions of liberal legislation," he said, "this extension of service to the disabled is the outstanding accomplishment of the year in the administration of veterans' relief."

Complete decentralization of Bureau activities was described by Mr. Hines as a goal founded on the theory that "only through bringing the activities of veterans' relief closer to the men that serve can there obtain the direct, most comprehensive essential for the proper consideration of the merits of individual cases and necessary for the expeditious adjudication of claims."

The spread of authority to the field was accomplished, the report showed, by substituting 54 regional offices for 14 district offices and consolidating sub-district offices with the regional. Eleven sub offices were in operation June 30, 1925, but the Bureau planned to reduce this number to eight by December 31, these eight to be at Springfield, Mass.; Albany, N. Y.; Syracuse, N. Y.; Scranton, Pa.; Harrington, Pa.; Columbus, Ohio; Lexington, Ky., and East St. Louis, Ill.

Six new hospitals were opened during the year with a net increase of 4,794 beds, and the report said all construction under the \$6,850,000 authorized in 1924 was expected to be completed during the next fiscal year. No hospitals were closed, and wherever feasible, radio equipment was installed for the patients' amusement.

Total expenditures for all veterans' purposes amounted to \$393,755,857, a decrease of \$21,382,540 compared with the previous year. This was attributed chiefly to the decline in the number of men undergoing vocational training only \$60,482,478 being expended for this purpose as against \$106,954,450 in 1923-24.

In connection with its guardianship system for the protection of beneficiaries of veterans, a relatively new phase of activity, the report disclosed that guardianship supervisors had uncovered many cases where "guardians have not functioned in an efficient manner and have not accounted for all the trust funds paid to the mby the Bureau." Forfeiture of bonds and, in some cases, criminal proceedings resulted, the report said.

Legislation was recommended providing some means to take care of veterans, who, because of their physical condition, could not be inducted into vocational training prior to July 1, last, the last lawful date for induction, and for those cases where progress has been, or will be, so retarded as to prevent completion of training before next July 1, when all training activities are required by law to end.

Recognizing that many yearly renewable term insurance contracts are held by veterans incapable of earning a full livelihood, and that conversation of these into the higher premium, ordinary life policies by July 1, 1926, as required by law, will be impossible because of financial inability, consideration was being given, Director Hines said, to a short term policy at a premium rate (Please Turn to Page Six)



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WHAT IS A LIVE AMERICAN BOY WORTH?

It is trite to say that boys are the most valuable asset of a nation. We know that, but we do not believe it. Here is the proof:

MONEY TALKS AND HERE IS WHAT IT SAYS—92.5 per cent of the government's annual appropriations are for war—past, present and future; 3 per cent for public works; 3.5 per cent for primary government functions.

IN FOUR YEARS THE GOVERNMENT SPENT—\$81,000,000 for the improvement of rivers; \$13,000,000 for forest conservation; \$8,000,000 for experimental plant industry; \$7,000,000 for experimental animal industry; \$4,000,000 to combat foot and mouth disease; \$5,000,000 for the maintenance of reform schools.

HERE IS WHERE THE BOY COMES IN—1 per cent only is appropriated to education, research and development. Less than one million for the protection of child life.

Yet we have 250,000 men and boys confined in prisons with a crime bill of \$6,000,000 a year of your money and mine.

And there are in America 2,000,000 critically underprivileged children, of which at least one-half are boys.

Our Government spends 3 cents a year per capita for them.

What is one live, potential, unspoiled American boy worth?

If you want dividends—Invest in boys!

Your opportunity to do your share will come on Thursday, December 10th, when the finance campaign for the support of the local work of the Boy Scouts will be conducted. Make a liberal pledge. Invest in the boyhood of Greenville.

DO IT NOW

Christmas is a time for joy, happiness, peace and good will for all, but such is not possible if a large number of persons due to the late shoppers, are forced to remain at their posts behind the counters until midnight Christmas Eve. Not only will doing your Christmas shopping now help the store clerks and post office employees get off duty in time to also enjoy the holiday but stocks of Christmas wares are much more complete now than they will be later on and the person who shops now will find a greater variety from which to choose. Avoid disappointment to yourself by getting your Christmas shopping done as early as possible and by so doing help those who are serving the public to finish their jobs in time to enjoy Christmas also.

THURSDAY THE DAY

Next Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock is the time definitely set for the staging of the drive for funds to carry on the Boy Scout work in this community for another year and every citizen of Greenville will be given opportunity to have a part in this great work by donating to the fund. The need of proper training for growing boys is realized by everyone and a part in helping make this training possible is a privilege as well as a duty of every citizen. Remember that every dollar spent in the interest of the boys and girls of the community is an investment in the future that will return to the community the value of its investment increased many fold.

BREAD AND BUTTER

Every citizen, whether he is a day laborer or a millionaire, is interested in three common problems: First, bread and butter for himself and his family; Second, business conditions throughout the state, the nation and the world which will permit peaceful and profitable operation of industry and farming; Third, the investment of capital in business enterprise which furnishes steady employment for labor.

By an understanding of these questions on the part of the general public a sound business balance is maintained, and uninterrupted employment assured.

Now that the football season is over and Christmas will soon be passed it is time for local fans to begin to think of baseball for Greenville next season.

There is no better evidence of a commendable community spirit than that of loyalty to a town in which a person lives. If a town is worth living in it is worth defending and supporting in its efforts to advance with the rest of the world.

To arouse greater interest in good roads, the American Road Building Association has formed plans for national observance of Good Roads Week during the week of January 11, 1926.

More than 550,000 farms in the United States are now equipped with radio, the Department of Agriculture estimates, following a nation-wide survey. A similar survey last year showed 365,000 farms on which there were radio sets, and in 1923 only 145,000 farms.

Japan to Tax Baseball.

Tokyo.—All professional baseball games in Japan will be taxed in the future, according to a decision of the taxation authorities.

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Allenburh has been tried and tested for years, and really marvelous results have been accomplished in the most severe cases where the suffering and agony was intense and pitiful and where the patient was helpless.

James B. Allen, of 26 Forbes St., Rochester, N. Y., the discoverer of Allenburh, who for many years suffered the torments of acute rheumatism, desires all sufferers to know that he does not want a cent of anyone's money unless Allenburh decisively conquers this worst of all diseases and he has instructed druggists to guarantee it as above in every instance. Pitt Drug Co. is my appointed agent in your city. If you live out of town I'll gladly send you free particulars.

State Salary and Wage Commission to Meet on Dec. 18-19

Raleigh, Dec. 8.—(AP)—The next meeting of the State Salary and Wage Commission has been definitely set for December 18 and 19. H. Hoyle Sink, executive secretary of the commission, has announced.

No new business is expected to come before the commission, Mr. Sink said. The main question to be discussed, he believes, will be that of holidays, working etc., one that has already occupied considerable time of the commission. At its meeting this month, it is expected to decide whether or not to require state employees to work longer hours to make up for the six additional holidays allowed by the ruling of the Attorney General, and which the Salary and Wage Commission did not wish to allow, doing so only after receiving the ruling, from the Attorney General.

Actual Census of Cotton Acreage to Begin in May

Washington, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Representatives of the cotton producing states have reached an agreement, Representative Aswell, Democrat of Louisiana, said today on a proposal, which will require the Department of Agriculture to conduct an actual census of the cotton acreage in each county beginning May.

Such a provision was incorporated in a bill introduced today by Mr. Aswell, which provided also for discontinuance of the semi-monthly report of conditions of the cotton crop. He would have the report of the cotton acreage census made public on June 1 of each year.

There is a wide division of opinion however among the Southern Representatives on the question of crop reporting and some members are considering calling a conference to thrash out this problem.

PRELIMINARY REPORT OF MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES FOR NORTH CAROLINA 1924

Washington, Dec. 8.—The Department of Commerce announces that according to returns received, there were in North Carolina for the calendar year 1924, 23,439 marriages performed and 1,461 divorces granted. For the calendar year 1923, 24,028 marriages and 1,504 divorces were reported.

The decrease in marriages reported for 1924 from the number reported for 1923 is 838 or 3.5 per cent. The divorces reported for 1924 show a decrease of 43, or 2.9 per cent from the number reported for 1923.

The statistics of marriages for 1924 were furnished by the Register of Deeds and those of divorces for the same year, by the Clerk of the Superior Court, of each county.

In Pitt county in 1924, 599 marriages were performed and 61 divorces granted. For the calendar year of 1923, 474 marriages were performed and 46 divorces were granted.

WHAT MY NEIGHBOR SAYS

Is of Interest to Greenville Folks

When one has had the misfortune to suffer from backache, headaches, dizziness, urinary disorders and other kidney ills—and has found relief from all this sickness and suffering, that person's advice is of untold value to friends and neighbors. The following case is only one of many thousands, but it is that of a Greenville resident. Who could ask for a better example?

J. Frank Brinkley, prop. warehouse 1100 Chestnut St. says: "Bending over had a tendency to weaken my kidneys and put my back in bad shape. I could hardly straighten after bending. My kidneys acted irregularly and I had no ambition. Doan's Pills relieved the backache and regulated my kidneys, making me feel better."

OVER THREE YEARS LATER, Mr. Brinkley added: "For the past several years I have been feeling fine. I gladly confirm my former statement praising Doan's."

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Tells Why He Can Now Eat Hearty

"A letter which I read in the paper about Carter's Little Liver Pills fitted my own case so closely that I could not help trying them and am very happy I did." So writes Mr. Frank J. Trumbull of Jersey City, N. J., whose letter goes on to say: "I had heard about Carter's Little Liver Pills for years but never knew they helped overcome poor appetite and sour stomach until I read about another man in the same plight who took Carter's with good results. I tried them and can honestly say that they freed me of nasty gas on stomach, so that I can now eat without getting bilious, and they improved my appetite fully 100%. You can

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LOST—BETWEEN QUINN-MILLER Co's. new store and Mrs. Annie Pittman's store, a bundle containing yellow and pink crepe de chine negligees, ready for hem stitching. Finder please return to the Reflector office or to Quinn-Miller's store. 7 2t

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NOTICE

State of North Carolina,
Pitt County.

Notice is hereby given by order of Board of County Commissioners that there will be no land advertised for 1925 tax, until all personal property is exhausted.

This notice is given, that all tax payers are requested to make immediate settlement for their tax, as levy on personal property will begin at once.

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Two good houses, 2 tobacco barns, 2 story pack house, stables, etc.

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SWEDISH FRUGALITY SHOWN BY SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS

Stockholm, Dec. 7.—(INS)—The well-known Scotch frugality of the Swedish people is attested by the fact that deposits in their savings banks now reaches the total of \$648,000,000 or approximately \$108 for every man, woman and child in the country,—a figure as big as any in Europe. The first Swedish Savings Bank was opened in Gothenburg in 1820, or a little over a hundred years ago, and the following year another was started in Stockholm. For the training of children, savings institutions are now operated in the public schools.

It is in attracting and holding the deposits of small capitalists that the savings banks have been most successful, the average length of their deposits being over four and a half years, while in other banks it is only a little over one year. The expense of savings bank management averages 0.48 per cent, while in the others it is 1.4. In the Postal Savings Bank, operated by the government, the deposits now amount to \$42,560,472, or an increase of \$2,635,681 during the current year. Each one of the country's 3,600 post offices is a savings bank.

RIVAL HUNTERS GO TO COURT OVER WHO KILLED "BR'ER FOX"

Greenville, O., Dec. 7.—(INS)—One of the queerest cases ever to reach the local courts has been disposed of here.

A mealy fox caused all the trouble.

Willard Parent and Ira Warvel went hunting.

A fox was killed.

Parent said he killed it. Warvel

A Rhinelander



MRS. ALICE RHINELANDER

The one-time Alice Jones, mulatto daughter of a New Rochelle, N. Y., negro cabman, is still the wife of Leonard Kip Rhinelander, scion of a wealthy Huguenot family, who sought an annulment.

vel raid likewise.

Warvel took possession of the dead animal and Parent immediately replevined it.

Then a constable took charge of the pelt pending settlement of the case.

A jury trial was held and the pelt was awarded to Parent.

"It was only worth \$3.50, so why all the trouble?" asked men who appraised the skin.

NOTICE OF SALE.

By virtue of the power contained in a certain mortgage executed and delivered by David McLawhorn and W. Jasper McLawhorn to D. R. Jackson on the 13th, day of December 1919, and duly recorded in the Register of Deeds office of Pitt county, North Carolina, in Book M-13, page 338, the undersigned will expose to public sale, before the court house door in Greenville, to the highest bidder, on

Saturday, December 19th, 1925, at 12 o'clock M.

a certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in the county of Pitt, and State of North Carolina and described as follows, to-wit:

In Winterville Township, adjoining the lands of David McLawhorn, Ed Adams, Meaking McLawhorn and others, and beginning at a stake on the Greenville-Ayden road, the same being the northeast corner of said property, also a corner of the Ed Adams property, running thence north 84-30 west, 50 ft. to a stake, thence along a ditch south 55-45 west, 178 ft. to a point in the center of said ditch, thence north 84-25 west, along the southern line of the Ed Adams property, 2220 ft., to a stake on the edge of Swift Creek a short distance, thence beyond a gum, side line pointer, this being formerly the Nelson corner, thence south 20-30 west 215 ft. to a stake, thence south 7-10 E., 460 ft. to a stake on Swift Creek, thence south 42-30 E. 97 ft. to a maple, a corner on the north edge of Cedar Swamp Canal, thence north 83 E. 100 ft. to a stake on said canal, thence north 88 E. 248 ft. to a stake near a small black gum, thence south 65-15 E. 363 ft. to a stake on said canal, thence south 74-45 E. 320 ft. to a stake, thence 82-20 E. 209 ft. to a stake, thence south 86 E. 290 ft. to a stake, thence south 60-30 E. 300 ft. along said canal to a stake, thence south 63 E. 425 ft. along said canal to a point on the Greenville-Ayden road where the bridge crosses said canal, thence north 22-30 E. 176 ft. along said road to a stake, thence north 1-50 E. 1209.4 ft. to the point of beginning, containing fifty four and one-half acres, more or less, as shown by survey and plat, made by R. E. White, Civil Engineer, December 1919, same being recorded in Book of Maps No. 2, page 75, in the registry for Pitt county, and being de-

signed as tracts No. 1; 28.2 acres, and No. 2; 26.3 acres, to satisfy said mortgage deed. Terms of sale cash. This 16th day of November 1925.

D. R. JACKSON,
Mortgagee.

LAND SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in that deed of trust, which was made by the Virginia-Carolina Land Corporation to M. R. Quinerly, trustee, which appears of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt county in Book 1-13, page 223, and at the request of the holder of the notes or bonds, secured in said deed of trust, the undersigned trustee will sell at public auction, for cash, before the court house in Greenville, on

Monday, the 4th day of January, 1926,
the following described lands, to-wit:

All those certain tracts of land lying and being in the county of Pitt, and state of North Carolina near the town of Grifton, and being tracts numbered 23, 24 and 25, on plot of land formerly owned by J. P. Quinerly, dec'd and known as J. P. Quinerly farm, as surveyed and plotted by Paul King, C. E., plat of which is on record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt county in Map Book 2, page 54, to which said plot reference is hereby made for more perfect description. Tract No. 25 contains 19.78 acres; Tract No. 24 contains 19.13 acres, and tract

No. 25 contains 22.70 acres, making a total of 61.61 acres.

Said lots will be sold to pay the balance due for the purchase money. This December 4, 1925.

M. R. QUINERLY,
Trustee.
F. G. James & Son, Attys.

PUBLIC LAND SALE

Under and by the terms of sale provided in that certain mortgage deed executed by David A. Jamie and Annie R. Jamie to Mrs. Sallie Summerell, which mortgage was executed on the 22nd, day of Nov. 1924 and recorded in the office of register of deeds of Pitt county in book D-16, page 289, default having been made in the payment of the in-

debtedness therein expressed, the undersigned mortgagee will sell at public sale before the court house door in Greenville, N. C., for CASH on the

6th day of January, 1926—the following described property: Situated in Stokes, N. C., and being lots No. 2 and 3 in Block B, on plat of property formerly owned by Roberson heirs and known as the J. L. Perkins property as surveyed by J. C. Fields, which plat of said property is recorded in Map Book 1, page 27 in register of deeds of Pitt county.

This the 4th day of Dec. 1925.

SALLIE SUMMERELL,
Mortgagee.

W. A. Darden, Atty. 71tw4wks



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There is much talk about the CHRISTMAS displays now in Greenville, but it is more than gratifying to hear the good things they say around our store. "The most attractive TOYS that has ever been in Greenville; the largest stock ever shown here, just common expressions heard by many shoppers at our store every day."

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Prices are more than attractive, considering the quality of merchandise we are offering at this time. Space forbids us to mention many items that we would like to mention. Shop early in order that you may select just the thing you want at the price you want to pay.

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ASK MAMA----ASK PAPA

To explain. The Dodge Brothers' names were Horace E., and John F. Dodge, Horace E. the mechanic, John F. the business head. From 1903 to 1912, they manufactured Ford Parts and Ford Motors. In 1914, Dodge Brothers made their first Dodge Car. 90 per cent of the cars made in 1914 are still in operation. John F. Dodge died January, 1920. Horace died same year. The estate was finally settled this year. Dodge Brothers Motor Car Works brought one hundred and forty-six million dollars, the biggest cash deal ever completed since the world began. The business brought fifty millions of dollars, Good Will, the largest Good Will ever paid for any business since the world began. From a financial standpoint Dodge Brothers stand next to the Ford Motor Company. Recently Dodge Brothers have completed five new plants at a cost of eight millions. Last month Dodge Brothers purchased the entire interest of Graham Brothers Truck. November 1914 Dodge Brothers produced seventeen cars, in 1924 two hundred and twenty two thousand, two hundred and thirty six in 1925, this year, by far the most successful year in their history.

Six Chances to Win, Nothing to Loose

All children up to 15 years old are eligible. Each composition not to be over 250 words. Only one composition to each child. Compositions must be received by December 21st of this month. Give name and address. Three officials of Pitt County Schools shall be the judges.

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LOCALS

Mrs. Kleber Denmark and Miss Emma Starkey, of Kinston, were Greenville visitors yesterday.

Dr. T. G. Basnight, of Stokes was here today.

Mr. Wile Sutton, of this county has returned from a visit in Roanoke, Va.

Mrs. G. R. Harris and Miss Elizabeth Sutton, of Roanoke, Va., are spending several days here.

Mr. Fred Newnam, golf professional, of Greensboro, is spending a few days with his brother, Mr. L. A. Newnam.

Mr. N. O. Warren was a business visitor to New Bern yesterday.

Mr. C. J. Harris, Jr., of Roanoke, Va., is in Greenville for a few days on business.

BOX PARTY AT LIBERTY SCHOOL HOUSE FRIDAY EVENING, December 11

There will be a box party at Liberty School House Friday evening, December 11th. The girls are requested to bring boxes.

MISS LOSSIE JONES, Teacher.

HOUSE-HART.

Beaufort, N. C., Dec. 8. — The home of Mrs. J. T. Blythe was the scene of a beautiful but quiet wedding on Saturday afternoon at 4:30 p. m. when her sister, Miss Dorothy Louise Hart became the bride of Mr. David T. House, Jr. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. Frank Lee, pastor of the Methodist Church of this city, the impressive ring ceremony being used. The house was artistically decorated with fall flowers and ferns.

Mrs. House is the attractive daughter of Mrs. Annie T. Hart and the late Mr. L. T. Hart of Henderson, N. C. She was educated at East Carolina Teachers College, Greenville, N. C. Mr. House was educated at Duke University and is a member of the Chi Tau Fraternity. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David T. House of Bethel, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. House will make their home in Falkland, N. C., where Mr. House will resume his duties as principal of the Falkland High School.

The out of town guests attending this wedding were Mr. W. Jasper Smith, Jr., Grimsland, N. C., Miss Bernice House, Bethel, N. C., Mrs. I. T. Hart, Henderson, N. C.

IMMANUEL BAPTIST S. S. COUNCIL TO BE HELD THIS EVENING

The Immanuel Baptist Sunday School Council meeting this evening at 6:30 o'clock. The Deacons meeting will be held at 7:45 o'clock.

IN RALEIGH FOR CONFERENCE.

Mr. D. L. Turnage, of the Greenville Oil and Fertilizer Co., and Mr. Joe Rashberry of the Farmville Oil and Fertilizer Co., left this afternoon for Raleigh to attend the fertilizer conference which will be held in that city tomorrow, under the state board of Agriculture.

REV. AND MRS. W. S. HARDEN WILL RETURN THIS WEEK

Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Harden who were called to Cordele, Ga., last Friday on account of the illness of Mr. Harden's mother, will return this week.



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GREENVILLE, N. C.

BOARD OF STEWARDS METHODIST CHURCH TO MEET TONIGHT

There will be a meeting of the Board of Stewards of the Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church at the Church tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Every member is urged to be present.

DORCAS CLASS DELIGHTFULLY ENTERTAINED BY TEACHERS

The teachers of the Vines House and College delightfully entertained the Dorcas Class of Methodist church at the College last evening. The room were beautifully decorated with holly, tapers and shaded lights, carrying out the spirit of Christmas.

Mrs. Willie Sellers led the devotional exercise. Mrs. Wile Hooker read a poem which was very much enjoyed. A doll for Christmas and a purse with money was planned to be sent adopted orphan of the class. It was suggested that a family be taken for the purpose of making the Xmas a happy one.

The following officers were elected for coming six months, Ruth Haskins, President, Almata Mallison, Vice-President, Beulah Westmoreland, Secretary, Ruth McGowan, Treasurer and Raulyn Bryan, Reporter.

After the business was over, the fun began. Several games were played, which created laughter and merriment. Rev. Jones, pastor made a talk, which was appreciated by all. The hostesses served a delicious ice course.

LAND SALE.

By virtue of an order of the clerk of the Superior court of Pitt county, made in Special Proceedings No. 2669 1-1, entitled, "T. W. Moore et als, vs. Johnnie Deans et als" the undersigned commissioner will sell at public auction before the court house in Greenville, at noon, on

Monday, December 21st, 1925, the following described parcels of lots of land, to-wit:

Tract No. 4. Falkland township, bounded on the North by the lands of S. M. Crisp and the Wilson road, on the east by the lands of William Craft, on the south by the lands of J. W. Moore, formerly known as the Thomas Dupree land; on the west by Deep Bottom Branch and the Wm. Norville land, containing 31.31 acres.

Tract No. 5. Also two acres of land, at the Old Dupree landing, known as part of the Pitt Place.

This is a re-sale of these lots, the bids having been raised from the sale made on November 16th, and a re-sale ordered.

This December 7, 1925.

6 11w 2wks F. G. JAMES, Commissioner.

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In our line you will find some of the most desirable coats of the season and new and up to the minute. You will be well repaid by coming and looking as these cannot last long at the prices we are offering them.

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Save some amount each week. Then you can welcome Christmas next year with joy in your heart and cash in your pocket. Join and enjoy next Christmas more.

"THE TRUTH"

By Clyde Fitch

A drama in four acts, will be presented by the Senior Class of the

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Thursday, December 10th

8:30 O'clock.

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FOOTBALL FANS RECALL STARS 36 YEARS BACK

Walsh Wonders How Many of Today's Players, Barring Grange Will Be Remembered

By DAVIS J. WALSH
New York, Dec. 8.—(L. N. S.)—How far has Intercollegiate football advanced? Ten thousand miles beyond the vision of its original sponsors, of course. Millions in money, too, even more than that in ordinary humanity. Yet—

How many of the present day stars, barring Grange, will be remembered thirty-six years hence? One might be able to write the answer with a clothes-pin on the nail of one's thumb.

The writer will quote the first All-American football team, picked in 1889, and let you draw your own conclusions:

Ends, Chubbuck, Harvard, and Stagg, Yale; tackles, Cowan, Princeton, and Gill, Yale; guards, George, Princeton, and Heffelfinger, Yale; center, Geo. Princeton; quarterback, Poe, Princeton; halfback, Lee, Harvard, and Channing, Princeton; fullback, Ames, Princeton.

Even names and five of them still are as green as the depths of an emerald.

"Pudge" Heffelfinger, with the possible exception of Truxton Hare, of Pennsylvania, has been declared to be the greatest guard of all time. They will remember him 13 years from now, if anybody is remembering anything by that time. Arthur Poe may have lacked the fame of the great Johnny but, nevertheless, his name has not died.

They still talk of Cowan as a tackle down at Princeton and only the fact that A. Alonso Stagg is and has been for many years a famous coach, has caused many fans to overlook the fact that he was a wonderful end at Yale. In addition to being a great baseball player.

Then, there is the immortal "Snake" Ames, of Princeton. When they start

to talk of great backs, they usually begin with "Snake" and work on down the line.

It will be noted, however, that conditions have improved in this important particular: Whereas, six Princeton men, three Yale men, two from Harvard and none from elsewhere composed the 1889 team, the first eleven for 1925 probably will represent exactly eleven colleges with an excellent chance of the Big Three being unrepresented.

They were the Big Three in 1889 because the rest of the country hadn't yet found out what it was all about. Now, the Big Three are no better—and often are worse—than anybody else. And this is quite as it should be.

GERMAN PROFITEERS GROW LIKE MUSHROOMS

Berlin, Dec. 7.—(INS)—How profiteers grew up like mushrooms on the blood-soaked soil of war has been revealed by statistics contained in a book entitled, "The World in Figures," by W. Woytinsky.

Reviewing Germany's national wealth during the past thirty years the author states that the number of persons with an annual income of over \$2,330—has increased by one-third during twenty years between 1892 and 1914, but more than doubled during four years of war. The number of persons with incomes over \$2,380, or a fortune of two million marks, was: 1,660 in 1892, 5,000 in 1914, and 12,700 in 1918.

RUSSIAN BOOT DOOMED IN LONDON, MODISTES CLAIM

London.—The Russian boot for young women, which came in here with a rush along with the fall rain and mud, is doomed, modistes claim, because there is not a chance of the idea ever being taken up by royalty and the "best people" generally.

The makers of fashion declare, incidentally, that the best people seldom set the styles but follow them after the second best have trodden the pathway of the pioneers.

But, it is pointed out, it is quite different with the Moscow boot, because to keep a fad going royalty must give its sanction, and royalty will never do that because no member of the King's Household ever walks in damp, muddy streets which have made the Russian footweare popular—for the time being, at least.

Hula Helps Hawaiians Win



Emma Steele, who happens to be Maunalani in Honolulu, hula hulaed the University of Hawaii eleven to victory in its clash with the Occidental University team at Los Angeles. A box scout band, instead of a ukulele, played as she gyrated.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage executed by L. C. Powell and wife Bernice Powell to K. M. Garrett on the 14th day of July 1920 and recorded in Book R-13, page 243 of the Pitt County Registry, default in payment having been made, as provided by said mortgage, the undersigned will on Thursday, the 24th day of December 1925, at 12 o'clock noon before the court house door in Greenville, N. C., expose to public sale, the following described tract of land:

Being lot No. 1, in Block "C" of the Moore property as surveyed and plotted by J. E. Harding, C. E., which said map or plot is recorded in Map Book No. 2 at page 32 of the Pitt County Registry, to which reference is hereby made. Said lot No. 1 in Block "C" fronts on Latham St. 47 1-2 ft. being of regular width, and runs back 105 ft. The same being a part of the land conveyed by R. J. Cobb and wife to Alice Moore in 1906, as appears by deed of record, and the same conveyed by Alice Moore to H. C. Sugg in April 1919, and by H. C. Sugg and wife to N. O. Warren by deed of record in Book Y-12, page 63 to

which reference is made and being the same lot or parcel of land conveyed by N. O. Warren and wife to R. M. Garrett by deed of record in Book J-13, page 272 of the Public Registry of Pitt county.

Sale made to satisfy said mortgage and terms said sale cash.

This 23rd day of Nov., 1925.
R. M. GARRETT,
Mortgagee.
Julius Brown, Atty. 24 1tw4skw

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of authority vested in me that certain deed of trust executed by W. B. Bland and wife, Carrie L. Bland, W. D. Bland and wife, Celia Bland, to F. C. Harding, trustee, bearing date of February 23, 1923, which said deed of trust appears of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt county in Book U-14 at page 293, and default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, the undersigned trustee will on Monday the 4th day of January 1926 at 12 o'clock noon before the courthouse door in Greenville, N. C., sell to the highest bidder

for cash the following described real estate, to-wit:

1st Tract: Lying in Swift Creek Township adjoining the lands of James Stokes, Levi Stokes, Heber Stokes and Thomas Stokes, on the North, G. W. Venters on the East, W. H. Bland on the South, and the Walter McLawhorn or Charlie Rodgers land on the West, containing 225 acres, more or less, and being known as the Whitford or Jones land, and C. J. Stokes land.

2nd Tract: Being all of that certain tract or parcel of land conveyed by W. B. Bland and wife, Carrie L. Bland to Walter D. Bland on the 6th day of September 1921, and recorded in Book X-13 at page 294 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt county, containing about 2.7 acres more or less and being the tract of land known as the W. B. Bland home place in Swift Creek Township.

This the 3rd day of Dec. 1925.
F. C. HARDING,
Trustee.
Ra'leigh B. Lee, Atty. 41tw4skw

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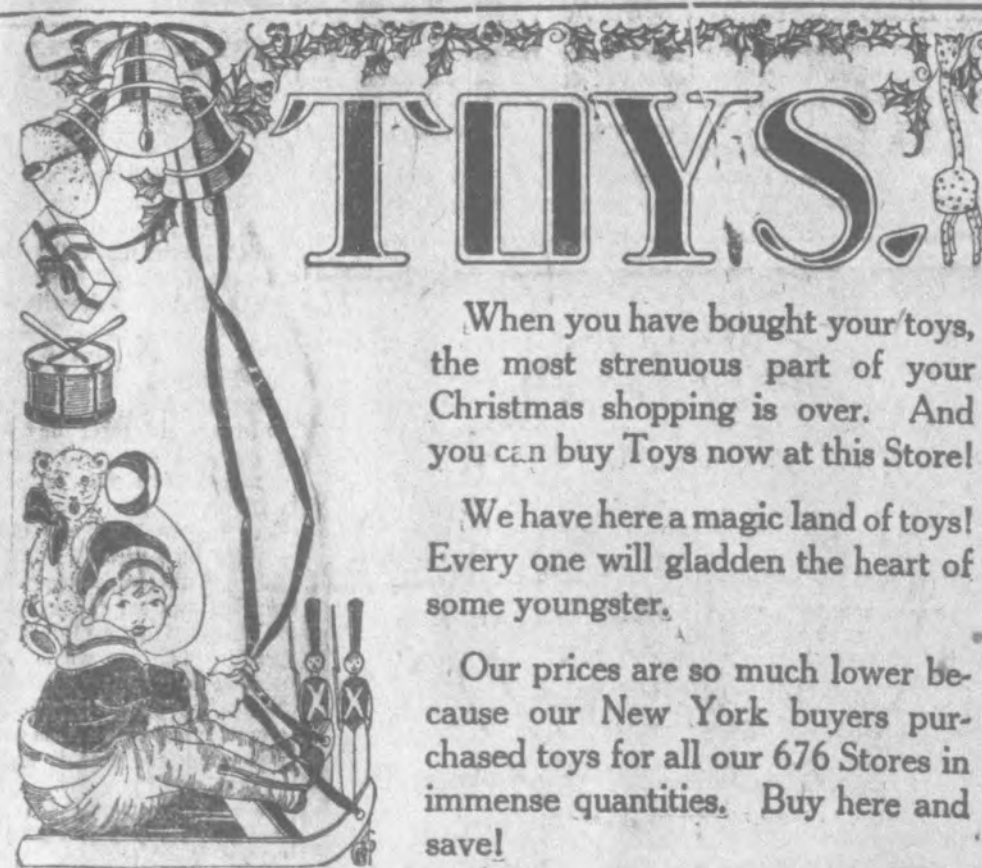
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OUTLINES COMPREHENSIVE LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM BEFORE CONGRESS TODAY

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prove futile."

That American participation in the World Court would not mean involvement in the League of Nations, but would "contribute greatly to the advancement of our ideals."

That debt settlements already negotiated "impose no undue burden and are mutually beneficial" and that "every reasonable effort will be made to secure agreements for liquidation with the remaining countries."

Turning to domestic issues the President advocated an enactment of a selective service act for mobilization of materials as well as men in emergencies. The report of the air board ought to be "reassuring," he declared, adding that the Departments of War, Navy and Commerce "should each be provided with an additional assistant secretary, not necessarily with statutory duties but who would be available under the direction of the secretary to give special attention to air navigation."

"We must have an air strength worthy of America," he said, "Provision should be made for two additional brigadier generals for the army air service. Temporary rank corresponding to their duties should be awarded to active flying officers in both army and navy."

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With reference to agriculture, the President regarded its position as a whole improved although many localities and individuals still are in a distressing condition. In his opinion farmers generally do not wish meddling by the government or direct or indirect price fixing "which would result from permitting the government to operate in the agricultural markets" and power should be given the Department of Agriculture to aid marketing associations without undue regulation.

In his analysis of the merchant marine problem, he took the view that while elimination of the regional representation feature of the Shipping Board is not desirable, "it has become apparent that without centralized executive action the management of this great business x x will founder in incapacity and languish under a division of council."

Pointing out that the federal government has little to deal with the situation in the coal industry, he advocated authority for appointment of temporary boards with authority to call for witnesses and documents, conciliate differences, encourage arbitration and in case of threatened scarcity exercise control over distribution.

As for prohibition, the President said:

"Under the orderly processes of our fundamental institutions the Constitution was lately amended providing for national prohibition. The Congress passed an act for its enforcement, and similar acts have been providing by most of the states. It is the law of the land. It is the duty of all who come under its jurisdiction to observe the spirit of that law, and it is the duty of the Department of Justice and the Treasury Department to enforce it. Action to prevent smuggling, illegal transportation in interstate commerce, abuse in the use of permits, and existence of source of supply for illegal traffic is almost entirely imposed upon the federal government."

"Through treaties with foreign governments and increased activities of the Coast Guard, revenue agents, district attorneys, and enforcement agents effort is being made to prevent these violations. But the Constitution also puts a concurrent duty on the states. We need

their active and energetic co-operation, the vigilant action of their police, and the jurisdiction of their courts to assist in enforcement. I request of the people observance, of the public officers continuing efforts for enforcement, and of the Congress favorable action on the budget recommendation for the prosecution of this work."

With reference to railroads he recommended authority for consolidation under the supervision of the Interstate Commerce Commission, and expressed gratification that railroad employers and employees are in substantial agreement as to legislation necessary to regulate and improve their relationship.

Along with development of inland navigation, the President held, should go every possible encouragement for development of waterpower. He advocated investigation of expenditures and the success of laws in Alaska to determine whether too much money is being spent for administration and urged increased authority for the Governor of the Philippines with a view to preparing the islands for "ultimate independence."

He also expressed the view that the time had come to consider civil service classification of all postmasters, collectors of customs and internal revenue and prohibition agents, and advocated passage for the District of Columbia of a mothers' pension law that would serve as a model to the states.

TAX REDUCTION BILL

CALLE DFOR DEBATE

Washington, Dec. 8.—(A.P.)—A program of hard work was suggested to the new Congress today by President Coolidge and the House at least took the hint. Scarcely had the final words of the executive's final message fallen from the lips of reading clerk in the House and Senate—for the President did not read his message in person—before the Republican House managers called up for debate the gigantic tax reduction bill framed before hand to fulfill one of Mr. Coolidge's major recommendations. The more deliberate Senate, however, continued leisurely to mill over the message and find its bearing after the long recess.

Reference by the president of the Muscle Shoals problem as demon-

strating the almost utter incapacity of the National Government to "deal directly with an industrial and commercial problem" was applauded by a number of Republicans.

SAYS APPROPRIATION OF \$314,965,000 NECESSARY VETERANS BUREAU WORK

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less than the ordinary life plan. "However," he added, "the continuance of insurance on a premium basis less than ordinary life rates necessarily results in a higher premium later, and in view of the fact that the average age of veterans is now 33 the selection of a legal-reserve level-premium insurance should not be postponed longer than a few years."

MAN TRIED AND DOOMED TO DEATH IN 4 MINUTES

Manchester, Dec. 8.—(I. N. S.)—What is claimed to be the shortest murder trial on record took place here recently when Sam Johnstone was sentenced to death for killing his aunt. From the moment he entered the court until the death-sentence was passed upon him the court clock only recorded the passing of four minutes. The shortness of the trial is explained by the fact that Johnstone pleaded guilty, an unprecedented plea in murder trials here. He refused legal assistance, and received the death sentence with absolute sangfroid.

SENT THROUGH MAILS TO ESCAPE ROBBERS

London, Dec. 8.—(I. N. S.)—A collection of jewelry valued at more than a million dollars has just arrived in London by mail from Paris.

To escape the attention of international jewel thieves, special precautions of a simple character were taken to convey the treasure across the channel. The jewels were packed in five brown paper parcels, the largest not bigger than an ordinary novel.

THE PARSON'S PET CROW.

(By M. L. WRIGHT).

Parson Jones has just moved to town with his pet crow. The crow being more sociable and less formal than the parson's wife, it has made the first call on several of the neighbors, and in some cases it has not waited for its first call to be returned before making a second.

The dictionary describes the crow as being a sagacious bird. The parson's crow has gone the dictionary one better—it is even precocious. It goes to school. In fact, it goes to college. The other day while a group of college students were preparing lessons plans in one of the work rooms of the Model School at East Carolina Teachers College this nighty bird perched itself upon the ledge of an open window. "There he perched and sat and nothing more."

Finally a lesson plan of one of the practice teachers which lay on the window ledge attracted its attention and after examining this plan the crow passed upon it and said that it was good and that it embodied all of the minimum essentials. "Not the least obeisance made he; not an instance stopped or stayed he," but taking the intellectual blueprint in its beak it flew away without so much as leaving one dark plume as

a token of its appreciation for this stolen work of pedagogical art.

Not one word of explanation did it make. Some thought that the very professional radiance of the paper attracted it. Others suggested that probably the crow was going to open a kindergarten and wanted this specimen of pedagogical pep. Still others said that the bird was looking forward to the time when it would be the mother of a family and would have to teach its young, and that it wanted to be able to do it scientifically.

In the meantime the practice teacher was embarrassed, abashed, frustrated, chagrined, for in a few minutes she was to go before her class to teach this purloined lesson in the presence of other teachers, visiting teachers and critic teachers. She stood "wondering, fearing, dreaming dreams no mortal ever dreamed before," while the ebony fowl flopped away and over the hills to return the treasured pedagogical design "Nevermore."

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Touring, plain	\$352.00	\$130.36	\$21.72
Touring, starter	\$420.00	\$154.64	\$25.78

	Cash Price	Time Price Down	Time Price Per Month
Touring, starter, demountable	\$441.00	\$162.33	\$27.06
Coupe, starter, demountable	\$592.00	\$217.67	\$36.28
Tudor Sedan	\$654.00	\$241.00	\$40.17
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