

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy and colder tonight, preceded by rain on south coast. Cloudy and colder Wednesday.

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SEEK ESTABLISH FOREIGN TRADE PROMOTION DEPT.

Secretary Hoover Will Enact Measure of Measure Now Pending in Senate.

Washington, Dec. 14.—(INS)—Another effort to obtain enactment of a bill placing the government's foreign trade promotion service on a permanent basis, will be made by Secretary of Commerce Hoover, during the present Congress, it was announced today.

The bill, which creates in the Commerce Department, a foreign commerce service, passed the House last session and is now pending in the Senate.

Satisfactory promotion of the country's foreign trade, which in 1926 will amount to approximately \$9,500,000,000, depends to a great extent upon the proposed legislation, officials said.

"It is essential that the service of foreign trade promotion should be given a firm foundation in law, a definite organization, and clearly indicated salaries, functions and prerogatives, with requisite legal authority vested in the persons charged with it, direction," said Julius Klein, director of foreign and domestic commerce.

"Under such circumstances the service would provide a genuine career and would prove more attractive for men of high calibre whom the bureau is desirous of procuring for its office abroad."

Hoover hopes to be able to increase the prestige of the foreign service, that the commercial representatives abroad will be to business, what ambassadors and ministers are to diplomacy.

During the past year the commerce department had 2,032,000 inquiries from private business organizations, seeking foreign markets for their products, or information as to sources of supply.

Klein pointed out that from 1922 to 1926 the sale of American goods abroad increased \$1,000,000,000. In the last year the commerce department served almost 15,000 firms interested in foreign trade. The next business accruing to these firms as the result of governmental activities was estimated at \$189,000,000.

Klein urged the continuance and enlargement of the active service to American exporters holding that it will be a vital factor in the maintenance of the country's position in world markets.

Asks For Break of Relations With Mexico

Washington, Dec. 14.—(INS)—Condemning the reported sale of munitions by Mexican interests to Nicaraguan Liberals, Rep. Boyden, Democrat of New York, today attacked Secretary of State Kellogg for inaction and renewed his fight in the House to break relations with Mexico.

Legion Prepares Legislative Plan

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 14.—(INS)—A legislative plan for the year will be drawn up by the executive committee of the State Department of the American Legion when it meets here Thursday. It was learned today.

The exact nature of the legion's legislation was not made known, although it was stated that the committee would discuss the veterans loan act, which was passed at the November 1 election.

BABE RUTH



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23rd Term



While he was ill in a hospital, friends conducted a sticker campaign, electing Charles S. Ashley Mayor of New Bedford, Mass., for the twenty-third time.

LARGE INCREASE IN ATTENDANCE AT CATHOLIC MISSION

Nature and Importance of Faith Stressed by Priest at Last Night's Services.

A marked increase in attendance was manifest last evening at the mission services in St. Peter's Catholic church, Second street. Before the sermon, Father Egbert gave a brief instruction on the nature and importance of faith in the life of a Christian.

His words are in part: "It is a deplorable, but undeniable fact, that many of Christ's words and teachings have been turned and twisted by men to mean almost anything they wish them to mean. In the words of Dr. Holmes of Swarthmore College: 'People are not caring about truth, but about what they have accepted to be true. They have accepted the Bible partly as a formula to interpret the teaching, to mean what they think ought to be meant.' The natural and inevitable consequence of such distortion and delusion is doubt, dissension and division amongst Christians."

"Take, for example faith or belief. Ages ago, God declared: 'My just man live by faith.' Christ our Saviour laid down faith or belief, also, as an essential and fundamental condition for eternal salvation. Over surely, this alone manifests the tremendous importance of faith in the life of a Christian. Yet, all too many, have but vague and loose ideas of the real nature of faith. True, the word is used, and it is abused to cover a host of confused notions. Faith has come to mean almost anything. Some regard faith as mere personal opinion in religious matters. Others consider it an affectionate and confident trust in Christ, the Saviour, Faith, however, in the only true and worthy sense of the term, and as the condition for salvation means far more than this.

"In our every day business and social life, we are said to believe a man when we 'take his word.' When on his own say-so, we accept a fact or statement as true, just because he tells us, we exercise human faith or belief. So also in religion, Divine faith or belief means 'taking God's word.' It demands that we accept certain spiritual, supernatural truths and facts, simply and solely on His say-so. Faith, therefore, is a firm and absolute acceptance of every truth revealed by God, of every doctrine taught by Christ. Here is the real nature of Christian faith."

"It is true that some of these truths and doctrine, in religion may be startling, even incomprehensible to human understanding. They may be mysteries. But the man of brains has sense to realize that all around him lie mysteries of nature, which are inexplicable, incomprehensible. Full well does he admit the truth declared by Holy Scripture. Hardly do we guess aright at the things that are upon the earth; and with labor do we find the things that are before us. But the things of heaven who shall search out? Certainly only the man who humbly accepts the truth, uttered by Continued on Page Six

COUNSEL APPEAR BEFORE JURY IN FALL DOHENY CASE

Hogan Flays Government Counsel in Plea for Acquittal Fall and Doheny

Washington, Dec. 14.—(INS)—"Edward L. Doheny has been crucified and offered up as a sacrifice to the great god politics," Frank J. Hogan, "Ace" among the defense counsel in the conspiracy trial of Doheny and former Secretary of the Interior Albert B. Fall, hammered this home to the jury this afternoon as one of the high lights of his final argument.

The defense leader charged that Doheny and Fall had been made the goats of a "political hysteria" and added:

"The government has deliberately set out to get these two men." Hogan, assailed the final argument of Owen J. Roberts, government counsel as "one of the vilest, most vicious vilifications that ever polluted the atmosphere of a court room."

He further accused the government of having deliberately failed to round out the record of the case.

"You have heard it from the lips of a man made desperate—made desperate by the fact that in the past week he has seen his flimsy case collapse before him. You see, him hopelessly trying to rebuild it from the bricks of his own oratory."

"Turning dramatically from the jury to Doheny Hogan pointed to the elderly defendant and said: "And the law leaves you no remedy, old man. This Philadelphia lawyer is protected by the rules of the court."

Hogan then took up the prosecution challenge that the \$100,000 Doheny gave Fall was not a loan but a bribe.

"A bribe is a corrupt and contemptible thing. Do you think these two men, who worked together with pick and shovel and who have served their government so well would stoop to defraud the government?"

"You hear that loyal-hearted level-headed little woman, (Mrs. Doheny) tell you of the loan. You heard this old man (Doheny) advanced in years—perhaps about to die—tell you how he said to his wife:

"Partner of my life, even if I should die, I rely on you to carry out the loan to my old friend (Fall)."

"And this Philadelphia lawyer has the temerity to challenge such a thing!" Hogan cried.

Hogan referred to the war time service of Doheny's son, who carried the money to Fall. He called attention to Fall's service in the Senate and as a member of President Harding's Cabinet.

"If you believe Doheny, the case is closed. If you believe Roberts, that Doheny is a briber, a cheater, a deceiver, a traitor, a perjurer, then convict him," shouted Hogan.

Suddenly lowering his voice, Hogan paced up and down before the jury box, pointing in turn to each juror and asking:

"Do you believe Mr. Doheny is a crook? Do you? Do you?"

The defense counsel stressed the fact that Fall had given Doheny a note for the \$100,000.

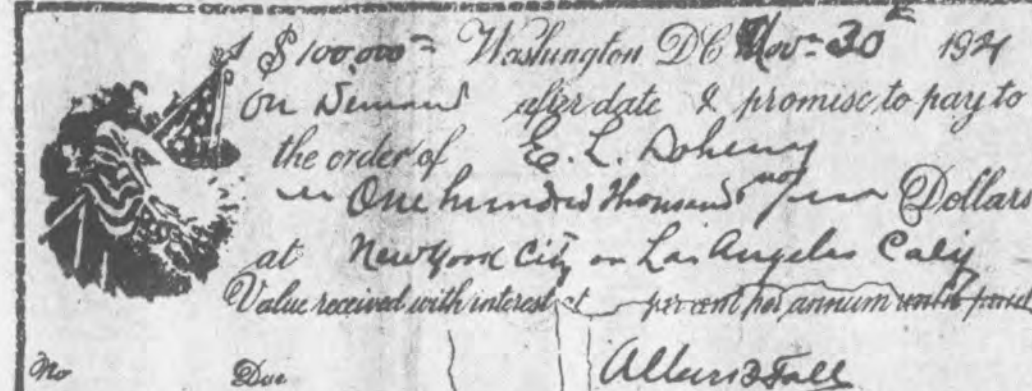
"Do you think a man accepting a bribe would give a demand note for it?" he asked.

TO ASK CHANGES IN DIVORCE LAWS

Ministerial Associations Now Preparing Measures for Next Legislature.

Raleigh, Dec. 14.—(INS)—Divorce legislation probably will have to be dealt with by the 1927 legislature which convenes here on January 5, it appeared today. Resolution, and petitions are being circulated among ministerial associations of the state. It is estimated, advocating drastic changes in the state's present divorce laws.

This Is What the Shouting's All About



Here is a reproduction of the famous \$100,000 note recording the loan of E. L. Doheny, oil magnate, to the then Secretary of the Interior, Albert B. Fall, in return for which, the Government charged in its conspiracy case, on trial in Washington, Fall granted valuable Government oil lands to Doheny. Note where the signature was torn off. Doheny said he gave that part to Mrs. Doheny.

SPECIAL TERM OF CRIMINAL COURT BEGAN YESTERDAY

Two Cases Disposed of Yesterday in Special Term Here Under Judge Ward

Only two cases were disposed of in yesterday's session of criminal court here, a large portion of the time being required to matters of setting the special term under way and the selection of a jury.

The cases disposed of yesterday were that against Tom Wells, white man, charged with assault. He was found guilty and judgment was suspended upon payment of \$10 and costs.

S. Revelis and Phillip Cohen, charged with receiving stolen goods, pleaded nolo contendere and judgment was suspended upon payment of costs.

This morning's session was taken up with the case of Wesley Baker, charged with the manufacture of whiskey. The members of the counsel were expected to finish their argument and the case set to the jury by the noon hour.

Everything Ready For Opening Peanut Exposition

Windsor, N. C., Dec. 13.—With the opening of America's First Peanut Exposition only two weeks off, the local committees in the various towns affected by the big mid-winter show, are getting busy winding up the details. Incident to the basket ball tournament, queens contest, floats for the parade, and exhibits for the big occasion Monday's mail brought entries in the basket ball tournament from Everett High School. This team is reputed to be one of the best high school teams in the section and bids fair to run some other team a close race for the silver loving cup. Jamesville High School entered last week and that team is counting on taking home the trophy. The prospects are for at least fifteen teams to be in.

New Queens In

Recent entries in the queens' contest include: Miss Audrey Stephenson as Miss Kelford, Miss Sallie Peel as Miss Lewiston, Woodville, Miss Sophie Wood Faison as Miss Winton, Miss Augusta Simmons Clark as Miss Washington, Miss Blanche Holloman as Miss Ableskie, Misses Alma Lee and Grace Evans as Miss Aulander. Aulander is entitled to two candidates. There will be more than a score of candidates by the time all are in, is the belief of the committees in charge.

Season Tickets on Sale Wednesday

Season tickets go on sale Wednesday at a very attractive price. This is being done to stimulate interest ahead of the opening of the exposition and at the same time make it possible for more people to attend. The ticket will prove very popular from all indications now.

Many Exhibits

Floor space is selling very rapidly, according to information given out at headquarters in Kingston Monday. We expect to show the peanut from the time it is planted right on through the various channels, to ultimate consumption. Secretary Bartlett said. The largest peanut manufacturer in the world has bought a large area to show how many uses the peanut is being put to now. It is estimated by the management that 30,000 people will attend during the five days.

TODAY

Enforcing Law. Surprise for Trotzky. Let Them Combine. Why Tie Our Hands?

(By Arthur Brisbane)

Irrington, New Jersey, decided to enforce old blue laws, that forbid "worldly occupations on the Sabbath." Sunday at 5 p. m., 120 persons had been arrested, including six reporters, locked up for taking notes, motormen and others.

Golf, theatres, movies, any sport or business activity, is against the law. To enforce it occasionally and learn how people feel is wise.

How long would prohibition last if it were as hard for the big man to get his champagne as it is for the little man to get his beer?

Mr. Ford's Weekly says: "He (the Jew) controls the revolutionary elements of the world, on one hand, and the ultra conservative elements on the other, so he has equal power in Communist Russia and in capitalistic England."

That will be news to Trotzky, the only conspicuous Jew in the Russia government, from which his powers have recently been taken one by one.

Mr. Ford also prints: "The international Jew is in direct control of all financial centres of government, including the United States Federal Reserve System."

Secretary Mellon and Mr. Strong, of the Reserve Bank, will learn something there.

The four richest men in the world are Rockefeller, Ford, Mellon and George F. Baker—according to the Rothchilds compared with them, are only a child's bank. The Jews have evidently shown great moderation, controlling finance, but letting "Goyim" have the real money.

One great financial house, which Ford sincerely considers a Jewish institution, using Christians for a false face, actually will not give employment to any Jew.

Naval Strength Subject Debate Senate Today

Washington, Dec. 14.—(INS)—America's naval strength will be injected into Congressional debate, it was learned today following the conclusion of hearings by the House Naval Affairs Committee.

"The hearings have disclosed that the United States has taken far below the 5-5-3 ratio established at the Washington Arms Conference," said Rep. Britten, Republican of Illinois.

"We are deficient not only in the arms limited by that agreement, but in aircraft and other fleet arms as well."

The Washington pact permitted an American Navy equaling Great Britain's and forty per cent stronger than Japan's Navy.

Advocate of strong national preparedness plan to lay the whole matter before the country in debate upon the Navy Department appropriation bill.

TO PROBE DEATH OF UNIDENTIFIED MAN

Lumberton, N. C., Dec. 14.—(INS)—Coroner D. W. Biggs, will hold an inquest today over the body of an unidentified white man found near here early yesterday morning.

All efforts so far to identify the man have failed, it was said. No theory has been advanced as to the manner in which the man met his death.

His body was found along highway No. 10. No marks of violence were found on the body, it was declared.

WILL GIVE FARM RELIEF MEASURES FIRST ATTENTION

Tilson Says House Will Give Consideration as Soon as Committee Acts.

Washington, Dec. 14.—(INS)—Farm relief will be given a preferential status in the House this session if the Agriculture Committee agrees upon a bill, Representative Tilson of Connecticut, Republican, said today.

The agricultural question is of such great importance that we are anxious to do something if we can, said Tilson.

Farm relief was omitted from the Senate Steering Committee's program.

Radio control, the McFadden Branch Banking Bill, all property and supply bills are the chief subjects on the House program.

The House farm bloc expects to agree upon a bill this week.

Greenville Man on Executive Board Bottlers Ass'n.

Durham, Dec. 14.—(INS)—W. J. Richardson, of Raleigh, was elected president of the North Carolina Bottlers' Association at this afternoon's closing session of the association's annual convention here.

N. N. Beards, of Asheville, was chosen vice president; and M. S. Brown, of Tarboro, was re-elected secretary and treasurer.

The convention city will be chosen by the executive committee. Asheville was the only city bidding for the convention.

Two new members were elected to the executive board. They were J. R. Ingram, Sanford; and M. O. Minges, Greenville, succeeding L. D. Peel, Salisbury; and E. E. Fleming, Rocky Mount, whose terms expired.

JOHNSTON BEGINS INVESTIGATION OF FORSYTHE KILLING

Witness in 'Rum King' Slaying to Appear Before Grand Jury Today.

Smithfield, Dec. 14.—(INS)—Veiled in secrecy that goes with barred doors, a Johnston county grand jury was expected this afternoon to launch an investigation—the second—into the now sensational Forsythe murder mystery.

It was learned on reliable authority that the grand jury probably will begin its probe soon after it reconvenes for afternoon session at 2:30. The presentment had not been made by solicitor Clawson L. Williams, of Sanford, at 1:30 this afternoon.

Meanwhile, as the early afternoon hours dragged on, a score of witnesses, subpoenaed from Johnston, Durham and Wake counties to testify before the inquirers, idled around the court house awaiting the jury's call.

Among the witnesses who have been called here to tell what they know of the mysterious slaying, was reported Evelyn Britt, 18 year old Durham girl, implicated in the affair.

The jury, when it begins its probe to decide whether or not the three present defendants will be ordered to face trial, has somewhat of a foundation on which to base its investigation.

For, only last week a Wake county coroner's jury concluded a three weeks investigation into the Forsythe slaying, which resulted in the order that the Britt girl, Robert Separk and Robert Stephenson, be held without bond on charges of murder.

The trio was also ordered over to Johnston county authorities, and the case was transferred here. The jury ascertained that Forsythe was killed in Johnston county instead of Wake county.

However, if any one of the three defendants appears before the grand jury, it probably will be the Britt girl, as Robert Separk, recovering from injuries sustained in an automobile accident, is unable to leave Raleigh, and Robert Stephenson has never been apprehended, despite a far-reaching search for him over the state.

TO OPPOSE ALIEN PROPERTY RETURN

Will Demand That No German Property Be Returned Until Germany Settles.

Washington, Dec. 14.—(INS)—Notice was served upon Rep. Can leader, in the House today by Rep. Fish, Republican of New York and others, that there will be strong opposition to the alien property bill which is to be taken up Thursday.

Rep. Green, Republican of Iowa, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, asked for an early consideration of the bill, which attempts to settle the long standing question of the return of German National's property seized during the war and payment of claims of American nationals against the German government.

The opposition will demand that no German property be returned until all American claims are paid in full.

The bill does not provide for the return of property of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, draft evader now in Germany.

The bill does, however, provide that no further seizure of property shall be made. The alien property custodian last week seized additional Bergdoll property in Philadelphia.

AMERICAN LEAGUE BASEBALL MAGNATES MEET IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Dec. 14.—(INS)—Rumors of impending deals flew thick and fast today as American League baseball magnates gathered at the Congress Hotel for the first session of their two day convocation here.

Business, in this connection is expected to be unusually active on account of the presence here of five new pilots of American League teams, all fired with the beginners' ambition to make good.

MIDDLE WEST IN THE ICY GRIP OF WINTER WEATHER

Zero Weather Takes Toll of Fifteen Lives and Causes Much Suffering

The thermometer registered 32 degrees below zero here at eight o'clock this morning, making it the coldest December day on record, according to the local weather bureau office.

Chicago, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Untold suffering was caused today by the severe cold wave that held Chicago and the middle-west in its icy grip. The mercury fell in 24 hours from 51 degrees, to three below zero at dawn today.

Zero temperatures are general over the northern middle section of the United States and Canada. North and South Dakota and Minnesota are the hardest hit. A blizzard of major proportions blowing in from Alaska swept over those states and extended into the adjoining states of Montana, Kansas, Nebraska, Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin and Michigan.

Although fifteen deaths have been attributed to the cold wave, only two are known to have been caused directly by exposure.

The lowest temperature was reported from Wicker, Mont., where the mercury touched 31 degrees below zero. Des Moines, Iowa, reported 27 below. The sub-zero line extended south to the Minnesota and Iowa boundary.

Heavy blankets of snow cover the affected area. The furious gales drifted the snow into railroad cuts and highways and tied up traffic in many sections. Air mail routes were forced to abandon most scheduled trips. Transcontinental flights were halted at Omaha.

Keen suffering was reported among the poor in Chicago. The drop in temperature was so sudden, that many were caught unprepared. Officials were preparing today to cope with the situation.

A. E. Sinclair, in charge of the relief work, has issued orders for six emergency relief stations to remain open day and night and to have adequate stocks of food, fuel and clothing to dispense to the poor and needy.

Shippers were warned to protect shipments passing through Chicago from temperatures ranging from 5 to 20 below zero. The cold wave will continue for the next two days, the weather forecast indicated today.

Norfolk, Neb., Dec. 14.—(INS)—One man was near death and many other persons suffered keenly here today as a result of the record cold wave.

The mercury hovered around 10 degrees below zero.

Kan., City, Mo., Dec. 14.—(INS)—Near zero weather continued in Western Kansas and Eastern Missouri today following the severest cold wave of the winter which struck this section Sunday night. Minimum temperatures here were 2 above zero. The cold wave extended as far south as Texas with 10 and 14 above zero temperatures prevailing in Oklahoma and North Arkansas.

Minneapolis, Dec. 14.—(INS)—The cold wave continued unabated today. Temperature in Minnesota and the Dakotas ranged from 20 below zero to 35 below in some sections of Montana.

Denver, Colo., Dec. 14.—(INS)—Relief was promised today from the most severe cold wave that has gripped the Rocky Mountain region in more than two years. Temperatures ranging from five to twenty five below zero prevailed in sections of Northern Colorado, Wyoming and Montana. In Denver a low record of 11 below was recorded this morning.

Five deaths in Denver were attributed indirectly to the Arctic weather.

St. Louis, Dec. 14.—(INS)—Falling 30 degrees in 24 hours, St. Louis and vicinity today felt the effect of the cold wave, which struck the middle west, with temperatures in this section ranging from 10 to 15 degrees above zero. The forecast was continued cold.

SHEFFIELD SUFFERING FROM HEAVY COLD

Mexico, City, Dec. 14.—(INS)—James R. Sheffield, American ambassador to Mexico, is confined to a bed today with a heavy cold and his engagements are cancelled.

Daily News Letter

Consist of Staff Correspondents at World Centers of Population.

In the News of the Day



PEGGY TEMPLE



C. C. MOORE



WILLARD C. LUSK



W. H. McMASTER

San Francisco, Dec. 14. (INS)—An attempt to change "Maggie Alley" into "Bristol Court" failed here when Mayor James Rolph vetoed the resolution, changing the street name which was passed by Board of Supervisors.

Protests from persons living on the streets were responsible for the veto. "Maggie Alley" still remains, despite the efforts of euphemists to give it a sweeter name.

In an effort to control traffic more completely, the Board of Supervisors are planning to consider an ordinance making "jay walking" a misdemeanor. Jay walkers would be punished by a \$25 fine, three day jail sentence, or both.

Returning to training after the lay off following their massacre of the University of California, the Stanford university football team prepared to meet the University of Alabama eleven at Pasadena on New Year's Day.

Recognizing the fact that they have the best opportunity of any western eleven in history to win the virtually undisputed national title, the Cardinal is determined not to miss their opportunity. Semestral examinations are an annoying side issue at this time but when a national championship is at stake the curricula must take the consequences.

The entire Stanford squad is in fine fettle and is striving desperately not to underestimate the Southern opponents.

Remarkable advances in the scientific study of plant life and growth through the medium of motion pictures will be demonstrated by Arthur C. Pillsbury, upon his forthcoming return from the Hawaiian Islands to his laboratory in Yerkes National Park. It was learned here today.

During his stay in Hawaii, Pillsbury perfected a new "tandem" microscope motion picture lens

Peggy Temple, twelve, was heralded as London's latest prodigy when she wrote a book. Governor C. C. Moore, of Idaho, was presented to President Coolidge. Willard C. Lusk, president of the Chamber of Commerce of South Dakota, and Senator W. W. McMaster, of that State, urged Coolidge to establish a Summer White House in the Black Hills.

(International Newswire.)

that will enable the scientist to photograph an image of an enlargement recording the subject in beautiful detail on motion picture film. "It enables man, for the first

time in history to see in motion the nucleus and protoplasm under normal influences. The stain heretofore used by scientists in experiments has killed the vital plant life, preventing a true picture of the subject under usual circumstances. By this new method of microscopy, motion picture photography there is a continuity of natural plant growth being recorded with tandem lens. It will faithfully chronicle the life cycle of plants for later exhibition in the classrooms of the nation."

The micro-camera in operation it was said, will be floated in a tank of water to avoid vibration. One of the important botanical problems, already solved by the "tandem" lens, according to the word from Pillsbury, is the discovery that protoplasm developed in a grain of pollen moves at a high rate of speed in a dash to the heart of the plant. Heretofore it had been believed that protoplasm moved slowly and sluggishly.

Florida Bus Drivers On Efficiency Basis

Dayton Beach, Fla., Dec. 14. (INS)—Jitney bus drivers here have gone on an efficiency basis.

Busses going across the river run on a five minute schedule from Casino Burgoyne.

To keep to schedule, the drivers had to pay a timekeeper. Dislike this extra expense, the drivers got together and invented an automatic time signal.

They got an alarm clock, removed the glass face, set a series of contact points at each five minute interval of the large hand, connected these contacts with batteries and an electric bell, encased the entire works in a wooden box and wound the clock.

Then they fired the timekeeper. Today at regular five-minute intervals, an electric bell rings in front of Casino Burgoyne, and a bus rolls out.

NEW SUPER MICROSCOPE BIG AID TO SCIENTISTS

London, Dec. 14. (INS)—A new super-microscope which will enable man to see further into the hidden secrets of the world was foreboded by J. E. Barnard the distinguished English scientist who located the cancer germ. Work is now proceeding in his laboratory towards this end. He has already produced a microscope which will magnify an object twelve million times, he told his hearers.

Illinois courts rule that a deserted husband may claim alimony. But can he get it?—Dan's Life Bee.



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CHILD LABOR IN INDUSTRIES IS INCREASING

Twenty Four Out of Twenty Nine Centers Show Increase Last Year.

Washington, Dec. 13. (INS)—Child labor in American industries is increasing.

This fact was disclosed in figures made public today by the children's bureau of the Department of Labor, showing that child labor in 24 out of 29 larger industrial cities increased during 1925.

Twelve states and 29 cities having a population of 100,000 or more reported on the number of 14 and 15 year old children receiving work permits during 1924 and 1925, of which eight states and 24 cities reported increases. The 8 states were Alabama, Con-

necticut, Kentucky, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, Tennessee. Four states reported decreases—Indiana, Kansas, Oklahoma and West Virginia. The 24 cities, with the percent age of increased child workers in each were: Birmingham, 20.1 per cent; San Francisco, 9.9; Bridgeport, 29.8; Hartford, 18.2; New Britain, 37.4; New Haven 14.4; Waterbury, 17.4; New Orleans, 9.5; Baltimore, 12; St. Louis, 4.8; Jersey City, 1.2; Newark, 2; Trenton, 17.3; New York, 2; Rochester, 16; Yonkers, 35.2; Philadelphia, 24.9; Pittsburgh, 8.8; Reading, 27.9; Milwaukee, 28.8; Fall River, 43.7; New Bedford, 33.8; Detroit, 13.6; Minneapolis, 18.8.

The five cities showing decreased child labor were: Washington 67.5; Chicago, 8.8; Indianapolis 10.8; Louisville, 14.5.

AMERICANS HEADING HOME FOR CHRISTMAS

Southampton, Dec. 14. (INS)—The Leviathan, sailing for New York today, was a Christmas ship carrying some 1,200 passengers, most of whom were scurrying back to the home fires in America for Christmas.

Ambassador Alanson B. Hough and his daughter, Matilde and Elizabeth, were passengers. Ogden Hammond, United States Ambassador to Spain, and his family, will join the ship at Cherbourg.

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LOCALS

C. A. Porter, of Chicod, was a Centennial in Philadelphia. Greenville visitor today.

Mrs. R. J. Little, of Falkland, spent today here.

R. M. Williams, of Chicod, was here today.

Mrs. J. L. Rumley, of Farmville, spent today with her mother Mrs. D. D. Haskett.

Colonel and Mrs. R. R. Cotten of Cottontown, were here today.

J. A. Staton, of Bethel, was a Greenville visitor today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Norris spent today in Wilson.

Miss Florence Butler, of Charleston, has returned home after visiting Mrs. W. W. Phelps.

MUSIC RECITAL BY THE STUDENTS AT THE COLLEGE

The students of East Carolina Teachers College gave a most enjoyable recital Monday evening. The program was well arranged and each number was a credit to the music department. The recital showed that excellent work had been done by the music students.

One of the most outstanding features of the program was the selections given by the college glee club. The glee club has been well trained by Miss Kuykendall, and its numbers are always enjoyed by the audience. The program ended with the selection "O Little Town of Bethlehem" by the glee club. This number was especially impressive as the students are already filled with the spirit of Christmas.

The program was as follows:

Gavotte (two pianos) by Brown

Waltz, by Gurlitt—Evelyn Jenkins

Sans Souci, by Powers—Whit

Musette, by Bach and The Lark by Tschalkowsky—May Home

Araguaise, by Massenet—Will

Sonatina, Op. 36, No. 3, 1st Movement, by Clementi—Emily Southwick (second piano arranged by Timm)

Sweet and Low, by Barnby—Glee Club

Oriental Waltz, by Burnham—Mary Morton

Scarff Dance, by Chamindae—Alma Alexander

Ave Maria, by Gounod—Soprano, by Dreda—Jean Morton (violin)

Norwegian Bridal Procession by Grier—Julia Clark

Aria "My Heart Ever Faithful" by Heller—Laura Sloan

Preludes, Op. 81, Nos. 1, 10, 6, by Heller—Laura Sloan

O Little Town of Bethlehem, by Paul Bliss—Glee Club

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TROOP ONE BOY SCOUTS

There will be a meeting of the Troop No. 1 tonight at 7:15. All members are urged to be present.

Edward Harris, Scriber

CONGRATULATED FOR SCHOOLS EXHIBIT AT SESQUI-CENTENNIAL

Professor C. M. Epps, head of the Greenville school, of this city, is recipient of a letter from V. C. Newbold, director of the Division of Negro Education, of the State Department of Public Instruction, in which Professor Epps is congratulated for the contributions of the local school to the state exhibit at the Sesqui-

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Grade 5
Jewell Cozart, Lester Jones, Roy Taylor, J. E. Nelson.

NEXT SUNDAY'S WORLD

Sunday, Dec. 19, THE WORLD announces, it will have a Christmas number—"The Real Santa Claus," a timely story by Peter R. Kyne; a page of Christmas Greetings by THE WORLD COMIC ARTISTS, and many more articles and stories in keeping with the Christmas spirit. EIGHT PAGES of the best comics every Sunday in THE WORLD. Order from your newsdealer now. Edition limited to advance orders.

NOTICE

Notice was received yesterday by us from our Importer in New York, of a thirty (30) per cent rise in the duty on imported Artificial Flowers. As all our flowers are imported, this advance in price must necessarily affect our prices. We receive flowers which have been chased by a prior to December 1st, will remain at the lower price and in fairness to our patrons we make the announcement that after our present stock is sold, our new lot, will bear the increase in price.

THE VANITIE BOXE

COMEDIANS

A man can learn to be a good mechanic, study until he becomes a great scholar or engage in a business until he is rich, but a good comedian is just born that way and the best comedian, as known, to be natural comedians. Mr. Van Arnam has secured for his Minstrel Show this season all "natural" comedians, and as he gives the show his own personal attention, each one of the several fun-makers appearing in the First Part, or Olio, was selected on the merit of his own particular brand of humor. Mr. Van Arnam gives the same careful attention, to every detail of his show and maintaining the same high standard

MAYOR'S COURT

Saturday's Court
Clara May Whitefield, (Col.), charged with assaulting one Belle Johnson, and disorderly conduct, fined \$40.00 and cost. Appealed to Superior Court.

Clara May Whitefield, (Col.), charged with assaulting one Catherine Boyd, and disorderly conduct, fined \$10.00 and cost.

Albert Johnson, (Col.), charged with aiding and abetting in the robbery of one Henry Brown, by snatching and running off with \$208.00 of his money. Bound over to Superior Court by \$1,000.00.

William Humphrey, alias Baby Mumford, (Col.), charged with aiding and abetting in the robbery of one Henry Brown, by snatching and running off with \$208.00 of his money. Bound over to Superior Court, \$1,000.00.

Steward Hathaway (White), charged with carrying concealed deadly weapons, to wit: two pistols. Bound over to county court, \$100.00 bond.

Byron Steman (White), charged with driving an automobile in excess of 12 miles per hour in school zone, and in excess of 20 miles per hour in residential section of Evans street, and in a reckless and careless manner, and striking and knocking down with a car one Harry Pelletier, a school child. Fined \$50.00 and cost. Bound over to Superior Court, \$200.00 bond.

John Wiggins (Col.), charged with assault. Fined \$10.00 and cost.

W. B. Burney (White), charged with being drunk. Fined \$10.00 and cost.

Alfred Corey (White), charged with a trespass, and disorderly conduct. Fined \$20.00 and cost.

V. J. Belgic (Col.), charged with speeding. Fined \$10.00 and cost.

W. H. Young (Col.), charged with possessing pistol and failing to have permit to do so. Pistol ordered destroyed and defendant taxed with cost.

Fred Young (White), charged with allowing dog to run at large. Paid cost.

S. W. Harper (White), charged with reckless driving of automobile and damaging automobile of one J. P. Rowlett. Allowed to pay damages, and cost.

Charlie Simmons (Col.), charged with driving automobile while in an intoxicated condition. Bound over to county court, \$200.00 bond.

Monday's Court

Clyton Evans (White), charged with driving automobile while drunk, and damaging auto of V. J. Staton. Bound over to county court.

Ed Ebron, (Col.), charged with being drunk on street. Fined \$10.00 and cost.

George Simmons, (Col.), charged with intent exposure of person. Fined \$10.00 and cost.

James Brown (Col.), charged with allowing his dog to run at large. Allowed to pay cost.

Walter Wood and Ella Perkins (Col.), charged with prostitution. Fined \$15.00 and cost each.

Author Marshall, Robert Battle and Moses Brown (Col.), charged with gambling. Fined from \$15.00 to \$20.00 each.

SENIORITAS FLOCKING INTO THE MOVIES

Mexico, Dec. 14. — (INS) — Alarmed over the exodus of attractive senioritas for Hollywood and the movies, the Mexican government has issued orders preventing women from crossing the border into the United States, unless they are escorted by their parents or husbands.

Pitt County Club To Hold Meeting During Holidays

Chapel Hill, N. C., Dec. 12. — Plans for the University of North Carolina Student Alumni banquet and dance are now almost complete according to the officials of the Pitt County Club, who have been busy for the past several weeks arranging for the event which will take place in Greenville on Wednesday night, December 29, at 7:30 p. m. in the Rotary Building.

Has been secured for the banquet and the dance will take place at the Country Club beginning at 10 p. m.

Paul Grant, general alumni secretary of the University, will be the chief speaker for the occasion. Mr. Grant needs no introduction to University alumni as he has addressed the alumni organization on a number of occasions and is well and favorably known throughout Pitt County and the United States. In addition to being editor and manager of the Alumni Review, he is national president of Associated Alumni Secretaries.

J. B. James of Greenville will act as toastmaster at the banquet. Mr. James is president of the county chapter of the Alumni Association and is one of the most prominent lawyers in Eastern North Carolina. It is expected that he will have an interesting program in behalf of the alumni.

More than 30 of the 48 county boys in school at the University have already secured tickets for the banquet and checks are steadily coming in from alumni for their tickets. However, there are some who will not know until a later date if they will be able to attend the meeting and these men can secure tickets from representatives of the Pitt County Club during the holidays until December 23. Those who wish to secure tickets early should send checks to T. W. Johnson, treasurer, Ayden, N. C. The price of the plates is \$1.25 each.

Immediately following the banquet the younger set and their friends will journey out to the Country Club and after dancing to

the peppy music to be furnished by the Dixie Sorenanders of Greenville, will ring down the curtain to what is believed will be the outstanding social event of the holiday season.

A number of the most prominent alumni have signified their intention of attending the dance and some have purchased tickets to same. With the goodly crowd of dancers which will grace the ballroom floor of the Country Club dancing to the strains of music furnished by the Dixie Sorenanders, it is thought that there will be an air of pomp and beauty and grace never before seen on a ballroom floor in Eastern North Carolina.

DIES OF INJURIES RECEIVED IN BOUT

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 11. — (INS) — Charles Pegulian, light heavyweight boxer from France, who was injured in the eighth round of his bout with Al Friedman, of Rosindale, Mass., last night, died in Hartford Hospital early this morning. The cause of death is given as a fractured skull. It was Pegulian's first fight in this country.

Friedman was released on bonds of \$1,000 for appearance in police court on December 23 on a charge of manslaughter after a hearing in police court this morning.

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Whether or not there is oil beneath the surface here is still a gamble, despite predictions of the best kind that the fluid in commercial quantities will be found here—but unless there are unforeseen circumstances, we will in the very near future, be in possession of the desired information.

In the meantime, we urge that the citizens of the community hold their heads as well as their pocketbooks and not be duped by promises of a fortune in return for their savings. Because of delay in the arrangement of contracts for the project on the Westbrook property here, rumors have been flying thick and fast and efforts have been afoot to attract other interests and drill a competitive well on adjacent property. As a result of requests that the Merchants Association call a mass meeting to discuss the oil situation and aid in the forming of new drilling companies, the directors of the association this morning decided that no such step would be taken. The experience of efforts to obtain oil in North Carolina have been sad ones and the attitude taken by the directors was that the people should go slow. Too much money has been gambled away in wildcat oil scheme for the people of this community to plunge into the venture without taking every precaution, it was pointed out by the directors.

The Westbrook Company has given assurance that the final preliminary steps to drill for oil here are now about to be taken and that ere long the secret of mother earth will be a secret no longer. With this assurance the body of business men this morning decided that it was best that they give their moral support to this project rather than to an opposition company, and that all working together on the one project would bring to light sooner the truth about the presence of oil here. In the meantime, they warn the public about falling for any number of slick tongued artists, who will no doubt make their appearance here once it is definitely known that drilling for oil is a reality.

TIME FOR ACTION

Again the question of the disposition of Muscle Shoals is before Congress, and the nation, especially the South, is wondering. Will Muscle Shoals this time be given serious consideration and receive definite action, or will it continue to remain a political football as it has been in the last few Congresses? Will it again be referred to a committee only to come back at the next Congress and then again wind its way to the committee room for another spell of

rest? Enough of the taxpayers' money already has been spent in the time of the Congresses devoted to this one measure. It is time that some definite decision in the matter should be reached. By this time Congress should know the best plan for Muscle Shoals and further delay in adopting the plan is willful waste of public money.

THE SOUTH AND THE TARIFF

"Says South Wants Tariff Protection." Headlines like these over a summary of the tariff speech by Senator George of Georgia, give an erroneous impression. Mr. George made it clear that he and the South generally wish the tariff lowered. The "dominant thought" of the South he said, is "reduction and scientific adjustment of the tariff to a truly competitive basis." Practically, what does this mean? It should mean the Underwood tariff, which preserved honest competition between American and foreign producers but destroyed the monopoly which other tariffs have given to American manufacturers.

Any suggestion that the South desire protection of the Fordney-McCumber type runs counter to the basic economic facts of the section. The South is a section which produces raw materials and exchanges them for finished goods; and, as Mr. George puts it, "the producers of raw materials, who must partly find a market abroad, are entitled to buy in the foreign market." Of course scattered interests applaud the Ford-McCumber principle—the Louisiana sugar interests; some Carolina textile manufacturers, including branches of New England mills; some metal industries of Northern Alabama. A fat subsidy is just as attractive south of the Mason and Dixon line as north of it. It is just as easy for a Southern business to fall into the habit of depending on legislation, log-rolling and special privilege as for a Northern business.

But both the Southern cotton grower and the West-

ern corn and wheat grower are feeling a hard economic pinch, which the monopoly-breeding tariff accentuates. From both will come an increasing protest against "protection" which benefits others and does nothing but injure them. — New York World.

Capital Viewed as World Art Center By Secy. Mellon

Washington, Dec. 14, (INS)—The National Capital is viewed by Secretary of the Treasury Mellon as "an art of visitor, from all over the world and satisfying this demand."

In expressing his views on the future of Washington Mellon sees in the development of the city a national phase comparable in its artistic phase to Paris and other great cities in France. In the capital an example should be set for the country as a whole in the manner of city planning.

"Our national monuments will attract seekers of the ideal in art more and more it will become the tendency of societies of literature and art in Washington and to make bequest collections to the National Capital as well as to the other great cities of the country."

Mellon declared that there is a definite project to establish in Washington a national gallery of painting. In seeking to establish here a center of literature and art Mellon cited the examples of the great Capitals of Europe, in particular of Paris, although the French capital differs somewhat besides being a national capital being the center of greatness and industry.

Under the Taussmann plans of development of Paris, during the period of some 30 years beginning about the middle of the 19th century, the sum of \$180,000,000 was spent on the opening of thoroughfares and general civic embellishments, Mellon said.

"A similar sum was authorized for further development at the beginning of this century and in between those periods, other great sums were spent, estimated as upwards of half a billion dollars.

The great war delayed the later program, although the work involved has been and is being slowly carried out according to the plan. It is generally recognized that the really splendid nature of the city development of Paris is responsible in a large degree for the number of visitors, and that this work as contributed very largely to making Paris the artistic center of the world."

In discussing the expenditures of many millions of dollars here for government buildings Mellon suggested that no expenditure should be undertaken without a comprehensive study of the entire situation. He said that the public buildings, as finally located and constructed, should place Washington in the forefront of the architectural beautiful cities of the world.

It is alleged that it is far better to have the Christmas spirit in the air than in the stomach. — Garden Times.

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According to the New York World, the members of the Senate will spend most of their time expelling each other, in which event, if successfully done, the session will not be without its merits. — Gadsden Times.

Discipline For Soviet Factory Workers

Moscow, Dec. 14, (INS)—Soviet workers accustomed to abuse the workers control of factories have come to the end of their rope. The Commissariat of Labor publishes a schedule of punishments for workmen who appear late, slack on the job, or commit any of a number of job or committee of a number of hitherto popular misdemeanors.

According to the Commissariat project, a workman appearing late the first time will be reprimanded, the second time he will be reprimanded and warned, and the third time he will be dismissed. The same fate awaits those who idle during working hours, occupy themselves with other than their assigned labor, read newspapers when they should be working, behave rudely to visitors, waste office or factory material, or being in a position of authority, practice nepotism.

JUGO POLICE FIND NEW WHITE SLAVE TRADE Sofia, Dec. 14, (INS)—The Yugoslav police have uncovered an international organization engaged in the white slave traffic at Scopie, Macedonia.

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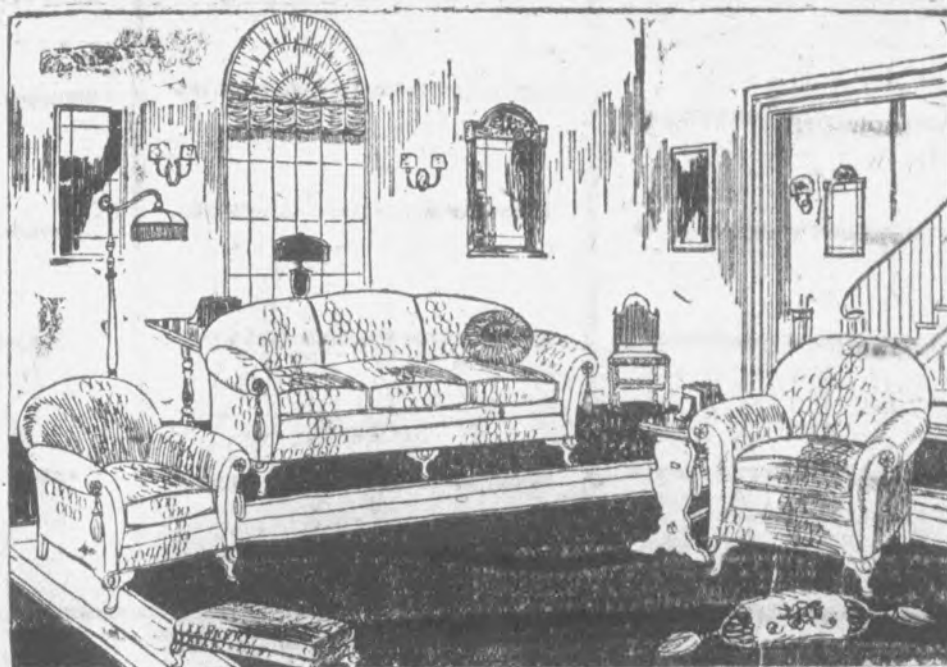
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Mens Extra Heavy \$2.50 Value Mole-Skin Pants 98c	50 cts. Value Turkish Towels 25c	Ladies All Leather Shoes & Slippers \$1.98	On Sale. Thursday Only—Bring this ad overalls Heavy Quality 59c	Good Quality Childrens' Stocking 7c Pair	

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Wonder Sale Of All Silk Baronet Satin Dresses The Regular \$5 Value Very Special \$2.98	New Silk Dresses Just Unpacked \$10.00 Value \$4.95	Rayon And Wool Dresses All Sizes Full Cut. Up to 44 Bust \$4.00 Value \$1.98
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100 New Women's Coats, Large Variety of Colors, Styles & Fur; Many at Less Than Manufacturers Cost

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BOY'S CLOTHING

CLOTHES to PLEASE the LADS—PRICES to PLEASE the DADS
Group No. 1.—A large lot of boys Long and Short Pant Suits, new shades and styles—\$7.95 Values—At

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MEN'S CLOTHING

A Large Cash Purchase enables us to offer you during this Great Savings Event a Choice Selection of Men's Clothing to go at

\$9.95

Sizes 35 to 42—Priced to sell quick. Included in this lot are 50 Young Men's Silk Trimmed Double Breasted Suits in tan and gray. See our window display. Remember the Price—\$9.95.

Just Received another lot of our Famous British Fashion Suits. These Suits are Double Breasted with Silk Linings, in the very newest shades of Blue, Brown, Gray and Tan—\$35.00 Values—On sale

\$27.50

MEN'S CLOTHING

We have taken 100 Suits from our regular \$25.00 Stock and are offering them for your approval at

\$19.95

Included in this lot there are Hard Finish Gray Serges, 2-pant Stout suits and 54 newest shades of Gray and Tan. Suits for the young man in the very latest styles.

A Good Serge Suit is a real investment and during this sale we will offer you a 2-pant Serge—Conservative or young men's Style—Single and Double Breasted models at

\$29.95

Market Report

MARKET LETTER

New York, Dec. 14.—(INS.)—Auto stocks, dominated the stock market today. The general level of prices advanced in the heaviest manner in the current movement. A certain period of the market resembled the "bull movement" of motor stocks in September and October of last year and June to September of this year.

The industrial developments of the day were favorable. A number of the well known corporations, reported a good increase in net earnings, in some cases emphasizing their reports with the declaration of new or extra dividends. The continuance of the 5 per cent all low rate occasioned no surprise.

When profit taking in heavy volume appeared in the motor stocks, shortly after the noon hour, the professionals gave their attention to the industrial shares.

Locomotive advanced perceptibly to 161 1/2, up 5 points. United States Steel sold up 2 points to 153 1/2 in active trading.

After reaching slightly higher price levels, the public utility stocks were subjected to considerable selling pressure.

A decline in American Brake shoe to 141 for a loss of about 5 cents was due to the failure of the directors to authorize a stock dividend. Warner Brothers Pictures was exceptionally weak and declined to around 86. As a group of the oil stocks were re-

actionary, the commodity and future markets were quiet and featureless, with cotton and sugar inclined to slightly higher levels. The motor stocks, settled down to a slightly lower range of speculative prices in the final period. Profit taking also swept away a portion of the price gains in other sections of the market, particularly the high priced industrial and specialties. But prices on the whole were well maintained, considering the extent of the advance in the last week or so and the market exhibited a firm tone at the close. Call money unchanged at 5 per cent.

GRAIN CLOSE

Chicago, Dec. 14.—(INS.)—Grains closed steady to easier today with wheat 3-8 to 7-8c lower; corn unchanged to 1-8c lower; oats 1-4 to 3-8c higher.

Wheat opened 5-8c to 3-4c lower and immediately declined further on general selling. Weakness at Liverpool and generally favorable conditions in the Argentine were the depressing factors. Estimated receipts were 42 cars.

Corn started 1-8c to 3-8c down on scattered selling by locals with the buying power light. Trade was moderate. Estimated receipts were 105 cars.

Oats opened steady to 1-4c lower on moderate selling by locals and commission houses. Trade was fair. Estimated receipts were 31 cars.

Provisions were dull and lower.

COTTON

New York, Dec. 14.—(INS.)—Cotton closed steady 4 to 10 points up; spots 10 up, 12.60.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	12.30	12.43	12.34	12.40
Jan.	12.05	12.05	11.96	12.01
Feb.	12.30	12.31	12.20	12.26
Mar.	12.52	12.52	12.42	12.48
Apr.	12.71	12.72	12.60	12.65
Oct.	12.87	12.88	12.80	12.85

Says Prohibition

Will Kill Present Democratic Party

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 14.—(INS.)—The prohibition issue will kill the Democratic party but a newer and greater party of the South and West will rise from its ruins. Governor Henry L. Whitfield of Mississippi declared here today in an interview.

The sentiment of Eastern Democrats is so opposed to Southern sentiment on the liquor question that the party is bound to go on the rocks he said from his bed in the Baptist Hospital where he is recovering from a recent operation. By sheer habit of party regularity Smith if he were nominated, but many will vote Republican and many more will not vote at all, he said.

Governor Whitfield declared Frank Lowden, former Governor of Illinois, would make a good Democratic nominee if it weren't for his support of the tariff.

Praises School System This State

Atlanta, Dec. 14.—(INS.)—Praise for North Carolina's school system and the method in which it is financed was given today by Fort E. Land, superintendent of Georgia schools. Land returned here from a conference in Raleigh of State school superintendents.

One of the outstanding advantages which North Carolina has



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over Georgia in financing a school system is higher assessed valuations of ad valorem property, with low rates of taxation for schools and county purposes, against low assessed property valuations in Georgia with high rates of taxation for county purposes.

Rates for county purposes in North Carolina are limited and necessarily the property values must be kept high in order to raise enough money for county government. As a consequence, the schools with a moderate levy large enjoy large returns on account of the high assessments of property valuations.

If the same system were used in Georgia more than \$5,000,000 a year additional would be available for school purposes and for county government, Land declared.

Governor Prepares For Convening of The Legislature

Raleigh, Dec. 14.—(INS.)—The pre-legislature rush is on. Governor McLean today made it clearly understood that no pardon matters save "capital" cases would be considered "until further notice."

The Governor's reason for setting aside such matters was given as the press of business in preparation for the convening of the legislature, here on January 5.

The Governor is devoting practically his entire time to work in preparing the budget for the General Assembly.

Large Increase In Attendance at Catholic Mission

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Christ, the divine Teacher of mankind. Such a man is the man of faith.

"Furthermore is not such acceptance highly reasonable and wise? We accept the words of the historian, the scientist, the teacher and our fellow men. On their testimony alone, we accept truths and facts which we have perhaps never verified, nor never will. But experience assures us that men may err or deceive us. God, we know, can neither deceive nor be deceived. How highly reasonable is it, therefore, to accept the testimony of Christ in regard to the unseen, eternal realities of this life and the life to come?"

"Faith is eminently pleasing to God, just because, by it a man sacrifices his reason on the altar of His Word, for he accepts at times what he does not always comprehend. On the sole authority and solid foundation of God's word he accepts what eye hath not seen, had touched, or reason fathomed. This is faith as explained by the Apostle Paul. Faith he declares is 'the evidence of the things that appear not.' Such is the faith that pleases God, that unites to good works, saves."

"Since eternal salvation or damnation depends, according to Christ's own words upon, the acceptance or rejection of the truth, taught by Him, it is plainly evident and eternally important that every man, knows or searches for the truths revealed by Christ, our Saviour."

Where these truths are to be found, will be discussed this evening.

After the instruction, the missionary preached on "Sin, the Enemy of God and Man." He showed how sin is more than a human weakness—a mistake. It is more also than an injury to the neighbor. It is an insult to the Almighty God. Herein, remark-

Keep in Trim!

Good Elimination Is Essential to Good Health.

THE kidneys are the blood filters. If they fail to function properly there is apt to be a retention of toxic poisons in the blood. A dull, languid feeling and, sometimes, toxic backaches, headaches, and dizziness are symptoms of this condition. Further evidence of improper kidney function is often found in burning or scanty passage of secretions. Each year more and more people are learning the value of Doan's Pills, a stimulant diuretic, in this condition. Scarcely a nook or hamlet anywhere but has many enthusiastic users. Ask your neighbor!

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Stimulant Diuretic to the Kidneys
Foster-McLure Co., Mfg. Chem., Buffalo, N.Y.

ed the priest, 'Yes the sinfulness of sin, that it is an outrage and rebellion against the Almighty Creator and Lawgiver.

The missionary then cited several striking instances in Scripture to verify the solemn words of God. "You sins shall overtake you." Finally he appealed to the cross, with its bleeding and bruise you." Finally he appealed to the most palpable picture of the heinousness of sin. He reminded his hearers of the words of the prophet, "He was wounded for our iniquities, he was bruised for our sins, by His mercy we are not consumed." Not only fear of God's punishments, but love of Christ crucified should deter Christians from the commission of sin.

Father Egberts subject this evening will be one of interest to non-Catholics. "How Can This Man Forgive Sins?" Services commence at 7:30. A cordial wel-

come is extended to all, Catholics and Protestants.

TODAY

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prepared to meet any devilry that may come.

Cyrus H. K. Curtis's young men tell you in big type on his front page what you have read in small type the other day, that one big automobile concern will spend \$20,000,000 in advertising this year.

That is true, according to present plans, and it's an intelligent plan. The time is now hard when the current is against you, and the time to advertise hard is when sales are not so good.

No automobile concern has ever over-advertised. "Repetition" is

reputation." Every day there are 1,000,000 men and women thinking they want their first car, a new car, or a better car. The intelligent manufacturer should talk to them EVERY DAY.

Representative Dempsey, of New York, says we should risk "an entangling alliance" if we joined Canada, to build a canal to the ocean via the St. Lawrence.

We do not mistrust Canada, and the closer we come to her the better. But this country is big enough to build its own canal, across the state of New York, an entirely American canal.

That is what the nation wants: that is what Secretary Hoover advises, even if it does cost a little more. If there is anything that we can't really AFFORD, please mention it.

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End Tables, mahogany finish, good construction, excellent design. Price reduced to—

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Book Troughs

Mahogany Book Troughs, good construction, kidney shape, Adam brown finish. Price reduced to—

\$4.42

Tabberetts

Mahogany finish Flower Stands or Tabberetts. Price reduced to—

\$1.48

Gate Leg Tilt Top Tables

Gate leg tilt top tables, in several finishes and decorated. Handsome colors and designs. Price reduced to—

\$4.98

Wicker Clothes Baskets

Heavy wicker clothes baskets, large size strong construction. Price reduced to—

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Ruby Sewing Machines

Ruby Sewing Machines, made by New Home Co., a household necessity. Price reduced to—

\$39.48

Kitchen Tables

All white Kitchen Tables, with white porcelain tops, one drawer. Price reduced to—

\$5.48

Kitchen Cabinets

Oak Kitchen Cabinets, full size. Price reduced to—

\$24.69

Grey enamel Kitchen Cabinets, full size. Price reduced to—

\$27.77

Odd Beds Sold up to \$40.00

Odd wood beds, cream, enamel, mahogany, and walnut finishes. Sold from \$35.00 to \$45.00. Prices reduced to—

\$8.89 and \$9.98

Rugs! Rugs!

9x12 stencil matting rugs. Price reduced to— \$3.48
6x9 tapestry rugs, good colorings and designs. Price reduced to— \$11.48
Axminster 6x9 Rugs, good patterns and colorings. Price reduced to— \$16.98

Buggy Robes

One lot Buggy Blankets, assorted colors, sold up to \$10.00. Price reduced to—

\$2.98

Phonographs

Columbia Phonographs Table machines, mahogany finish, sold for \$30.00—or the portable, known as "Pat." Price reduced to—

\$21.89

Foot Stools

Mohair or tapestry, upholstered foot stools, French legs, mahogany finish, adds to comfort of home. Price reduced to—

\$3.48

Dinner Sets

32 piece Dinner Sets, in china, beautiful designs and decorations. Price reduced to—

\$5.98

Phone Stands

Mahogany Phone Stands, with chair, good construction, finish and design. Price reduced to—

\$9.98

Mahogany Davenettes

Mahogany davenettes, or bed davenport, mahogany finish frame, upholstered in Boston leather. Price reduced to—

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6 caps, black diamond fast range with warming closets and general good cooker. Price reduced to—

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