

COX ASKS HARDING TO FIGHT FAIR ON LEAGUE COVENANT

Democratic Nominee Claims Republican Hasn't Come Clean With Real Facts

CONSTRUCTIVE PLANS HAVE NOT YET BEEN PROPOSED BY HARDING

Enforcement of Prohibition Laws Promised in Accordance with Interpretations

Sioux Falls, S. D., Sept. 28.—A statement regarding the Volstead prohibition enforcement law, that he would oppose "any measure that is in conflict with the constitution and the 18th amendment, as interpreted by the Supreme Court" and bombardment of questions regarding the League of Nations from persons of German blood marked a lively tour of South Dakota today by Governor Cox.

The Governor's statement upon the Volstead act, the first he has made directly was in response to a question—the first from any of his audiences—from a man at Mitchell late today.

"If elected President of the United States what will be your attitude in regard to the Volstead act?" was the pointblank query made.

"My attitude with reference to that whole question is," Gov. Cox replied, "I shall oppose any measure that is in conflict with the Constitution of the United States and the 18th amendment as interpreted by the Supreme court."

The Governor when questioned later by newspaper representatives declined to amplify his statement, declaring that it stood as given.

Mitchell, S. D., Sept. 28.—Touring South Dakota today Governor Cox, discussed the League of Nations, farming problems and criticized freely Senator Harding's objection to questions interrupting his Baltimore speech.

"America first" and the German slogan "Deutschland uber alles," were debated by the Governor at Tripp with a man in the audience with a decided German accent who declared his opposition to the League, saying that "America should take care of herself."

"What was that song they sang in Germany before the war—Deutschland uber alles" the Governor replied: "What was the meaning of that—Germany first above all things, wasn't it?"

"No, it means 'Germany's interests first,' the candidate was told.

"What happened to Germany?" the Governor retorted, "She attempted to be selfish; she created a great military machine. As a result she developed the hatred of the rest of the world and what happened to her?"

"We ought to have a good feeling toward every nation in the world. The probability is that Germany will be a member of the League of Nations before this year is over. What is good for one nation ought to be good for all nations; the salvation of Germany, the salvation of France, the salvation of humanity itself, is to be conserved by the League of Nations.

FOOD BEING AMASSED TO FEED OLD HICKORY

Ashville, N. C., Sept. 29.—Three thousand chickens, 4,000 dozen eggs, 1,000 dozen tomatoes, 400 bushels select apples, 300 bushels potatoes and other great quantities of food are being amassed here to feed the Old Hickory (31st) division veterans during their two-day reunion September 28 and 29. Approximately \$20,000 has been raised for the expenses of the reunion.

Governors Roberts of Tennessee, Cooper of South Carolina and Bickett of North Carolina, Secretary Daniels, Major-General George W. Read and former commanders of the division, are on the program as speakers. Sir Auckland Geddes, British Ambassador to the United States, General Pershing and Major General Wood has been invited.

By common consent, a Tennessee city will be chosen for the third annual reunion.

FRANKLIN MOON



Franklin Moon, the new dean of the New York State College of Forestry at Syracuse, advanced to head the nation's biggest forestry school after service as its professor of forestry engineering since 1912.

MISSIONARY UNION CONVENES IN CITY WITH GOOD CROWD

Opening Program Conducted Memorial Baptist Church Last Night

The thirteenth session of the woman's Missionary Union of the Roanoke Baptist Association, held its first session in the Memorial Baptist church, last evening, with a large number of delegates present. The following musical program was rendered.

Anthem—"Crown Him Lord." Hymn—"Onward Christian Soldier." "At Evening Time," choir. Anthem—"He that Soweth to the Spirit," choir. Hymn—"The Morning Light is Breaking."

Rev. W. H. Moore, pastor of the Memorial Baptist church, preached a powerful sermon on the success of the first church. He paid a beautiful tribute to the women of the country and brought out many facts showing the wonderful influence of women in making this a Christian nation. At the close of the sermon he gave the delegates and the visitors a most cordial welcome.

The morning session began at 9:30 o'clock this morning. A large crowd was present and much interest was manifested. Mrs. John Holloman, of Weldon, conducted the devotional services, which were followed by an address of welcome by Mrs. Lina Baker, of the local society. The address was one of the best ever delivered on such an occasion and made the large numbers of visitors feel that they were indeed welcome. The response to the address was also splendid. Several business matters occupied the morning hours. Mrs. W. E. Daniel, of Weldon, gave an interesting account of the work of the members in the Roanoke Association. She was followed by Miss Elizabeth Briggs, state Sunbeam leader, who gave some interesting and beneficial help on how to conduct a Sunbeam society and the importance of keeping the children interested in church work. Miss Briggs is a great lover of children, and her constant association with them, enables her to give some valuable suggestions. Mrs. L. T. Vaughan, of Nashville, spoke on meeting the needs of our community. This lecture was also enjoyed.

At 1:30 o'clock all the visitors were invited to the Sunday school rooms where a luncheon was served.

BOMB WRECKS HOME OF ALDERMAN POWERS IN CITY OF CHICAGO

Chicago, Sept. 29.—A bomb believed to have been planted by political enemies early today wrecked the home of Alderman John Powers, in the Nineteenth ward, which is largely inhabited by Italians. No one was hurt.

ABOUT 26,500,000 WOMEN ELIGIBLE TO VOTE IN NOVEMBER

Census Bureau Sets Forth Figures Compiled from Nation Wide Count.

AMERICAN WHO HAVE MARRIED ALIENS WILL BE BARRED FROM POLL

Estimated that 31,500,000 Male Voters Will Vote in the Coming Election.

Washington, Sept. 29.—Figures compiled by the census bureau and other government departments indicate that the number of women in the United States over 21 years of age is 28,033,000 of whom approximately 26,500,000 are eligible to vote in the November election. This estimate makes a liberal allowance for alien women, American women married to aliens and others ineligible.

Exact figures are not available on the number of women over 21 but barred from voting through various reasons. Census Bureau officials believe, however, that this year at least 1,000,000 of the 5,250,000 foreign-born women in the United States will not yet have become naturalized. In addition there were in 1910, according to the census about 60,000 Indian women most of whom were living on reservations, 5,607 Chinese and Japanese women.

SWINDLERS AGAIN PASS CONFEDERATE MONEY IN LONDON

Game Which Has Been Worked in County for Many Years Revived by Crooks

London, Sept. 29.—The old swindle of passing currency notes of the Confederate States of America which has been worked in England for years, is flourishing again. Reports of the victimization of shopkeepers at ports have been reaching the American embassy here in increasing numbers recently.

A ticket seller at one of the big London railway stations gave a Swiss waiter eleven English pounds for a \$50 Confederate note but became suspicious before the waiter had gone far and had him detained. The police were in a dilemma as they could not distinguish the note from good American money and finally had to appeal to the American embassy.

LAND CONTROVERSY FEATURES LARGELY IN COURT ACTIVITY

While quite a number of cases have been disposed of during the present week's session of the civil term of Pitt county superior court, little progress has been made since yesterday morning owing to the long drawn out legal controversy in the case of H. L. Elks vs. L. C. Arthur, involving a dispute over a boundary line dividing the lands of each party. The case was begun yesterday morning and at noon today only slight progress had been made. It is expected, however, that a definite settlement will be reached by tomorrow morning and that activities thereafter will be featured by the hearing of a number of divorces which have been pending for consideration for some time.

Probable cause was found against J. H. Creech and C. L. Benton, members of the Greenville police department, who appeared before the court following the issuance of bench warrant by Judge Bond, charging one with larceny, the other with assault. The case will be heard at the next term of superior court.

BUNK MESSAGE IS CIRCULATED OVER SOUTH BY HARDING

Republican Candidate Seeks to Sidetrack League With Tariff Talk.

SEEKS TO GAIN EAR OF EXCESS PROFITS PAYER IN ALL PARTS

Southern Republican Committee Flooding Country With Tax Propaganda.

Washington, Sept. 29.—Senator Harding is visiting the South with the bunk message of a high tariff. What has possessed the Republican candidate to revive his ghost laid by the war? In the view is that the candidate is trying to sidetrack the League of Nations where he knows it is strong to catch a certain class of Democrats who have made big money in textile and other industries in the South. He is after the mill men and their employees. He is also going after the business man who is paying taxes on excess profits and the man who is paying an income tax on a comparatively small salary. Congressman Sten's Southern Republican committee here is flooded these circles in the South with the promise that if Harding is elected, President he will call an extra session of congress on March 4 to repeal the excess profit tax, abolish the tax on

CONCLUDE INJURY IN PROCEEDINGS IN HENRI LANDRU CASE

French Authorities Fail to Secure Further Evidence Against Woman Seducer

Paris, Sept. 29.—The "preliminary investigation" in the case of Henri Landru, whom the police refer to as the Gambais Bluebeard and hold responsible for the disappearance of eleven women to whom he had promised marriage, has just been concluded. It has lasted 18 months.

All the documents in the case, amounting to over five thousand, have been turned over to the Prosecutor General of the Republic by Judge Bonin who conducted the preliminary investigation. The judge immediately left for a delayed vacation. He was accompanied by the good wishes of Landru, who told the Judge that it had been a great comfort to him to make his acquaintance and that he hoped the feeling was mutual.

Landru has consistently refused to answer the questions of Judge Bonin and has made the investigation as difficult as possible for the magistrate. It is the feeling in court house circles that the case against Landru is weak and much doubt is being expressed as to the chances of conviction for murder against him. The 11 women have simply vanished into thin air. The "corpus delicti" is lacking in the case. Bones were found in the villa occupied by Landru at Gambais and the prosecution will contend they are human bones but the defense will call experts to swear they are rabbit, lamb and dog bones. Landru is confident of acquittal and is already considering offers from moving picture concerns in the event of his being freed.

SIEGEL TO INQUIRE INTO PRICE FIXING CHARGES OF LUMBER

New York, Sept. 29.—Congressman Siegel stated here today that he had a telegram from attorney General Palmer, saying an investigation of charges that there is a price fixing combination among building material manufacturers has been ordered by the government.

JOHN M. HUBBARD



John M. Hubbard, assistant postmaster of Chicago, who was forced to retire by the civil service rules, after many years of valuable service. To the poorer children of Chicago he was known as "Santa Claus," for he always saw that no letter addressed by them to the patron saint of Christmas went unanswered.

INFANT MORTALITY RATE EXPERIENCES PLEASING DECLINE

American Hygiene Commission Says Baby Crop for 1919 Showed Increase.

New York, Sept. 29.—America's baby crop in 1919 was a new record says the American Child Hygiene Association.

An annual preliminary report on vital statistics by that organization, covering data from 269 cities with an aggregate population of 31,000,000 shows the infant mortality rate declined to the "encouraging figure of 87 deaths per 1,000 babies," a saving of nearly 12,000 babies over the 1918 rate and 7,000 fewer deaths than in 1917.

In the cities covered by the report 680,000 births were recorded, while in the entire country it is estimated there are 2,500,000 newcomers annually. All of the cities included have populations of 10,000 or more.

Babies seemed to thrive well in some of the larger cities, where formerly the death rate was very high. Among the 24 cities of more than 250,000 population reported, ten were below the average for the 269 and the death rate for the group was 85, two points below the general average.

"Ten years ago," the report said, "it was the aim of many a department of health to see this rate fall below the 100 mark. In 1919, only four of the 24 larger cities were above it."

One of these was Pittsburg, the "Smoky City," where the rate was 115. Buffalo with 107, Kansas City, Mo., with 103 and Jersey City, N. J., with 102 were the others.

Houston, Tex., was the best baby-raising ground among the cities of more than 100,000 and less than 250,000 with a mark of 61. Berkeley, Cal., had a baby mortality rate of 44, while Brookline, Mass., with a population of less than 50,000 led all the rest with the healthy percentage of 40.

New York City registered 82. St. Louis scored 75, Los Angeles and San Francisco 67 and 65, respectively, Minneapolis 61 and Seattle, 54.

El Paso, Texas, had the worst showing with 245. Burlington, Vt., was next with 150. El Paso, however, is not in a birth registration area, according to the report.

GOVERNOR COX PLANS TO MAKE ONE SPEECH IN STATE OF MISSOURI

Omaha, Sept. 29.—Governor Cox today passed into Missouri where he delivers one speech before going into Kansas where he will address two audiences. Only three speeches are on his program today, against sixteen yesterday. The governor issued a statement today criticizing his republican opponent for having no definite plan to offer in substitution for the league of nations.

WILSON ANSWERS POINTED QUERIES ON LEAGUE ISSUE

President Fires Opening Shot of Campaign by Championing the League.

REITERATES SEVERAL POINTS PRESENTED IN RECENT TOUR NATION

Secretary Tumulty Acts as Medium Between President and Tormenters

Washington, Sept. 28.—President Wilson took his first active part today in the presidential campaign. He had Secretary Tumulty write the first of a series of documents regarding the league of nations and other public questions which it is proposed to issue from the White House to further the candidacy of Governor Cox.

The document was in the form of a letter of E. M. Swartz, of Los Angeles, discussing the League of Nations covenant in relation to the Irish question. Mr. Swartz has written the President that some Republicans contended that the League covenant was ratified with Article Ten in it, this country "would be bound to support England in holding Ireland under subjection."

In his letter of reply Mr. Tumulty called attention to certain questions and answers with reference to Article Ten and the question of self-determination which were made public by the President when he was on his Western tour in the interest of the League a year ago.

The letter to Mr. Swartz follows:

"In reply to your letter of the 20th of September, I beg to say that the identical question contained in your letter, with reference to Article Ten and the right of self-determination, found in the covenant of the League of Nations, were placed before the President while he was on his western trip last year and fully answered by him. The President directs me to call your attention to the following questions and answers given by him to the press at that time which I think satisfactorily answer our inquiries. The questions and answers are as follows:

"Q.—Under the covenant does the nation obligate itself to assist any member of the League in putting down a rebellion of its subjects or conquered peoples.

"Q.—Under the covenant can this nation independently recognize a government whose peoples seek to achieve or have achieved their independence from a member of the League?

"A.—The independent action of the government of the United States in a matter of this kind is in no way limited or affected by the covenant of the League of Nations.

"Q.—Under the covenant are those subject nations or peoples only that are mentioned in the peace treaty entitled to the right of self-determination or does the League possess the right to accord a similar privilege to other subject nations or peoples.

"A.—It was not possible for the peace conference to act with regard to the self-determination of any territories except those which had belonged to the defeated empires, but in the covenant of the League of Nations it has set up for the first time in Article Eleven a forum to which all claims of self-determination which are likely to disturb the peace of the world or the good understanding between nations upon which the peace of the world depends, can be brought.

"Q.—Why was the case of Ireland not heard at the peace conference? And what is your opinion on the subject of self-determination of Ireland?

"A.—The case of Ireland was not heard at the peace conference because the peace conference had no jurisdiction over any question of that sort which belonged to the defeated empires. The position on the subject of self-determination for Ireland is expressed in Article Eleven of the covenant in which I may say I was particularly interested, because it seemed to me necessary for the peace and freedom of the world that a forum should be created to which all peoples could bring any matter which was likely to affect the peace and freedom of the world."

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 SETTLE IN COUNTRY**

Ruler of Afghanistan for First  
 Time in History Extends  
 Such Cordiality.

New York, Sept. 28.—The Amir of Afghanistan, for the first time in history, according to Dr. N. S. Hardiker of the India Information Bureau here, has invited Hindus to settle in his country, to accomplish which he has announced the following royal concessions said to indicate a movement for the unification of the peoples of Asia.

1. Non-interference in the observance of Hindu religious beliefs; 2. Freedom of Hindus to travel and settle in any part of the country; 3. Government protection of Hindu homes; 4. Hindu representation in the Afghan Assembly; 5. Unrestricted travel permitted Hindu women.

There are more than 230,000,000 Hindus and 70,000,000 Moslems in India and a hijrat, or exodus of many of the latter to Afghanistan, according to Dr. Hardiker, already is under way.

"The proposals of the Amir are aimed," he said, "at dispelling the notion that Afghanistan is partial to Islamism. The proclamation clearly shows that all freedom and protection will be extended to Hindu subjects, and that no interference will be exercised in the religious observances of the Hindus, however much these may differ from the beliefs of the Mohammedans and Afghans. The Amir undoubtedly is endeavoring to promote a better feeling between Afghanistan and India."

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**VOTE OF LABOR TO  
 DECIDE ELECTIONS**

Gompers Working Hard for  
 Election of Governor Cox  
 During November.

Washington, Sept. 27.—The labor vote will decide the Presidency for the first time in history. That is reported to be the conviction at the headquarters of both the great parties. The situation is without precedent in a presidential campaign, for never before has labor entertained such a definite political class consciousness.

It was never so strongly aligned. There were never offered such convincing reason why it should vote as it is believed it will vote on November 2nd.

To be sure, labor is divided between Cox and Harding, but the division is believed to be very unequal and the Democrats are counting on their belief in this unequal division in their favor to pull them through. They say that neither straw votes nor betting odds, neither Republican confidence, nor the hue and cry that the country wants to change to a Republican administration are taking into account the way the labor vote will be cast.

Labor, it is estimated, will this year cast 9,000,000 votes, 3,000,000 of them being women and the force of this vote lies in the fact that the great majority will not vote for the one or the other of the great parties, but for or against the attitude of those parties on questions of labor.

Two years ago Will Hays had sensed this situation. He perceived that the Republican party had more and more alienated the labor elements of the country, or rather that the Wilson administration had captured these elements by its friendliness to labor in both legislation and the administration of labor laws. Hays organized the Republican Labor Bureau at Chicago and put in charge of the bureau Harry L. Fidler, a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. No man has ever tackled a harder task than this man Fidler, for McAdoo had won over for the Wilson administration the host of railroad workers. Democrats say Fidler has done all that any man could do under the circumstances in winning labor over to the Republican party, but that he has not done it, they are sure, when the work of the national non-partisan campaign



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## PRaises SOLDIERS OF EUROPEAN WAR

Marshal Foch Commands Americans in Greetings to American Legion Meeting

Cleveland, O., Sept. 27.—Greetings from Marshal Foch of France were read to the American Legion convention here today. He sent this message:

"To the American Legion, in convention assembled, Cleveland, O.;  
"Regretting my inability to find myself among the former combatants of the glorious American army, my heart is with them at the moment of the fighting they went through by the side of the allies for the common cause of right and liberty. I again render homage to the valor and to the tenacity which they unceasingly showed on the battlefields of France; in the days of misfortune and the days of success; the magnificent enthusiasm with which they answered our call; the great part they took in the sacrifices of war; the glorious remembrance of those who fell on our soil will remain a token of the profound gratitude and the indelible union of our two countries. I send my cordial greeting to Cleveland and the 'Steel City' and to the great state of Ohio, which has furnished to America so many illustrious statesmen and to France so many faithful friends.  
F. Foch, Marshal of France."

The convention prepared to adjourn at noon to witness the parade this afternoon of approximately twenty thousand former soldiers and ex-service women, the feature of the three days' convention.

One of the first important matters to be presented before the convention after the preliminaries was a report of the credentials committee.

The executive committee decided last night that representation in the convention should be on the basis of paid-up national dues August 28, last, which on that date totaled \$18,080. National dues for more than 1,000,000 men have been received now, it was said.

## DO NOT THINK NEW VOLCANO CREATED

Scientists Say New Mountain Did Not Result from Earthquake in Spezia

Rome, Sept. 28.—Scientists say they do not believe that a new volcano was created on Mount Pisanino, near Spezia, during the earthquakes which began Sept. 7 and continued until Sept. 9 causing the loss of 500 lives.

Tongues of flame and smoke or dust were seen to be emitted from what is popularly supposed to have been a new crater opened near the mountain top.

Frank A. Perrett, the American volcanologist for the Carnegie Institution, who occupies a station at Mt. Vesuvius to observe its operations, has expressed to The Associated Press the opinion that no new volcano has been formed but that the earthquakes caused displacements of subterranean strata causing a fissure in the earth's crust and that gas escaping therefrom was mistaken by onlookers as the opening of a new crater. The phenomenon, was not a new one. Mr. Perrett said the seismic instruments showed a towering of the earth level in the earthquake district previous to the tremors. This had been observed on other occasions when earthquakes occurred.

This view is held by Senator Capellini, a leading geologist who has been interviewed by the Messagero and the supposed column of smoke above the mountain may have been caused by clouds of dust from falling earth.

The tongues of flame, in Senator Capellini's opinion, may possibly have been inflammable gas from underground wells of oil. He said, however, that volcanoes can appear independently of the structure of the earth's crust and that the greatest catastrophes have occurred from the appearance of volcanoes where nobody expected them.

For example, the geologist continued, Mount Etna rises out of post-Pliocene strata while the volcanoes of the Andes mountains in South America arise from granite rocks. Therefore the nature of the Apuan mountains did not exclude the possibility of a volcano appearing on Mount Pisanino.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of Wyatt L. Brown, deceased, late of Pitt county, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned within twelve months from this date or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

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As the election gets nearer Republican hopes fall lower. They are realizing the weakness of their candidate for president.

If employers generally felt an interest in turning out work commensurate with the pay received, the paying would not seem so hard.

With the merchants reducing the prices of their goods, there is some compensation to the farmers who are getting lower prices than was expected for cotton and tobacco. At least they can buy more goods at the reduced prices for what is received for the crops.

It will cost from \$100,000,000 to build a State System of 5,500 miles, the mileage necessary to connect all county seats and principal towns of the State. North Carolina has her large territory and comparatively small population, cannot afford to finance this tremendous undertaking entirely through current revenue, but, by taking care of what we can now and spreading the balance over a number of years, it will work no hardship on this or the coming generation. To maintain the entire State System will cost approximately a million to a million and a half a year. With the construction of more mileage of hard surfaced roads, the maintenance cost will undoubtedly be reduced.

A series of experiments has shown that it takes twice as much gasoline for a 2-ton truck to go over a good earth road as it does over a good brick road and three times as much as it does to go over a concrete or other smooth hard surfaced road. The same proportion would hold for other motor vehicles. According to these tests a state system of hard surfaced roads would reduce our gasoline bill by at least one-third. Last year North Carolina used 49,919,153 gallons of gasoline which, at 36c per gallon would amount to \$17,768,315. One-third of this amount is \$5,922,771 or the amount hard surfaced roads would save in gasoline each year. In other words, the saving in gasoline alone would pay for the construction of the entire State system in 20 years.

### BANKS SHARE PROSPERITY.

Banks and trust companies in Greenville shared in no small degree in the phenomenal growth of North Carolina's financial institutions the last fiscal year when total deposits increased more than \$35,000,000, and savings more than \$21,000,000, while the number of individual savings accounts went beyond 238,000—these figures being from a report just compiled by the War Loan Organization of the Fifth Federal Reserve District from information furnished by the North Carolina banks, the state bank examiner and the controller of the currency in Washington.

Total savings in North Carolina banks are put at \$73,000,000 in round numbers, having increased in the fiscal year, ending June 30, 1920, from \$52,000,000. There are listed in the banks of this state more than 238,000 separate savings accounts. At the beginning of the fiscal year the number was about 224,000 for the 440 financial institutions in this state which report to the War Loan Organization.

In this Federal reserve district (comprising Maryland, the District of Columbia, the two Virginia and the two Carolinas) there are 2,224 bank and trust companies. The 1,700 banks reporting showed that total deposits increased from \$1,337,000,000 to more than \$1,546,000,000—an increase of about \$209,000,000. Savings deposits—representing the thrift of the people—grew from \$565,000,000 to \$670,000,000—an increase of \$105,000,000—and the number of savings accounts advanced from 1,746,000 to 2,054,000—a gain of 308,000. Putting the population of the district as not exceeding 11,000,000 persons the figures show a per capita saving of about \$61, for every man, woman and child, and an average of two savings accounts for every eleven people.

The steady growth in savings and the increase in the number of savings accounts are considered wholesome signs that the tidal wave of wasteful spending and attendant high prices which has swept across the country soon may be definitely checked. They seem to indicate, students of finance and economics believe, a tendency toward increased production, a growing determination to cut down useless expenditures and an earnest realization that money must be saved for future needs and for wise investment if new wealth is to be created and if the business of the country is to be returned to normal conditions and placed upon a sound basis.

Figures furnished the War Loan Organization by the controller of the currency and by Clarence Latham, state bank examiner, show the remarkable growth of the national bank and the state banks and trust companies in North Carolina. The national banks in the Old North State early in the year reported total deposits exceeding \$125,765,000, while their savings deposits exceeded \$38,107,000. In the Fifth Federal Reserve District the total deposits, in round numbers, were given as \$940,900,000 with savings deposits aggregating \$286,000,000.

For the North Carolina state banking institutions—those operating under state charters—comparative figures are given for the last two fiscal years. The total amount on deposit in these institutions increased in that period from \$151,234,400 to \$217,208,000—a gain of \$66,064,000. In the same period the savings increased \$28,879,400; that is, from \$5,580,000 in 1919 to \$34,459,000 in 1920.

From the bank examiners and commissioners in the other states comprising the district the district figures for the state banks and trust companies, exclusive of these in Washington, D. C., are given as follows: Total deposits—\$819,023,000 for 1919; \$997,493,000 for 1920, or an increase of \$178,263,000. Savings deposits (West Virginia's 1919 total being estimated)—\$374,658,000 for 1919 and \$465,948,000 for 1920, or a gain of more than

\$90,240,000. The report from Washington, D. C., being furnished by the chamber of commerce, gives the totals by calendar years and not by fiscal years. The figures show a gain in total deposits of more than \$12,767,000 and an increase in the deposits of those banks doing strictly a savings business of nearly \$5,000,000.

This money accumulated in North Carolina and in the rest of the district is in addition to the millions of dollars invested in Liberty Bonds and government savings securities. The people in this state, for instance, subscribed \$138,005,400 to the five issues of war bonds, and large sums have been invested—and still are being invested—in War Savings Stamps and Treasury Savings Certificates. The Fifth Federal Reserve District subscribed more than one thousand million dollars to the five bond issues, and the bonds were paid for, the records show, largely from the savings or current earnings of the purchasers.

### SCHOOLS TO PROMOTE THRIFT THIS SESSION

Schools in the fifth federal reserve district will put thrift instruction into their courses of study this session, according to an announcement made from the district War Loan Organization with headquarters at Richmond, Va. Thrift was given a place with the three R's in many schools last year, with such excellent results that it has been decided to make it a permanent part of the curriculum in a greatly increased number of schoolrooms.

With a view of enlarging the scope of thrift work in the schools, summer normal courses in thrift were offered in practically every summer school in the district. The total number of teachers attending these schools was 11,029, and the total number of lessons in thrift received by the teachers was 606.

Lessons emphasizing the principles of thrift were correlated with the regular subjects taught in the course of study. In addition to such lessons, teachers were shown the best methods for putting their ideas into practice by observing lessons in the demonstration schools where children were taught. It is believed that the teachers attending these summer courses will take back to their regular work many new ideas for making thrift instruction more practical and interesting.

Subjects in which thrift was emphasized were: arithmetic, history, agriculture, civics, English, rural sociology, domestic science and art, arts and crafts, drawing-psychology, nature study and story telling.

The proposed State System of 5,500 miles, connecting county seats and principal towns, will carry approximately 80 per cent of all highway traffic and 90 per cent of the motor traffic, as most motor vehicles are users of inter-county or State highways. Estimating the average value of all motor vehicles at \$1,000 each, we now have approximately \$130,000,000 invested in motor vehicles. Assuming that hard surfaced roads will prolong the life of a motor car from three to five time, which motorists will agree is a conservative estimate, the annual saving in capital invested in motor vehicles will rise into the millions.

The Secretary of the North Carolina Good Roads Association, Miss H. M. Berry, in order to make the association's program for securing a state system of hard surfaced roads concerning county seats and other principal towns of the state as concrete as possible, has compiled the following figures relating to the cost of and the possible benefits to be derived from such a transportation system. It is realized that it is well nigh impossible to enumerate the benefits that would accrue from such a public improvement as this, but the figures given below are at least suggestive.

## YOU ARE

Invited to attend a Mass Meeting to be held in the court house at Greenville at 12 M.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1920

Where a full ticket will be nominated and hear addresses on subjects pertaining to your welfare by Ex-Lieutenant Governor

## HON. C. A. REYNOLDS

OF WINSTON-SALEM  
WHEELER MARTIN  
Candidate for Congress

Every one favoring better prices for farm products, better marketing of crops, equal and lower taxes and better law enforcement, should be with us.

B. M. WHITEHURST,

Chairman Rep. Co. Ex. Com.

### REDUCED FARES

ACCOUNT ANNUAL FAIR

ROCKY MOUNT, N. C.,

September 28 to October 1, 1920.

For the above occasion reduced fare excursion tickets will be sold from station in territory named below, for use only on September 28 to 30th, Rocky Mount and for trains scheduled to arrive before noon on October 1st.

Territory from which reduced fare round trip tickets may be sold: Weldon, Ahsokie, Plymouth, Washington, Goldsboro, Selma, Spring Hope and all intermediate stations to Rocky Mount.

Reduced fares apply only where tickets are purchased before boarding trains. Minimum round trip fare \$1.

Children fares will be one-half the adult fares.

All tickets will be limited, returning, to reach original starting point midnight of Sunday, October 3, 1920.

Call on ticket agents or address the undersigned for information regarding schedules:

W. J. CRAIG,

Passenger Traffic Manager,

T. C. WHITE,

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Wilmington, N. C.

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# YOUNG'S

32 inch Dress Gingham 50c value ..... 35c

Yard White Sheeting, heavy grade ..... 20c

Very Best Apron Gingham ..... 25c

\$3.50 value Madras Shirts ..... \$2.49

O. N. T. Spool Cotton, large spool ..... 8c

Croquet Cotton O. N. T. .... 9c

\$3.50 value heavy Satins ..... \$1.95

75c value Ladies' Lisle Thread Hose ..... 49c

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Dresses and Suits at 1-3 of the former price.

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The market blocked yesterday. Bring a load for one of these early sales, and we can assure you a sale on both days.

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WEDNESDAY, SEP. 25, 1920

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Try us with your next load and we will show you

WAREHOUSES

NUMBER 1

NUMBER 2

Thursday, Sept. 30 ..... 4th sale  
Friday, October 1st ..... 3rd sale  
Monday, October 4th ..... 2nd sale

Thursday ..... 3rd sale  
Friday, October 1st ..... 2nd sale  
Monday, October 4th ..... 1st sale

## SOCIAL - PERSONAL

Mrs. F. M. Hodges left this morning for a visit in Durham.

Miss Mary Stewart Davis, of Wilson, who has been visiting Miss Hannah Dixon returned home this morning.

Mrs. W. H. Norris left yesterday for St. Luke's hospital, Richmond, where she will undergo an operation for throat trouble.

Miss Francis Whedbee has returned from a visit in Durham and Raleigh. She was accompanied home by Miss Ella Moseley Wilkerson, of Durham, who will visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lipscomb, Sr.

### LIBRARY MEETING IN HIGH

#### SCHOOL THURSDAY EVENING

The library committee and all those interested in the library are requested to meet in the high school building Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

### STATE PRESIDENT OF U. D. C.

#### TO MEET WITH LOCAL CHAPTER

Mrs. Felix Harvey, Jr., of Kinston, State president of the U. D. C., will meet with the George D. Singletary Chapter, Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. J. L. Fleming. All members and those who wish to become members are urged to be present.

### MR. W. B. PACE SUCCEEDS COUNTY AGENT J. E. DODSON

Mr. W. B. Pace, recently appointed as county demonstration agent, to succeed Mr. J. E. Dodson, has arrived in the county, and announces that he can be found at his office in the court house. Mr. Pace comes to Pitt high-ly recommended. He is a graduate of the A. & M. College, of Mississippi. During the years of '17 and '18 he served as county demonstration agent of Brunswick county, this state. Last year he was county agent in Arkansas. He is thoroughly capable of filling the office to wish he has been appointed and the farmers will always find him willing to help them at all times.

### EIGHTEEN CARS DERAILED IN WRECK NEAR BEL ARTHUR

The Norfolk Southern train coming into this city in the afternoon, from Raleigh, was delayed several hours yesterday by having to detour, on account of the wrecking of a freight train near Bel Arthur, when eighteen cars were derailed.

The Kekuake Primitive Baptist Association will begin Saturday at Briery Swamp church and continue through Sunday.

### MR. JOHN H. FLANAGAN DIES AT HOME IN FARMVILLE

Mr. John H. Flanagan aged 64 years, died at his home in Farmville Monday, September 27th, after an illness of several months. His death being due to Bright's disease. Mr. Flanagan was son of the late Mr. Arch Flanagan and one of Pitt's most successful and popular men. In his early manhood he was married to Miss Bathsheba Smith, daughter of the late Mr. Jesse Smith. He is survived by his wife, five sons, Messrs Claude, John, Leon, Sam, and four daughters, Mesdames Elbert Tyson, Aaron Turnage, Jr., Misses Thelma and Bathsheba Flanagan. The interment took place yesterday in the family burying ground near Farmville. The sympathy of the entire community goes to the grief-stricken family.

East Carolina Teachers Training School began its fall session today and as usual the dormitories are overrun.

### CRITICISES METHODS OF GERMAN PRINTERS UNION

Elberfeld, Germany, Sept. 29.—The compositors of the Bergisch-Maerische Zeitung here refused to put an editorial in type in which the editor, under the caption "Sabotaging the Constitution," criticized the methods adopted by the Printer's Union. The publisher of the paper notified the typesetters that he could not approve their procedure which he said was tantamount to a censorship exercised by technical employes, and calculated to establish a dangerous precedent for the publishing interests in general.

Another day will finish September. September was warm through and through.

### LEGION DELEGATES CELEBRATE BREAKING HINDENBERG LINES

Ashville, Sept. 29.—Delegates to the annual convention of "Old Hickory" 30th division, today celebrated the second anniversary of the breaking of the Hindenberg line, which feat won for them the plaudits of the world war generals. An address by Secretary Daniels, the election of officers and the selection of the next meeting place will conclude the reunion today.

### POLES CONTINUE TO GAIN SUCCESS ALONG THE WARSAW FRONTS

Warsaw, Sept. 29.—An official Polish statement on fighting operations report continued success for Polish troops against Bolshevik armies.

### TO INVESTIGATE LATE CHARGES AGAINST BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL CLUB

New York, Sept. 29.—District Attorney Lewis announced today that he would start and immediate investigation of reports of clique gamblers planned to bribe members of the Brooklyn nationals to lose to their American league opponents in the coming world's series.

### CHICAGO HOTELS TO MAKE DEFINITE CUT IN PRICE OF MEALS

Chicago, Sept. 29.—Twenty-two hotel owners have agreed to cut restaurant prices from 25 to 33 percent.

### SINN FEINERS BURN AND BLUNDER HOMES IN MALLOW, IRELAND

Cord, Ireland, Sept. 29.—Following a raid on barracks yesterday by Sinn Feiners, in which one soldier was killed, soldiers last night ransacked the town of Mallow, burning the town hall and some forty buildings, including principal shops. There was promiscuous shooting by soldiers, but no casualties have been reported.



Dr. Irene Diner, M. A., B. A., who has been awarded the degree of doctor of philosophy by the New York university in recognition of her advanced work in the field of chemistry. Miss Diner, who is only twenty-two years of age, discovered recently in the laboratories of the university, the cell structure of rubber, which it is expected will in future enable rubber manufacturers to standardize the manufacture of rubber with the aid of the microscope, and thus save millions of dollars annually in present wastage, due to chemical changes which take place during the process of manufacture, and which they heretofore have been unable to control or eliminate.

A NICE SALE MADE AT GENTRY & GORMAN'S SHOWING THAT GOOD TOBACCO SELLS WELL.

TURNER & BLOUNT.

Pounds	Price	Am't.
114	35	\$39.90
146	49	\$71.54
114	50	\$57.00
110	70	\$77.00
94	62	\$58.28
70	70	\$49.00
78	74	\$57.72
726		\$410.44

Average \$56.53

## WHITE'S THEATRE

TONIGHT

Dainty Shirley Mason, the girl everybody loves in a picture everybody will like—  
"MOLLY AND I."

THURSDAY MATINEE AND NIGHT

Charles Ray in

"THE VILLAGE SLEUTH."

A picture with all the charm and heart appeal that made Charles Ray the best loved actor on the screen. And more laughs than the "kick" Sleuth's pup had fleas.

Matinee 3:45 Admission 10 and 25c

Coming! "The Fighting Shepherdess"

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Anita Stewart is still better in this picture.

# Prices Fairly Well With Us

Prices are holding up fairly well with us. Our house was about half full today and our customers were highly pleased. We had several new customers, all of whom were more than pleased. The demand for sales cards were unprecedented, many promising to bring their next load here. Thursday 2nd sale Friday 1st.

## CENTRE BRICK WAREHOUSE

BRINKLEY AND

SPAIN, Proprietors.

# AMERICA PLANS TO EXTEND ITS TRADE

## Banking Systems See Advise- bility of Organization in Foreign Countries.

Constantinople, Sept. 28.—Americans are gradually preparing to avail themselves of trade opportunities which will present themselves as soon as conditions become more settled in Southern Russia and the Caucasus.

The Guaranty Trust Company, of New York, opens its Constantinople branch, the first American bank in the Levant, this month. The American Foreign Trade Corporation has sold its shipping department to an American organization called the Black Sea Corporation. E. G. Booth, Jr., formerly representative of the United States Shipping Board in Constantinople, is head of the new corporation, which has chartered several ships for the Black Sea trade and is designed primarily to assemble freight from the various ports of the Black Sea and make it available for larger American ships at Batum for Constantinople.

Admiral Mark Bristol, American high commissioner, is greatly interested in the development of American trade in this field which has been abandoned by Germany and Austria. Twelve American firms are already established thoroughly in Constantinople and ten others have agencies which promise to develop into permanent organizations. So far the American ships not made regular schedules in the Near East, with the result that their business has been unsatisfactory in many cases.

In a recent report to the state department, Admiral Bristol submitted a suggestion of F. A. Timmerman, an American shipping agent in Constantinople, that a direct line between New Orleans and the Levant would doubtless be profitable. He would have such a line call in Cuba, Spain, Italy, Greece, Bulgaria, South Russia, Georgia and Turkey.

It is argued that the proposed line between New Orleans and Black Sea ports would afford a more direct line than now exists for the shipment of coffee and other South and Central American products to the Near East in combination with shoes, hardware, machinery, and various other manufactured products from the Mississippi Valley, which, Americans hope, will permanently replace German and Austrian goods in this market.

### MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF LAND.

North Carolina, Pitt County.  
By virtue of power vested in me as assignee of that certain mortgage that was executed to D. C. Sermons by Ed Savage and wife, Lovie Savage, on the 1st day of January, 1916, and which is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, of Pitt County in Book D-11, at page 327, I shall sell for cash, to the highest bidder at public auction in the Town of Greenville, on Monday the 25th day of October, 1920, at twelve o'clock noon, at the court house door, the following described parcel of real estate, lying, being, and situated in the County of Pitt, in the State of North Carolina, to-wit:

Lying in the Piney Pocosin, and beginning at a short tag pine, formerly Ben Evans' corner, near the mouth of Great Island, and running thence with Ben Evans' line to Tom Adams' line; thence with said Adams' line to a short tag pine, said Adams' corner, in the Piney Pocosin; then to the Charles Smith line; then South to the beginning. The whole tract containing 100 acres more or less, but only the eastern half of said land containing about 50 acres will be sold pursuant to the terms of said mortgage; for a more particular description reference is made to Book A-A, page 403, and R-9, page 59 of the Pitt County Registry.

This September 25, 1920.

R. J. COBB,  
Assignee of D. Sermons, Mortgagee.  
25-17wk4wks.

### NOTICE.

North Carolina, Pitt County,  
In the Superior Court,  
Ben Hill, Plaintiff,

vs.

Annis Hill, Defendant.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced against her in the Superior Court of Pitt County, N. C., for the purpose of obtaining an absolute divorce.

And the defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear before the clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, N. C., within twenty days from the 13th day of October, 1920, and answer the complaint which shall be filed in the office of said clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County within the time prescribed by law, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

J. F. HARRINGTON,  
Clerk Superior Court, Pitt County.  
This Sept. 13th, 1920. 11-17wk4wks

### MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF LAND.

North Carolina, Pitt County.  
By virtue of power vested in me as assignee of that mortgage that was executed to D. G. Sermons by E. A. Everett on the 1st day of January, 1916, and which is duly recorded in the Pitt County Registry in Book D-11, at page 306, I shall sell for cash at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the court house door in the Town of Greenville, on Monday, the 25th day of October, 1920, at twelve o'clock noon, the following described parcel of real estate, lying, and situated in the County of Pitt, in the State of North Carolina, to-wit:

Being the Western half of that tract of land lying in the Piney Pocosin, and beginning at a short tag pine, formerly Ben Evans' corner, near the mouth of Great Island; running with Ben Evans' line to Tom Adams' line; thence with said Adams' line to a short tag pine, Adams' corner; in the Piney Pocosin; then to Charles Smith line; then with his line South to the beginning, the whole tract containing 100 acres more or less, and the western half thereof containing 50 acres; for further description see Book A-A, at page 403, and Book R-9, page 59.

This September 25, 1920.  
R. J. COBB,  
Assignee of D. Sermons, Mortgagee.  
25-17wk4wks.

### PUBLICATION

North Carolina, Pitt County.

In the Superior Court.

Lillie Hamilton

vs.

Ed. Hamilton.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced against him in the Superior Court of Pitt County and the plaintiff to obtain from him an absolute divorce, and the defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County at the court house in Greenville on the 13th day of October, 1920, or within twenty days thereafter, and answer or demur to the complaint filed in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

This the 11 day of Sept., 1920.

J. FRANK HARRINGTON,  
Clerk Superior Court.

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# 20 PERCENT REDUCTION SALE

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And Running Until Further Notice

Our aim is to help lower prices to the lowest level possible and in order to do this we are throwing out our Huge New Fall Stock of Merchandise at a reduction of 20 per cent with the exception of small notions.

SAVINGS THAT WILL MEAN THOUSANDS OF  
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Merchandise of every description for both men and women will be found in our immense stocks. A 20 per cent reduction on your Fall and Winter Outfit will indeed be a great saving.

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Be sure you are on hand to take advantage of this drastic reduction while our stocks are complete.

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SALES SCHEDULE

Thursday, September 30 ..... 1st sale  
Friday, October 1st ..... 4th sale

MARKET YOUR TOBACCO SLOWLY

Last sales will finish today by dinner or a little after. Take a careful look at a few of our sales Let us show you there is a difference. We will do it.

SALE MADE FOR J. H. LITTLE FRIDAY

Pounds	Price	Am't.
130	42	\$54.60
136	50	65.00
104	55	57.20
190	65	123.50
554		\$300.30
Average		\$54.20

	Prices	Average for Load
Forbes & S. 36, 58, 60, 65, 68		\$58.12
J. H. Little 42, 50, 55, 65		54.20
F. T. Whitehurst 25, 48, 56		53.25
Joseph Tripp 44, 51, 52, 54, 63		50.90
Dr. McLawhorn 43, 47, 52, 52		47.95
Shivers & Harris 20, 25, 40, 45, 63, 66		46.02
Taylor & Roebuck 10, 31, 54, 55		44.54
Tripp & Wm. 24, 35, 50, 50, 48		43.24

S. T. Wall 30, 47, 61	42.65
A. L. Anderson 7, 19 1-2, 34, 50, 50, 51, 55, 60, 60	39.65
James Wall 20, 36, 48, 50	37.99
Buck & T. 8, 43, 49, 51	36.37
Smith & Hall 4, 33, 46, 50	36.12
A. L. Anderson 13, 25, 40, 41, 56	35.91
Tucker & Dawson 18 1-2, 33, 43, 48, 51	35.71
Owen & Pittman 20, 39, 45, 49, 50	35.30

**GRAVE INJUSTICE DONE  
NEW BERN DOCTOR BY  
FORMER PITT CO. PATIENT**

Cases Without Precedent—Dr. Dunn Wishes That the Public Know the Truth—From Articles in Paper It Would Leave the Impression That He Had Committed A Crime.

Dr. Dunn had previously treated this man, and he comes forth smiling to see the Doctor and do whatever he said was best, and Doctor told him, and he was to do what Doctor said, but didn't get ready quick enough for him on account of boy being at dinner, so all of a sudden patient decides to leave, and left acting and talking very ugly and after getting home wrote back ugly and made threats, too.

Doctor Dunn tried to treat the man right and would have if the man had let him, but account of way he did Doctor stood pat.

Because Doctor Dunn would not give fee back to him, and not knowing anyway according to law that he could get it, he and his lawyer together frames up the charge of Practicing Surgery and Medicine without a license, which charge is without foundation, and not the least bit true. But was only done in spite, and with intent of damaging reputation, hurt him in practice, and make people think that he had committed some crime.

The least that can be said is that it was a great injustice, and parties doing the same will not gain or profit by the act.

Dr. Dunn has been doing this work for three years and he has gained statewide reputation within past year and has only three or four knockers out of the large number he has treated.

Dr. Dunn is licensed in five states, and his treatment comes under the head of Minor Surgery which he is allowed to practice in N. C.

If he had no right to give this treatment someone connected with State Board of Examiners or Society, Board of Health or some individual Doctors in State would have had it up before he had practiced it three years.

Dr. Dunn surely would not have spent the money he had to learn and equip himself for this work and given up all his other work if he hadn't known he had a right to do it.

On top of all this Dr. Dunn had patient Sunday who had traveled 1300 miles specially to see him and be treated by him.

It is very doubtful if any other doctor in North Carolina ever had patient to come that distance to see them.

This party spoken of, is the only one out of a large number treated in Pitt county, who is not cured, and he could have been if he had taken the treatment advised.

Like a change made sometime ago on account of another party, doing

wrong, this action, will make it worse for others.

The doctor claims that he has never made a guarantee, but one in a way, but from now on, there will be nothing like one, and further than that, no promises made, and last but not least, they will have to sign up, so that the doctor will be protected against having a single failure, and also and legal or other action, regardless of termination of the treatment.

This would not come about if the party had let me treat him right. This action and talk has kept a good many from being cured, and it is regrettable that one would go along suffering when they could easily be cured, but knowing about one who is not, are afraid theirs could not be cured.

Dr. Dunn would advise anyone wishing treatment, to see him at once as he is a little unsettled in a way. He has had wonderful offer to go to Kansas City, Mo., and wanted to announce same in August, as he wanted to go Sept. 1st past, but owing to good many children being treated he could not get away.

The doctor is also thinking a little bit of locating in Raleigh or Greensboro, where he would be more centrally located for patients coming from all parts of the state as well as other states.

The doctor has not been able to make any trips to Greenville in good many weeks, and may not be able to make any more for a long time. So those desiring to see him had better write at once and make their appointment. Adv.

**REGISTRATION BOOKS OPEN  
THURSDAY, SEPT. 23RD**

All those desire to vote in the next election to be held on November 2, 1920 are notified that the registration books will be open on September 30th and close at sunset on October 23rd.

The law requires that persons not previously registered and expecting to vote in the coming election must present themselves in person before the registrar for registration during the above period.

The woman voter is subject to the same conditions and qualifications as apply to the male voter with the exception that the female voter is not required to pay a poll tax or exhibit a poll receipt in order to register and vote in the coming election. They are required to make a statement, under oath if necessary, that they are of legal age and otherwise qualified to register and vote. This does not necessarily mean that the female voters must give their exact age, but they must state that they are twenty-one years of age or over.

## WANTS

**BUY YOUR BULBS FROM MRS. W. L. Hall, Narcissus, Hyacinths, Daffodils, Tulips. Phone 373-J Greene street. 25-1w**

**FOR SALE—A NUMBER OF GOOD farms in this, the best farming section of the State. Prices have not advanced here as they have in other places and we can offer fine farms, suitable for tobacco, cotton, corn and other products at from \$50.00 to \$200 per acre, with improvements. Send for descriptive list. Olive and Seymour, Apex, N. C. 24-1t**

**ANYONE GIVING INFORMATION leading to the whereabouts of my son, Mack Perkins, age 15, colored will be rewarded. Kindly report such information to the Sheriff. Robert Perkins, Greenville, N. C. 28-5t**

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**FOR SALE—PEARS. \$2 PER BUSHEL. L. C. ARTHUR.**

**BUNK MESSAGE IS  
CIRCULATED OVER  
SOUTH BY HARDING**

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freight and passenger traffic on the railroads and modify the income tax rates. While Slep's machine is offering these gold brick promises to catch votes and they are alluring to some people—Harding comes along with a high tariff galvanized into life to furnish the government with the money that the repeal of these taxes would deprive it of.

Assistant Secretary of Commerce Edward T. Sweet, on being asked for his views on Harding's revival of the high tariff issue, says that if there was ever any good reason for a high tariff in this country, it does not exist today. Within the last six years every argument for a protective tariff has been swept away. The subject is or ought to be as dead as African slavery or the Boston tea tax.

Within the last six years, said Mr. Sweet, this country has passed from a debtor nation to a creditor nation. Much of what it used to buy from Europe it is now selling to Europe. Its foreign market has become one of the chief sources of its commercial life. Europe today owes America \$12,000,000,000. There is not enough gold in the world to pay this. There is only one way Europe can pay with safety to herself and to her great creditor and that is by selling us goods.

**ABOUT 26,500,000  
WOMEN ELIGIBLE TO  
VOTE IN NOVEMBER**

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eligible to vote, a comparatively small number of American women married to aliens and barred from voting for that reason and a larger number deprived of the ballot under state statutes in harmony with constitutional provisions. The total of these ineligible was estimated at about 1,500,000.

American women married to aliens are not eligible to vote, the department of justice has held, but foreign-born women married to American citizens or whose fathers have become American citizens are entitled to the ballot without naturalization proceedings.

The number of eligible male voters in the United States this year has not been determined. Based on an estimated population of 105,000,000, however, the census bureau figured that there are now 34,807,000 men in the United States over 21 years of age of whom probably 31,500,000 would be entitled to vote in November.

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# Gentry & Gorman

Gormans sold Tuesday 230,106 pounds. We had lots of very common tobacco in this sale. As we have before advertised common tobacco and the thin medium tobacco is much neglected and we believe this tobacco will do lots better later on.

The meaty clean tobacco, also the fine tobaccos are doing fairly well and we advise selling some of these if you are compelled to have money. We are doing our best for all our customers and know no one can do any more for you.

Drive to Gormans and we will send you home with the top of the market.

**A FEW SALES AND AVERAGES MADE MONDAY**

Name	Pounds	Price	Amount	Average
A few sales made Tuesday. Note we give these from our sales daily, and not the best we have had since opening.				
Stokes & Andrews	946—50, 50, 41, 20 1-2		\$359.69	\$38.02
James & Edwards	848—47, 47, 37, 50, 21 1-2		290.01	34.22
P. S. Raspberry	1110—50, 50, 46, 41, 23 1-2, 20 1-2		395.58	35.64
J. R. Brown	880—40, 40, 35, 30, 17 1-2		274.45	31.19
H. C. Kinsaul	1000—40, 30, 30, 20		315.20	31.52
Manning & Blount	970—51, 45, 41, 31, 26, 20 1-2		340.20	35.07
Jenkins & Smith	616—48, 42, 40, 16		225.80	36.53
Cannon & W.	584—50, 40, 30		208.80	35.76
Harrington & Barnes	660—51, 51, 42, 20		229.14	34.72
Dunn & Smith	870—50, 45, 40, 15		328.30	37.73
Turner & Blount	726—74, 70, 70, 62, 50, 49, 35		410.44	56.54

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