

## THE WEATHER

Rain on the coast and rain, sleet or snow in the interior tonight and Wednesday. Not quite so cold.

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## MORE THAN FIFTY MINERS LOST LIVES YESTERDAY AS RESULT OF AN EXPLOSION

### Over Hundred Trapped in Mine Near Newport, England. Eighty Five Rescued. Bodies of Twenty Two Dead Recovered

CWM, Wales, March 1.—(AP)—Fifty-two coal miners are believed to have lost their lives as a result of an explosion early this morning which engulfed them in the gas filled workings of the Marine colliery here.

The toll of known dead this afternoon was 22 while those abandoned of rescuing 30 others who were trapped in a section a mile and a half from the main shaft.

At the time of the explosion there were 135 miners. Rescue squads fought frantically through the long morning hours to reach their comrades and more than 80 men were brought to the surface alive.

The task of the rescuers was most difficult because of poisonous gases and many who descended into the mine were overcome and taken to hospitals. The gas became so bad at noon that rescue work had to be abandoned to permit ventilation of the mine.

Hundreds of women and children, the families of the entombed men, gathered about the pit head and there were pathetic scenes as they rushed forward to identify each man rescued. Throughout the anxious hours the greatest heroism under the tragically displayed by these watchers.

The disaster which is one of the worst the Welsh have known in recent years, took place on their national holidays—St. David's Day—and the whole country is plunged in gloom.

Nottingham, England, March 1.—(AP)—Sixteen miners are thought to have been drowned when a staging on which they were working in the shaft of the Blithstone colliery collapsed today, precipitating them into the flooded mine.

## News Briefs

English. Road sentences aggregating 84 months was imposed on 12 defendants in Wake Superior Court by Judge C. C. Lyon, of Elizabeth City.

High Point: W. D. Fields, Jr., ex-convict, being arrested for alleged drunkenness, instantly killed when Deputy Sheriff Marley shot in act of alleged self-defense.

Winston-Salem: Eva Willard, 15, missing from home for several days, parents, who appealed to police for aid, said.

Winston-Salem: Representatives of Triangle Cities, Greensboro, High Point and Winston-Salem, start move to establish air port to serve as mail point and to advance commercial aviation interests.

Lenoir: Leo Hamilton suffered serious injuries when airplane in which he was riding takes nose dive to ground. Pilot of machine, which was demolished, escaped serious harm.

Fayetteville: Trial of 21 alleged bootleggers caught in net spread by federal dry agents gets under way. Defendants being bound to trial in District Court convening here March 21 under heavy bonds.

Wilmington: Thomas E. Cooper, former banker, pardoned by President Coolidge from term in Atlanta federal prison, begins 20 day parole granted by Governor McLean. Cooper will spend part of his vacation between federal sentence and State sentence at Mullins, S. C. He faces eight years on New Hanover County roads.

## Officers in Pitched Battle With Rum Runners Franklin

Franklin, N. C., March 1.—(AP)—One man is in a hospital here who in the leg, one man is in jail, two automobiles badly damaged and officers hold nearly 100 gallons of liquor as the result of a gun battle between them and alleged rum runners on top of Covee Mountain near the Mason-Jackson County line about 7 o'clock this morning.

A man believed to be from Asheville, giving the name of Evans was wounded in the leg. Officers declared that his real name is Dewey Whitaker.

## American Forces Seize Arms of Chinese Troops

Washington, March 1.—(AP)—Seizure by the U. S. mine sweeper at Hankow of the arms of one hundred Chinese soldiers who had disembarked from the Standard Oil vessel Mei Hung, was reported today to the Navy Department. No reason for the seizure was given.

The vessel, commanded by the Chinese, was used for transporting troops. The arms were to be turned over to the proper Chinese authorities through the American Consul General.

## MARCH COMES IN ON SNOWSTORM

## Blanket of Snow Fell as Far East as Wilmington

Charlotte, N. C., March 1.—(AP)—March came in like a lion throughout most of North Carolina at least and the man who devised calendar made a slight error when he put a fair weather flag up to designate his prognostication that the weather would be "warmer" today.

But if ground hog advocates and fence corner weather prophets know anything March will go out like a lamb, so, everything will be "like" by April Fool's day.

Seriously, though, it snowed in Charlotte, High Point, Hickory, Asheville, Gastonia, Salisbury and Greensboro. It wasn't what could be called a heavy snow though and gave indications of melting if the fall would stop for a short time and the skies clear a bit.

In Eastern North Carolina and Raleigh as well as Greensboro the weather was cold and cloudy.

The weather man missed his guess a mile with the forecast of rain Tuesday and Wednesday but still has a chance to retrieve him, self if it turns a wee bit warmer.

Fayetteville, N. C., March 1.—(AP)—This section of the State is resting under a white blanket of snow, which has been falling steadily since seven o'clock this morning. It is estimated that three inches of snow has fallen and there has been no let up in the fall.

Temperatures are not below the freezing point and unless there is a further drop the snow will not obliterate the fruit crop already in bloom while much of the snowfall has rapidly melted, there is at least two inches left on the ground.

Augusta, Ga., March 1.—(AP)—A light snow, the first of the season, fell here today. The flurry was mingled with rain and melted upon hitting the ground.

Columbia, S. C., March 1.—(AP)—March was ushered in here today with the first real snowfall of the winter. The snow began falling shortly after 9 o'clock and within a short time, roofs of houses and the tops of automobiles were covered.

Wilmington, N. C., March 1.—(AP)—A light snow began falling here at 11:20 o'clock this morning. The temperature at 6 o'clock was 33 degrees and the Weather Bureau gave no promise of any radical change. The weather man said that the snow would probably turn to rain later in the afternoon.

## Funeral Services For Mr. John Gray Held on Sunday

Funeral services for Mr. John Gray, who died at his home at Stokes, about noon Saturday, following an illness of about three weeks, were conducted Sunday afternoon at the late home followed by interment in the family burying ground near the home place. Rev. Ben Cowan and members of Stoneyale Masonic Lodge of Hibernianville, of which Mr. Gray had long been a member.

Mr. Gray was a native of the Stokes section and was 66 years old, having been born July 13, 1860. He was a well-to-do farmer and was considered one of the section's leading citizens.

## DAUGHERTY CASE GIVEN TO JURY THIS AFTERNOON

## Fate of Government Officials in Hands of Jury for Second Time in Past Five Months

New York, March 1.—(AP)—For the second time in five months the fates of Harry M. Daugherty Cabinet member in the Harding Administration, and Thomas W. Miller, Alien Property Custodian under the same regime, were in the hands of a jury.

The twelve men that have been hearing evidence in the trial of Daugherty and Miller for conspiracy to defraud the United States of their honest and unbiased services in connection with the allowance of claims for \$7,000,000 proceeds of seized American metal Company shares, retired for deliberations at 1:10 this afternoon.

## COOLIDGE STILL IS HOPEFUL FOR AN ARMS PARLEY

## Not Yet Convinced That Five Power Agreement on Limitations Impossible

Washington, March 1.—(AP)—President Coolidge still hopes for a five power agreement further to limit naval armament.

While he has not had opportunity to examine carefully the favorable replies to his suggestion received from Great Britain and Japan and the unfavorable answers from France and Italy, it was said at the White House today that he did not regard those communications as foreclosing the possibility of such agreements as he has in mind.

The proposals made by the President to the powers was confined strictly to "limitation of armament" and was not intended by Mr. Coolidge to imply plans for reduction of the form of some of the replies.

The President doubts the practicability of a three power understanding between Great Britain, the United States and Japan should it prove impossible to obtain a five power treaty. He recalls that at the time of the Washington conference Great Britain took the position that it could not agree to a limitation on cruisers unless France was prepared to undertake limitation of submarine tonnage.

"It is felt there may be possibilities in the three power suggestion despite this circumstance, but for the present the Washington government still is pursuing the five power plan, and is not without hope of ultimate results.

## Collections of Cigarette Tax Show Decrease

Raleigh, March 1.—(AP)—February was the first month in two years' time that the collections from the cigarette stamp tax on cigarettes sent out of the State, was smaller than the corresponding month the year previous.

Officials of the Federal Internal Revenue Department today reported collections, virtually all from the tobacco tax, for February at \$13,751,244.01. For February last year, the collections totaled \$14,108,461.27.

## FIND WOMAN STRANGLED TO DEATH IN BATH TUB

Chicago, March 1.—(AP)—Strangulation caused the death of Mrs. Mabel Wood, 18, found dead in a bath tub at a hotel here. It was announced today by Mr. M. L. Traylor, coroner's physician. The doctor said fingerprints were found on the woman's throat and chin.

Carl Wood, the husband, held during the early inquiry was released by police but ordered to appear at the inquest. Al Provo and Homer Cameron, residents of the hotel, were held for further questioning. Police said they admitted having been in the wood room prior to the finding of the body in the bathroom across the hall.

## Beats Boys



Violet Wood, twelve, with Beaver, her three-year-old collie, won the annual Fort Street Dog Derby at Winnipeg, Canada, defeating a field of sixty-four boys and three girls. (International News)

## TODAY

Hello, London!  
Surprise for Balboa.  
Plenty of Reaction.  
Red Ribbons, Big, Little.  
(By Arthur Brisbane)

The Pacific coast talked to England yesterday for the first time over a telephone circuit 14,000 miles long, including the etheric leap across the Atlantic.

Seattle, San Francisco, Los Angeles and Portland heard distinctly voices of men talking in London 7,000 miles away, when it was 9 a. m. on the Pacific coast 5 p. m. in London.

That interests Balboa, if his spirit knows about it. When he first looked at the Pacific ocean "silent on a peak in Darien" he little thought some day he might call the young lady at central and say, "Please give me Mrs. Vasco Nunez Balboa, Madrid."

Using the trans-Atlantic telephone many hardly know what to say, but that didn't happen in Los Angeles, when N. R. Powley, of the Southern California Telephone Company got London. He told England "It is a fine June day here, wonderful sunshine. The population of Los Angeles has doubled in the last five years. You can't get a room in a good hotel here for love or money, the biggest financiers in America are here buying real estate. How is the London weather?"

Mr. Powley and twenty other Los Angeles patriots listening, all smiled happily when the answer came, "Foggy and drizzling."

Talking from Los Angeles to London, you take for granted copper wire over hardened copper wire by El Paso, Dallas, St. Louis, Chicago, and through New York City to Long Island. What startles you is the thought that from the edge of Long Island your voice jumps three thousand miles across the Atlantic, picks up a small copper wire at the Roughen receiving station in the South of England, then travels over copper from Roughen to London.

And (this will interest the angel Gabriel, who some day must talk to the whole world,) as your voice leaps through the ether, from the eastern edge of this continent it is magnified two million times for the journey across the ocean.

Electricity is like other things, matter, force, space, time, life, and thought. Men use them but don't know what they are. They talk of static, not knowing what it is, don't even know what electricity is, or why it seems whimsical, with likes and dislikes.

Trans-oceanic telephone engineers have arranged one path across the water from Long Island with a 5,000 metre wave length, and announced that it will be permitted, he said.

## EFFORTS AT PEACE BETWEEN FACTIONS IN NICARAGUA

## Peace Mission En Route to Camp of Liberal General to Discuss Terms of Settlement

Managua, Nicaragua, March 1.—(AP)—A move to bring peace between the Liberal and Conservative factions is being undertaken by three prominent native Nicaraguans—two Liberals and one neutral.

With the acquiescence of the Conservative President, Adolfo Diaz, and the approval of the American authorities, they will start tomorrow to find the Chief Liberal General, Jose Moncada, somewhere in the Matagalpa region, and try to induce him to give up his campaign in behalf of the Liberal President, Juan B. Sacasa.

They hope to be able to convince General Moncada that further fighting is useless and that peace would be to the advantage of all concerned. They will point out especially that the opportunity is given the country to have prosperity and free elections and in accordance with the proposal which President Diaz has submitted to the United States government.

Two United States officers—Major T. S. Clark of the Marine Corps, and Lieutenant E. J. Morgan—will accompany the peace mission. A special railway car was sent from Managua to bring the mission to Managua. From here the party will proceed by automobile the 110 miles to Matagalpa, and thence by mule to the place where General Moncada is supposed to be. The American officers are accompanying the mission at the invitation of leading Liberals, Charles C. Eberhardt, the American minister, made the arrangements with the approval of President Diaz.

Word of the firing on a train in Nicaragua on which several American marines were riding as guards, has been received by the American Navy Department at Washington. No one was injured, and the fire was returned. The incident occurred last week.

## Income Tax Reports Now Being Filed in Large Numbers

Raleigh, March 1.—(AP)—State income tax returns are coming into offices of the revenue department with marked rapidity, officials said today. March 15 is the final day allowed by law for filing of the blanks.

A year ago, department workers said, taxpayers held back the filing of their returns, pending action by Congress on changes in federal rates.

A total of \$124,276.44 was paid to the state during February. For the same period last year, the total was \$77,734.05.

Collections generally during February showed an increase of about \$74,000 over the same month a year ago. The largest increases were in insurance and income taxes. Total collections for February this year were \$756,424.85, as compared with total collections of \$662,830.52 for February 1926.

For February, 1927, receipts included: income, \$124,276.44; inheritance, \$68,556.94; insurance, \$517,840.95; license \$29,158.70; franchise, \$5,949.91; and bus, \$10,645.15.

## Sheriff Declares He Will Break Up Cock and Dog Fights

Elizabethtown, N. C., March 1.—(AP)—If seined cock and dog fights are held in Bladen County today, tomorrow and Thursday with \$5000 prizes and prize cock entries, not only from Mexico but from Bladen and other counties of this State, Sheriff Priest will stage a raid. He said today he was investigating.

He so informed The Associated Press today, and added he had heard a report of the scheduled fights. He said he was leaving for the arena, two miles from Dublin, near here, on Highway 21, where the fights were advertised to be held.

A report from Raleigh yesterday told of introduction of a bill by Representative Bridger of Bladen County in the State Legislature to prohibit such sports in the county. The program, exhibited list of events and entrances in the same number as racine aids. Cock fighting and bull baiting will not be permitted, he said.

## RECOMMEND THAT IMPEACHMENT OF JUDGE BE DROPPED

## Judiciary Committee Finds No Cause to Remove Federal Judge Frank Cooper

Washington, March 1.—(AP)—Dismissal of impeachment charges against Federal Judge Frank Cooper of the Northern District, was recommended today by the House Judiciary Committee.

The committee decided that allegations of unfitness for the bench, preferred against Cooper by Ren. LaGuardia, Republican of New York, could not be construed as constituting grounds for impeachment. It was added, however, that the committee's action was not to be construed as approving all of the judge's acts.

Judge Cooper was charged with having conspired with prohibition enforcement officials to entrap liquor law violators and with having later sat in judgment over the men entrapped.

LaGuardia also accused Cooper of usurping power in connection with several bankruptcy cases.

"While certain activities of the Honorable Judge Frank Cooper, with relation to the manner of procuring evidence in cases which would come before him for trial are not to be considered as approved by this report," the committee said, "the evidence does not call for the interposition of the constitutional powers of the House with regard to impeachment."

Chairman Graham said the report was adopted without a dissenting vote.

## COOPER HOPES TO GET PAROLE

## Former Wilmington Banker Hopes to be Relieved of Serving Sentence

Wilmington, N. C., March 1.—(AP)—Hope that Governor McLean may grant a parole to him covering practically his full sentence of eight years on the county roads in New Hanover County, imposed upon him following his conviction in New Hanover Superior Court on charges of violating the national banking laws, was expressed today by Thomas E. Cooper, former Wilmington banker, who arrived here from Atlanta where he was released from the federal penitentiary Friday.

Cooper is at Liberty under bond, which was one of the conditions the Governor required in permitting Cooper to have 20 days freedom before beginning his sentence on the roads here.

The former banker said that any move in the direction looking to a parole or commutation of sentence would be made by his friends and lawyers. There was no definite announcement as to when such a move would be made, although close friends of Cooper indicated that it would be done after he had served a short period of his sentence here.

## Sharpe Decrease Railway Business During January

Wilmington, March 1.—(AP)—A sharp decline in railway operating income of the Atlantic Coast Line Railway Company for the month of January, 1927, as compared with the same month in 1926 was revealed in a statement issued at the general offices of the company here today.

The business of the system for the month in 1925 the statement revealed.

Railway operating revenues for January 1927, were \$7,403,321 as compared with \$9,014,506 in January 1926 and \$7,472,082 in January 1925.

Net railway operating income for January 1927 was \$1,298,719 as compared with \$2,178,437 in January 1926 and \$1,584,593 in January 1925.

## SALARY BOOSTING WAS CHIEF ACCOMPLISHMENT IN LEGISLATURE TODAY

## Held in Death



Eddie Hanlon, famous as a lightweight boxer in days gone by, was arrested on a murder charge as the result of the fatal stabbing of Walter Noonan, a friend, in Hanlon's San Francisco restaurant. (International News)

## Note for Mexico Has Been Prepared

Washington, March 1.—(AP)—A new note to Mexico has been prepared here but officials refused to disclose today what subject was under discussion.

They did say, however, that the note had no relation to the oil and had law controversy with the Mexico City government.

The question of application of recent Mexican legislation regulating foreign insurance companies doing business in Mexico has been the subject of complaints to the State Department by American concerns. There are several other points of friction now embarrassing relations between the governments.

## Highlights

Navy Department informed Nicaraguans bred upon train which American marines guarded and marines returned the fire; no one injured; marines ordered to pursue and capture snipers should there be further firing.

Destroyers Preston and Sierd ordered from Manila to Shanghai; battalion of Cold Stream guards reaches Hong Kong from England.

Counsel for Mrs. Charlie Chaplin in Los Angeles says she may amend accusations already made against comedian, naming a prominent motion picture actress.

Diaz of Nicaragua gives permission for two Liberals and one neutral, accompanied by American Marine and naval officers, to pass through Conservative lines to discuss peace.

Senior council, undergraduate governing body at Princeton University, resigns because of conflict with board of trustees after students are forbidden to have automobiles.

Oklahoma Senate tables motion referendum on asking Congress to dismiss his confidential secretary, Mrs. O. O. Hammonds.

Lower House of Arizona Legislature passes resolution favoring referendum on asking Congress to modify Volstead act to permit sale of light wines and beer.

Four Sunday Golfers to Face Jury Trial Thursday

## Attorney General, Judges, Insurance Commissioner and Assemblymen Would Get Increased Pay Under Bills Passed

State Capitol, Raleigh, March 1.—(AP)—While both Houses passed to each other salary increase measures, affecting the Attorney General, Supreme and Superior Court Judges, and Insurance Commissioner and the Assemblymen themselves, the Senate today unanimously passed to the House a taxation constitutional amendment proposal.

The tax measure, introduced by Senator Royall and submitted by Senator Long, under Senate adoption, would segregate intangibles for taxation at a lower rate than real property.

By vote of 26 to 18, the Senate adopted an amendment by Senator Royall to restrain the General Assembly from exempting the incomes from intangible property through allowance for taxes paid. If passed by the House, the popular election of 1925 would determine whether it go into effect.

Senator Broughton's bill to substitute life imprisonment for the death penalty was killed by the Senate 28 to 18.

The Senate without discussion sent to the House the measure increasing the salary of the Insurance Commissioner from \$4,500 to \$6,000.

The House 82 to 21, passed to the Senate a bill to boost pay of Supreme Court Justices from \$6,000 to \$7,500 and the Superior Court Judges from \$5,000 to \$6,500.

It also sent to the Senate the Jones bill amended increasing pay of legislators from \$4 as at present, to \$600 per term, and \$7000 term for presiding officers. If passed by the Senate also, the measure would go before the people as a proposed constitutional amendment.

The Souires bill, amended, boosting the Attorney General's salary from \$4,500 to \$6,000 passed to the Senate on a 75 to 33 vote.

The House passed to the Senate a joint resolution calling for Sesqui-Centennial celebration of the first state legislature at New Bern in 1777 at a day unfixed.

Without amendment the Senate unanimously passed on second reading the \$0 million dollar highway bond bill with final reading for enactment into law set for tomorrow.

Both Houses were bent on working through the day and night.

The House passed to the Senate a bill raising the salary of the secretary of the State Board of Health from \$5,000 to not exceeding \$8,000.

It also passed the Senate bill making the Corporation Commission receiver for insolvent banks instead of a receiver appointed by the courts. A minor amendment sent it back to the Senate for concurrence.

The Rogers bill extending supervision powers of the Corporation Commission to include industrial banks passed to the Senate.

Rep. McLean of Beaufort, introduced out of order a bill to restore the county valorem tax on foreign stocks, which was abolished in 1923. The House Finance Committee immediately considered it with the machinery act.

The permanent and maintenance appropriations bills were set for tonight's House session and the Winston bill calling for a constitutional convention.

The Senate passed the gasoline tax bill on a third reading without a dissenting vote. This bill lays a tax of four cents a gallon on gas used by companies as well as the gasoline sold.

Former Head of Russia to Visit United States

New York, March 1.—(AP)—Alexander Kerensky, Minister of Justice and later head of the first revolutionary government set up in Russia after the overthrow of the Czar in the early days of the war, is a passenger on the liner olympic due in New York tomorrow morning.

This was learned today by The Associated Press in response to a message of inquiry sent to the liner. Reports that he was aboard had been removed for several days but confirmation could not be obtained and his movement in Europe in the last few weeks has been lost.

His reason for coming to America is not known.

Dwellings Destroyed by Earthquake

Valparaiso, Chile, March 1.—(AP)—Several houses collapsed when an earthquake rocked this town yesterday. There were no casualties.



Tuesday, March 1, 1927

# LOCALS

## Vast Subject!



Sushama Lagore, niece of the famous Indian poet, came to New York from Calcutta to make a study of American women.

## Vanderbilt and Georgia to Play Off Championship Tonight

Atlanta, March 1.—(AP)—A Vanderbilt team will meet the University of Georgia tonight for the basketball championship of the Southern Conference.

Ten little young men who forged through two groups of fighting teams to eliminate ten in three days of heroic play will watch their skill in a climax promising thrills galore.

Georgia last night made good claim for a share in the final play with a smashing victory over North Carolina, Conference champions, 23 to 20.

Vanderbilt, with Stuart Lanky center at his best, swept past an obstinate South Carolina team 31 to 25.

Today, as talk of the impending battle crowded the corridors of sport, the two dominant teams rested for the last surge of cheers. Strangely dissimilar in methods of offense, Vanderbilt and Georgia were alike in one respect—great determination and followers of the tournament saw no fancier way to pick a winner than to toss a coin.

Georgia, defeated by North Carolina in the season, showed only mediocre form in its tournament win from V. M. L. and while a later victory over Maryland came from superior play the Red and Black was held to be no match for the Tar Heels.

A great crowd was not surprised when a North Carolina dashed to a 13 point lead and then ran its score to nine while Georgia apparently concentrating on a defensive game, rang up only two scores.

It was ability to make the foul throws good that sent the Tar Heels hurtling from their throne. With both teams smothering offensive threats, shots at the goal were few. Carolina forwards were more accurate but the Georgians placed only a point or two behind by cashing in on nine fouls that ultimately sent two Tar Heels out of the game. It was a free throw that tied the score for Georgia at 17-17.

In a spirited mix-up neither team was able for a time to penetrate a well drawn defense. Then, with few minutes left to play, Georgia electrified the crowd, switching abruptly to a sparkling drive. Dree, centre, and Keen and Florance, forwards, found the basket from the floor.

The Tar Heels changed pace as Vanderbilt stopped one in from the side lines, but even as the rally came up the gun cut through the tussle and the king was dead.

Diversity of the Vanderbilt attack brought the Tennesseans into the final scramble. South Carolina, playing as if inspired, matched the superior team stride for stride until Stuart and Baker, Vanderbilt forward, began their cross-fire. Both would not stay under the same lid. When the Gamecocks smothered Stuart, Baker looped the ball for a score; when Baker had a sufficient escort Stuart rang the bell.

The Tennessee five, switching from Stuart as the cog in offense, played as one swarm on defense and were able to hold their opponents to sporadic bursts. Splendid co-ordination, plus the dashing Stuart, was the hope of Vanderbilt followers against the mysterious Georgians, who, though perhaps more colorful, came more slowly into form.

A tip on the winner, passed around about the experts, was "take your pick."

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- 40 inch Baronett Satin.....\$1.25
- 36 inch Rodwin Washable.....\$1.59
- 40 inch Printed Georgette.....\$2.19
- 40 inch Stipple Crepe.....\$2.45
- very new.....\$2.45
- 40 inch Satin Back.....\$2.98
- 40 inch Plaid Taffeta.....\$2.25
- 40 inch Crepe Faille.....\$2.98
- 40 inch Queen Satin.....\$1.98
- 36 inch Rayola for Slips..... 89c
- 40 inch Crepe Elizabeth.....\$2.69
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- Phoenix Hose
- Pointex Hose to match

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# BOWERS'

Washington's Biggest Department Store

J. L. Perkins, of Stokes, was here today.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whiteford returned today from a visit in Wilmington.

Miss Betty Dixon spent the week-end with friends in Wilmington.

The Rev. James E. W. Cook returned yesterday afternoon from Fayetteville after conducting a successful series of meetings in connection with the Bishops' Crusade.

### ASH WEDNESDAY

Tomorrow is the beginning of Lent. At St. Paul's church the Holy Communion will be celebrated at 10:30 a. m.; the Rev. James E. W. Cook being the celebrant. A large attendance is desired.

### PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION WEST GREENVILLE SCHOOL

The Parent-Teachers Association of the West Greenville school will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the school. Miss Carolyn Fullilove's grade will have charge of the program. Mr. R. G. Fitzgerald will make a talk. This will be a very interesting meeting, and all parents and friends of the school are urged to attend.

### REGULAR MEETING OF KING'S DAUGHTERS HAS BEEN POSTPONED

The regular meeting of the Patient Circle King's Daughters, which was to have been held tonight, with Mrs. H. A. White, has been postponed until Tuesday night, March 8.

### BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Thorpe announce the birth of a daughter, Nannie Lore, on Monday, February 28th.

### TO PREACH AT FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. W. H. Laughinghouse will preach in the Free Will Baptist church Sunday morning, March 5. His subject will be "Christ and the Church."

### MISS GREENE HOSTESS TO BRIDGE CLUB

Miss Estelle Green was hostess to the members of her bridge club Saturday afternoon. Spring flowers were used as decoration. Mrs. Sadie Blakely Watkins, of Richmond, Va., and Miss Jesse Harrington, of Washington, were given decks of cards.

The high score prize, an attractive guest towel, was won by Mrs. E. E. Rawl. Following the game, a tempting salad course was served.

Mrs. Watkins, Mrs. Harrington and Miss Bessie Brown were guests.

### MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR MISS McLELLAN

The Parent-Teachers Association of the Model school will meet tomorrow, Wednesday, afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the annex. The memorial service for Miss Fannie McLellan, which was to have been held last month, will be held tomorrow afternoon. All friends in the city and in the county are cordially invited to attend.

### ATTEND BAPTIST ASSN IN WILMINGTON

Mrs. J. S. Barr, Mrs. H. Fredrick Jones, Mrs. L. A. Stroud, Mrs. Gus Forbes and Miss Mary Whitborne left this morning for Wilmington to attend the state convention of the Southern Baptist Association.

Mrs. Stroud is on the program for a talk on mission study.

### PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION TO MEET

The Parent-Teachers Association of Evans Street school will hold its regular monthly meeting Wednesday afternoon at the school at 3:30 o'clock.

The patrons of the school are urged to be present. Come, hear your child recite and then talk with the teacher about him. Come and help boost our association. Don't knock it, for re-

member in so doing you are knocking something that belongs to you, so let's all be there and help make the meeting what we would have it be.

### MINSTREL PERFORMANCE TONIGHT AT 8:30 O'CLOCK

The stage is all set for the Kiwanis minstrels this evening at the college auditorium beginning promptly at 8:30 o'clock. At the dress rehearsal last night at which time each act was presented just as it will be tonight, everything went over in tip-top shape, and the public is assured of an enjoyable two hours.

### MISS COTTEN SKINNER IN HOSPITAL

Friends of Miss Cotten Skinner daughter of Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Skinner, will be glad to learn that she is getting along nicely following an operation which she underwent Sunday.

### BLOUNT-HARVEY CO. FASHION SHOW THURSDAY

The spring fashion show for larger women will be presented by the Blount-Harvey Company, on Thursday afternoon, March 3rd, from two to three o'clock. The gowns will be displayed on living models. The display will take place in the ready-to-wear department on the 3rd floor. In yesterday's paper we stated the fashion display to take place Tuesday—this should have been Thursday. We gladly make this correction. Remember the time, Thursday afternoon, March 3rd, from two to three o'clock.

### TACKY PARTY AT FROG LEVEL SCHOOL

There will be a "tacky party" at Frog Level schoolhouse Friday night, March 4th for the benefit of the school. A raffle is free to all who come dressed "tacky." All who are not dressed "tacky" will be charged the admission. Games, contests.

### WHITEHURST-FARLINER

Last night at 7:30 o'clock in Greenville Township, at the home of the bridegroom, a quiet and beautiful marriage was solemnized by the writer, in the presence of a large concourse of friends and well-wishers when Miss Rosa Forlines, the charming and winning daughter of Mr. Lee Forlines, became the loving bride of Mr. W. W. Whitehurst.

Miss Forlines is one of Pitt county's most highly esteemed and appreciated women. Her friends are happy to congratulate her upon the success of her high ideal.

Mr. Whitehurst is the son of the late Watson Whitehurst, and resides five miles from Greenville. He is a man of excellent character and a most industrious and successful farmer.

Immediately after the ceremony the officiator left Mr. and Mrs. Whitehurst with their friends in their attractive home where they will begin life a new together. We wish for them a safe, happy and loving voyage on their union sea of marriage life.

It is not good that man should be alone," said the All-wise God, therefore.

Man in his natural state, craves a fair, sympathizing mate. That his heart in her's may beat. Where love's ideal and aspiration meet.

The reasons for this lie here in the nature of things in the basic facts pointed out by our Lord that He who made them from the beginning made them male and female, and that they are no more twain, but one flesh, and what, therefore, God hath joined together let no man put asunder.

The best glory of any land is in its Christian homes. The nobility and strength of the nation can rise no higher than the life in its homes.

A good woman can do more to correct the faults of a man to hush the storms of passion, to curb a mad ambition, and more to lead man to truth, justice, purity and benevolence, than any other mercy human influence. A true woman rises above the petty ills and

storms of life and moves upon the highest plane of human action. Therefore to her honor we most sincerely dedicate the following lines:

Woman, fair, loving and beautiful, Woman, virtuous, great not small Woman wise, cute and wonderful, Is the woman admired by all.

Now is the spring time of life. The ideal time to take a wife. The girls are full of nature's glow. Young man there is one for thee.

"He that taketh her in marriage doeth well." (1 Cor. 13:8.) And again, the union between husband and wife is so near and dear that heaven has inscribed "Marriage is honorable in all." (Heb. 13:4.)

### INCREASE IN ADVERTISING RATES

We wish to call to the attention of our advertisers an increase in our advertising rates now in effect.

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lizing them for the State or repealing taxes that have gone to the counties and the cities. The present revenue bill imposes taxes on not a few businesses for the State and denies them for the counties. Indeed, it is said that some businesses have asked for State taxation in order to escape city and county taxes.

"In the session of 1923 an apparently little amendment was inserted in the revenue bill which has served to rob the counties and cities of just revenue, given exemption from taxation to owners of large property, and has caused many to invest their money in foreign stocks instead of lands and homes. These are the words in the 1923 act:

"Nor shall any individual stockholder of any foreign corporation be required to list or pay taxes on any share of its capital stock in this State, and the situs of such shares of stock, in foreign corporations, owned by residents of this State, for the purposes of this act is hereby declared to be the place where said corporation undertakes and carries on its principal business."

"These few lines give exemption from all taxation to literally millions of dollars of property. Is it any wonder that landowners and other owners of visible property cry out against such favoritism which increases their burdens?"

"And yet this Legislature draws to a close with the prospect of this piece of favoritism untouched."

**SALE OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY**

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon us in a deed of trust executed by A. A. Nichols (unmarried) on the 5th day of January, 1923, recorded in book A-14 page 112, Pitt County, we will on Saturday the 26th day of March, 1927, at 12 o'clock noon at the courthouse door in Greenville, sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following land to wit:

**FIRST PARCEL:** All that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Beaver Dam Township, Pitt County and bounded on the N. by the lands of Earl Henby, on the S. by C. M. Nichols, on the E. by Jenkins & Gorman and on the W. by Jim Hines and being more particularly described as follows: Beginning on the Nichols road at the corner of Earl Henby and R. A. Nichols and running S. 5 degrees and 30 minutes E. 1500 feet to a stake on said road, thence N. 87 degrees E. 271 feet to a stake, then S. 1 degree E. 100 feet then N. 34 degrees E. 115 feet then N. 59 degrees E. 118 feet, then N. 67 degrees and 45 minutes E. 200 feet then N. 55 degrees E. 342 feet then S. 73 degrees and 30 minutes E. 292 feet, then N. 73 degrees and 30 minutes E. 956 feet to Jenkins & Gorman, C. N. Nichols and R. A. Nichols corner then N. 11 degrees W. 150 feet then N. 30 degrees W. 413 feet then N. 29 degrees W. 248 feet to Early Homby corner, then N. 81 degrees and 15 minutes W. 496 feet then N. 85 degrees and 330 minutes W. along a fence 1313 feet to the beginning, containing 51 acres by actual survey as shown by accompanying map made this 18th day of December 1922.

**SECOND PARCEL:** All that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Beaver Dam Township, Pitt County and adjoining the lands of R. A. Nichols on the N. W. A. Nichols on the E. R. N. Nichols on the S. and the Nichols road on the W. and being more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a stake on the Nichols road and running S. 5 degrees E. 26 poles to R. N. Nichols corner on said road, then N. 70 degrees and 30 minutes E. 154 poles to a ditch then along the ditch N. 44 degrees W. 9 poles then N. 38 degrees W. 10 poles then N. 13 degrees W. 8 poles to R. A. Nichols corner, then S. 75 degrees and 15 minutes W. 66.8 poles to a stake, then S. 32 degrees W. 4.4 poles then S. 53 degrees W. 20 poles then S. 60 degrees and 30 minutes W. 6 poles then S. 78 degrees W. 29.9 poles to the beginning, containing 21.5 acres as shown by accompanying map bearing date of December, 1922.

This sale is made by reason of the failure of R. A. Nichols (unmarried) to pay off and discharge the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust to the North Carolina Joint Stock Land Bank of Durham. This 14th day of February, 1927. First National Co., Inc., of Durham, Trustee, formerly First National Trust Co., Durham N. C.

**HARD UP COUNTIES**

Declaring that the present financial straits of various counties in North Carolina is a result of the action of the 1923 Assembly in monopolizing taxes and taking from the cities and counties their just dues, the News and Observer editorially, says: "There is crying need for improvement in county administration in many counties in North Carolina, and the Commission on County Government has recommended some good changes, incorporated in bills now before the Legislature. But no legislation can give counties adequate revenue until the Legislature quits taking sources of taxation from the counties, either by monopolizing them for the State or repealing taxes that have gone to the counties and the cities. The present revenue bill imposes taxes on not a few businesses for the State and denies them for the counties. Indeed, it is said that some businesses have asked for State taxation in order to escape city and county taxes."

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**Wealthy Brothers Stage Cane Duel Over One's Wife**

New York, March 1.—(AP)—A midnight duel with canes between two wealthy brothers came to light today when Colonel Edward Carrington, aged 55, of Chicago, was arrested charged with assaulting Campbell Carrington, aged 52, a New York lawyer whom he named in a million dollar suit alleging that of his wife's affections.

The New York brother is in Poly-clinic Hospital suffering from bruises and lacerations of the face. The Chicago brother faces arraignment in Westside Court later in the day.

Colonel Carrington, who weighs around 200 pounds, told newspaper men after his arrest, that he came to New York to get evidence in his suit against his wife for absolute divorce and also in the alienation action.

Accompanied by two detectives and his lawyer, James McMann, the Colonel said he went to his wife's house in West 74th street and watched outside the door. After a time, his brother emerged from the house. The Colonel said his brother asked: "Are you looking for me?"

"Aid, gentleman," Colonel Carrington continued, his manner was most insulting. And this from a man I have named as co-respondent and who will be on the witness stand on April 1 in Chicago Court when my case comes to trial."

Colonel Carrington said his brother rushed at him and swung his cane. "I swung mine," said the Colonel. "We were almost exchanging sword thrusts. I evaded his blows. In a moment he was disarmed. But in doing so and even before that, my cane came very smartly in contact with his face."

"In my foot," he declared. "My brother's in the hospital. That gentleman, may indicate who won the conflict."

When Colonel Carrington was arraigned in West Side Court he was held in \$1,000 bail for a hearing Thursday. His lawyer, John J. McMann, told reporters he had acted in self-defense in a "regrettable and unfortunate incident."

**SALE OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY**

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon us in a deed of trust executed by Raymond L. Moore and wife, Helen B. Moore on the 1st day of February, 1923, and recorded in book of mortgages

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**IF IN TROUBLE IN ANY WAY CALL AND CONSULT THIS LADY. EVERY READING CONFIDENTIAL AND GUARANTEED SATISFACTION.**

T-14, page 5633, we will on Saturday the 26th day of March 1927, at 12 o'clock noon at the courthouse door in Greenville, Pitt County, sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following land, to wit:

Being Lot No. 3, in the C. M. Ross land division, containing 81.1 acres and lot No. 7 of the Fannie L. Moore or Lemuel J. Moore land division, containing 70.4 acres, including all of the land of both divisions and take them as a whole in this description. Beginning at the corner of Howard Moore and running S. 70 W. 2336 feet to a corner; thence S. 69-30 W. 2450 feet to Grindle Creek; thence down the various runs of Grindle Creek N. 59 W. 300; thence N. 25 E. 105 feet, thence N. 58-30 W. 75 feet, thence N. 14-30 W. 2860 feet; thence N. 50-30 W. 415 feet; thence N. 38-30 W. 320 feet; thence N. 10 W. 562 feet, to the corner on said creek; thence along Joe Briley's line W. 2340 feet N. 72-30 E. to another corner; thence N. 59 E. 1160 feet to the corner of Joe Briley; thence to the beginning, S. 36-45 E. 1245 feet, including also 15 acres of woodland as a part of the Lot No. 7 of the Fannie L. Moore land division.

This sale is made by reason of the failure of Raymond L. Moore and wife, Helen B. Moore to pay off and discharge the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust to the North Carolina Joint Stock Land Bank of Durham.

This 11th day of February, 1927.

First National Company of Durham, Inc., Trustee, Formerly First National Trust Co., Durham, N. C. 2 28 27 1tw 4wks

**SALE OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY**

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon us in a deed of trust executed by A. L. Jackson and wife Rosa Lee Jackson, on the 29th day of April, 1925, and recorded in book V-15, page 152, Pitt County we will on Saturday the 26th day of March, 1927, at 12 o'clock noon at the courthouse door in Greenville, N. C., sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following land, to wit:

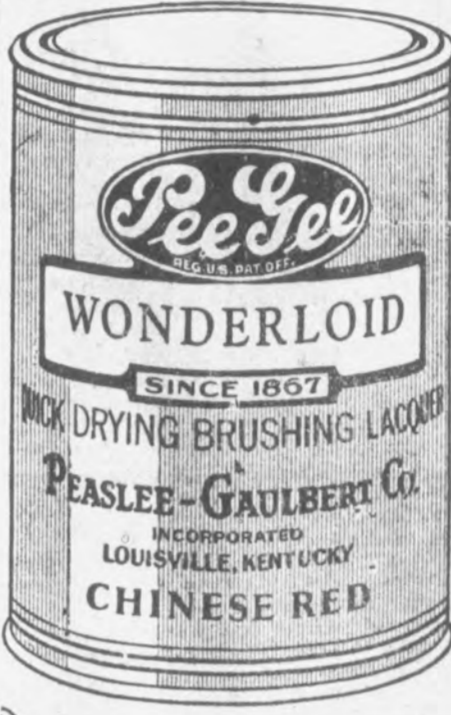
Adjoining the B. A. Gardner lands and the J. McDixon lands and others and beginning at a point in the public road where the southern boundary line of the tract of land conveyed to Peter T. Chapman by H. M. Stokes, intersects, the said public road and runs thence N. 41-2 E. 1178 feet to a corner, thence S. 81 E. 2875 feet to a corner, thence S. 7 W. 1145 feet to a corner, thence S. 82 E. reversed 2820 feet to the beginning containing 76.3 acres and being the identical tract of land conveyed to Peter T. Chapman by H. M. Stokes as appears of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for Pitt County in Book

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Local Representative

Tuesday, March 1, 1927

# Daily News Letter

Gossip of Staff Correspondents at World Centers of Population.

Paris, Feb. 28. (CNS)—Word comes from the Riviera that Nice is literally going to the dogs this season. About one-third of all the international promenades are carrying canines of some breed or another. "Buck" Warszewsky from Cleveland, is sporting a fine wire-haired terrier he calls "Ally." Sid Horner has a famous bull, "Waste Mouth Rouge," and mention must be made of Mrs. James Montgomery's splendid wolfhound. A few other of the sun-seekers have adopted parrots of various colors and sizes, chameleons, a cat on a leash and even a young goat has been seen.

But the animal that attracts the most attention is undoubtedly the poor ostrich which is driven all day long by an advertising agent of the Casino de la Renaissance. He is a most difficult bird to handle, and in spite of all the driver can do, he very often eats the straw hat of some idle promenade.

Other animals attracting attention are the frogs the professional scullower has on the Promenade des Anglais. He keeps them in a big glass jar, and at intervals swallows one of them much to the amazement of the crowd gathered around. From all appearances, he is making an excellent living from his queer calling and all are hoping his stomach is not suffering any ill consequences.

And still speaking of popular animals on the Riviera, the "lame duck ankle" is exceedingly popular again, proving once more that history does nothing but repeat itself. At the fashionable tea-dansants, nearly every smart woman comes with one ankle bandaged and then does a little limp, much in the same manner as our great grandmothers did fifty years or more ago.

The Charleston is decidedly on the wane in the dance halls and the Black Bottom seems to be danced only by a few experts. A quick fox-trot with a few Charleston steps thrown in is the most popular step of the moment, and the tango is still very much liked and danced by those who can do it, which really means the French contingent, for Americans and Englishmen do not seem to be able to catch the correct rhythm and the South Americans themselves say that the French do it better than they do. The good old-fashioned waltz usually appears eight or ten times on the program and the one-step but once, usually as the final dance.

In spite of conflicting reports, the hotels seem to be filled up and business thriving as usual, in these sunny climes. But, just what the weather is, is rather hard to say. The publicity agents are putting out articles about the heat and distributing photographs of bathers sunbathing on the beaches. But when the journalists reported the story of Isadora Duncan's latest escapade, they said her rescuer "dragged her from the city waters of the bay." And one is much inclined to believe that there is more truth than fiction in this.

The Riviera was never solicited for its winter heat. The sun does shine most of the time and it is agreeable and pleasant on the Promenade when it doesn't rain, but one is always glad to remember

## Different Now



Time was when Joe Benjamin former lightweight fighter, greeted Marion Nixon, moviet actress and then his wife, like this. But his latest greeting accompanied by a smashing of windows, was a threat to kill her, according to a complaint to the Los Angeles police. She divorced him a few months ago.

(International Newsreel)

The Americans are the world's future: we are the past—tradition.

## Overdoing?

Hurry, Worry and Overwork Bring Heavy Strain.

MODERN life throws a heavy burden on our bodily machinery. The eliminative organs, especially the kidneys, are apt to become sluggish. Retention of excess uric acid and other poisonous waste often gives rise to a dull, languid feeling and, sometimes, toxic backaches and headaches. That the kidneys are not functioning perfectly is often shown by burning or scanty passage of secretions. More and more people are learning to assist their kidneys by the occasional use of Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic. Ask your neighbor!

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Stimulant Diuretic to the Kidneys  
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deceased Cecile Sorel celebrated French actress upon her return from the land of liberty. "What a people! What a magnificent, dynamic race! Everyone seems young and vigorous and everybody works hard, yes, even the millionaire. But that does not mean that they know nothing about paying. They can pay as well as they can work, and just like children. And this is just the side which we French people ignore. We must learn to know them, that is our first task, and then all will be settled—yes, even the debts."

The Paris Chessmen, the most famous of the magnificent type used during the Middle Ages, are now in the Bibliotheque Nationale. They are also called the "Charlemagne chessmen" and are seventeen in number. The King and Queen are carved sitting inside a delicately fashioned semi-circle pavilion. The set is a mixture of the East and the West for one of the Kings represents an Indian rajah in full panoply sitting upon his elephant. The elephants are not asses, but bishops.



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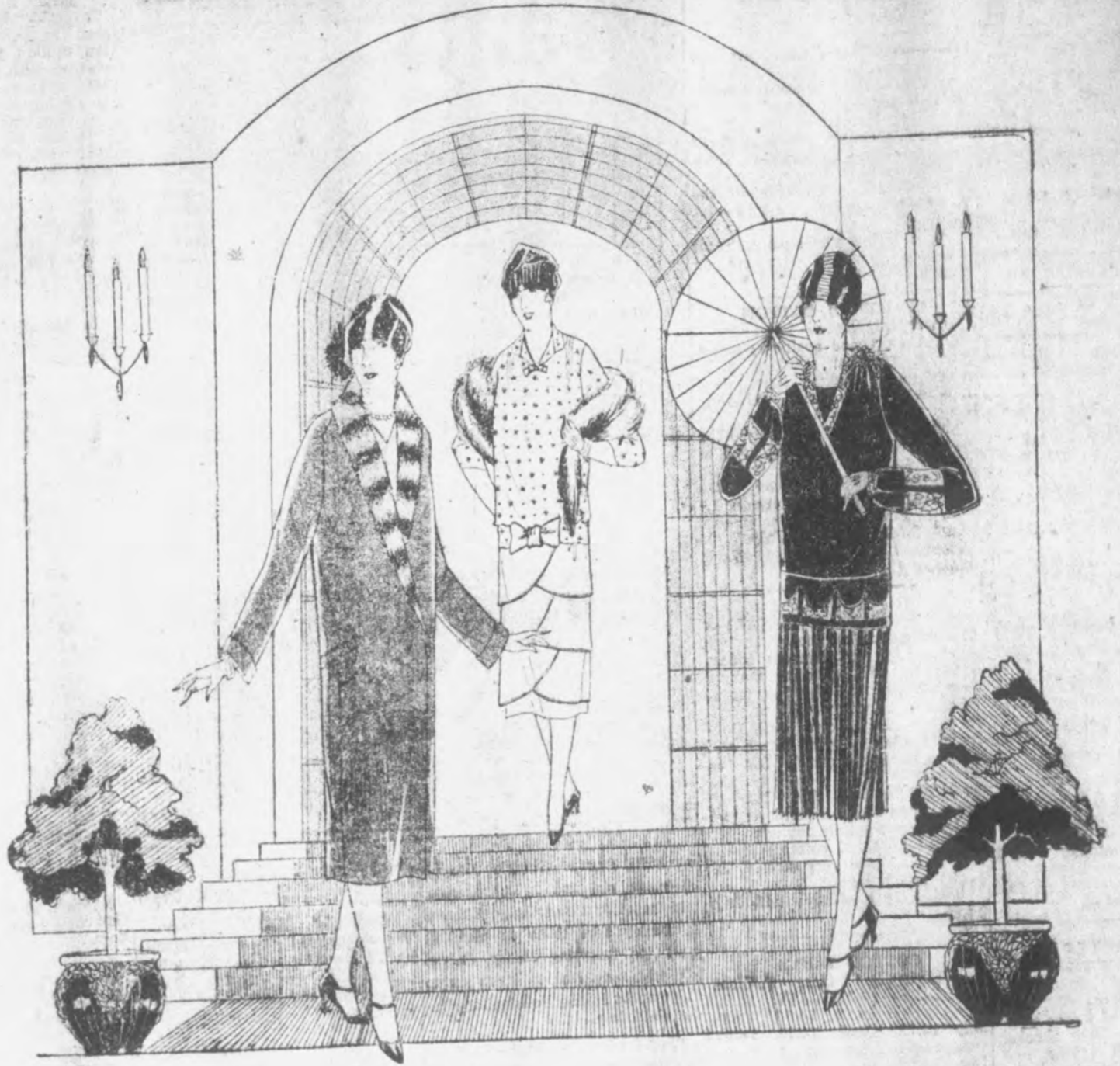
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## Living Models from New York

will wear the new Spring Modes. These garments have been created by Master Designers who specialize in creating fashionable apparel for larger women. Special Models designed to fit with little or no alteration will also be available for short women of full figure.

## The Advice of Experts Free to All

Immediately after the exhibit, the New York Fashion Experts in charge of the Style Show will be pleased to confer with any woman desiring their services in the selection of garments most becoming to them. Their experience and advice in the selection of garments most suitable for each type of figure and personality, will be one of the features that will be available to larger women on this occasion.

## A Wonderful Opportunity

to select your Spring outfit from this outstanding collection, supplemented with special models sent from New York especially for this occasion, and at prices that are notably low for specially sized garments.

## Corsets

for Large Women

Proper Corseting is of utmost importance in creating the foundation so necessary to give a slenderizing effect. The correct Corset means more comfort and sometimes results in the wearer being able to wear a smaller size dress.



## Underwear

for Large Women

Our underwear department carries an excellent assortment of extra size undergarments at very reasonable prices.

We want our windows to stop you!

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And our "good bye" will be as sweet whether you buy or not.

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We don't want plate glass to stand between you and the best clothing and furnishings in Greenville.

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# Market Report

**GRAIN**  
Chicago, March 1.—(AP)—Farm reserve unofficial estimates indicating that only 30,000,000 bushels of United States wheat is left for export this season had a decided bullish effect today. Corn and oats generally were strengthened, too.

Wheat closed firm, 1 1/4 to 2¢ net higher; corn 2 3/8 to 2 5/8¢ up; oats at 1 1/8 to 1 1/4 to 1 3/4¢ advance, and provisions showing five cents to 30 to 32 cents gain.

GRAIN TABLE	High	Low	Close
Wheat:			
May 1.41 1-5	1.39	1.40 3/4	
July 1.34 1-2	1.32 7/8	1.34 1/4	
Sept. 1.31 5-8	1.30 1-2	1.31 1-2	
Corn:			
May .78 3-4	.75 5-8	.78 1-8	
July .83 1-4	.80 3-8	.82 7-8	
Sept. .86 1-2	.83 1-2	.86	
Oats:			
May .47 1-8	.45 3-8	.46 7-8	
July .47 1-4	.45 3-4	.47 1-8	
Sept. .45 5-8	.44 1-2	.45 1-2	
Rye:			
May 1.06 3-4	1.05 1-4	1.06 5-8	
July 1.05	1.03 7-8	1.04 3-4	
Sept. .99 3-4	.99	.99 3-4	
Lard:			
May 12.75	12.65	12.70	
July 12.97	12.85	12.95	
Ribs:			
May 14.87	14.67	14.87	
July 14.70	14.50	14.70	
Bellows:			
May			17.00

The general trend was downward throughout the morning, but by early afternoon upward tendencies developed in some of the standard industrials, notably U. S. Steel, common American Smelting and Radio Corporation. Trading, however, turned dull on the rally, despite a lowering of the call money rate from 4 1/2 to 4 1/4 per cent.

Thee losing was steady. Total sales approximated two million shares.

**LIVERPOOL COTTON**  
Liverpool, March 1.—(AP)—Cotton spot good business; prices steady; American middling 9.30; strict good middling 8.80; good middling 8.45; strict middling 8.10; middling 7.85; strict low middling 7.34; low middling 6.85; strict good ordinary 6.55; good ordinary 6.10. Sales 15,000 bales, including 10,800 American. Receipts 106,000 bales, American 1,000. Futures closed steady. March 7.52; May 7.67; July 7.70; October 7.84; December 7.89; January (1928) 7.91.

**COTTON**  
New York, March 1.—(AP)—The cotton market showed increasing activity and firmness today, prices for all deliveries making new high ground for the movement and January contracts selling up to the 15 cent level. Continued trade buying of March and May seemed responsible for the advance to 14.59 for May and 14.84 for October. Mid-afternoon prices were within a point or two of the best showing net advances of about 20 to 30 points. Futures closed very steady, 13 to 34 points higher. Spot cotton steady; middling 14.85.

**SUGAR**  
New York, March 1.—(AP)—Raw sugar declined 1-32 of a cent to 4.90 for Cuban duty paid. Pw futures at midday were 1 to 3 points lower. Refined was unchanged at 6.00 to 6.20 for granulated.

**STOCK MARKET**  
New York, March 1.—(AP)—Repeated efforts of speculators for the advance to continue the forward movement of prices in today's stock market were checked by persistent profit taking and a selling based on the belief that the market was entitled to at least a "technical reaction."

**COTTON TABLE**  
High Low Close P. Close  
Mar. 14.59 14.36 14.57 14.32  
Apr. 14.54 14.23 14.56 14.18  
July 14.72 14.53 14.72 14.47  
Oct. 14.85 14.69 14.83 14.64  
Dec. 14.99 14.87 14.97 14.82  
Opening: March 14.25; May 14.38; July 14.54; October 14.70; December 14.87.

**COTTON SEED OIL**  
New York, March 1.—(AP)—Cotton seed oil steady; prime summer yellow 9.80; prime crude 8.25 to 8.50; futures closed barely steady; sales 26,700 barrels; closed: March 9.80; May 9.81; July 10.00; September 10.13; October 9.85.

**STOCKS CLOSING**  
Am. Tel. & Tel., 158 7-8  
Am. Tobacco, 122 1-2  
Atl. Coast Line, 192 1-2  
Baldwin Locomotive, 195  
Balt. & Ohio, 113 1-8  
Coca Cola, 182 1-2  
General Motors, 186 1-8  
Hudson Motors, 64 1-2  
Int. Harvester, 162 1-2  
Inter Tel. & Tel., 129 1-8  
Kennebec Copper, 46  
Marland Oil, 56 1-4  
Reynolds Tobacco B, 100 3-8  
Seaboard Air Line, 38  
Sinclair Con. Oil, 20  
Southern Ry, 124 3-8  
Standard Oil, N. J., 38 3-4  
Studebaker, 52  
Texas Corp., 56 3-4  
U. S. Rubber, 64 5-8  
U. S. Steel, 159 5-8  
Lizgett & Myers, B, 91 1-8  
Vick Chemical, 55

**Couple Sentenced on Bigamy Charge**  
(Charlotte, N. C., March 1.—(AP)—Committing bigamy was preferable to death or to working in a

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**SIDETRACK BOULDER DAM CANYON BILL**  
Washington, March 1.—(AP)—The Republican Steering Committee of the House today definitely sidetracked the Swing-Johnson Boulder Canyon Dam bill for this session.

**TODAY**  
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other path starting from New Jersey with a 22 metre wave. If one doesn't work well, they switch to the other, and that works. Nobody knows why.

Perhaps when Walter S. Gifford hooks up through the ether with the planet Mars, that older neighbor will explain many things that puzzle us.

The President is being told the reaction to you McNary-Haugen veto is magnificent. But he knows that doesn't mean anything. Interests and opinions of a hundred big financiers and cor-

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porations can produce in the United States a million times more "favorable newspaper reaction" than the interests and opinions of ten million farmers." Let those pleased with the McNary-Haugen veto support President Coolidge by putting up prices of wheat, cotton, corn and pork.

In the 1924 campaign, LaFollette went down as fast as wheat went up.

War in China begins to crowd Europeans and is "ceasing to be a joke" as the English lady said in the big war, when unable to buy her poodle's favorite dog biscuit.

In Shanghai, French, British and Italian troops stand behind barricades, and off shore United States warships are ready with 2,400 men and plenty of guns to take a hand "if American lives and property are in danger."

Russia's Bolshevik representative Rosenholz shocks Britain by attending King George's first levee, wearing in his buttonhole a long, wide red ribbon. "The order of the red flag given for services in the revolution."

Premier Ibanez of Chile, known what to do with "agitators, bolsheviks, reds," and such vermin. He puts a load of them on a special train, and ships them out of country, "destination unknown."

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Later, those best minds will discover that discontent like malaria and yellow fever, must be treated scientifically. Individual swatting will not do away with the disease carrying mosquito. You must dry up his breeding place.

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When financial best minds give peace of mind to the 100,000,000, they also will have real peace of mind. Not sooner.

For instance, farmers are told that the McNary-Haugen bill is "unconstitutional" because it involves price fixing and artificial stimulation of production. That sounds convincing, but the farmer will ask "what about your interstate Commerce Commission, and its price fixing for the benefit of

railroads, unwisely planned, badly managed, or over capitalized? Why isn't that unconstitutional?"

They are told that government can properly regulate charges on interstate common carrier service, but cannot constitutionally agree to sell surplus potatoes abroad, at a loss, and make taxpayers pay.

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