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SENATE FAILS TO REACH FINAL VOTE ON WILSON'S BILL

Leaders Believe That Famine Relief Bill Will Go Through Tomorrow

ALREADY PASSED BY THE LOWER HOUSE

Objection Centers Largely on Lack of Authority to Pass Measure

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18. — After many hours of debate the senate failed tonight to reach a vote on the bill already passed by the house, appropriating $100,000,000 for European famine relief, as urged by President Wilson.

Despite the outspoken opposition of some members, republican and democrat leaders expressed the belief that the measure would be put through Monday. They had hopes to pass it before adjournment tonight.

Democratic leader Martin and Senator Lodge spoke in favor of the measure, while Senators Borah of Idaho and Kenyon of Iowa, republicans, led the opposition.

The opposition largely was based on alleged lack of authority by congress to appropriate money, raised from the people by taxation, for European charity and also because, it was asserted, sufficient information justifying the appropriation had not been submitted.

Objection to feeding peoples of enemy countries also was raised and the senate adopted an amendment by Senator Lodge adding Austria, Turkey and Bulgaria, besides Germany, to the countries which shall not share in distribution of the funds. The Lodge amendment provides, however, that it shall not prevent food distribution to the people of Armenia, Syria, Greece and the Christian and Jewish people under the yoke of enemy governments. During the debate, Herbert Hoover, American food administrator, was sharply attacked by Senators Borah and Kenyon, who charged that his administration had favored the meat packers' interests.

Opposition developed immediately after Senator Martin called up the bill. Senator Borah demanded to know under what constitutional clause congress could raise money by taxes and then "practically give it away to foreign people."

Made Many Times.

Senator Martin said such relief appropriations had been made many times and cited a number of precedents.

Senator Kenyon declared he did not believe it proper that the people of this country should be compelled to give to a charity fund for the aid of foreign nations, and that the relief should be carried out through private subscriptions.

Referring to President Wilson's statement that food would stop Bolshevism, Senator Kenyon declared: "You will stop the Bolsheviki, not by feeding them, but by removing injustices."

Before giving relief to Europe the situation in the United States should be considered, Senator Kenyon said, adding that 200,000 men are out of employment in the United States.

AARON WISEMAN WILL BE GIVEN A PRELIMINARY HEARING ON SATURDAY

Judge Long Will Preside at Hearing in Noted Murder Case

ATTORNEYS READY

(Special to The Citizen.)

MORGANTON, N. C., Jan. 18.—A preliminary hearing will be given Aaron Wiseman next Saturday before Judge B. F. Long when he will answer to the charge of murder on January 31 last year at Glen Alpine, of Dr. E. A. Hennessee, the charge of which Garfield and Aaron Pitts were acquitted last March. The bench warrant on which Wiseman was arrested Thursday night and taken on the midnight train and placed in jail here was made returnable before Judge Long. Solicitor Huffman in telephone communication with Judge Long today arranged the hearing for next Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Attorney W. A. Self, of Hickory employed by the Hennessee family to assist Mr. Huffman in the prosecution was here today for consultation with the solicitor. It is understood that Wiseman, through his attorneys, Pless and Winbourne of Marion, will not waive examination but will insist upon a hearing and make an effort to get bond.

In connection with the trial of the Pitts boys last spring Wiseman is best remembered as the witness who failed to appear and set up the trial of several days until officers hunted him up in Mitchell county. Then he did not furnish the evidence he was expected to give and his testimony was disappointing to the state whose star witness he was expected to be at that trial.

No doubt the Burke county court house will be taxed at the hearing next Saturday as interest is intense.

"MUSTARD" CASE BROKEN.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—A packing case labeled "mustard" which fell from a truck and was shattered here today, started United States revenue officers on the trail of two southerners who will be charged, if apprehended, with an attempt to smuggle whiskey into the dry state of Virginia.

PREMIER CLEMENCEAU IS PERMANENT CHAIRMAN OF GREAT PEACE CONFERENCE

Conference, Destined to Be Historic, Is Opened At Paris—Poincare, Wilson and Lloyd-George Speak on Matters of Interest to Congress.

FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT.

PARIS, Jan. 18.—(By the Associated Press.)—Premier Clemenceau announced that the league of nations would be the first subject taken at the next full meeting of the conference.

PARIS, Jan. 18.—The peace conference, destined to be historic, and on which the eyes of the world are now centered, was opened this afternoon in the great Salle De La Parix. The proceedings, which were confined to the election of Georges Clemenceau, the French premier, as permanent chairman of the conference, an address of welcome by the president of the French republic, Raymond Poincare, and speeches by President Wilson, Premier Lloyd-George and Baron Sonnino, were characterized by expressions of lasting friendship and the apparent determination of the representatives of the various nations to come to an amicable understanding with respect to the problems to be decided.

Assembly Stood.

When President Poincare spoke, the entire assembly stood, and the fact that, according to custom, no applause greeted his utterances gave greater solemnity to the scene.

M. Clemenceau's acceptance of the presidency of the congress was both a feeling of expression of personal gratitude and a definite outline of the great questions immediately ahead. Three of these larger general subjects he defined as responsibility for the war, responsibility for crimes during the war and international labor legislation. The league of nations was at the head of the next full session.

"Our ambition is a great and noble one," said M. Clemenceau. "We wish to avoid a repetition of the catastrophe which has bathed the world in blood. If the league of nations is to be proclaimed we must all remain united. Let us carry out our program quickly and in an effective manner."

Referring to the authors of the war, he said he had consulted two eminent jurists on the penal responsibility of the former German emperor, and each delegate would receive a copy of that report.

Seats Provided.

In all seventy-two seats were provided for the opening session of the peace conference. On the outer side of the great horseshoe were arranged the Japanese, the British and colonial delegates and the seat of the fifth British delegate. A chair for the fifth American delegate also was reserved immediately to the right of the table of honor.

The Italian, Belgian, Brazilian, Cuban, Haitian, Peruvian, Portuguese, Serbian, Czecho-Slovakien and

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POINCARE FORMALLY WELCOMES PEACE DELEGATES TO PARIS AND PRAISES THE VALOR OF ALLIED ARMIES IN THE FIELD

Peace Conference Is Formally Opened by Address of French President Who Tells of How Allied Successes Saved France---France Has Borne Enormous Sacrifices, He Declares---Had Not the Slightest Responsibility For the War.

PARIS, Jan. 18.—The peace conference was formally opened this afternoon with a speech by President Poincare of France.

Thanks Allied Nations.

President Poincare thanked the allied nations for having chosen Paris for their important work and praised the valor of the allied armies which had preserved the capital of France from the enemy. The president's speech was as follows:

"Gentlemen: France greets and thanks you for having chosen as the seat of your labors the city which for more than four years the enemy has made his principal military objective and of which the valor of the allied armies has victoriously defended against increasingly renewed offensives.

"Permit me to see in your decision the homage of all the nations that *you represent toward a country* which more than any other has endured the sufferings of war, of which entire provinces have been transformed into a vast battlefield and have been systematically laid waste by the invader and which has paid the human tribute in death.

"France has borne these enormous sacrifices although she had not the slightest responsibility for the frightful catastrophe which has overwhelmed the universe. And at the moment when the cycle of horror is ending, all the powers whose delegates are assembled here may acquit themselves of any share in the crime which has resulted in so unprecedented a disaster. What gives you the authority to establish a peace of justice is the fact that more of the peoples of whom you are the delegates has had any part in the injustice. Humanity can place confidence in you because you are not among those who have outraged the rights of humanity.

No Information Needed.

"There is no need of further information or for special inquiries into the origin of the drama which has just shaken the world. The truth, bathed in blood, has already escaped from the imperial archives. The premeditated character of the trap is today clearly proved.

"In the hope of conquering first the hegemony of Europe and next the mastery of the world, the central powers, bound together crush Serbia and to force their way to the East. At the same time they disowned the most solemn undertakings in order to crush Belgium and force their way into the heart of France.

"These are the two unforgettable outrages which opened the way to aggression. The combined efforts of Great Britain, of France and Russia were exerted against that man-made arrogance.

"If after long vicissitudes those who wished to reign by the sword have perished by the sword, they have only themselves to blame. They have been destroyed by their own blindness.

"What could be more significant than the shameful bargains they attempted to offer to Great Britain and France at the end of July, 1914, when to great Britain they suggested: 'Allow us to attack France on land and we will not enter the channel,' and when they instructed their ambassador to say to France: 'We will only accept a declaration of neutrality on your part if you surrender to us Brest, Toul and Verdun.' It is in the light of these things, gentlemen, that all the conclusions you will have to draw from the war will take shape.

Allies Succeeded Successively.

"Your nations entered the war successively but came one and all to the help of threatened right. Like Germany, Great Britain had guaranteed the independence of Belgium. Germany sought to crush Belgium. Great Britain and France both swore to save her.

"Thus, from the very beginning of hostilities there came into conflict the two ideas which for fifty months were to struggle for the dominion of the world—the idea of sovereign force, which accepts neither control nor check, and the idea of justice, which depends on the sword only to prevent or repress the abuse of strength."

"Faithfully supported by her dominions and colonies, Great Britain decided that she could not remain aloof from a struggle in which the fate of every country was involved. She has made, and her dominions and colonies have made with her, prodigious efforts to prevent the war from ending in the triumph of the spirit of conquest and the destruction of right.

Japan Came In.

"Japan, in her turn, only decided to take up arms out of loyalty to Great Britain, her great ally, and from the consciousness of the danger in which Asia and Europe would have stood if the hegemony of which the Germanic empires dreamed.

"Italy, who from the first had refused to lend a helping hand to German ambition, arose against an age long foe only to answer the call of oppressed peoples and to destroy at the cost of her blood the artificial political combination which took no account of human liberty.

"Roumania resolved to fight only to realize that national unity which was opposed by the same powers of arbitrary force. Abandoned, betrayed and strangled, she had to submit to an abominable treaty, the revision of which you will exact.

"Greece, whom the enemy for many months tried to turn from her traditions and destinies, raised an army only to escape attempts at domination of which she felt the growing threat.

"Portugal, China, and Siam abandoned neutrality only to escape the strangling pressure of the central powers.

German Ambitions.

"Thus, it was the extent of German ambitions that brought so many peoples, great and small, to align themselves against the same adversary. And what shall I say of the solemn resolutions taken by the United States in the Spring of 1917, under the auspices of its illustrious president, Mr. Wilson, whom I am happy to greet here in the name of grateful France and, if you will allow me to say so, gentlemen, in the name of all the nations represented in this room.

"What shall I say of the many other American powers which either declared themselves against Germany —Brazil, Cuba, Panama, Guatemala, Nicaragua, Honduras—or at least broke off diplomatic relations—Bolivia, Peru, Ecuador, Uruguay. From the north to the south the New World rose with indignation when it saw the empires of central Europe, after having *let loose the war without provocation* and without excuse, carry it on with fire, pillage and the massacre of inoffensive beings.

U. S. Something More.

"The intervention of the United States was something more, something greater than a great political and military event. It was a supreme judgment passed at the bar of history by the lofty conscience of a free people and their chief magistrate on the enormous responsibilities incurred in the frightful conflict which was lacerating humanity.

"It was not only to protect itself from the audacious ambitions of German megalomania that the United States equipped fleets and created immense armies, but also and above all, to defend an ideal of liberty over which it saw the huge shadow of the imperial eagle encroaching further every day. America, the daughter of Europe, crossed the ocean to rescue her mother from the humiliation of thraldom and to save civilization.

"The American people wished to put an end to the greatest scandal that has ever sullied the annals of mankind. Autocratic governments, having prepared in the secrecy of the chancelleries and the general staffs a mad program of universal domination, let loose their packs at the time fixed by their genius for intrigue and sounded the horns for the chase, ordering science (at the very time it was beginning to abolish distances, to bring men closer together and make life sweeter) to leave the bright sky toward which it was soaring and to place itself submissively at the service of violence, debasing the religious idea to the extent of making God the complacent auxiliary of their passions and the accomplice of their crimes—in short counting as nought the traditions and wills of

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MILWAUKEE MAYOR HOOTED DOWN AT A MEETING TO WELCOME SOLDIERS

Feeling Intense Against Hoan for Alleged Endorsement of Berger

DENIES CHARGE

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 18.—When Mayor Daniel W. Hoan attempted to speak tonight at a reception given by the city to returning soldiers, he was greeted with prolonged jeering at the conclusion of which he yielded to Governor E. L. Phillipp, of Wisconsin, who addressed the gathering.

Feeling against the mayor has become intensified since last Sunday night when he presided at a meeting which endorsed victor L. Berger and his co-defendants, recently found guilty in a federal court of violation of the espionage act. Army officers have been very vehement against the mayor and yesterday a committee of officers waited upon him and requested him not to preside at the reception. He told the committee he expected to be present. Tonight the mayor appeared at the auditorium where the reception was held half an hour before the soldiers and sailors guests arrived, marching in military formation. Mingled cheers and hisses greeted his first appearance. *After the soldiers had marched* around the hall they stood at attention and the mayor arose to make his address.

He was unable to speak for several minutes because of prolonged jeering after which without saying a word he motioned to Governor Philipp to take the floor.

Mayor Hoan issued a statement late today in which he denied approving a doctrine of violence, one of the things said to have been endorsed at the socialist meeting last Sunday and to which the army officers took exception.

COAST ARTILLERYMEN WENT THROUGH STORM OF MOUNTAINOUS WAVES

Army Surgeons Performed Operation at Height of Storm

LASHED TO TABLE

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Coast artillerymen from Connecticut and scattered states and troops from Pennsylvania, Iowa and Oklahoma who reached port today on the armored cruiser South Dakota went through a storm two days out from Brest described by naval officers as one of the most tempestuous they had ever experienced.

Mountainous waves buffeted the vessel and one demolished the pilot house, injuring Captain Luby, Commander Caldwell and a number of officers and sailors.

In the midst of the storm, with waves at times running forty feet high, two army surgeons performed an operation for appendicitis upon a soldier aboard the South Dakota.

When the condition of Corporal E. O. Williams, of the 56th coast artillery, whose home is in Airlie, N. C., was pronounced dangerous, the war vessel lay to in order to facilitate the operation. Lashed to the table, the surgeons accomplished their delicate task between lurches of the ship and today the artilleryman was removed to a hospital, on the way to recovery.

NAVY AIRMEN KILLED.

PENSACOLA, Fla., Jan. 18.—Three navy airmen were killed near here today when a seaplane fell into Pensacola Bay. They were Ensign A. D. Honeywell of Geneva, N. Y. and John Wigmore, of Los Angeles, Cal., and James J. Gray of Pittsburgh, Pa., student aviators. All the bodies were recovered.

MADAME BRESHSKOVSKAYA NOW IN UNITED STATES

"Grandmother of Revolution" Says Russia Must Have Voice at Conference

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 18.—Catherine Breshskovskaya, known as the "grandmother of the Russian revolution," arrived here today from the Orient aboard a Japanese trans-Pacific liner. *She is on her way* to Washington and Boston.

"Strong and normal Russia is a wall against all the injuries of dark power, no matter whence they come," she said. "But woe to us and woe to you nations of the world if you refuse to face the difficult position of your temporarily disabled ally. Nations of Europe, America, as I address every nation, I tell you all that Russia will come and have a voice at the world's peace conference and will yield to none her right to a bright future."

LEBAUDY ATTEMPTED TO PURCHASE POISON, IS SAID

Druggist Will Testify As to Action by "Emperor of Sahara."

MINEOLA, N. Y., Jan. 18.—Attorney for Madame Jacques Lebaudy, who shot and killed her husband, the self-styled "Emperor of Sahara," last Saturday, obtained today from a New York drug clerk an affidavit stating that Lebaudy tried to purchase two *pounds of cyanide of potassium the day he was slain.* According to the affidavit, Lebaudy said the poison was wanted for his "wife and child."

The clerk said he refused to make the sale.

The affidavit will be turned over Monday to Charles R. Weeks, district attorney of Nassau county, who is conducting an investigation of the shooting before the grand jury, and it is believed, will strengthen Madame Lebaudy's claim that she and her daughter, Jacqueline, had been threatened repeatedly by her husband.

BASEBALL SHOULD HELP TO ENDURE PROHIBITION

National Federation Will Further Athletics and Recreational Activities.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 18.—A national movement for the promulgation and furtherance of athletics and recreational activities, the director of which will be appointed by the government, was launched in a resolution adopted at the annual *meeting of* the National Baseball Federation, America's premier sand lot organization, here today. The resolution declares the war has demonstrated that physical training and public recreation is essential to the well-being and moral of the people and that baseball will be one of the biggest substitutes for the social features eliminated by the recent prohibition enactment.

Affiliation with the American Industrial Athletic association was formulated.

SENATE VOTES TO INVITE WILSON TO SPEAK AT RALEIGH

Wilson's Drastic Whiskey Measure Is Amended and Passed

MEMORIAL BUILDING WILL BE ERECTED

Amendment to Wilson's Law Gives Judge Discretion in First Case

(By W. J. Martin.)

RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 18.—The senate passed and sent to the house the joint resolution to invite President Wilson to include Raleigh in his speaking tour on his return from the peace conference in Paris and providing legislative and citizenry committees and a $500 appropriation for entertainment. Another joint resolution passed was that to provide for a memorial building here in honor of North Carolinians who gave their lives in the war against Germany, the funds to be by popular subscription with Governor Bickett heading the commission for funds and construction. This is the D. E. Henderson memorial plan.

That Whiskey Bill.

In the house Love introduced a bill to increase the salary of the commissioner of agriculture. Wilson's bill to make possession of one quart of whiskey in Burke county evidence of blockading passed with amendment to give the judge discretion in punishment of first offenses, the imprisonment prescribed being one year on the roads. The bill by Bryant of Durham, passed, to amend the law as to secret assault making equal punishment whether the person assaulted was aware of the presence of the assailant or not. The Wright bill to require clerks of court to report appeals to the attorney-general allow defendants to withdraw appeals passed. Both houses adjourned to 2:40 Monday afternoon.

It developed that the republican caucus in secret session until 1 o'clock this morning decided to undertake to prevent the confirmation of Thomas D. Warren, democratic state chairman, as United States district attorney. Senators Fisher and Raymore and Representatives Swann, Herring and Jackson were named as a committee to go to Washington on this mission, the character of charges to be preferred is not indicated.

Bills in Senate.

Bills passed final reading in the senate included: The limit time within which wills may be probated. Repeal a statute as to stock law in Jackson county so that individual may not attach their plantations to stock law areas in adjoining townships. Authorize proper refunds of fees paid in by intended candidates in primaries where there are withdrawals. Joint resolution for a memorial building in honor of those who fell in the war against Germany with a commission of nine headed by the governor to receive donations from the public and erect the building. New bills in the house included Grier, Give vendors of personal property a lien on such property. Provide forfeiture of terms when rent is not paid. Pharr, regulate the practice of chiropody in the state and create a state board of examiners. Griffin, require county homes to keep records. The house took up the consideration of calendar bills and Representative Wilson of Burke, sent up a substitute for his bill applicable to Burke making possession of one quart of liquor evidence of blockading. The substitute gives discretion to the judges in all first offenses. The substitute was passed for Burke county as requested. Other bills passed as follows:

Provide salary for Swain county sheriff. Allow Clay county commissioners $3 per day, require clerks of courts to report appeals to the attorney general and allow defendants to withdraw appeals.

DEPARTMENT CHIEFS OF THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT PROTEST AGAINST TERMS

Means "Organized Preparation for Starvation" They Declare

NEWSPAPERS TALK

BERLIN, Friday, Jan. 17.—(By The Associated Press.)—Chiefs of departments in the German government, especially the ministers of commerce and of trade, protest against acceptance by the German delegates of the latest armistice conditions, the fulfilment of which, they declare, "means for Germany the organized preparation of starvation."

The minister of commerce and labor, according to the Tageblatt declares that Germany will be unable to replace the agricultural machines taken because Germany lacks necessary metals, coal and trained laborers. He says German agriculture will be crippled *if the machines are delivered* to the allies.

The Boersen Courier says that food Minister Wurm declares that first learned of the conditions through the press and that he could not accept the responsibility for the consequences. The Tageblatt asks in an editorial:

"Where are justice and humanity which were to dictate peace? We behold always force and only force and the German people, after such great physical and mental suffering, are delivered over to destruction."

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ROAMER MOTOR CO. NOW REORGANIZED

Stockholders Plan for Larger Business—W. Floyd Bryam Is Elected President of Company.

Reorganization and plans for larger business were announced last night by the Roamer Motor company. W Floyd Byram has purchased J. M Redding's interests and the first stockholders meeting was held yesterday afternoon for a discussion of projects for the coming year and the election of officers. Those elected were as follows: W. Floyd Byram president; J. H. Hemphill, vice-president; F. H. Hemphill, secretary-treasurer.

Although the Roamer company has been in business in Asheville only eight months, in that time many Roamer cars have been sold in the city and contiguous territory. The newly elected officials of the firm predict that business will be good in Asheville in 1919 and they are confident that they will have their share of it.

SERVICES TODAY FOR LATE MRS. WILLIAMS

The body of the late Mrs. Jane Williams, mother of Mrs. Albert S. Guerard, of this city, who died yesterday morning in Wilmington, is expected to arrive this afternoon about 2 o'clock. The funeral services and interment will be held at Riverside cemetery immediately thereafter.

Mrs. Williams had been ill for some time. She had a great many friends in the city who learn of her death with deep regret. Members of the family who have been at Wilmington will accompany the body.

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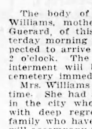

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STREET CAR SCHEDULE

In Effect April 1, 1918.

ZILLICO AND RETURN — 6:00, 6:15, 6:30 A. M.

RIVERSIDE PARK—6:15 and every 15 minutes until 11: p. m.

DEPOT VIA SOUTHSIDE AVENUE—5:20 a. m. and every 15 minutes until 1:15 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 3:45 p. m., then every 15 minutes until 11:00 p. m.

DEPOT VIA FRENCH BROAD AVENUE—6:00 a. m., and every 15 minutes until 11:00 p. m.

MANOR—6:00 a. m. and every 15 minutes until 11:00 p. m.

CHARLOTTE STREET TERMINUS—6:00 a. m. and every 15 minutes until 11:00 p. m.; 11:30 car runs through; returns leaves end of car line at 12:00.

PATTON AVENUE—6:00 a. m. and every 15 minutes until 11:00 p. m.

EAST STREET—6:00 a. m. and every 15 minutes until 11:00 p. m.

GRACE VIA MERRIMON AVENUE—6: 00 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 11:00 p. m.

BILTMORE—6:00 a. m., and then every 15 minutes until 11:00 p. m. last car.

DEPOT AND WEST ASHEVILLE VIA SOUTHSIDE AVENUE—5:20 a. m., and every 15 minutes until 11:00 p. m.

Sunday Schedule Differs in the following Particulars.

Car leaves Square for Manor 6:00 and 8:15 a. m., arrive Square 6:15 and 6:30, then every 30 minutes until 8:30.

Cars leave Square for Depot via Southside avenue 5:20, 5:45, 6:00, 6:15, 6:30, 7:00, 7:30, 8:00 and 8:30 a. m. Cars leave Square for Depot via French Broad avenue 6:15, 6:30, 6:45, 7:15, 7:45 and 8:15.

Car for Depot leaves Square 8:45 a. m., both Southside and French Broad.

First car leaves the Square for Charlotte street at 6:00 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 8:30; next 9:45.

First car leaves the Square for Riverside 8:20, next 8:45.

First car leaves the Square for West Asheville 6:15, 7:00; next 8:30.

First car leaves Square for Biltmore 6:30 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 9:00 o'clock.

With the above exceptions, Sunday schedules commence at 9:00 a. m., and continue same as week days.

On evening when entertainments are in progress at the Auditorium the last trip on all lines will be from entertainment, leaving Square at regular time and holding over at Auditorium.

WALTER WHITMIRE IS VICTIM OF INFLUENZA

Was Well Known Young Man of This City—Came From Brevard Four Years Ago.

Walter Whitmire, a well known young man of the city, died of a double attack of pneumonia following influenza at the Meriwether hospital yesterday morning at 3 o'clock. His father, T. W. Whitmire, and his brother, Thomas, are ill at their home on Haywood street with the influenza at the present time.

Walter Whitmire was born in Brevard, where he lived until four years ago when he came to Asheville to take a position with the Whitmire Motor Sales company. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Whitmire of Brevard. He was educated at Wofford college, Spartanburg, S. C.

The funeral services of the interment will take place at Brevard on Monday. Besides his parents, he is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Paul Smathers, Roland, Rush.

Word was received here yesterday Luther Cooper, an adopted brother.

FARMERS WILL MEET AT COLUMBUS FEB. 3

TRYON, Jan. 18.—County Agent Same has called a meeting of the farmers and business men of Polk county, to convene at Columbus, next Monday, February 3, for the purpose of organizing a county Board of Trade. While Mr. Sams has not perfected his plans as yet, it is more than likely the organization will be patterned after the Sand Hills Board of Trade, an organization that has accomplished wonders for that section of North Carolina. In stating his call Mr. Sams says: "Our county has no organized agency through which we can purchase fertilizers, farm seeds, farm machinery, livestock, lime or any other commodities, that might be handled to advantage in large lots. Neither do we have any means of disposing, co-operatively, of farm products, when produced, except in the old, individualistic, haphazard manner."

It is more than likely that some arrangement will be made whereby the producers of Polk county will be enabled to secure a market right at home for everything they raise and produce, instead of having to haul it for many miles, as at present.

Polk county last year canned over a hundred thousand cases of vegetables and fruits, while the amount of green fruits and vegetables shipped and hauled away ran far up into the thousands of dollars in value. It is now proposed to locate a central purchasing branch closer to the producer so that the way be enabled to secure the top prices for his articles without having to make the long hauls that he now has to make.

MAY ASK GOVERNMENT TO REFUND MONEY

The county commissioners *it is* stated, are considering asking the government to refund about $1,500 paid by the former board to clerks of the county exemption board. As the exemption board members and clerks were supposed to be paid by the United States for their services, the present members think it is only that the county funds were mistakenly appropriated for this purpose.

It is said that a member of the old board asked the clerks if they wanted to be placed on the county payroll, and they naturally answered in the affirmative.

The matter meeting last night the county commissioners stated that this matter was not taken up for consideration.

BISON PASS THROUGH ON WAY TO PISGAH

Six buffaloes which are to be placed in the elk and buffalo pasture in the Pisgah national forest, are expected to pass through the city en route to Hominy station this morning. They will be unloaded at the Hominy station and transported by wagon over the near the summit of Mount Pisgah.

The animals will be in a special express car and will be in charge of M. S. Garretson, secretary of the American Bison association, of New York city. Forester Rudolph Diffenbach and N. Buckner will go to Hominy this morning, the former to supervise the unloading and transportation of the animals, and the latter to take pictures for magazine and news stories.

BAN PLACED ON MOTION PICTURES

INCREASE OF INFLUENZA ALSO LIMITS CHURCH SERVICES.

No Meetings Can Be Held Without Express Permission of Health Officer, Is Order.

Reports from Asheville doctors yesterday showing practically no decrease in the number of influenza cases, there were sixty-five new cases yesterday, the city commissioners adopted the commendations of the city health officer, Dr. Carl V. Reynolds, barring all theatrical attractions and limiting church services to one a day. There will be no Sunday school in any of the churches today, and no Wednesday night prayer meeting until further notice. The city schools will remain open and no Saturday night closing order for the stores was issued last night.

Dr. Reynolds discussed the epidemic situation with the commissioners yesterday afternoon. He stated that in view of a perceptible increase yesterday and Friday in the number of cases reported, he would recommend the closing of the motion picture houses and all theatrical attractions and the limiting of church services to one a day. The health officer also recommended that no social or fraternal or other gatherings, not involving business of sufficient urgency to demand immediate action, be held and that no meetings absolutely necessary be held except by specific permission of the health officer.

On motion the recommendations were adopted and it was ordered, (1) that the chief of police and members of the police department be instructed to devote every attention to the enforcement of provisions of all orders made by the board in its capacity as the board of health, and that all violations of such rules be thoroughly investigated and arrests made where offenders against the rules are found; (2) that the police department be further ordered to enforce energetically the municipal ordinance prohibiting loafing or interference with traffic on any streets or sidewalks in the city; (3) that Dr. Reynolds be requested to furnish the police department from time to time a list of all necessary meetings for which he has granted permits.

It was further stated by Dr. Reynolds that it was the desire of the health department not to return to early Saturday night closing of stores; but that unless managers of mercantile establishments and patrons co-operate with the department in preventing undue crowds in stores the *health department* would be forced to ask for a stringent anti-crowd order.

The ban on theatrical attractions was issued just a few minutes before the curtain was to rise at the Auditorium for the matinee performance of "Her Own Money." The company and its stage equipment had arrived on an afternoon train and the scenery was being placed by the stage employes when the closing order from the city hall was delivered to the manager of the Auditorium. A few minutes later the doors of the theatres locked their doors, placing cards stating that the houses were shut up by order of the health department.

Sol Cazlar stated last night that in his opinion the city would have to open a large hospital or hospitals where all influenza cases could be attended. Mr. Cazlar believes that this is the only way by which the epidemic can be controlled.

S. C. LANDRETH DIES AT MOORESVILLE, N. C.

The body of the late S. C. Landreth, who died at Mooresville yesterday morning about 4:30 o'clock, will arrive in the city today. Upon the arrival of the body and relatives the funeral and interment services will be arranged.

The deceased had lived in Mooresville for the past six years. He was formerly a resident of Asheville. He is survived by his wife, who is ill at Mooresville, his father and mother, of this city, four sisters and two brothers. Mrs. Landreth was formerly Miss Jennie Morrison of Statesville.

MEETING POSTPONED.

The centenary group meeting of Asheville district, which was to have been held Tuesday and Wednesday at Central Methodist church, has been postponed. It is hoped that health conditions will make it possible to hold the gathering later.

Official Local Weather

U. S. Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Local Weather Data for Jan. 18, 1919.

State of weather at 8 a. m., raining.
State of weather at 8 p. m., clear.
Relative humidity at 8 a. m., 93 per cent.
Relative humidity at 12:30 p. m., 65 per cent.
Relative humidity at 8 p. m., 42 per cent.
Wind direction at 8 a. m., north.
Wind direction at 8 p. m., northwest.
Time of sunrise, 7:39 a. m.
Time of sunset, 5:42 p. m.

Local Temperature Data.

8 a.m.	47	8 p.m.	49
9 a.m.	45	4 p.m.	51
10 a.m.	44	5 p.m.	50
11 a.m.	44	6 p.m.	50
12 noon	44	7 p.m.	49
1 p.m.	46	8 p.m.	48
2 p.m.	47		

Highest, 51; one year ago, 29.
Lowest, 44; one year ago, 13.
Absolute maximum, 70 in 1907.
Absolute minimum, 12 in 1904.
Average temperature today, 48.
Normal, 38.

Local Precipitation Data for Month.

Normal, 4.67 inches.
Greatest amount, 6.69 in 1906.
Least amount, 0.37 in 1907.
For last 24 hours ending at 8 p. m., .21 inch.

Telegraphic Reports of Temperatures for Today.

Station:	8 p.m.	
ASHEVILLE	48	51
Atlanta	58	68
Augusta	56	64
Birmingham	52	60
Boston	42	52
Charleston	52	58
Charlotte	54	62
Chicago	44	48
Cincinnati	48	54
Denver	40	54
Galveston	52	58
Jacksonville	58	64
Miami	68	70
New Orleans	52	60
New York	42	46
Raleigh	54	60
San Francisco	54	54
Seattle	46	48
St. Louis	58	60
Washington	44	54

ONLY ONE SERVICE IN CHURCHES TODAY

MINISTERS ENDORSE EFFORTS OF CITY HEALTH OFFICER.

City Schools Under New Inspection System Regarded a Safe for Children—Teachers Watch Symptoms.

Asheville churches will hold only the 11 o'clock service today. Sunday schools being omitted from the program on advice of the health department. Wednesday night prayer services will also be omitted from the church calendar until the health situation improves.

At a conference with the Ministers' association last night at the Y. M. C. A. Dr. Carl V. Reynolds, city health officer, told the ministers that he though it best that to suspend Sunday school gatherings and the association adopted resolutions endorsing the health officer's efforts to stamp out the epidemic. The association adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the ministers' association are in hearty accord with the untiring efforts of the health officers to stamp out the epidemic of influenza and that we stand ready to co-operate in the effort. To this end we agree to follow the suggestion of Dr. Carl V. Reynolds, city health officer, that, on account of the increase in new cases of the disease reported each day it will be well to hold only one service each week until such time as the health officer may think safe to hold the usual number of services. This eliminates the Sunday school and the mid-week prayer meeting."

The health officer and Acting Superintendent of Schools Ramsey stated that it was thought safe to keep the city schools open because of the system of health supervision that has been installed in every class room in Asheville. The teachers are provided with thermometers and sterilizing fluids so that they may take the temperature of any child which does not appear to be entirely normal in health. If a student's eyes are red or he sneezes, the glass tube will immediately be placed in his mouth and if he is not normal he will be sent home. Any unusual symptoms will be sufficient excuse for asking a student to go home and stay at home.

The school authorities feel that the children at school under the present system of safeguarding their health, will be better off than at home, certainly unless they are allowed on the streets more successfully than some parents have been able to do in the past.

On Friday a large number of *students were sent home by their* teachers, but so far very few influenza cases have been reported among those who were found to be hardy well enough to be in the school room.

AROUND TOWN

MR. SETTLE BETTER.

Thomas Settle's condition was reported last night at a late hour as being about the same as yesterday afternoon. He had improved up to last night but his condition was reported as unchanged.

MISS McCONNELL ILL.

Miss Bessie McConnell, who is ill at the Mission hospital with influenza, was reported last night as resting comfortably.

CAPTAIN SPRUSE BETTER.

Reports last night on the condition of Captain Mark Sprouse, of the police force, were to the effect that Captain Sprouse is somewhat improved. Captain Sprouse has been ill with pneumonia.

GOES TO ATLANTA.

Mr. R. H. Wheaten leaves today for Atlanta, Ga., where he will attend the meeting of the southern agents of the National Cash Register company. Mrs. Wheaten will join Mr. Wheaten Thursday and they will go to Daytona, Fla., for a visit to Mr. Wheaton's mother and sister.

W. O. WOLFE IMPROVES.

Friends of W. O. Wolfe will be glad to know that he has returned from Johns Hopkins hospital, where he received treatment for some weeks.

SERGEANT CREASMAN RETURNS.

Sergeant Lawrence A. Creasman, of the 33rd engineers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. V. Creasman, of Biltmore, has arrived from overseas and is now stationed at debarkation hospital in New York city.

MEETING POSTPONED.

The meeting of the Ann of Ava circle has been postponed because of the influenza epidemic.

PRIVATE MURRAY IN HOSPITAL.

Private Herbert Murray, R. F. D. No. 4, Asheville, who was previously reported missing in action, is now reported as being in an army hospital in France.

BORN, A DAUGHTER.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Scott, 62 Cumberland avenue, a daughter, Carolyn Frances.

SERGEANT SPRUSE RETURNS.

S. A. Sprouse, chief electrician of the navy operating base at Hampton Roads, who has been the house guest of his uncle, H. A. Sprouse, 23 Woodfin street for the past two weeks, has returned to his station.

NO MEETING.

There will be no meeting of the Judson Missionary society Monday afternoon on account of the influenza epidemic.

TROY MUSE BETTER.

Troy Muse who has been critically ill for the past two weeks at the Meriwether hospital, with influenza and complications, is reported as very much improved.

MRS. GARRET AND FAMILY ILL.

It is reported that Mrs. Lyda Garret, of Asheland avenue, her little daughter and a visiting niece and nephew are all sick with influenza.

JAMES J. CONDON DIES.

Mrs. J. W. Barton received word yesterday of the death, at Knoxville, Tenn., of her brother, James J. Condon, from complications following influenza. Mrs. Barton leaves this morning to attend the funeral services.

CHURCH SERVICES.

The Biltmore Baptist church announces that services will be held this morning and evening at the regular hours.

ASK FOR PASSPORTS.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Abernethy yesterday applied to District Court Clerk Hyams for passports to Cuba where they will visit for some time.

TRYON WANTS TO IMPROVE ITS SCHOOLS

WILL ASK LEGISLATURE TO AUTHORIZE LARGER TAX.

Miss Josie Kuykendall Saves David Turner's Life—Influenza Situation Shows Little Improvement.

TRYON, Jan. 18—The public school question is being very much agitated in Tryon at present. The chamber of commerce at the last regular meeting took up the proposition, and has succeeded in getting the citizens aroused to the fact that our educational facilities are not what they should be. Tryon has never yet succeeded in securing the high school course in her schools, and that is the direct object of the present agitation. A bill is being drafted which will be presented to the legislature, asking that the citizens of this school district be allowed to increase their taxation so as to secure enough additional revenue to employ a larger force of teachers pay them more and to add the high school course to our present school.

Mr. John Orr, who has been superintendent of the Sunday school of the Congregational church for the past twenty-one years, has resigned his position owing to bad health. At the morning services at that church, last Sunday, resolutions of appreciation were passed by a unanimous vote, expressing the appreciation of the church for the long and faithful services of Mr. Orr.

News was received in Tryon a few days ago that the Rev. Theodore Holway, who occupied the Congregational pulpit in this city for one summer season, would set sail for Constantinople, Turkey, on Monday. Mr. Holway was missionary to Bulgaria for many years, and was only awaiting the termination of the war before returning to his chosen field of labor. Recentlydon he received the hope of success, were passed by the congregation.

The influenza situation in Polk county seems to be growing worse rather than better. Health officer, has closed down the schools again, and prohibited public worship at the churches. While the number of cases have increased, so far most of them are in a much lighter form than formerly.

Miss Josie Kuykendall, aged 16 years, has shown herself a true heroine, and but for her prompt action, David Turner would doubtless have lost his life. They are both employes of the Southern Mercizing Co., of this place, and while at work, by some means, one of Turner's arms became tangled in a belt, and he was unable to help himself. Miss Kuykendall immediately ran to his assistance, while the other employes went the other way. She succeeded in stopping the machinery, and Turner suffered no great harm. Mr. F. P. Bacon, owner of the mercizing plant publicly acknowledged the young lady's bravery, and as a reward presented her with twenty dollars worth of War Savings stamps.

It is announced that the Rev. R. N. Pratt of Hendersonville has accepted the call of the Baptist church, of this city, and will hold services every Sunday morning instead of twice a month as formerly.

The Polk county banks of Polk county issued their financial statements this week, and all show a healthy growth. The combined resources of the banks amounts to $391,556.49.

The live stock industry in Polk county is feeling the effects of the rapidly growing number of Mr. H. H. Lambert, who will engage in the raising of Holsteins. Mr. Lambert has but recently located in this county, but was quick to see the possibilities of the cattle raising industry, and has decided to engage. The hog raisers are rapidly increasing in numbers, also. Mr. J. F. Black reports the sale of one litter of Duroc-Jersey pigs for $146.00 and that they were shipped all over North Carolina.

Mr. A. J. Pitman, rather aged citizen of this county, died at his home in Columbus, Wednesday, and was buried at Mill Spring, by the Masonic order, Thursday.

NEW BANK BUILDING PLANNED AT MARSHALL

Bank of French Broad Declares Fifteen Per Cent Dividend at Annual Stockholders' Meeting.

A handsome bank and office building of certainly two and probably three stories is soon to be erected in Marshall by the Bank of French Broad. It was first stated by a man from the Madison county capital who was here yesterday, the site being a valuable lot next to the court house. At the annual stockholders meeting held Wednesday J. Dewey W. R. Ramsey, Frank Roberts, John H. Swann and M. L. Church were named as a building committee and directed to proceed with construction as soon as practicable.

The property of Marshall is indicated by the fact that the bank declared a dividend of fifteen per cent and added $5,000 to its surplus fund which now amounts to $30,000, the capital being $20,000 and total resources $325,000. The bank has paid 332 per cent since it was first organized, since it was organized December 1, 1913.

The following officers were elected for 1919: J. J. Redmon, president; M. L. Church, vice-president; W. R. Ramsey, cashier; Roy E. Ebbs, assistant cashier; Miss Roberta Rogers, teller. Directors chosen were J. J. Redmon, J. S. Brown, Dr. Frank Roberts, Roy L. Gudger, M. L. Church, A. Stockton, Wiley M. Roberts, R. M. Whitt, R. S. Gibbs, Thomas S. Rollins, J. R. Swann, E. T. Worley.

MR. MEMMINGER IS PHOSPHATE AGENT

Word was reveiced here yesterday that C. G. Memminger, of this city, has just been appointed by Secretary of Commerce Redfield as representative to visit all European countries, including Scandinavia and Italy, to make investigation of the need for American phosphate in those countries and how to supply the demand. He will sail about February 1.

An editorial in the Tampa, (Fla.,) Morning Tribune says that few men in the country know the phosphate business, the supply and needs of the world better than Mr. Memminger.

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FIRST YOUNG LADIES' CLASS MEETS TUESDAY

Lady Gymnasts to Have Use of Showers and Swimming Pool. Music to Accompany Class.

The young ladies' gymnasium, a new attraction in the line of athletics offered by the local Y. M. C. A., will hold its first meeting Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock and every Tuesday and Thursday morning thereafter at the same hour.

It is stated by the "Y" secretary that a good enrollment has been recorded up to the present time, and that a large class is expected to be present at the first organization of the gymnasium work for ladies. It is requested that any ladies who wish to enter the class and who have not registered with the Y. M. C. A. authorities do so Monday in order to save as much time as possible at the class meeting Tuesday.

It is announced by the authorities that the young ladies will have the use of the showers and the swimming pool. This is a privilege that has long been sought by the young ladies of the city and the announcement that they are to have the use of them is expected to create more interest in the classes and enlarge the enrollment considerably.

The classes in gymnasium work will be accompanied by music and various athletic games will be played in connection with the classes. The athletic director of the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium will have charge of the classes for the ladies and an interesting set of games has been arranged to be played in connection with the work.

FAST PROGRESS MADE IN "Y." TOURNAMENT

Oscar White Has Highest Individual Score—Hall and Rice Lead With Team Percentage.

The duck pin tournament which is being held under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. has been progressing at a fast rate during the past few weeks and some of the bowlers have reached the 1,500 mark. Although there are only five men who have made this high mark, practically all of the others are bordering on it, some being over the 1,450 mark. The men who have reached the high mark are White, 1,625; Hall, 1,567; Graner, 1,549; Holmes, 1,514; Harris, 1,514.

The grand totals of the teams have increased accordingly over those of last week. The team captained by Hall is leading the tournament with a grand total of 5,850. The other teams with their scores are given in the order of their standing. Humphries, 5,730; Pierce, 5,691; Honess, 5,550; Miller, 5,475; Rice, 5,470; Williams, 5,204; Johnson, 5,185. The two highest percentages for the past week as compiled by the Y. M. C. A. secretary is as follows: Hall's team, 867 and Rice's team, 733.

MRS. C. F. SHOOK DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Mrs. Martha Medford Shook, wife of C. F. Shook, died January 9 at the home near Clyde after a long illness. Besides her husband she is survived by three children, three sisters and two brothers. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. T. E. Pierce and Rev. C. W. Matney at the Old Camp Ground church of which Mrs. Shook was a member.

NO "Y." MEETINGS HELD BECAUSE OF INFLUENZA

It is announced by the Y. M. C. A. secretary that there will be no regular Sunday afternoon meeting this afternoon because of the closing orders issued by the health department of the city. The shop meetings which were announced for the coming week have also been called off for the same reason.

TO HOLD SERVICES FOR LATE MR. MORGAN

Service at Black Mountain, Interment at Fairview—Masons and Knights of Pythias to Assist.

Funeral services for L. W. Morgan who was drowned Friday afternoon near Black Mountain when his automobile plunged off a bridge into a creek, will be conducted this morning at the Black Mountain residence by Rev. James Justice, pastor of the *Baptist church* at Black Mountain church. The Masons of Black Mountain will have charge of the remains for the service there and will accompany the body to Fairview, where interment will take place at 1:30 o'clock. At Fairview the Masons of that lodge and members of Pisgah lodge, Knights of Pythias, Asheville, will conduct a portion of the ceremonies. Mr. Morgan was a member of Pisgah lodge.

Many expressions of regret for the untimely death of Mr. Morgan were heard in Asheville yesterday. He was known to many people throughout the county and was universally liked.

Further details of the accident received yesterday included the story of the heroic efforts made by Mrs. A. Hegeman to save Mr. Morgan's life. Called to the rescue by Lon Morgan, six-year-old son of Mr. Morgan, who was in the machine with his father, Mrs. Hegeman jumped into the stream and helped Mr. Morgan's head above the waters for a half hour or more until a party of men arrived and lifted the machine off Mr. Morgan's body. But it was found that Mr. Morgan had probably drowned before Mrs. Hegeman reached him.

RED CROSS TO GIVE WOMEN SERVICE BARS

Local Work Room Busy Making Garments for Children of Devastated European Countries.

The workroom of the Asheville Red Cross is now engaged in making garments for children of countries devastated by the war, these including skirts, shirts and other articles needed to protect the little ones from the cold. The skilled surgical dressings workers are leading their aid to this cause. The new workrooms at 14 Battery Park Hotel are proving very acceptable to the women volunteers at whose head is Mrs. William Redwood, director of women's work.

There are a number of women who are entitled to awards of service bars under Red Cross regulations, and to these will notify Secretary John C. Deshler he will be very glad to provide such marks of honor.

In order to provide a ready means of transportation for the home service secretary, it is probable that an inexpensive automobile will be furnished Miss Scott.

The Clinchfield Route

EFFECTIVE JULY 28, 1918.

Eastern Standard Time.

Southbound—	P. M.	A. M.
Lv. Elkhorn City, Ky.	2.40	
" Freemont, Va.	3.35	
" Dante, Va.	3.45	7.40
" St. Paul, Va.	4.40	8.05
" Clinchco, Va.	4.50	8.15
Ar. Johnson City	8.07	11.20
Lv. Johnson City	8.07	11.20
" Erwin, Tenn.	8.47	12.00
Lv. Erwin, Tenn.		12.12
" Kona, N. C.		1.55
" Altapass, N. C.		2.42
" Mt. Mitchell, N. C.		2.48
" Marion, N. C.		4.05
" Bostic, N. C.		5.00
Ar. Spartanburg, S. C.		6.05
Northbound—		
Lv. Spartanburg, S. C.		11.05
" Bostic, N. C.		12.05
" Marion, N. C.		1.00
" Mt. Mitchell, N. C.		1.50
" Altapass, N. C.		2.20
" Kona, N. C.		3.04
Ar. Erwin, Tenn.		4.20
Lv. Erwin, Tenn.	8.05	5.00
Ar. Johnson City	8.50	5.50
Lv. Johnson City	8.55	5.60
" Spears Ferry, Va.	10.35	7.35
" St. Paul, Va.	12.17	9.03
" Dante, Va.	12.50	9.30
" Freemont, Va.	1.30	
Ar. Elkhorn City, Ky.	3.30	

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CHAS. T. MANDEL,
General Passenger Agent,
Johnson City, Tenn.