PEACE CONGRESS CONCLUDES WORK

Final Session Is Addressed by Congressman Hobson, Pleading for Greater Armament.

PREPARE IN PEACE FOR WAR

Says Sufficient Forces to Protect All Possessions Should Always Be in Readiness.

GREENSBORO, N. C., October 15.—The North Carolina Peace Congress, which has been in session here for four days, adjourned to-day. At the final session Congressman Hobson and the Rev. William G. Hubbard discussed the question of a larger navy, Hubbard contending that war is a relic of the past and there is now no need of an army or navy except to quell riots. Hobson contended that the army is possibly large enough, but we need a greater navy to keep down militarism and unjust demands by foreign powers.

Hobson Speaks.

Reminding his hearers that he had the privilege of placing in President Roosevelt's hands the published report of the last meeting of the North Carolina Peace Society, Captain Hobson declared that he was entirely in accord with the President, when on that occasion he said that "peace societies merely jeopardize the national welfare, and are profoundly hostile to American national life, if they obstruct the government in providing ample military and naval power to meet conditions in the actual world of to-day."

Plunging then into the subject of his address, Captain Hobson said:

"In ascertaining the relation of armament and arbitration to States' rights it is necessary to go back to the Constitution. The preamble of the Constitution sets forth that one of the prime objects for which that instrument was ordained was to 'provide for the common defense'; and again section 4 of article IV provides that the United States shall protect every State in the Union against invasion. The Federal government therefore is in duty bound to maintain such an armed force as will secure to each State the proper protection, and an armed force equal to the duty imposed must be unquestionably superior when engaged in our possessions, or in the waters adjacent thereto.

"This means supremacy for defense, not for aggression. It does not necessitate having more ships or armed men than a nation or nations that are possible antagonists. It means having more power than such nations have, capable of being applied against them when invading or approaching our territory or possessions."

Address of Mrs. Henderson.

Mrs. Lizzie George Henderson, formerly president-general of the Confederacy, spoke under the title "The Daughters of the Confederacy and Peace." She said she had addressed the heads of the association in all the States asking for expressions on the subject, and without exception they had declared in favor of "peace by arbitration." She quoted the present president-general as having written to her:

"Represent our general association in its approval of the endeavor to bring to the world that arbitration in all national differences, which will prompt a peaceful solution of all such troubles, and thus elevate mankind to the highest plans of civilization."

Mrs. Henderson's eloquent speech was filled with earnest appeals to men for peace for women's sake. "I was born glutted with war," she cried, "and I want no more of it." And she added: "Teach us on this subject that we may teach our sons; that we may instill their very beings with this fact; that no honor which war can confer can equal that of being able to find a way to honorable peace among all nations. Educate us on the subject, that we may educate our children. For, despite the opinion of that sage of a Western university, the great majority of women do spend their lives trying to bring up their children to be of real service to the world.

"I heard a great man say once that the way to secure universal peace was to have a universal law requiring that every man who votes for war should serve throughout that war as a private.

"We ordinary people are so tired of wars and rumors of wars that we beg you to create a condition under which even the yellowest journals cannot bring sleepless nights to us with the thought that our loved ones will feel called on to go to war. And if war means all this to us in America, where our soldiers are volunteers, how infinitely more terrible it must be to the mothers in those countries where every man is compelled to serve in the army.

"We daughters of the Confederacy want no more war forever."

Mrs. Henderson said in conclusion, "A Georgia daughter expresses it for us thus: 'And we, the Daughters of the Confederacy, who bound the wounds of friend and foe in the struggle, who visited and comforted the sick and the dying, whose blood watered our scorched fields; we, who took up the burden of the yet bitterer days of reconstruction, are now hostesses in the house of peace, vestals at the altar of truth, women who, having known all the sorrows and sufferings of war, are thus fitted to show forth the power of peace.'"

Ninety-Seven Years Old.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

WELDON, N. C., October 15.—Mrs. Mary E. Morecock, of this town, will on Sunday, the 18th, celebrate the ninety-seventh year of her age. She is the widow of Captain William Morecock, who was a soldier of the War of 1812. Mrs. Morecock is in good health, and gets about the house without assistance, and her hearing and eyesight are both good.

BALTIMORE & OHIO R. R.

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GAVE LAND TO CARNIVAL

St. Peter's Managers Create New Interest in View of Big Prize.

Quite a tremor of pleasant excitement was experienced by every one of the vast throng at St. Peter's merry carnival last night, when it was announced that a valuable lot of land, donated to the fair, would be opened to all bidders. No one felt disposed to lose an opportunity to realize so much for so little, and Mrs. P. H. Donahoe and Mrs. W. P. Leaman, who are in charge, are doing a thriving business. The lot is 35x140 feet, located one block from the car line, and is now valued at several hundred dollars. The sale of tickets for this lot is now on and will continue for several days.

The Ladies' Macabees' drill team was present, with full ranks, and executed many difficult tactical problems with an ease and skill that won great applause. Their drill is very efficient, and reflects much credit on their drill master, Major C. G. Bossieux.

A musical program will be rendered to-night by Messrs. Walter A. Watkins, J. J. McBain, L. Cutchins and J. W. White.

The activity in the contest for the handsome cane, in which all the tables engaged, was renewed last night with great vigor, and much interest is centred in the outcome. The contestants are Messrs. Gus Bernier, Chasie Traflerl, A. F. Sauerwald and Sam Stern.

JURY DISAGREES

Richard Tunstall Will Have a New Trial at Next Term.

In the Hustings Court yesterday Richard Tunstall (colored) pleaded not guilty to a charge of burglary. The jury stayed in its private room all afternoon reaching no conclusion, and late in the evening reported to Judge Witt that the vote was hopelessly divided. The jury was discharged from further consideration of the case, which was sent on to the November term for a new trial.

Cases disposed of yesterday include the following:

Carrie Randolph (colored), indicted for malicious wounding and acquitted.

Samuel Jones, indicted for selling cocaine, was convicted and sentenced to two years on the public roads.

James Talley (colored), indicted for malicious wounding, was found guilty and given two years on the public roads.

Sunday-School Reception.

A reception will be given to the Sunday-school classes of the Seventh Street Christian Church to-night from 8:30 to 10:30 o'clock. All of the scholars are invited to attend.

FALSE CHARGES AGAINST SOUTH

Illinois Man Said to Have Spread Report That Children Are Worked Night and Day.

REFERRED TO COTTON MILLS

Carolina Secretary of Agriculture Is Indignant, and Will Contradict Report in North.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

RALEIGH, N. C., October 15.—Secretary of Agriculture J. B. Grimes is indignant over charges relative to the working of child labor in North Carolina and the South, and made before a Christian congregation in Freeport, Ill. He has nailed the statement as utterly false, and will bring home the charges to their originator.

False Assertions.

The charges were contained in a paper read before a sociological study department of the First Baptist Church of Freeport, Ill., and offered to the Freeport Journal for publication. The paragraph follows:

"The cotton industry of the South is based on child labor. Many young children work in Southern cotton mills from 6 P. M. to 6 A. M. without a single minute for food or rest. Ten per cent. of the children who go to work before twelve years of age contract consumption, and it is estimated that the average wage of 8,000 children working in the cotton mills of North Carolina is but 25 cents per day."

The editor of the Freeport Journal declined to publish the address, and wrote the North Carolina Secretary of State for the facts.

A good start has been made in the work of making the awards for exhibits in the North Carolina State Fair. The first prize for best county exhibit went to Wake, with Alamance second and Haywood third. The fruit exhibit by Haywood county was conceded to be far superior to any other North Carolina exhibit, but fruit only counts, under the rules, 15 per cent., while agriculture counts 60 per cent. The award for the best general farm exhibit went to J. W. Perry, of Chatham county. The award for the best mountain farm exhibit went to B. P. Howell, of Haywood county.

Descended from Signers.

The North Carolina Branch of Descendants of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence was organized here to-day, to affiliate with the national organization. James Stevenson Hooper, of Wilmington, was elected State president, and Mrs. Helen De Bernere Wills, of Raleigh, and Mrs. Amelia J. Hellechampe, of High Point, were elected, respectively, vice-president and secretary-treasurer. It was decided to hold a meeting next May in Greensboro.

The details of arrangement for securing from the War Department equipment for shooting galleries for each of the companies of the North Carolina National Guard are nearly worked out, and the galleries will be installed in the near future. The government furnishes the rifles and the targets. Olive drab uniforms are soon to be issued to the companies of the guard.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

Officers Elected—Vote of Congratulation to Aged Member.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

RALEIGH, N. C., October 15.—The North Carolina Agricultural Society to-night elected J. H. Currie, of Cumberland county, president for a second term; re-elected J. E. Pogue, secretary, and C. B. Denson, treasurer. According to these officials, highest praise for the big success made of this, the forty-eighth annual State Fair.

Commissioner of Agriculture W. A. Graham, was elected vice-president-at-large, a new office created.

A rising congratulatory vote was tendered to Major J. M. Crenshaw, who is the oldest living member of the association, and has attended the meetings annually for forty-one years. He is eighty-seven years old.

CHARGES CONSPIRACY

Claims Damages for Effort to Oust Him From Premises.

A case of more than general interest in legal and real estate circles will come to trial this morning in the Law and Equity Court in the suit of Roy Brown against H. A. McCurdy, J. M. Taylor and S. J. Wingfield. Brown claims that on August 29, 1907, he was in possession as renter of a house No. 918 North Twenty-seventh Street; that McCurdy and Taylor in an effort to oust him from the premises "sought out and conspired with one S. J. Wingfield, to whom he owed certain sums, and induced Wingfield to get a judgment and attachment on his personal and household belongings for about $150, for which conspiracy he asks damages in the sum of $2,000.

The defendants have filed an answer to the declaration, in which they state that they had had reasonable ground to believe in the existence of the facts essential to the prosecution of attachment, and deny any conspiracy or other unlawful act.

B. & O. TAKES APPEAL

Supreme Court to Pass Finally Upon Merits of Pitcairn Case.

Judge J. C. Pritchard, of the United States Circuit Court, has allowed a writ of error to the Supreme Court in the famous case of the Baltimore and Ohio Railway Company against the Pitcairn Coal Company and others, recently decided in the United States Court of Appeals here. The transcript of the record has just been completed in the clerk's office, and was transmitted yesterday by Deputy Clerk Claude M. Dean to the Supreme Court of the United States at Washington. The record was a very voluminous one, covering nearly 1,000 printed pages.

NEW VIRGINIA CONCERNS

The Corporation Commission issued yesterday the following charters:

Model Barber Shop (Inc.), Richmond. Richard Pokrass, president and treasurer; Louis Gasser, secretary; Roscoe Nelson—all of Richmond. Capital: Maximum, $15,000; minimum, $3,000. Objects: Barber shop.

White Marsh Bowling Club (Inc.), Norfolk. E. D. Hobbs, president; J. D. Alexander, secretary; E. E. Fuqua, treasurer—all of Norfolk. Capital: Maximum, $5,000; minimum, $500. Objects: Gunning club.

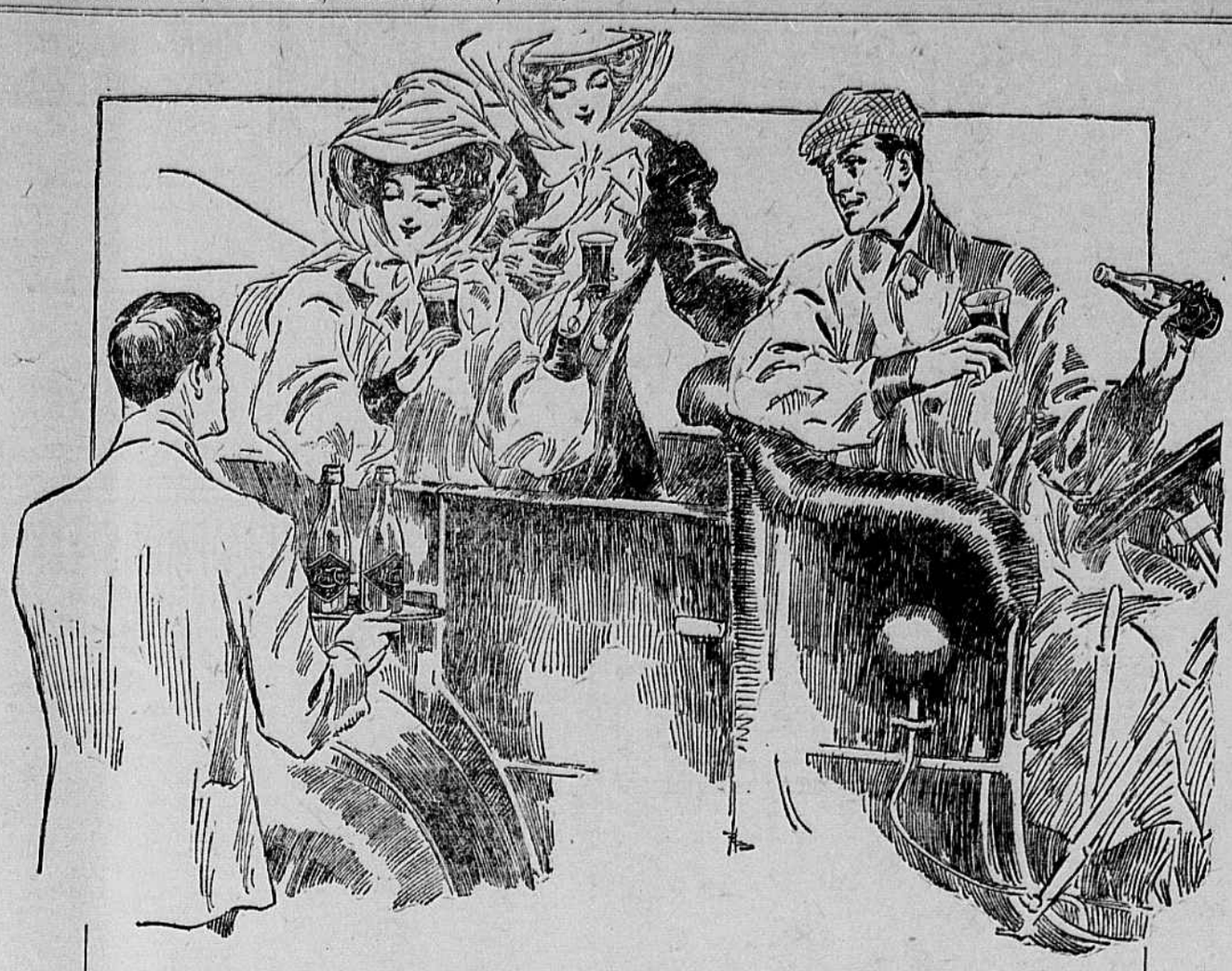
The Hill Company (Inc.), Charlottesville. J. H. Hill, president; J. A. Gilmore, vice-president; W. A. Irving, secretary and treasurer—all of Charlottesville. Capital: Maximum, $5,000; minimum, $2,200. Objects: Mercantile business.

ST. JAMES METHODIST ORDERS ENLARGEMENT OF STRUCTURE

At a meeting of the congregation of St. James Methodist Church, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That the building committee appointed by the official board is hereby authorized to proceed with the construction of such addition to the church building as has been outlined by the meeting to-night."

The enlargement plans provide for larger auditoriums, especially with reference to the Sunday-school apartments. The Sunday-school rooms will be arranged to seat 800 persons. The building will be in the shape of a cross after the additions are made, the architecture corresponding to that of the old structure. The committee in charge of the work is ordered to begin at once.



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TURPENTINE ASSOCIATION ELECTS OFFICERS FOR YEAR

JACKSONVILLE, FLA., October 15.—The Turpentine Operators' Association, which has been in session here for two days, completed its work to-day by electing officers as follows:

J. E. Boyd, president; J. A. Holloman, secretary and treasurer. Executive Committee—J. E. Boyd, J. A. Holloman, John Henderson, Alex. Sessions, W. M. Mattox, J. S. Shingler, F. J. O'Hara, R. S. Hall and A. G. Paul.

A committee of fifty was appointed to solicit subscriptions for the Naval Stores Marketing Company, which will have its headquarters in Jacksonville.

Building Permits.

Building and repair permits were issued from the office of the Building Inspector yesterday as follows:

R. Ferrandini, to repair three brick buildings Nos. 613-615-617 East Broad Street, by rebuilding the rear wall of building known as Monticello Hall, to cost $280.

Ash Harris's estate, by Phil Harris executor, to repair a brick store No. 212 North Fifth Street, by putting in a new front, to cost $350.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gerwin, to erect a brick dwelling No. 550 North Gilmer Street, to cost $1,258.

First Baptist Church, to erect a hanging sign at Twelfth and Broad Streets.

AMUSEMENTS

Bijou—"The Awakening of Mr. Pipp." Colonial—Keith's Vaudeville.

Nordica Beats "Merry Widow."

The largest advanced sale of the season is the record that was established at the Academy box office yesterday morning for the Nordica concert. The line of people waiting when the box office opened completely filled the lobby and extended well out on Eighth Street. Some excellent seats yet remain unsold, but the number is rapidly diminishing.

Among those who will attend are the students from the Woman's College and from the Westminster School, while the leading music teachers will be well represented, both in person and by their pupils.

That society will be out in force is shown by the heavy demand for box seats, a larger number having been sold than for any other event at the Academy this season.

FIRST ENGLISH LUTHERAN TO HAVE NEW CHURCH

Plans are now under way for the erection of a new church building by the congregation of First English Evangelical Lutheran Church. Although no definite steps have yet been taken, the pastor and members of the church feel assured that by September 6, 1910, the date set for the convention here of the United Synod, South, a handsome building will be completed at a cost of not less than $60,000.

The idea of getting into better quarters has long been discussed by the members, but until recently the question has been considered more or less perfunctorily. Now, however, the feeling is that a larger and better-equipped building is a necessity, and the vim with which members of the congregation and the pastor have gone to work on the undertaking makes the structure a certainty.

TAFT PLANS COMPLETE

Only a Few Minor Details Yet to Be Arranged.

Another conference of the committee having charge of the Taft rally at the Horse Show Building was held yesterday afternoon, after which it was announced that there had been practically no change in the plans heretofore arranged.

The committee will meet again to-day, and it is probable that the full program, including lists of the various committees, will be given out. While the speaking will be directly in charge of the Republican State organization a non-partisan committee on reception has been appointed, though the names of the members have not been made public. It is probable that some prominent men from Richmond will meet the Taft party either at Danville or South Boston. A number of State leaders, including Alvah H. Martin, national committeeman from Virginia, and perhaps Congressman Slemp will join the presidential candidate before he reaches Richmond.

LIVED AN EASY LIFE

Oscar Walker (Colored) Was Successful at His Trade Until Capt. Tomlinson Intervened.

Oscar Walker (colored), arrested by Captain Tomlinson on a charge of theft and in Police Court yesterday morning, was yesterday served with two warrants, charging housebreaking in addition to the theft. J. W. Warren swears that the negro broke into his bedroom and stole therefrom a coat and a pair of trousers.

Walker's game was to represent himself as a solicitor for a cleaning establishment. He cleaned the owners of suits out of their clothing, and then, it is said, pawned his gains. It was an easy living for the time being. Then Captain Tomlinson intervened.

M'CARTHY COUNCIL DINES

Three Members Are Elected and Eight Applications Are Received and Filed.

McCarthy Council, No. 48, Royal Arcanum, held an enthusiastic meeting last night in R. E. Lee Camp Hall. Three candidates were elected, and the applications of eight candidates were placed on file. Dr. W. Withers Miller, State regent, and State Deputy Harry Kemp, of Petersburg, and others made addresses before the council. After the business session a banquet was spread for the members and heartily enjoyed.

Speaking in Hanover.

Chairman H. G. Buchanan, of the Hanover County Democratic Committee announces the following appointments for Democratic speaking:

Rockville, October 24th, 3 P. M.
Puryear's Store, October 24th, 7 P. M.
Blunts, Oliver's Store, October 24th, 3 P. M.
Jones X Croads, October 28th, 7:30 P. M.
Montpelier, October 28th, 2 P. M.
Peaks Turnout, October 28th, 7:30 P. M.
Studley, October 28th, 3 P. M.
Old Church, October 29th, 4:30 P. M.
Cold Harbor, October 29th, 7:30 P. M.
Beaver Dam, October 31st, 7:30 P. M.

Former Governor Douglas Here.

Former Governor William L. Douglas, of Massachusetts, and Mrs. Douglas, are at the Jefferson Hotel. They came here on a brief pleasure trip. Mr. Douglas did not feel inclined yesterday to discuss politics.

NEED ADDITIONAL MONEY TO COMPLETE CITY AUDITORIUM

The Committee on Grounds and Buildings last night recommended a keeper for the grass plots on Monument Avenue, Cutshaw Place, Asbury Place and Allen Avenue. A letter was read from John T. Wilson, contractor for repairs on the Auditorium, saying that it would be necessary to expend an additional sum of about $640 to carry out the plans. The matter was referred to the Building Committee.

The committee again took up the plan for condemning the property on the southern base of Chimborazo Park. Other park improvements were recommended.

Addison to Speak.

LYNCHBURG, VA., October 15.—Mr. Walter B. Addison, editor of the Lynchburg News, will be the speaker at the weekly meeting of the Bryan-Kern-Glass Club Friday night.

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