

VAST AREAS LACK PASTORS

MINISTERS' CONFERENCE WILL DISCUSS SITUATION

More Than 500 Clergymen Already Have Accepted Invitations to Meeting Here.

Revelations showing that there are vast areas in Virginia where ministers of the Gospel are as rare as the most remote parts of China or India, will be among the facts placed before the Virginia conference of pastors, representing a dozen Protestant denominations, to be held in Richmond on March 1, 2 and 3, under the auspices of the Interchurch World Movement.

Already invitations to this conference have been accepted by 550 ministers and the meeting promises to be the largest assemblage of ministers ever held within the State. Among the principal purposes of this conference will be to establish a program of cooperation among the various denominations concerning the Interchurch World Movement, present facts showing the great need for more extensive religious endeavor, and relate the tremendous impetus already gained by this world evangelistic campaign.

Many Sessions Planned. This conference will be held in the Second Presbyterian Church and will open on the afternoon of Monday, March 1. There will be almost continuous sessions from that time on until the close of the conference, a score of noted speakers of State and national note being on the program.

Subjects relating to the foreign survey conducted by the Interchurch World Movement will be presented during the first afternoon and the morning of the second day will be devoted to education, hospitals, homes and industrial relations and the afternoon will be taken up with discussion of evangelism, the field program, the financial organization and the educational group.

One of the big features of the conference will be the discussion of the subject of the day, "The Church and the State," which will be held Tuesday evening when five departmental meetings will be held. These include the spiritual resources, life enrichment, stewardship and missionary education departments, along with the county organizations.

Many Will Attend. Eighty-five of the 100 counties in Virginia are represented in the 550 acceptances which have already been received at Virginia headquarters. This means that practically every community in the State will be given the benefit of the conference.

In order to enable speakers to present the subjects in the most telling manner, all who are on the program, have been given special training in training, familiarizing themselves thoroughly on every point in connection with the Interchurch World Movement and the facts to be presented to the conference.

In connection with the pastors' conference, a women's conference, to be attended by the leading religious, business and professional workers of the State, will be held in the Seventh Street Christian Church here, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 1, 2 and 3. The conference will open at 10 o'clock in the morning at the Hamilton Hotel, where the meeting will be presided over by Mrs. J. H. Stewart.

Women Hold Meeting. A committee of women representing the Presbyterian, Methodist and Lutheran Churches met in the Chamber of Commerce yesterday to formulate plans for the women's conference. The meeting was held in the Chamber of Commerce and was presided over by Mrs. J. H. Stewart.

Committee Are Named. The following committees were appointed yesterday: Executive Committee—Mrs. Hampton Fleming, chairman; Mrs. H. S. Dalton, Mrs. E. L. Spence.

Seeks Seat of Dent. MONTGOMERY, Ala., Feb. 21.—John H. Poyner of Montgomery, formerly chief justice of the local court, today formally announced himself as a candidate for Congress from the Second District in opposition to the incumbent S. H. Dent, Jr.

How Ex-Crown Prince Sizes Up Soldier Force

Here is how Friedrich Wilhelm, ex-Crown Prince of Germany, in his book, "The Soldiers of the World Wars," sizes up the soldiers of the principal belligerent nations in the Great War.

The doughboy—An improvisation, but one must admit, a highly successful one. Good hand-to-hand fighter because of training in sports. A brave warrior. The Tommy—A mixture of soldier and sportsman and a pioneer. Fought with conspicuous valor, though badly led. Splendid, thoroughly serious opponent, brave and tenacious. The Fella—Has greater aim, initiative and independence than German soldier, but also more sensitive and temperamental. Inferior to German as hand-to-hand fighter, but all-around brave opponent, deserving all respect. The Hun—Hungarian—Did great work, behaved heroically, was handicapped by army's racial diversity. Officers were too polite. The Hun—A well-armed and well-supplied, fought heroically against overwhelming odds. Not a good fighter. His work is written but not full credit.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Rev. Thomas W. Hooper, of Culpeper, in Richmond on a short visit and will preach at the First Presbyterian Church this morning and tonight. Mr. Hooper will also be in the city on the 23rd and 24th of the month.

State Executive Committee Invites Him to Declare Himself a Democrat and Comply With Primary Law.

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Mr. Gardner declares that the rule requiring that only Democrats might be entered in the primary April 29 was adopted February 6, before Mr. Hoover was even seriously considered as a candidate.

Several petitions placing Hoover in the primary race have been filed with the committee, as well as one presenting the name of William G. McGowan. As Mr. Hoover has declined to declare himself a member of either of the political parties, the committee decided last Thursday to write and ask if he cared to declare himself a Democrat so that his name might be entered as requested in the petitions and in compliance with the primary law.

SHIPYARD STRIKE SPREADS

Bollermakers at Pensacola Plant Join in Walkout to Enforce Demands.

PENSACOLA, Fla., Feb. 21.—Approximately 500 members of the bollermakers' trade today joined the walkout of the Blue Island Shipbuilding Company. According to union representatives, this makes about 1100 employees who have struck since the order issued Wednesday, after the company had failed to meet demands made by the employees.

TO SAVE CONSTANTINOPLE FROM GRIP OF THE TURK

Pulpit and Gabor Unite to Fight Continuance of Blood-Stained Rule.

LONDON, Feb. 21.—Several of the London papers today displayed large advertisements, headed "Menace to the Peace of the World," appealing to the trades unionists and public generally to forward protests to members of the House of Commons to use their influence to prevent handing back Constantinople to the blood-stained rule of the Turks.

This protest will be echoed in many of the Protestant and Catholic pulpits of the United Kingdom tomorrow. The supreme council's decision to keep the Sultan on the throne of Constantinople has surprised the country, and influential parliamentarians, notably Viscount Bryce and Mr. P. O'Hara, have started a campaign against the policy, which the Times, the Spectator, the Manchester Guardian, the Washington Gazette and other prominent papers are supporting.

SEES SOCIALIST MENACE

Senator Harding Warns of Reds Entering Employ of Government.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 21.—Under the mantle of patriotism, "Socialists and revolutionists" have entered government service and are seeking to undermine the American system, Senator Harding, Republican, Ohio, declared today at a press here tonight before the Manufacturers' Association.

Establishment of such "reformers" and the "undermining" of American life from war-time restrictions were among reconstruction problems named by Senator Harding.

"The greatest menace in America today," he said, "comes from those who have crept into service in the name of patriotism and seek to undermine the system which made the war possible. I believe the republic is more endangered by the invasion of public service by the peaceful Socialist than it is threatened by the radical who

16 GUNS BOOM SALUTE

GENERAL PERSHING GREETED BY CROWDS AT OLD POINT

Commander-in-Chief on Tour of Inspection of Hampton Roads Military Centers.

[By Associated Press.] OLD POINT, Va., Feb. 21.—Sixteen guns at Fort Monroe boomed a salute to General John J. Pershing when he reached here shortly before noon today to inspect the army posts of the Virginia Peninsula. The general was accompanied by his staff.

He was greeted by a cheering, surging crowd, many of them women. His first greeting with General Adelbert Cronkhite, commandant at Fort Monroe, was cut short when the crowd swept in and men, women and children grabbed for his hand.

From the station the general and staff went to the artillery school. There they conversed for a while, after which the entire party went to have luncheon with Colonel Darnes, chief of staff at the fort.

This afternoon General Pershing inspected the artillery school and the coast defenses at Fort Monroe. Tonight he was the guest of honor at a banquet and army reception. Tomorrow he will make three talks to the American Legion, one at Old Point, one at Norfolk and the other at Newport News. He also will speak at the city's Sunday meeting in Norfolk and inspect the Lambert's Point army base.

GEORGIA DEMOCRATS PLAN TO SMOKE OUT HERBERT HOOVER

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Notice has come from Washington designating Richmond as the central agency for the territory of Virginia, the United States government after March 15, 1921. At present Richmond is the headquarters for only about 1000 people, but after that date every county in Virginia will be in the district of Richmond.

WALSH ATTACKS METHOD OF TRADE COMMISSION

Says Plan Resembled Trying a Judge Before Jury Composed of Criminals.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Methods of inquiry adopted by the Senate committee investigating the Federal Trade Commission were attacked in the Senate today by Senator Walsh, Democrat, Montana, and defended by the committee chairman, Senator Townsend, Republican, Michigan.

Producing what he characterized as a "most extraordinary question" being sent out by the committee to firms against which the commission had issued restraining orders, Senator Walsh read from it the following question: "If a consent order was issued, did it actually affect your acts or was it

league to re-organize Appalachian Organization Disbanded in 1913, May Make Field Demands.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] BRISTOL, Va., Feb. 21.—Frank Moffatt, of Knoxville, Tenn., is planning to reorganize the Appalachian Baseball League, which was disbanded in 1913, according to information reaching here today. It is planned to organize the league as a class C circuit, and the cities likely to obtain berths are: Bristol, Roanoke, Lynchburg, Knoxville, Asheville, N. C., and Johnson City, Tenn.

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entered to save the face of the commission?" This question Senator Walsh declared to be "leading and unfair" and Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska, suggested that the method adopted by the committee was "similar to trying

a judge before a jury composed of criminals," he had retorted. Replying to a question, Senator Townsend said while no similar question had been sent to those who had been successful complainants before the commission it was the pur-

pose to question all who had any dealings with the commission or its agents. It said it was far from producing a chorus of wails, as Senator Walsh had suggested; the questioned defendants had been answered in language "very complimentary" to the commission.

Senator Townsend said the committee had no intention of going on an "expedition of persecution," and that was in touch with the members of the commission, who had been requested to co-operate in bringing out the truth.

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See How Your Teeth Look When the Film is Gone

There is on your teeth a slimy film. You can feel it with your tongue. It clings to the teeth, gets between the teeth and stays. The results are seen everywhere in cleaner, whiter teeth. Some of your own friends have them.

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The Tooth Wrecker

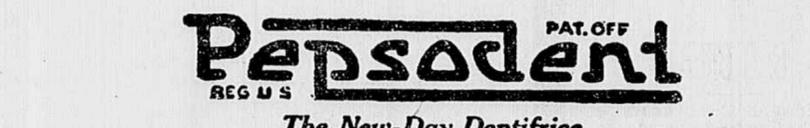
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We urge you to present the coupon. Get the 10-Day Tube and use like any tooth paste. Note how clean the teeth feel after using. Mark the absence of the slimy film. See how the teeth whiten—how they glisten—as the fixed film disappears. Compare the results with your old methods. Then let your own teeth decide the method best for you and yours. This is of lifetime importance. Don't neglect it. Cut out this coupon so you won't forget.



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