### THE CHRONICLE Strives to be a clean newspaper, complete, newsy and reliable.

### **VOLUMB XIX**

### CLINTON, S. C., THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 18th, 1919

The Clinton Chronicle



### **President Convinced Coun**try Stands Together for the court jury in the case of Hugh T. League of Nations.

On Board Pres. Wilson's Special Train, Sept. 10.-To a crowd which surrounded his private car counsel immediately after the protoday at Mandan, N. D., President nouncement of the verdist. Unless a Wilson declared a week of travel in the heart of the country had convinced-him that the nation stands be sentenced to death by electrocution together for an international guar- at the state penitentiary. antee of peace.

"I am glad to get out to see the real folks," he said. "To feel the touch of their hands and know as the state. Scores of witnesses were exhave come to know, how the nation amined and the defense staked all on stands together in the common pur- the plea that Bramlett was insane pose to complete what the boys did who carried their guns with them over the sea.

under a constant apprehension that we may have to sacrifice the flower of our youth again.

**Prominent Greenville Contractor Must** Go to Chair for Killing Mother-ina march across country yesterday Law Unless New Trial is Granted. Bramlett, contractor, a member of a

CLASH AVERTED

prominent Greenville family, who was tried for the murder of his mother-inlaw, Mrs. L. C. McHugh. Notice of a motion for a new trial was entered by new trial is granted either by a cir- lience of the chief executive of the nacuit judge or as a result of an appeal tion.

IN BRAMLETT CASE

MURDER VERDICT

to the supreme court Bramlett will

The jury deliberated only about an hour after a trial lasting eight days, which is the longest murder trial on record in the county and perhaps in when he shot his mother-in-law and sister-in-law at their home in Greenville on the night of June 18th, last. Bramlett drove his sedan automobile

"We may think that they fin- to Mrs. McHugh's home, stopped the ished that job, but they will tell car, bounded up the steps and fired you they did not, that unless we see three shots at Mrs. McHugh and daughter, Ieola. As he started back down to it that peace is made secure they the steps, he turned and fired another will have the job to do over again bullet into the prostrate form of his and we in the meantime will rest mother-in-law. A boarder sitting on the porch was not struck.

Bramlett, testifying in his own behalf said he remembered nothing of what happened at the McHugh home. "The whole country has made up He insisted he was justified in killing its mind what shall happen; and children from a bondage of hatred."

to San Francisco, is dedicated, Presi- had taken up the march without indent Wilson will deliver the address, the event to take place at the conven-

hourly telephonic conferences through- tion of the little army it was the de- trains were on the scene at 1:30. It IN MINE FIELDS out the greater part of the day be- termination to remedy the reported was 3:55 before the first train started tween Governor Cornwell in this city condition in Logan County. Some of away. In the meantime on the gov-Charlestown, W. Va., Sept. 7 .- The and Frank Keeny, president of Dis- the reports that reached the miners in ernor's desk was a telegram to Gen-

structions or counsel with President said to be false and misleading in-

several thousand miners who took up trict 17, United Mine Workers, the men the Kanawha field were that women eral Wood at Chicago, who has had were started back to their homes late and children were being murdered by two regiments of troops under waiting Greenville, Sept. 11.-A verdict of with the avowed purpose of forcing this afternoon from Danville and mine guards in Logan County and it orders at Camp Sherman for 24 hours. guilty, carrying the death sentence, non-union miners in Logan County to Clothier at which points they had was their determination to put a stop These troops were held under orders was returned tonight by a sessions organize were prevailed upon today camped overnight. They were brought to it. Saturday morning President to move at a moment's notice and just to desist in their efforts after almost back in special trains sent to the ren- Keeny was called upon by the gov- when the governor was about to give dezvous by the governor and the union ernor to go to the men who were at up hope of a peaceful dispersing of the the Ellipse in Washington, marking officials said that all will return to Danville, Boone County, and urge them men President Keeny telephoned that the start of the war department trip work tomorrow morning. The men to disperse and return to their homes. the men were boarding the trains and President Keeny notified the governor would move out at once. that the men had voted to return and

upon that notification three special Keeny. Rumors and reports that are trains were sent to bring the men back. It was expected that the men trains and said they would return as amed the miners and with one sec- would come back at once as the they came.

Three hundred men, who are at Clithier, nearby refused to board the

If You Don't Read The Clinton Chronicle

You Don't Get The

NEWS

NUMBER 36



is allowed for unnecessary debate, we will get out of this period of defense of insanity, and among the exdoubt and unite the whole force perts who testified that Bramlett was and influence of the United States insane, suffering from paranoia were to steady the world in the lines of Dr. J. W. Babcock, for twenty-five peace. And it will be the proudest years superintendent of the South Carthing and finest thing that America Dr. Isaac Taylor, owner of a hospital ever did. She was born to do these for mental diseases at Morganton, N. things and now she is going to do C. Local physicians also testified that them."

The speech was cheered by the crowd, which included many Indians. Then a woman called out:

"Where is Mrs. Wilson?" and the other took up the cry persistently until the first lady of the land appeared. There were cheers for her and the President as the ASK FOR BILLION train pulled out. .

At a number of other short stops during the day Mr. Wilson came out on the rear platform to shake hands, but on the whole it was a day of rest while his train sped westward, across the North Dako- matter of fact way in connection with ta plains. The only set speech during the day was at Bismark, the state capital, during a two hour peated reference to this large sum at noonday stop and for the first time the various stops in the transcontinensince he left Washington a week ago, there was no night addresses.

The Presidential Special picked up a second engine late today as it began to climb into the Rockies on one of the longest continuous pulls of its ten thousand mile journey. The next scheduled stop after Bismark was at Billings, Montana, where the President will speak tomorrow morning.

## SIR EDWARD CARSON

ist.

Belfast, Tuesday, Sept. 2.-Sir Ednion has made untold wealth in Eng-

presently, after a reasonable time secuted him, and continually came between him and his wife and children. Around this story counsel built the olina Hospital for the Insane, and they believed him to be insane. The State introduced a score of witnesses to rebute the testimony of insanity. The case was hard fought throughout by

> a brilliant array of counsel. Bramlett is the fifth person to be convicted of first degree murder at the present term of the court, a record unparalleled in this state.

### TO BUILD ROADS Experts See Need for Enormous Sum to Construct Federal Highway Sys-

tem. Idea Meets Approval. Washington, Sept. 6.- A billion dollars is the sum now mentioned in a the building of a Federal Highways system. Word reaches the national capital that Dr. S. M. Johnson's retal journey of the U.S. Army motor transport corps invariably invokes the most emphatic sort of approval. This has been particularly the case in the extreme western country, where the need of highways is vital and essential to early development. Dr. Johnson, who is a member of the executive committee of the A. A. A. good roads board, thus summarizes the national roads problem:

"The unpaved parts of the United States are held back in their development precisely as are the unpaved parts of a city; and the unpaved part FLAYS NORTHCLIFFE is the part where the food is produced, while the paved parts, especially the Publisher Described as Devotee of Man cities, are suffering because the un-Hunting and Absentee Irish Capital- paved parts lag. To correct social cleavage and excessive costs, we must rave the road beds of the lagging reward Carson, in opening a new anti- gions, and we must do it now. The home rule campaign here tonight made financial loss due to operation of our a fierce attack upon Viscount North- rolling stock upon improper road beds cliffe, the newspaper proprietor who is so great that it must not be permithe styled as "the greatest absentee ted to continue. The greatness and Irish capitalist and the greatest ex- urgency of the task makes quick acample of an Irishman who under the tion on a large scale an imperative

harves were the chief meeting-plac the sailors. And there they would gather, uffing their pipes of rich Virginia tobacco, while telling merry tales of foreign porte and of recent happenings in the colonies. -Carly Virginia Settlere

# Don't lose any of that good Virginia-Carolina Taste

VIN-ripened-mellow Virginia-• Carolina tobacco has a lively, appetizing taste that other tobaccos do not have.

But, mark this-Virginia-Carolina tastes best when smoked straight. Mixing it with other leaf takes away some of that fine fullness of flavor.

If you want the real Virginia-Carolina flavor - all of it - smoke Piedmont.

The Virginia - Carolina Cigarette

ecessity."

### land.

"He dearly loves man hunting," Sir Edward said. He hunted Earl Kitchener, Field Marshal Viscount French, Viscount Jellicoe, Viscount Milner and J. Austen Chamberlain and more recently Premier Lloyd George. I have lion dollars. thought this over and believe to have found a solution to the question. It is to make Viscount Northcliffe prime minister. The only disadvantage would be that as prime minister, he would have to meet in parliament face Northcliffe, betrays every interest into face those he assails and could not trusted to him.

Following Dr. Johnson's talk at Ogden, the business. organizations of that city wired the Utah senators and representatives urging that the amount in the Townsend bill for a Federal system be increased to a bil-When the permanent milestone on attack them from the editorial armchair. What a statement! It is a man .who, when he pleases Viscount

NOTE-Virginia-Carolina tobacco, unlike foreigngrown tobaccos, has no Import duty to pay. That is why Piedmont's quality does not cost you more. Import duty does not make a cigarette taste any better. Why not get all your money's worth in tobacco quality?