THE SUMTER WATCHMAN, Estab bed April, 1850.

"So Just and Fear not-Det all the ends Thou Abush at he thy Country's Thy mod's and Textis's"

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FOR AMERICA TO QUIT HOLLAND DAY IN PARIS

Over Coming of President Wilson.

tee Completes the Twice on Sabbath Work.

Day.

Hall.

in Paris City Not Wanted He Declines to Leave.

Paris Making a Vast Fete Resignation of Brand Commit-President Wilson Goes to Church Address Delivered at Meeting Officially Notified That He Is Committee Will Ask Legislapropriation.

ENTRY INTO CITY MADE SEN. SMITH'S VIEWS ON VISITS LAFAYETTE'S AT TEN O'CLOCK THE COTTON SITUATION

TELLS OF AMERICAN TOMB AFTERWARDS SYMPATHY FOR FRANCE

CONTINUED PRESENCE A THE GREAT SESSION MENACE TO HOLLAND

WILL END TO-DAY

city's latest guest.

troops in solid array.

President Wilson's coming.

The city is making a vast fete over

Luncheon For Wilson

Woodrow Wilson and Mrs.

Wilson.

"It is very delightful," he said,

find myself in France and feel the

tives of the United States and France

self, but I feel that what I have said

and tried to do, has been only an at-

teople of the United States truly and

President Wilson Places Wreath

en Tomb of Friend of

America.

today he insisted on taking his own

wie th contrary to the custom her-

by which the florist data era the

wreath and the denor later makes the

explaining to the florist, who could

On his personal card President

"In memory of the areat Lagayet

Entirely usannotine dethe presiden

drove to the Gid Pichus Cemeter

where the amozed cuts keeper wes

gates when he learned who his calle-

wish spread capably to the convent

out to pay their respects to the Amer-

Italy's Heavy Losses

Casualties Among Officers Were

Serious.

Rome, Saturday, Dec. 11 - Duriu

the war the Italian army lost 15.69

officers Filled, and mare than 22.00

wounded seriously, the minister of war declared in the service.

that Hely is not be a positive to a

war material should remain intact

The immediate difficulties to be su-

prounted had not disconshed, but he

Long Casualty List

taly's Losses in War Reach

The news of the president's

and drove to the totals

ic n chief executive

Wilson wrote this inscription:

from a fellow servant of liberty."

elot and leaves his cord. The presi-

to carry that thought into action."

President Visits

President of the United States Says Outlook Brighter Than at Residents of French Capital United States Entered War Be-Former Tyrant of Germany Re-Says It is Proposed to Bring the Welcomed By President of Any Time Since War Between States. France and High Officials.

Paris, Dec. 14.—President Wilson Washington, Dec. 13.—Senator E. made his entry into Paris at 10.15 D. Smith was this afternoon informed this morning, his agrical being greet- by Cheirman Deruch of the war indused by a salvo of artiflery in rulus. The shound that the resignation of the huge crowds were massed about the Grand committee on cotton distribu-Beis de Boulogne station and as Prese tion had been accepted. This comident Wilson alighted at the year a pletes what Senator Smith had been cheer went up that left no doubt as to urging on Mr. Barach, the remeval of posted in preparation for the coming of States, for whom I have the privated in preparation for the coming of States, for whom I have the private in preparation for the coming of States, for whom I have the private in the coming of States, for whom I have the private in the coming of States, for whom I have the private in the coming of States, for whom I have the private in the coming of States. the cordiality of the welcome to the all governmental rectainings on the otion trade in this country that were-The president was greeted by Press ; et into elect because of the wur. The ident and Madame Poincare, Premier price-fixing committee come to an Clemenceau and other high official, and a week or more ago.

He entered the carriage with Press As to the export situation. Con. Cent Poincare while Mrs. Wilson Coethals today informed the secretary Miss Margaret Wilson and Mrs. Point of war that the army could release to care followed in another carriars the shipping board 100 cessels for use The party drove to the residence of in the export trade, and it is under-Prince Murat, where the Wilsons will stood that the shipping bound will alreside while in the capital. The enscrete about one-fourth of these to tire route was lined with French the cotton ports.

"pply and demand brighter for high- church-geer, would choose a church legause we know how profoundly prices for cotton than it has been ince the civil war," said Senator mith tenight. "The world, with Ger- the paster, took his text from the ation." ony and her allies eliminated, is: s neuming fourteen and a half million Issiah. He dwelt on the necessity of President Poincaire Entertains to be of American cotton.

menty country is opened to cotton it all possible a market for something the last stage in the constitution of a Paris, Dec. 14.—President and We 3.600, 00 bales additional. About society of nations. The edifice was Madame Poincare gave a luncheon today at the Palais de Elysee, in hon- leased for port trade. There will The president took part as he would if or of President and Mrs. Wilson, Press, probably he a demand for 15,800,000 ident Wilson replying to the toast of or 16,000,000 bales of American cot-President Poincare said that he was ten, with the supply totally incomdeeply indebted for the gracious greet. "thate to theet it."

Dr. Paes Killed

quick contact of sympathy and unatfected friendship between representa President of Portugal Assassinated Saturday-Slaver is You have been generous in what you Lynched By Crowd. have been pleased to say about may-

London, Dec. 15. Dr. Sidorio Pie esident of Portugal. was shot and tempt to speak the thought of the Gled by ar assassin shortly before raidnight Saturday at Lisbon wantire s a train to openio. Advices fro hishen reporting the assessination st he was struck to three builter President Paes died within a few mutes after he was shot. LaFayette's Grave The president's associant, against boral wreath. -the, was killed by the crowd,

Lower dispetch from Lisbon. the act of the famous Frenchman who help d sin was lynched a the crowd. Paris, Dec. 15. When President the interior, has assumed the president to the Murat residence. Wilson went to the tomb of LaFatette dency.

Canned president of Portugal on last the president. It was remarked that toged in the comber, 1917, and was the sun broke through the nurk dent sent Admiral Crayson to pay the named president of the provisions' clouds for the first time in days an wreath and after some difficulty in recomment on December 9, a fet wegan to dry up the middle streets ays more than a year before he was The sun lit up the city in all its flut not understand why the traditional

Dr. Pars was a professor of mattheemitors was being broken, obtained iwhen he entered the Portuguese boulevards. There was no space what abinet in 1911 as minister of public ever on the sideways works. At the outlineak of the was cothered in the Place de la Concordage and remained in Berlin wath can reissien. The crowd jamme

declared that Portugal would con- tache, everying a case of official by Big Reduction Announced By nue in arresement with the alless pers was surrounded and carefully in egainst Germany. One of his earst spected by admiring Frenchmen and nearby and as he left he passed acts after being proclaimed president women, the uch lines of act I mus who came was to take active steps for greater on becoming a white walking in the street of Lisbon, by Pres was and at the the shot went wild. It

Glass Sworn in

New Secretary of Treasury Entored Unon Discharge of Daties To-Day.

Vin the statement in ted was see-

Arrests in Portugal Assassin of President Pae

Was Member of Young Republican League.

Turn Out En Masse in Effort to Get Glimpse of American Executive.

Paris, Dec. 15. President Wilson Paris, Dec. 16. President Wilson st sat his first Sunday in Paris by as overed an address today at the city te than the temb of Lafayette and e clemencau and another with col. E. M. House. In the evening he available, that the recode of the Pait-

made a short call on President and wrongs of war because we knew the Madaine Poincare at the Palace of the factorer in which they were perpetrat-

winth verse of the minth chapter of spregneting political and civil iff with idealize and showed how the averaging Maj. William S. Manning Fel The Acreage Seeded in Winter

The church was the American Erec not Church of the Holy Trivity, th Rishop of South Chrolina, the if Trev. W. A. Cherry, efficiating. The president visited the temb_pr

In Payette in the Picture Cometery in evice operative, and a French of

on the somb he hewed his head and Parts, because it - According to a stood alent before the resting place America in her fight for liberty. It Tablesonini Park so, the minister of made no speech whotsoever. He then

In the meantime all the resider: of Paris apparent's had turned out tie, And who Then was formuly pro- by the hope of sections a glimpse of one 2. He header a reveal in Per- he Wilson buck gurs continuing, fe tering banners and flags.

sation in the University of Colubbs, that everyone in Paris was on the was Portugue & reinister to Ger . Some the hendespriers of the Ameri arly part of 1916, when he returned about the doors and took keen but et in every American passing in o provisional president that out. The most inconsequential at

> Weather Prevents Meetings

Owing to the wather conditions of the gareer sint of the weather for ment few days, and the furthof that the roads of the county are u terrilde condition. It has been de and to call off every unetting in the nterest of the public health schedul I to be held this took of Mayesville inteligrat No. 100 of Bombort schools

Dr. Chin.'s Big thra Damaged Satnedat Atternoon.

cause the People Realized That Great Wrongs Must Be Resisted by Lovers of Liberty

o hard, he said "It is with no ordinary trenucus week of preliminary con- ferre of speaking. have viewed the sufferings of the people of France. We During the afternoon the president were more deeply moved by the ed. When the United States enterin the moraing the president, ac- war therefore, they were moved I companied by Mrs. Wilson and Admir- the conviction that the purposes of Crayson and by secret service men, the central empires were wrong an went to the American Presbyterian must be resided by men everywher. The Largest Crop Planted in addressed by various influential eduwent to the American Presbyterian must be resisted by men everywhere cracing was known to only a few of cause of the illicit ambitions they the American colony who had guessed there enertaining and attempting to "I consider the outlook based on he American colony and had guessed configer our resolution was formed a reat principles were affected, but The Rev. Chaunces W. Goodrich, our hearts moved also with our reso- WHEAT FIELDS OF U. S.

A Hero's Death

Gallantly Leading His Men.

The following letter has been re-Gred by Cov. Mouning from Cen. Kuba, commander of the TSth Divisn, in which Maj William S. Manor specialis Near Verdun Nov. 22, 1918

My Dear Sir. Before this can rese or the war department will certain ev- acquainted you with the death in ction of your son, Major William S. Manning, 316th Infantry of the 79t.

I write you as a man and father to they be and the short spath that eme specifice he sat an example

courage and devotion to daty white erves as an inspiration for the out re ommand. Almost from the organization of th th Division, some 11 months ago

ay attention was colled to Major, the aptain Manning. His ability, so! Herly bearing and centlemanly cov just won for him the regard and se pect of all his commides who deeply Major Manning received his prom

in the very day the division enterie line on the belights north of Ve un and east of the Mouse where he thing was in progress. He fell, gal ratty leading his men, one wer ster. November 5th. I have recommended that the Di-

tinguished Service Cross be awarded for extraordinary callentry in action ed trust it will be granted. Very sincerely. Joseph E. Kuhn.

Major General 79th Division

Telephone Rates Cut Postmaster General.

Washington, Dec. 15. Sweeping refactions in long distance and toll telobone rates by the adoption of a basis charge of six and one-fourth total note, air tine nall agr, and ball the bey note for tight service up to toil night and one-fourth the day rate afr the hour, were amounted ted-Postmuster General Burleson, t became effective next January 21. de standardization and Mr. Burle

on's statement suid their effect is a mulize the foll and long distant harges ever the emetry, "removita spanishes and presented and proordine a refeatible less for future re Specience contact by the first purification e topologic and toleroph wires pre-

Roll Call Week

The Campaign Opens for New Members.

It I claus Christmas Roll Call.

fuses to Consider Rights and Wishes of Others. Amsterdam, Dec. 16,-The former columbia, Dec. 14,-A \$25,000 ap-

sman emporer, the Telegram says proprietion from the next general asgarage twice to chareh, laying a had, where coremonies were arranged it understands, has refused to leave ledand after official representations of generate Eliteracy from South Caroare some in Helland is likely to in- the Haterley Committee, which con-

History of the United States.

Wheat Sixteen Per Cent Greater Than Last Year and Damages in Belgium Condition Good.

tachington, Pec. 16.—The largest give when ever ever grown in the dery of the United States is promcereage is a most six n per cent larger than last year d totals 19.027,000 acres. A crop-765,000,000 hushels, 80,600,000 ore than the best record is forecast. the condition on December 1st was 5.5 per cont of normal.

Hun Bolsheviki Active

Hamburg Council Demands the The Government Control of Merchant Marine.

he merchant marine has been deanded by the Sailor's Council form d at Hamburg, according to a Berilispatch. The council threatens to ik all ships if their demands are at complied with. The council insts that financing be borne by the

Money for Survey

Sumter Civic League Makes Contribution for Health Campaign.

The public spirited ladies of the sumter Civic League have turned over to the Suinter Chamber of Commerce 'd Press). - Dispatches reporting the \$37,35 to be applied to the \$3,300,60 prival of President Wilson in Paris und being mised for the county health are displayed prominently by the Berunvey and twelve menths health in newspapers. The president's ut-Phis money was secured from a hone- softeles new pland that they were dest picture shown at the Ret Theatre brough the courtesy of Mr. S. E. Miller, the proprieter of that theatr who always helps out in every pubic enterprise for the good of the

ne ladios of the Sunter Civi League enthusiastle by endersed the alth survey and visiting nurlous, and have been zealously work sector both of these desirable instrucontainties for conserving health and

The Sunter Civic Leavue members me, personally contributed also to these health conserving agencies and will continue to week for the better mapt of rural bealth conditions natif the required \$2,200 is in the band this money will be subscribed.

Uprising in Spain

King Has Been Asked, to Suspend Parliament.

Madrid, Dec. 16. Premier Point opes, after a caterior meeting, call ed to consider seriors outbreaks Catalonia, has issued a note declaring The directo secure members to that the him has been asked to ster

Peris Lonors Wilson

Reception and Luncheon at City mail. This Afternoon.

Work Under Directon of the State Superintendent of Education.

sensity to conduct a campaign to ad been made that his continued pag will be asked by the South Carothe that country in serious diffi- chaled a two day institute here toright. It is proposed to have the law or drafted that the direction of the work will be under the State superintendent of education. Compensation of \$2 an hour to teachers of the and adult schols, \$1 to be paid by the that, and the other by the county, Il be provided. In those counties hich will not bear their proportionthe share the compensation will be \$1 an hour. The institute, which was South Carolina must do something at once in an offort to stamp out the hilight of illiteracy, and the commission received much encouragement from various sources. wtI assto a from various sources. It was stated WILL PREVENT FAMINE that the Federation of Women's Clubs is interested in the movement and will fight for the passage of the proposed law through the legislature.

lovernment Proposes to Limit Compensation to Material Lost.

Brussels, Sunday, Dec. 15,-The taleian government has submitted to perliament c bill limiting compensation for war damages to material losses, excluding those based on mor-

The senate has declared strongly in vor of the restoration of the duchy Luxemburg to Relgium.

Work Is Stopped

Copenhagen, Dec. 16,-Control of Plumbers and Steam Fitters Demand \$1.25 an Hour.

> Sheffield, Ala., Dec. 16.-Union plumbers and steamfitters employed the government nitrate plant walkd out this morning after demanding an increase in wages to \$1.25 per hour. According to the union men, 445 men walked out.

Now Admits Mistake Berlin Newspapers Deceived as

to Wilson's Policies.

Berlin, Dec. 15.—(By the Associatempagn of equention, and a visiting teranoes are being scanned carefully. thine I autre for the rural districts of Newspapers which formerly were uinter county during the year 1919. Sovemost in attacking the president's

Dye Plant Explosion

leveral Persons Killed and Much Property Damaged.

Now York, they is. Fire, followed ly an explosion in the plant of the American Antique Products Company injured a number of persons, and damaged much surrounding property.

Poles Against Germany

New Government Has Severed Relations With Berlin.

Amsterdam, Dec. 16. Poland has stored relations with Germany, acsedimento a telegram received at Corlin Trom Warsaw.

Guest of Academy

President Wilson Will Attend Rece tion Thursday.

Paris, 160, 16 President Wilson and then by the members.

Party for the Property Court Takes Holiday

New York, Dec. 15 - Itely, will population of only 26 electric and and 5.500 and peen called to the suffered approximately

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Million and Half.

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of his own denomination.

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To a foreign observer it appeared

THEE AT DAIRY.

the Samueley a Demision there are tured on her arches China's Amer