

### THE WEATHER

Showers tonight or Sunday; not much change in temperature; moderate southwest winds.

## HOOVER PARTY IS BOUND FOR WEST BRANCH

### Presidential Candidate to Spend Short Time at His Birthplace in Iowa.

By JAMES L. WEST  
(Associated Press Staff Writer)  
Hoover Train Enroute to Grand Canyon, Ariz., Aug. 18.—(AP)—Reluctantly leaving the state of his adoption, Herbert Hoover today was heading for his birthplace at West Branch, Iowa, where he will spend a day and night amid his boyhood scenes before beginning to earnest the task the Republican Party has set for him.

His last day in California gave him his first taste of political campaigning and it appeared not only that he liked it, but also that he would surprise even his closest friends as to his ability as a stump speaker before election day.

Booked for only a single speech, that at Los Angeles, the presidential candidate was called upon on four other occasions and he responded with well chosen phrases, which went to make up what some of those accompanying him regarded as even better efforts than some of his prepared talks.

His fellow Iowans, now residents of Long Beach, disregarded Hoover's expressed wishes and called upon him for a talk, and his fellow Californians at Pasadena did likewise.

To the vast crowd at the last named city he expressed his dislike at leaving California, but said he had been called to a task in the performance of which he knew every California's heart went out to him. "The moral and intellectual stature of the people of California is such," he said, "that if it is lived up to by the contenders the contest ahead will be carried on upon the highest plane of American thought and feeling."

Thus the nominee voiced publicly what he had said privately several times that so far as he is concerned the campaign will be free from personalities and will be conducted upon a level in keeping with dignity of the office of President.

Going into Arizona early today, Hoover had an engagement to meet Republican county chairmen at Williams and to confer with them at Grand Canyon, where his party will spend the afternoon and evening, leaving at midnight tonight for Albuquerque, N. M.

Since the administration of this state is Democratic, Arizona officials did not join the candidate to accompany him across its borders. In New Mexico, Hoover will be joined by Senator Bronson Cutting and other Republican leaders for a general discussion of the political outlook there.

## FIND RELICS OF STONE AGE

### Asiatic Expedition Makes Discoveries Dating Back 150,000 Years Ago.

Peking, Aug. 18.—(AP)—Men armed with weapons of stone and women adorned with the spoils of the hunt lived 20,000 years ago in what is now the Gobi Desert, relics discovered by the central Asiatic expedition led by Dr. Roy Chapman Andrews indicate.

"These people were wonderfully clever," Dr. Andrews said. "They lived apparently in a transition period between the old and new stone ages. The countryside was saturated with people and they hunted in the wood, fished in the lakes and streams and built shelters on the dunes of skins, bark and timber.

"There are great areas of traces of these people, who lived thereabouts for thousands of years."

At the time they lived in the area it was a fertile land with trees and lakes and plentiful annual rainfall. Now the climate has changed and the country is not so thickly populated and the discovery of the new fossil area in ancient lake beds indicated the effect a change in climate had.

Cave implements showed that man was beginning to reach that stage results formerly accomplished solely with hands, bones indicated the race subsisted chiefly on birds and frogs. There were traces of a breed of horses and asses indicating that they used beasts of burden.

Women adorned themselves with necklaces of fox teeth and wore bone rings on their fingers or in their ears. For weapons, the men had stone knives and arrow and spear heads of flint and agate.

## PRINCE DEDICATES WAR MEMORIAL



Crown Prince Leopold and Princess Astrid of Belgium witnessing a fete at the city hall in Mons where they recently unveiled a memorial to those who fell during the battle of Mons.

## Democrats Make Strong Bid For Farm Sections; G. O. P. Looking South

By BYRON PRICE  
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

Washington, Aug. 18.—(AP)—The Democratic bid for the farm states and the Republican invasion of the south both have come into clearer perspective during another week of political activity paced by the fast-stepping issues of prohibition, religion and farm relief.

Governor Smith apparently has taken into camp a considerable group of farm leaders, who already are beginning to suit their actions to the words of challenge that rang through the Republican convention hall at Kansas City. Secretary Hoover, now the formally ordained captain of Republican destinies, has given his personal attention to the call of dry southern Democrats for his leadership.

The religious issue, talked of in private life from one end of the country to the other, has been publicly pronounced the paramount question of the campaign by a leader of bolting Democrats in Alabama and a religious editor from Boston.

Farm relief has stood most often before the footlights during the passing week. Mr. Hoover's farm pronouncement in his speech of acceptance was received with much Republican applause in the farm country. Former Governor Lowden, silent since the nomination of his rival on a farm plank not of the Lowden pattern, issued a statement of praise tempered by an expression of doubt as to the working of the Hoover farm aid plan. In Iowa, a hotbed of McNary-Haugenism, Senator Brookhart and every Congressman except Representative Haugen, lauded the Hoover pronouncement.

On the Democratic side, Governor Smith's conference with farm leaders at Albany was impressive partly because the group included two who had been delegates to the Kansas City convention, Earl C. Smith of Illinois, and Frank W. Murphy of Minnesota. Publicly the group went no further at Albany than to say in a joint statement that they were pleased at the governor's attitude. Since then, the Illinois Smith without referring directly to the New York Smith, has told a gathering of Illinois farmers that the time has come to forget party lines and vote for farm relief. Murphy, even before he went to Albany, said he was "against Hoover."

In three of the farm belt states, the weak saw other developments shoulder their way into the political news columns.

"Brother Charlie" Bryan of Nebraska, despite the family dryness, came out for Smith because of the farm relief issue. Republican Senator Schall of Minnesota announced he could not support Hoover "actively" because he did not agree with him on farm relief, and Republican Senator Baline of Wisconsin publicly assailed the Republican presidential nominee on a charge of seeking to hide from the voters "the outstanding corruptionists of the Harding-Coolidge administration."

Much more is to be heard about farm relief in the week ahead. Hoover's running mate, Senator Curtis of Kansas, and himself the author of several pieces of farm legislation in the past is to deliver his acceptance speech late today at Topeka. Hoover himself is on his way from the Pacific coast to a three-day pow-wow with mid-western leaders in Iowa, during which he will deliver an address devoted to agriculture. Governor Smith has promised to deal with the farm

relief issue in detail in his own acceptance speech next Wednesday at Albany.

Most of the public discussion of prohibition hinges for the present around Secretary Hoover's acceptance declaration against the repeal of the 18th amendment, and against any modification that would mean nullification. Dry leaders the country over hailed this announcement as a clear-cut bone dry commitment, although it was pointed out by Mr. Hoover's close advisers that he did not mention the Volstead act by name and did refer to certain abuses which must be remedied.

So great was the outpouring of praise from southern drys that the nominee listened attentively to promises that the south could be won over from the Democrats, and tentative plans were made for him to deliver one or two speeches in that section later in the campaign. Chairman Work even went so far as to predict that the south would be a real battleground.

The victory of the Anti-Saloon League in nominating most if not all of its major candidates in the Ohio primaries was pronounced by the Republican leaders a promising sign of a Hoover dry sweep in the mid-west, a conclusion promptly disputed by the Democrats.

At Albany, the Democratic nominee talked with such dry leaders as Glass of Virginia, who emerged from the executive mansion as silent as when he entered; Daniels of North Carolina, who said he was satisfied Smith would enforce the law; and others.

A third declaration in Secretary Hoover's Stanford University address which evoked widespread discussion was his condemnation of religious intolerance. But it did not quiet the religious issue. Nor does Gov. Smith's sharp exchange with Dr. John Roach Straton, evidently marking the collapse of negotiations for a joint debate, appear to have ended public discussion of Smith's fitness for public leadership.

Plain speaking on the religious issue, accompanied by clamor and disorder, rocked a gathering of scholars at a University of Virginia public forum. The Rev. Albert C. Dieffenbach of Boston, editor of the Christian Register, argued that no Roman Catholic should become President because that church never has renounced "its absolute claim to primacy over the state." He was answered by a half dozen, who mixed charges of "bigotry" with allusions to the "political parsons" of Protestants.

## Hassell Takes Off On Second Leg Of Flight to Sweden

Cochrane, Ont., Aug. 18.—(AP)—Bert Hassell and Parker Cramer took off here at 12:12 p. m., Eastern Standard time, for Mount Evans, Greenland, on the second leg of their flight from Rockford, Ill., to Stockholm, Sweden.

A big crowd watched the air-men make a perfect ascent from the temporary runway and point their monoplane, the Greater Rockford, toward Mount Evans, 1,600 miles away. They had been delayed here two days by rain, but the skies cleared this morning and weather conditions were reported favorable over most of the route.

## WALSH THROWS HIS WEIGHT TO SMITH FORCES

### Montanan Confers With Gov. Smith and Then Fires Broadside at Republicans.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 18.—(AP)—The banner of the veteran senatorial investigator, Tom Walsh, of Montana, flown for a time on a separate standard in last summer's battle for the Democratic Presidential nomination, was hoisted higher than ever today in the camp of Gov. Smith.

Walsh came to town yesterday to get better acquainted with the man he opposed for a time in the prevention struggle and to talk over the political situation in general. He had not been in conference an hour at the executive mansion before he prepared a two-fisted attack against the Republican standard bearer, assailed one of his former Democratic senatorial colleagues for bolting his party, and praised Gov. Smith as a man who would introduce a "human element" at Washington.

Like Gov. Smith, the Montana senator is a Catholic but an ardent dry. In his fight for the nomination he had the support of William G. McAdoo, Gov. Smith's famous rival at the Madison Square Garden convention four years ago, but after his failure in the California primaries he withdrew in favor of the New York Governor.

In his statement, Walsh said that the election of Gov. Smith "would introduce into our national councils something of the human element sadly lacking under the regime of Coolidge and Mellon."

"I believe," he added, "that a Republican struck a responsive chord when he said he was going to vote for Smith because he wanted to see a smile in the White House."

He and the Democratic nominee were not on agreement on some questions "widely considered," Walsh said, but he thought "it were vain to look for a candidate with convictions representing millions of voters who likewise have convictions and agreeing with them all on all questions."

The most that can be hoped for, he believes, is "that he shall be with them on fundamentals—that on the whole he shall be found more satisfactory to them than his opponent."

Walsh directed a bitter attack against the Republican Presidential candidate and the Democratic bolter without mentioning their names.

Apparently referring to former Senator Owen, of Oklahoma, the Montanan asserted that "an honored but more or less erratic Democrat from the West, who served with distinction with me in the senate has gone over to the Republican party by reason of Governor Smith's affiliating with Tammany—cheerfully or decidedly aligning himself with an organization that avoirds itself of the aid of the Vane and Mellon machines in Pennsylvania and the big Bill machine in Illinois, all three of which made contributions of moment to the choice of candidates with whom my friend casts his fortunes."

"If one is to be judged by his political associates, how shall the Republican nominee escape condemnation?" he asked. "He sat in the cabinet with Fall and Daugherty without ever raising his hand to thwart their villainies while they were being perpetrated or raising his voice in condemnation of them after they were exposed."

"The shocking iniquities of two other official associates, Forbes and Mellon, escaped his notice if they were not shielded by his tolerance. As remarked by a shrewd lady in a letter made public by the press, 'I from his vantage point he didn't know in a general way what was going on, he hasn't ability enough to be President of the United States.'"

## FIND KYTLE'S PLANE NEAR OLD FORT, N. C.

Old Fort, Aug. 18.—(AP)—The mail plane in which John Kytile, Atlanta-New York air mail pilot was flying Wednesday night when he became lost and crashed into a mountain near here, was located late last night by a searching party and the mail today was being taken to Grenesboro by automobile.

The searching party of mountaineers said Kytile could have found little worse place for a plane to land. The plane was found on the edge of Southern Bluff. The wings were hanging in a tree and the nose of the plane was jammed into the earth. Immediately below was an abrupt drop of 40 or 30 feet and a single misstep by the pilot after landing probably would have meant death.

New Fort, the portion of Old Fort which was flooded, today still was without electric lights or water.

## Three Rivers At Flood Stage In Eastern Carolina

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 18.—(AP)—The Roanoke, Cape Fear and Neuse rivers in Eastern North Carolina were headed toward flood stages today, according to reports received by the local Weather Bureau. A forty-foot stage for the Roanoke at Weldon was indicated for tomorrow, while the Cape Fear was expected to reach 35 feet, just under the damage flood mark, at Fayetteville today. An overflow of the Neuse at Smithfield today or tomorrow was forecast with a predicted flood stage of 15 feet.

The Highway Department announced that high waters would close Route 40 at Roanoke Rapids today.

## KELLOGG OFF FOR PARIS TO SIGN TREATY

### Important Pact for Renunciation of War to Be Signed in Paris August 27th.

Washington, August 18.—(AP)—Secretary Kellogg was on the high seas today, bound for Paris, where the Multi-Lateral Treaty for the renunciation of war, in the formulation of which he took a leading part, is to be signed on August 27.

Accompanied by Mrs. Kellogg and three State Department aides, the Cabinet officer sailed from New York late last night on the French steamship Isle De France. Among his fellow passengers was W. L. Mackenzie King, Premier of Canada, who will sign the treaty, on behalf of his Government.

Mr. Kellogg and his party were met at the dock by Felix Laschen, Assistant Director of Passenger Traffic for the French Line and by Captain Joseph Blancart of the Isle De France. After an exchange of greetings, the secretary was shown to his quarters and then passed under Kleig lights on the promenade deck.

"Everything I have to say," he told reporters, "has been stated. I am delighted to be on my way on the ocean to consummate this most important service of the Nation to peace."

The new peace treaty arose originally from a suggestion by Foreign Minister Briand of France, that the Washington and Paris Governments enter into a pact outlawing recourse to war in their dealings with each other. Mr. Kellogg replied with a proposal that the treaty be thrown open to other nations and conducted negotiations to that end, with the result that the pact, after revisions in text to meet the objections of France and Great Britain, has met the acceptance of fourteen nations—all the states that were invited to become original signatories. After ratification, it will be open to adherence by any nation in the world.

Under the pact, the Signatory States would renounce warfare as an instrument of national policy and bind themselves to use only pacific means in the settlement of whatever disputes or differences should arise among them, regardless of their nature or origin. The preamble sets forth specifically that should the treaty be broken, all Signatories would be released automatically from their obligations under the pact to the offending state, and the treaty breaking Government would be deprived of the benefits otherwise derived from the compact.

Before returning to America, Mr. Kellogg will visit Dublin and London. In the former capital he will repay the visit of President Cosgrave of the Irish Free State to Washington last winter.

The State Department aides who sailed with the secretary were William H. Beck, his private secretary; Spencer Phenix, technical adviser; and Michael J. McDermott, who will attend to press relations.

## Appeal for Aid Storm Sufferers of Greene County

Numbers of people in the storm stricken area of Pitt county are destitute and in serious need of aid, according to information issued today by members of the American Red Cross who have taken the situation in charge.

Funds are now being raised to provide relief for the sufferers and Greenville and Pitt county people have been called on for help. All contributions to this fund should be sent direct to the Reflector, Miss Winnie Harper, Snow Hill, or H. G. Robinson, Welfare Officer of Greene county.

## MORROW GETS FINE WELCOME FROM MEXICO

### United States Flags Greet American Ambassador On Trip Over Country.

Oklahoma City, Mexico, August 18.—(AP)—The star spangled banner is waving in a part of tropical Mexico where it had never been seen before owing to the presence of Dwight W. Morrow, American Ambassador.

Mr. Morrow swept through southern Mexico yesterday as a guest of honor and as a friend of the people. He was received as no foreign representative, and in fact few Mexicans have even been received.

As he traveled across the states of Puebla and Oaxaca, American flags, crude home-made affairs of colored tissue paper, flew in every little Indian village. The American Ambassador was cheered by Sarams of people at every station.

Mr. Morrow left Mexico City on what he thought would be a quiet and uneventful private trip to see the old ruined city of Mitla near Oaxaca. Instead he found that the name and fame of Morrow as an Ambassador of good will and friend of Mexico had been so circulated among the Mexican people that it was impossible for him to make a few days sightseeing trip in a private and personal capacity. People everywhere hearing of his coming, insisted on welcoming him in an official capacity and as a friend.

The information had been spread around Mexico by word of mouth and newspapers that "the powerful Nation to the north has sent to Mexico an Ambassador who is our friend. The Yankees have become our friends."

During his twelve hours trip from Puebla to Oaxaca every village turned out to hail the friendly Ambassador of a friendly country which a few years ago they had been accustomed to call slurringly, "the closeness of the North."

At every station there was a band or an orchestra out to serenade the Ambassador. Some times these musicians were barefooted Indians.

Mr. Morrow made brief speeches in his inadequate Spanish, but it was Spanish of a kind and that was enough to endear him to the people.

Flowers were showered upon him everywhere and his car was piled full of bouquets when it reached Oaxaca.

## FIRST LOAD OF TOBACCO REACHES GREENVILLE

The first load of tobacco for sale on the Greenville tobacco market arrived in this city today. It was placed on the floors of Johnston's warehouse.

The name of the owner of the tobacco was not made public, but as far as ascertained, it was the first received here for sale at the opening of the season August 28th.

## Take Steps To Determine Opening Date of Tobacco Markets of This Section

Owing to the uncertainty prevailing in this section concerning the opening date of Eastern Carolina tobacco markets, B. B. Sugg, local warehouseman, and president of the Eastern Carolina Warehouse Association, today wired E. G. Curran, chairman of the Sales Committee, United States Tobacco Association, Richmond, asking whether the committee had changed, or contemplated changing the opening dates of these markets.

Mr. Sugg also sent a telegram to the various buying concerns asking them to wire definitely whether or not they would have buyers on the Eastern Carolina markets for the opening date, August 28th.

Following is the telegram sent to Mr. Curran by Mr. Sugg this morning:

E. G. Curran,  
Chairman Sales Committee,  
United States Tobacco Association,  
Richmond, Va.

Please wire me this morning if your committee has changed, or contemplates postponing date for opening Eastern Carolina markets. This definite information should be given our farmers and others interested immediately.

East Carolina Warehouse Ass'n.,  
By B. B. Sugg.

The following telegram was also sent to the Imperial Tobacco Company, Export Leaf Tobacco Company, American Tobacco Company, Liggett & Myers Tobacco Company, R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company: "Please wire definitely if your

## Byrd Photographer



Willard Vander Veer, veteran motion picture cameraman, has been selected to accompany Commander Byrd to make pictures of the expedition to the south pole.

## MANY BASKETS PURCHASED BY MARKET HERE

### Tobacco Market Basket Association to Have 50,000 Baskets Coming Season.

Great preparation is being made on the Greenville Tobacco Market to handle the 1928 crop. The Basket Association has bought 16,000 new baskets; over 10,000 have arrived and have been painted and numbered, the others will arrive this week.

This will give the Greenville Tobacco Market over 50,000 good baskets, enough to put 5,000,000 pounds of tobacco on the nine tobacco floors at one time.

Every effort is being made to take care of the farmers interest on this market. The Greenville Tobacco Market will be able to handle 75,000,000 pounds of tobacco this season for the farmers of Eastern North Carolina.

## ONE KILLED IN CLOTH WITH ROBBERS

Parry Sound, Ont., Aug. 18.—(AP)—One man was killed and two others injured today when residents of Waubamik, near here, attempted to capture three robbers who had just escaped from a Canadian Pacific train en route from Sudbury to Parry Sound, after they had looted a mail car.

A farmer named Jackson was killed when he was shot through the neck by the bandits. Two others were wounded.

One of the bandits was captured and \$1,500 was found on him. The others escaped.

## Company Will Have Buyers on Eastern Carolina Markets Opening Date, August 28th.

"East Carolina Warehouse Ass'n." At the request of A. B. Carrington, president of the United States Tobacco Association, the suggestion of postponing the opening date was brought before the directors of the East Carolina Warehouse Association on July 14th. At this session the warehousemen urged, in view of the short time Eastern Carolina growers already had in which to market their tobacco, that the Georgia markets be opened one week earlier and that East Carolina date, August 28th, be not postponed.

Mr. Carrington answered under date of July 16th that he was referring the matter to the chairman of the sales committee of the Tobacco Association of the United States, Mr. E. G. Curran, at Richmond.

As nothing definite had been heard from the sales committee of the association, the warehouse association members thought it advisable to confer with the tobacco association committee and buyers to determine definitely if they are going to furnish buyers in order that the growers and others interested may be correctly informed.

A meeting of the directors of the warehouse association will be held in Greenville this afternoon and all information will be laid before them. The public will be immediately advised as to what action is taken.

## NELLIE ROSS TALKS ABOUT PROHIBITION

### Former Woman Governor of Wyoming Says Question Is Not Political Issue.

Charlottesville, Va., Aug. 18.—(AP)—Mrs. Nellie Taylor Ross, former Governor of Wyoming and vice-chairman of the National Democratic committee, speaking before the Institute of Public Affairs of the University of Virginia, today declared that prohibition cannot be properly termed an issue in the present Presidential campaign. Both parties and both candidates, she pointed out, have pledged themselves to enforce the eighteenth amendment.

"The chief difference in the attitude of the two parties toward prohibition," she continued, "is that the Democratic party is conspicuously in contrast to the Republican party, through the declaration of its platform and candidate, has dealt more frankly and honestly with the public and its plank upon prohibition is significantly more explicit."

"The Democratic party does not evade inclusion of prohibition but pledges itself to an honest effort to enforce not only the Eighteenth Amendment, but all laws pursuant thereto, and that is all it is humanly possible to do. I speak with feeling when I say that, for as Governor of Wyoming I exhausted all the authority with which the executive office is invested and I unhesitatingly assert that no enforcement agency or combination of agencies can enforce the law beyond the point where the people will have it enforced."

"It would seem that, judged merely upon the strengths of the two planks from the standpoint of prohibitionists, the Democratic one would be distinctly worthy of praise and support, and yet, at once after the Kansas City convention, and before the Democratic party has made any declaration in favor of the country of the Anti-Saloon League and the Women's Christian Temperance Union announced their entire satisfaction with the Republican platform. This justifies, I think, the conclusion that they were first of all Republicans and prohibitionists afterwards."

"The Republican plank reaffirms a doctrine that nobody disputes and that is that the constitution is supreme until it is changed."

"With characteristic frankness, Governor Smith has indicated that he is not a prohibitionist in the commonly accepted meaning of the term. By what token are we asked to believe that Mr. Hoover is one?—certainly not from any declaration of his in the many years he has been connected with official life."

She characterized as "innocuous enough" a recent declaration from Mr. Hoover in which he was quoted as saying that he did not favor the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment, and that the prohibition question "may be worked out constructively."

Quoting declarations of Governor Smith on prohibition, beginning with his telegram to the Houston convention, and including his recent statements on the subject, Mrs. Ross declared his stand, to execute the presidential oath to the best of his ability, to be definite and absolute.

"Now in the face of such unmistakable language," she continued, "to say Governor Smith would countenance law enforcement, or would see the saloon restored is simply an accusation of dishonesty against him, which his record does not justify. But, some of you may say, Governor Smith signed a repeal of the State prohibition enforcement act in New York. But that act he called down upon his head the ugly 'nullificationist'. I am inclined to believe that if those who have denounced him for that act would read his message to the legislature giving his reasons for it, many would send apologies to the governor for misjudging his motives. If the people interested would read that message many of them would learn for the first time that it was a repeal passed by a Republican legislature that the Governor signed, rather than a veto of the enforcement act as is so persistently stated."

Nash County Farmer Dead. Wilson, N. C., Aug. 18.—(AP)—Joe Bissett, Nash county farmer, died in a local hospital today from injuries received in an automobile accident on the Raleigh highway last night.

The accident occurred when Bissett's machine crashed into the wrecked automobile of Manley Ferrell of this city. Ferrell was about to pull onto the highway after repairing a tire, when Bissett crashed into the rear.

Both automobiles were demolished but Ferrell was uninjured.

# CURTIS WILL BE NOTIFIED LATE TODAY

By FRANCIS M. STEPHENSON.

Associated Press Staff Writer.  
Topeka, Kas., Aug. 18.—(AP)—The imposing state house, standing in a spacious park of this city in the richly laden farm lands, was the mecca of Republicans today. Here late in the afternoon Senator Charles Curtis, son of Topeka and for a third of a century a public servant of this state, will be formally notified of his nomination by the Republican party for vice president.

Smiling and jovial, Senator Curtis was about the city early greeting some of the incoming hosts. On all trains and on all roads they came, party leaders, official members of the notification committee—one from each state—but mostly old friends of the senator.

# LAKE LURE DAM STILL LEAKING

## Large Concrete Walls Still Holding Despite Second Leak Taking Place Today.

Lake Lure, N. C., Aug. 18.—(AP)—Sloughing of one of the earthen shoulders of the Lake Lure dam, which caused uneasiness last night, had been checked at noon today, J. H. Thomas, treasurer of the Mountain Power Company, owners of the dam said.

The water inside the dam has been lowered six feet since last night, Mr. Thomas said. Plans are to lower it an additional sixteen feet.

"There is no more danger", Mr. Thomas said.

The stream below the dam is flooded, but there is no danger to residents of valley. Most of them moved to higher ground last night when warnings were sent out by engineers in charge of the work to save the dam.

# Famous Circus Man Is Dead

Cincinnati, Ohio, Aug. 18.—(AP)—Gilbert James Robinson, the congenial showman who used to sell tickets, dispense concessions and superintend the care of animals for the famous circus troupe that bore his family name, is dead at his home here in his 84th year.

Robinson left behind him the memoirs of one of the most familiar figures of the show world in his day. He had taken to authorship after his retirement from the big top some years ago, had written one book on the history of the circus in the United States and had all but completed another when death intervened.

The youngest son of John C. Robinson, who founded the show, was born in the environment of sawdust rings of swinging acrobats and daring bareback riders. He was reared in the same environment, learned the business which John G. finally relinquished to his sons and remained with it until he was prompted to retire and settle here.

Like the general handy man that he was, Gilbert learned the whole bag of tricks and he probably performed more functions than any other person in the troupe.

# James River On Rampage Today

Richmond, V., Aug. 18.—(AP)—On her second rampage within a week, the swollen James River boomed her tawny way to Hampton Roads today with the Richmond city gauge showing an increase of fourteen feet above its wonted level. Indications were that eighteen feet would be registered by late afternoon. The city's dyke in Shockhoe Valley, closed since late yesterday, was again preventing a costly inundation here.

Officials of the local Weather Bureau said the crest probably will be reached by night and that no appreciable damage is expected. Reports from Columbia, about forty miles from Richmond, said the river there reached 29 1-2 feet before the freshet began to subside late last night.

With the exception of the James, other Virginia streams were returning to their accustomed channels, and highway officials expressed the hope of opening practically all Old Dominion roads today. No official estimate has been made of the damage done to crops and highways by the second visitation within a week of swollen streams whipped on by heavy rains.

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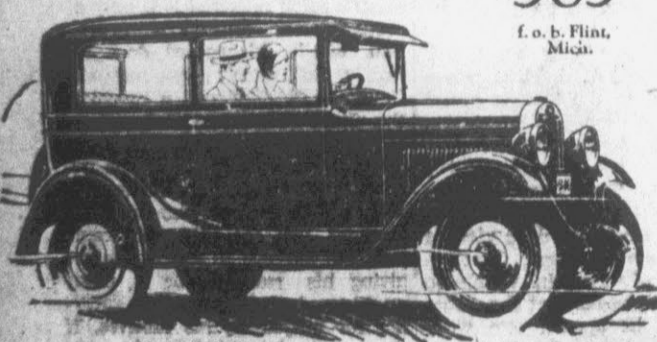
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Year	Pounds Sold	Average
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1925 . . . . .	46,162,602	26.02
1926 . . . . .	49,707,518	28.28
1927 . . . . .	61,421,204	23.63

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# Social & Personal

R. M. Garrett, J. S. Eicklen, G. W. Howard and J. L. Anderson are here from the Georgia and South Carolina tobacco markets.

Miss Louise Cook, of High Point is the guest of Miss Elizabeth Gaslins.

Jake Froelick and Sam Davis of High Point, are here for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Staton and Miss Blanche Beach.

Miss Rose May Jones left yesterday for a visit in Portsmouth, Va.

Mrs. W. J. Nichols and son of Waynesboro, Pa., are visiting Mrs. E. F. Tucker.

Mrs. W. B. Brown, Miss Bessie Brown and Zeno Brown are spending some time at Virginia Beach.

Mrs. J. H. Pratt and son of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mrs. W. H. Long.

W. B. Brown is spending some time at Beaufort.

Buck Buchanan is spending the week-end in Norfolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Person Nicholson have returned from Fairmont.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Park and little Miss Louise Park have returned from Wrightsville Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Carr, Charles Carr and Stuart Carr Jr., left today for Morehead.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Ferguson left today for a visit to Myrtle Beach, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Humber left today for Kinston.

L. G. Cooper returned last night from Montreat.

W. D. Turner left last night for Ocracoke.

Vernon Tyson Improving.

Friends of Master Vernon Tyson will be glad to learn that he is improving following a tonsil operation.

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Dear Sirs:

This is to advise you that I have received the check for \$225.00 as payment for my recent illness under my policy with the Employers Liability Assurance Corporation. The settlement is entirely satisfactory with me, and I thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully,  
WILLIE MELMOTH BOMAR.

Birthday Party.

Wednesday afternoon from 4 to 6 little Shirley Louise Nobles entertained in honor of her third birthday.

After the little guests arrived games were enjoyed, then they were served fruit punch and later ice cream.

All departed declaring Shirley a charming hostess and wishing her many more happy birthdays.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY SETS DATES FOR GROUP MEETINGS

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Christian church will have the group meetings Monday, Aug. 20 at the following homes:

Groups 1 and 2 will meet with Mrs. R. J. Bamber at 4 o'clock.

Group 3, with Mrs. W. H. Bradsher at 4 o'clock.

Group 4 with Mrs. Annie Washington at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Gaylord Entertains Bridge Club.

Yesterday morning at her home on West Fourth Street, Mrs. L. W. Gaylord delightfully entertained the members of her bridge club. Yellow daisies were used for decorations.

Miss Estelle Greene was awarded an attractive ash tray for high score. Mrs. T. A. Galbreath of Kinston was given a perfume bottle. Mrs. Harry Smith of Weldon a lemon set and Mrs. Starke a telephone pad.

A tempting luncheon was served following the game.

Mrs. H. L. Hodges, Mrs. Bruce Warren, Mrs. Starke, Mrs. Harry Smith, Mrs. T. A. Galbreath, Mrs. P. H. Kasey and Mrs. E. G. Garrett were guests.

TO ATTEND NOTIFICATION OF GOVERNOR ALFRED SMITH

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Flanagan will leave tonight for Albany where Mr. Flanagan will attend the notification ceremonies of Governor Alfred Smith, Presidential nominee of the Democratic party.

Mr. Flanagan was selected as a member of the notification committee at the national convention held recently at Houston, Texas. Senator Pittman will deliver the notification address.

Addison Warren Passes Through.

Addison Warren, heavyweight prize fighter, passed through Greenville yesterday en route to his home in Washington following a trip to Charlotte where he engaged in a flistic battle.

While here Warren was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Taft.

Weather Outlook For Next Week.

South Atlantic States: Frequent local thundershowers in the interior. Temperatures mostly normal or above.

## JOINT MEETING OF MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF METHODIST CHURCH

There will be a joint meeting of the social service department of the Woman's Missionary Society of Jarvis Memorial Methodist church Monday afternoon at four o'clock in the Philathea class room.

## Dr. Dickinson To Leave Greenville

Dr. E. T. Dickinson and family will leave Greenville September 15th, and return to Wilson, where he will continue in the practice of his profession.

Dr. Dickinson came to Greenville in 1923 and, with the co-operation of the medical profession of Pitt County, established the Pitt Community Hospital. The hospital has grown and progressed and has unconditionally met each year standards required by the American College of Surgeons.

Dr. Dickinson will retain his original financial interest and his personal good will for the hospital.

Dr. Malcolm Thompson, who has been associated with the hospital for three years, will succeed Dr. Dickinson as surgeon and supervisor.

Present Physical Education Program

Last night was "Physical Education Night" at East Carolina Teachers College and was one of the most attractive entertainments of the summer. It was presented under the direction of Miss Jessie Keep, director of physical education, and Miss Mary Clara Tate, social director, who has had charge of the campus activities throughout the summer school. This was one of the finest entertainments of the kind ever presented on the college stage.

The first part was a demonstration of actual class work done by the various sections and classes, and consisted of folk games, folk dances, original singings games, and some folk dance by smaller groups from advanced classes. The girls entered into these with the true play spirit and seemed to enjoy them as much as the audience did.

In the second part a number of drama dances were presented. These dances interpretations of stories, characters, and poetic conceptions were beautiful and were very artistically presented. The costumes and lighting added greatly to the effects. Miss Tate took part in some of these and proved herself indeed an artist. Miss Keep, as leader of the Russian Refuges, made the audience realize that her success is partly due to the fact that she herself can give an artistic demonstration of the art of interpretative dancing.

The singing games were: "Puss, Puss Gray Cat," "Carrousel," "Brownies and Fairies" and "I See You." The original games were "The Queen of Hearts," "Little Birdie," "Simple Simon," "Jack-Ben-Nimble," "The Crooked Man." The folk dances were, "John Alden and Friscilla," "a la Marmelins," "The Sailor's Hornpipe," by Miss Julia Hemy, "Krazy Kat Parade," "Indian Sun Dance," and "The Lancers," the square dance that was popular about the time of the Civil War. "Playfulness," was rightly named.

The drama dances were the "Balloon Dance," "The Volga Boatman," two child studies, "Blowing Bubbles" and "In the Waves," "May Night," "Romance of a Tin Soldier" and a "French Doll," "Two Newsboys," and "Russian Refuges." The solo dance, "The Moon Goddess," by Miss Tate, was one of the loveliest dances of the evening.

## PRES. WRIGHT GIVES REPORT TO TRUSTEES

### Head of Teachers College Gives Facts Regarding Progress of Institution.

The board of trustees of East Carolina Teachers College met, Thursday in regular session in the Administration Building of the college. President Robert H. Wright made his biennial report. From the standpoint of organization and administration he said:

"During this biennium we have almost completed under ten functions the organization of the college as outlined four years ago; namely: (1) Office and Administration; (2) Subsistence; (3) Housekeeping; (4) Laundering; (5) Medical and Surgical Care; (6) Nursing and Attendance; (7) Light, Heat, Power and Water; (8) Care of Buildings and Grounds; (9) Library; (10) Instruction."

He called attention to the fact that 68 counties are now represented in the student body and during the summer school 34 different colleges are represented. 373 students are from the homes of farmers and the next highest representation comes from merchants.

Quoting from the Treasurer's Report, President Wright said:

"The treasurer's report shows that we received \$17,690.78 more from students and teachers in 1927-28 than in 1926-27. As we spent all of our money from students receipts before we spent any of the state appropriation, in 1927-28 we spent \$1,632.04 less from the maintenance appropriation than we did in the previous year. The students paid this. The students the last year of this biennium paid all of the expenses for operating the dining room, dormitories, laundry, infirmary, power plant, care of buildings and grounds, and \$15,466.46 on instructional charges."

"Under Buildings and Grounds the students took care of such items as personal service, plumbing supplies, repairs to sewers, drains, roads, walks, buildings, equipment, and all of the insurance on the plant. Under Instructional, they took care of all of the minor instructional charges other than teachers' salaries, and paid one-half of the salaries of those working in the library. In other words, the fees from the students took care of all of the expenses of the institution except Administration and Instruction, and paid \$15,466.46 of the instructional charges."

With reference to the improvement in the scholarship of the teaching force and the standing of the college, Dr. Wright said:

"During the past two years we have had 2927 students enrolled. This is an increase of 215 over the previous biennium. We have graduated from the two-year normal course 433 students. This is an increase of 31 over the previous biennium. We have graduated from the four-year course 93 students. This is an increase of 45 over the previous biennium."

"Two years ago the college did not have a Ph. D. on its faculty. Today we have four, and three other members of our faculty have done practically all of the work for the Doctor's degree."

"Last December when the Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools of the Southern States met in Jacksonville, Florida, our college was admitted to full membership in this association. The college was also inspected by a representative from the American Association of Teachers Colleges and was given

the highest rating. This recognition from these two standardizing agencies means that in the future any A. B. graduate from East Carolina Teachers College is eligible to do graduate work in any of the graduate schools in our country. In fact, we now have a faculty sufficiently equipped to justify the college in doing graduate work whenever such work becomes necessary to meet the needs of the public schools of our state."

Under the function Instruction the college is divided into fourteen departments, and each department has a director of instruction. The departments are: (1) Administration and Supervision; (2) Education and Psychology; (3) English; (4) Geography and Agriculture; (5) History; (6) Home Economics; (7) Industrial Art; (8) Language; (9) Mathematics; (10) Music; (11) Public School Music; (12) Physical Education; (13) Science; (14) Sociology, Economics, and Government.

Quoting from the report further, President Wright says:

"At a meeting of the Board of Trustees on December 15, 1927, the Building Committee was instructed to work out a program for the enlargement of the institution to take care of 1500 students. The architect was requested to make a careful study of the building needs of the institution. This he did, working with the secretary of the Building Committee. The Building Committee studied carefully the report of the architect, made certain modifications, and submitted the report to the Board of Trustees."

This report calls for enlargement program at an expenditure of one and one-half million dollars which the Board of Trustees will ask the next General Assembly to make.

"The business transacted by the board was mostly routine. On recommendation the college was authorized to do whatever graduate work in the future that was necessary for the certification of all teachers, supervisors and principals. This will probably lead to the masters degree in the future, at the present, however it is only one quarter's work."

Dr. L. R. Meadows made a report of the summer school and presented the names of the graduates, 95 in number, for the board's approval.

## At the Churches

St. Paul's Episcopal Church  
Eleventh Sunday after Trinity.  
9:45 a. m.—Church School and Bible Class. Chas. O'H. Horne, Supt. F. C. Harding, teacher of Bible Class.

11:00 a. m.—Morning prayer.  
6:45 p. m.—Young Peoples' Service League. Mrs. W. R. Jones, leader.

8:00 p. m.—Union services on the court house lawn.  
Wednesday, 8 p. m.—Mid-week prayer service. R. C. Flanagan, leader.

7:00 p. m.—B. Y. P. U.'s—Good programs.  
8:00 p. m.—Union services on the court house lawn.  
Wednesday, 8:00 p. m.—Mid-week prayer services.

We welcome you to any and all the services of the church.

Eighth Street Church of Christ  
R. J. Bamber, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.—Bible School—W. E. Hooker, Supt.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship—The pastor will deliver a brief message. Subject of sermon: "The Efficacy of Silence."

8:00 p. m.—Union services on the court house lawn.  
A cordial invitation is extended to all the services of the church.

Memorial Baptist Church  
Corner Greene and Fourth Sts.  
H. Frederick Jones, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School. J. S. Elliott, Supt.; Berry Beatie, Asst. Supt. Organized classes for men, women, boys and girls. Come on time and bring a friend.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship—Rev. James Kendrick of Lewiston,

will preach, in the absence of Mr. Jehnes, who is holding a revival in Lewiston.

B. Y. P. U.'s will meet at 7 p. m. 8:00 p. m.—Union services on the court house lawn.  
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Free Will Baptist Church  
Thos. E. Beaman, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School—A. G. Walters, Supt.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.  
7:00 p. m.—F. W. B. League.  
8:00 p. m.—Union services on the court house lawn.  
Wednesday, 8:00 p. m.—Mid-week prayer services.

Jarvis Memorial M. E. Church  
Lloyd B. Jones, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School—J. H. Rose, Supt.  
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.  
Rev. I. S. Richmond will preach.  
8:00 p. m.—Union services on the court house lawn.  
Epworth Leagues, 7:15 p. m.  
Mid-week prayer services Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock.  
You are cordially invited to attend all these services.

Pentecostal Holiness  
Corner 13th and Reade Sts.  
W. J. Noble, Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.—J. N. Williams, Supt.  
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Presbyterian Church  
Corner Fifth & Pitt Sts.  
W. S. Harden, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.—Sabbath School and Bible classes.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.  
Sabbath School at Good Hope church at 3 p. m.  
Sabbath School at Hollywood at 3 p. m.  
Young Peoples' Societies, 7 p. m. in the church.

St. Peter's Catholic Church  
Rev. C. J. Gable  
Holy Sacrifice of the Mass Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.  
Sunday school Sunday morning at ten o'clock.  
Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, sermon and devotions Sunday night at 7:45.  
Mass Monday morning at 7:00 o'clock.

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**QUOTING GOVERNOR SMITH**  
 Those who are yelling their heads off about Governor Smith's stand on the liquor question and attempt to use his past record as an evidence that he is unfit for the presidency because of his views on the present prohibition laws would do well to read the following extracts from his memorandum that accompanied the repeal of the Mullan-Gage act.

"With all the earnestness that I am able to bring to my command, let me assure the thousands of people who wrote me on this subject . . . that the repeal of the Mullan-Gage law will not and cannot by any possible stretch of the imagination bring back into existence the saloon, which is and ought to be a defunct institution in this country, and any attempt at its re-establishment by a misconception of the executive attitude on this bill be forcefully and vigorously suppressed."

"I yield to no man in my reverence and respect for the constitution of the United States, and I advocate nothing which will infringe upon the provisions of the eighteenth amendment. It is nevertheless, a fact that the definition of an intoxicating beverage contained in the Volstead act is not an honest or a commonsense one."

Declaring that such a quotation does not fit in with those being circulated by Governor's Smith's enemies, the Richmond News-Leader says:  
 "The language is explicit enough to admit of no evil: The saloon . . . is and ought to be a defunct institution; I advocate nothing which will infringe upon the provisions of the eighteenth amendment. That was said in June, 1923, and it stands today, but it will be news to many people. It is not the kind of quotation that the enemies of Governor Smith are to circulate."

**ABOUT TOWN**  
 "We had a mighty good time down at Wrightsville Beach," said Bert Ames, local attorney, who accompanied members of the Pitt county board of Commissioners to the annual meeting of the North Carolina commissioners held in Wilmington the first of the week.  
 "The commissioners always have something interesting to discuss. The exchange of opinions is of benefit to the various counties, in that they learn of some particular thing that has meant success to some territory."  
 "Pitt county commissioners were highly gratified at the splendid way they were entertained and will be ready to return to the beach again next year. They could have picked

ed no better place for such a gathering."  
 "Greenville managed to win two ball games in a row," observed a local fan today, referring to the two victories which Tommy Abbott's Tobacconists took from Kinston on the local lot.  
 "The entire club is playing mighty consistent ball at this time, and should they continue it is perfectly natural to believe we will be nearer the top of the standing of clubs column when the season comes to a close. Tommy Abbott has done his best to put the team in shape to win, and if they fail to measure up to expectation it is no fault of his or the management."  
 "With Goldsboro losing as she is doing at this time, our chances of forging ahead was never better."

"I know exactly where you got that piece yesterday," declared a reader of this column today, speaking of one of the items carried in the "About Town" column the day before.

"We admitted that such knowledge was certainly within the grasp of human intelligence. 'I heard the man say exactly what you said he said,' she complained."

"Are you sure the quotation was correct," a bystander questioned, evidently remembering a former occasion when she was quoted as saying something that her husband had said at an old bachelors' convention.

"Why, certainly it was correct—wasn't it, John," and she whirled around to get the statement corroborated from a "man standing nearby."

John, however, only shook his head in a negative way indicating that he had no desire to commit himself.

But the lady was satisfied that she was correct. When you satisfy a member of the feminine element in a case of this kind, the time has come to quit while quitting is good. And that, dear reader, is exactly what we did.

"Do you all really intend getting one of those playgraph things?" doubtfully questioned one of the juvenile readers of this paper this morning, referring to the recent purchase of one of the mechanical scoreboards made by this paper several weeks ago.

We assured him that such was our intention.

"When do you suppose it will get here?" came the next question.

We told him we didn't know, but thought it would come any day now.

"Gee, but I wish it would hurry and come. We boys want to see one of these things in operation. It will make the games of greater interest to everybody."

"It won't be long now," we told him, as we eased in a slang phrase that has gained considerable use the last several months.

Apparently satisfied that the word was still a possibility, the young American squinted long and hard at the playgraph picture in our front window and set off down the street, whistling like he owned the world and had an option on the next.

"We are expecting large crowds at the two weeks' term of Pitt county Superior court which convenes in Greenville next week," we were told today by J. F. Harrington clerk of the Superior court of this county.

"The criminal term docket is possibly the heaviest we have had here in many months, and as the cases involve people in many sections of the state we expect the court room to be thronged with numbers of strange faces."

"Judge R. A. Nunn, of New Bern, resident judge, will preside over this two weeks' session. He is noted for his ability to speed up the wheels of justice, therefore, we are expecting more than usual during the first few days of work."

"Mr. Home-seeker, if you are looking for a place to locate, why not come to Greenville and let us show you what we have to offer in the way of possibilities."

Situated in one of the finest farming sections of eastern North Carolina it is nothing more than natural that we should have more than ordinary opportunity. We are just on the threshold of progress, why not come along and join us in this great movement to expand and grow until we become one of the leading industrial cities of the east.

**Negro Preacher Waives Hearing In Poison Case**

Charlotte, Aug. 18.—(AP)—J. H. Moore, negro preacher of Newton, N. C., charged with conspiracy to murder in connection with the alleged poisoning of his wife, waived preliminary hearing in city court today and was bound over to superior court for trial at the Sept. 3rd term.

Moore was charged jointly with S. W. Daniels, a fortune teller, who was bound over earlier in the week on a charge of murder and two other conspiracy charges.

Daniels was alleged to have sold poison to Moore, who it was charged, wished to poison his wife, and also to Mrs. L. W. Prigden and Mrs. R. B. Townley who have been bound over on conspiracy charges.

**Daily Radio Programs**

**FEATURES ON THE AIR**  
 Saturday, Aug. 18  
 [Eastern Standard Time]  
 5:00—Waldorf Astoria Orchestra; Dinner Music—WFAE WEEI WRC  
 WCAE WWJ  
 6:00—Pennsylvanians: Dance Music—WFAE WTIC  
 7:00—Keystone Duo with Balladeers—WFAE WEEI WTIC WRC WGY  
 WCAE WSAI  
 7:15—Talk on Business by Dr. Julius Klein—WJZ WBAL WHAM KDKA  
 WLW KYW WHAS WRC WSM  
 7:30—Lewisohn Stadium Concert; N. Y. Philharmonic Symphony Or-  
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**FEATURES ON THE AIR**  
 Sunday, Aug. 19  
 [Eastern Standard Time]  
 1:00—Summer Radio Church; Sermon and Music—WFAE WCHS WCAE  
 WSAI WHAS WJAR  
 5:00—Stetson Parade; County Fair—WFAE WTIC WJAR WTAG WCHS  
 WFI WRC WGY WGR WCAE WTAM WWJ WSAI WEEI  
 7:45—Anglo Persians; Orchestra Music—WJZ WBZ WBAL KDKA WLW  
 WJR KYW WHAM  
 8:15—Goldman Band; Final Concert of the Season—WJZ WBZ WBAL  
 KDKA  
 8:30—Melodians Two Black Crowns; Moran and Mack—WOR WCAU  
 WNAC WEAN WFBL WMAK WCAO WJAS WADC WAIU WKRC  
 WGHP WSPD WMAF

**MONDAY, AUG. 20**  
 [By The Associated Press]  
 Programs in Eastern Standard Time.  
 Add one hour for Eastern Daylight time. All times in P. M. unless otherwise indicated. Wavelengths on left of call letters, kilocycles on right.

491.5—WFAE New York—610  
 12:45—Afternoon Music  
 5:00—Waldorf Astoria Orchestra  
 6:00—Talks; String Music  
 7:00—Around the Piano  
 8:30—A. & P. Gypsies  
 8:00—General Motors Party  
 9:00—Cabin Door  
 9:30—El Tango Romantico  
 10:00—Orchestra  
 454.3—WJZ New York—660  
 12:00—Orchestra and Features  
 5:00—Firman Orchestra; Doga  
 6:00—Twin Pairs of Harmony  
 6:30—Roxxy and His Gang  
 8:00—Riverside Program  
 8:30—Real Folks  
 9:00—Russian Gayeties  
 10:00—Slumber Music  
 422.3—WOR Newark—710  
 1:00—Afternoon Music  
 5:15—Romanians & P. Gypsies  
 6:00—Grenadiers; Orchestra  
 7:00—Des Dance d'Autrefels  
 8:00—United Opera Co.  
 9:10—Captivators  
 10:05—Orchestra; Witching Hour  
 272.6—WPG Atlantic City—1100  
 5:45—Organ; Dinner Music  
 6:45—Talk; Versatilians  
 7:30—Musical Concert Orchestra  
 8:30—Dance Music (2 hrs.)  
 285.5—WBAL Baltimore—1050  
 6:30—Roxxy and His Gang  
 8:00—Riverside Program  
 8:30—Real Folks  
 9:00—Russian Gayeties  
 508.2—WEEI Boston—590  
 6:30—Old Time Minstrel  
 7:00—Around the Piano  
 7:30—A. & P. Gypsies  
 8:30—General Motors Party  
 9:00—Cabin Door; El Tango  
 461.3—WNAC Boston—650  
 5:30—Dinner Dance  
 5:45—Talk; Piano  
 6:00—Question Box  
 8:00—WOR Programs (2 hrs.)  
 302.8—WGR Buffalo—253  
 7:00—Around the Piano  
 8:30—General Motors Party  
 9:30—El Tango Romantico  
 10:10—Dance Music  
 11:30—Organ  
 545.1—WMAK Buffalo—550  
 5:30—Como Orchestra  
 6:30—E. H. Concert Orchestra  
 7:30—Univis Program  
 8:00—WOR Programs (2 hrs.)  
 10:05—Cavallera  
 485.4—WTIC Hartford—503  
 6:00—Tenor; String Quartet  
 6:30—Piano; Sports  
 7:00—Around the Piano  
 7:30—A. & P. Gypsies

**SOUTHERN**  
 296.5—WWNC Asheville—1010  
 7:00—Orchestra  
 475.9—WSS Atlanta—630  
 6:30—Roxxy and His Gang  
 8:00—Riverside Program  
 8:30—General Motors Party  
 9:00—Feature  
 10:00—Foundation Program  
 340.7—WJAX Jacksonville—880  
 7:30—Orchestra and assistants  
 8:05—Trio; Family Party  
 9:00—Recital; Fiddlers  
 10:00—Studio; Organ  
 322.4—WHAS Louisville—930  
 8:30—General Motors Party  
 9:30—El Tango Romantico

**CENTRAL**  
 526—KYW Chicago—570  
 8:30—Real Folks  
 9:00—Symphonic Ensemble  
 428.3—WLW Cincinnati—700  
 6:15—Diners  
 7:00—Swiss Gardens Orchestra  
 8:00—Riverside Program  
 8:30—Real Folks  
 9:00—Fun Full Hour  
 10:00—Features; Dance (2 hrs.)  
 367.2—WSAI Cincinnati—830  
 5:30—Safety Club; Short Stories  
 6:15—Sec. Hawkins; Juliet  
 7:00—Music  
 7:30—A. & P. Gypsies  
 8:30—General Motors Party  
 10:00—Dance Music  
 399.8—WTAM Cleveland—750  
 6:00—Orchestra  
 7:00—Music  
 336.9—WSM Nashville—950  
 6:30—Roxxy and His Gang  
 8:00—Riverside; Family Party  
 8:30—Feature from Studio  
 10:00—Gondoliers; Radio Savan  
 11:15—Studio Program  
 296.9—WSMB New Orleans—1010  
 8:30—Dance Program (2 hrs.)  
 249.9—WCOA Pensacola—1200  
 9:00—Concert  
 10:00—Dance Music  
 254.1—WRVA Richmond—1180  
 8:00—Feature  
 9:00—History; Orchestra  
 10:15—Studio; Features  
 11:00—Orchestra  
 7:30—A. & P. Gypsies  
 8:30—General Motors Party  
 9:00—Cabin Door  
 10:00—Revelers  
 11:30—Dance Music  
 440.9—WCX-WJR Detroit—680  
 6:30—Roxxy and His Gang  
 7:30—Minstrel  
 8:00—Riverside Program  
 8:30—Real Folks  
 9:00—Personality Girls; Trio  
 9:30—Dance Music  
 352.7—WWJ Detroit—850  
 6:00—Theater Organ  
 6:30—Dinner Concert  
 7:00—Music  
 7:30—A. & P. Gypsies  
 8:30—General Motors Party  
 9:00—Charles W. Hamp  
 9:30—El Tango Romantico  
 10:00—Dance Music

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# HORNSBY IS BEHIND 1927 BAT RECORD

New York, Aug. 18.—(AP)—Rogers Hornsby is three points lower in the batting table of the National League than he was last week, but Paul Waner is nine points lower, apparently unable to rise. A spurt at this point by Hornsby would mean practically the end of the 1923 race with the former champion re-crowned after an absence of 2 years from the top.

The Boston manager is hitting an even 380 in 94 games against 361 for Paul Waner in 108, according to averages issued today and including games of last Wednesday. Klein, the Philadelphia recruit from Ft. Wayne of the Central League, is in between Hornsby and the elder Waner, but has played in only fifteen engagements. His average is .379, but he will be unable to play in enough games this year to qualify as a regular.

Of the various crowns he held undisputed through many weeks, Jim Bottomley of St. Louis, has only one left—and a half interest in two others. He still leads in runs batted in with 100, and is tied with Del Bissonette of Brooklyn in triples with 13, and with Paul Waner in runs scored with 36.

Sunny Jim also remains second to Hack Wilson in the race for the National League home run crown. The Chicago outfielder has 27 against 26 for Bottomley, with Hurst of Philadelphia, Bissonette of Brooklyn, and Hafey of St. Louis, tied for third place, each with 19.

Paul Waner is tied with Taylor Douthett of St. Louis, in total hits, 157, but the Pittsburgh sharpshooter has a clear lead over the field in doubles, of which he has 36.

Following Hornsby and Paul Waner in the batting table are: Lindstrom, New York, 356; Sisler, Boston, 351; Grantham, Pittsburgh, 348; Bottomley, St. Louis, 341; Böttger, St. Louis, 341; Hogan, New York, 339; Hafey, St. Louis, 336; and Ott, New York, 332.

Larry Benton, needless to say, leads the pitchers. The New York ace added his nineteenth victory and his twenty-second complete game at the expense of the Cubs on Tuesday, running his record to nineteen won and four lost for a percentage of .826. Red Lucas of Cincinnati, and Burleigh Grimes of Pittsburgh, are tied in shutouts, each with four, while Grimes sets the pace for both major leagues in victories with 20.

Willie Sherdel of St. Louis, is next to Benton in the averages with 45 and 6 for .714, followed by Fred Fitzsimmons of New York, with 14 and 6 for .700. Lucas is next with 11 and 5 for .688, and Grover Alexander is fifth with 13 and 6 for .684.

In team batting Pittsburgh still leads, this week with 308, the Cardinals, despite their slump, are a good second with 295, followed by the Giants at 292. The Cards top the flock in fielding with .975, followed by the Cubs and the Reds who are tied for second, each with .973. Cincinnati now has 140 double plays, but the standing of the clubs proves that these alone will not win all games.

## Devils Clean Up With All Stars

Yesterday morning at the Fair Grounds the Champion Red Devils met and defeated the All Stars composed of players from all the other three teams in the league, by a score that ran large on both sides. The size of the diamond was undoubtedly one factor that increased the score, but of course, for a game of this importance, no other grounds would suffice.

The All Stars began like runaway winners, tallying five in the first inning, with Warren, Bostic, Blanchard, Summerlin and Proctor participating in the merry-go-round. The Red Devils did as well, however, after two were out, and tied the score.

Sawyer went the route for his team and tho he gave frequent passes was not in much serious trouble, as Dennis seemed to be the only one who could solve his delivery for frequent hits. Dennis and Sawyer, with double, had the only extra base hits of the game. Blanchard started on the mound for the Stars, but was replaced by Summerlin, who in turn gave way to Dennis, Madrin being called in to finish the game.

In justice to the other three teams of the league, it might be said that the All-Stars were not by any means as good a combination as might have been selected to oppose them, but there is no question as to the superiority of the Red Devils over any team they have played.

## FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

Erie, Pa.—Maxie Straub, Erie, won from Jack Duffy, Toledo, (10). Duluth Minn.—Billy Petrolle, of Duluth, defeated Jack Kane, Chicago (10); Szymka Zabul, Duluth, knocked out Quintin Romero Rojas Chile (7). San Diego, Cal.—Tommy Hughes Cleveland, defeated Alfredo Imperial, Philippines (10).

## Standing of Clubs

PIEDMONT LEAGUE			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Winston-Salem	67	41	.620
High Point	67	45	.598
Greensboro	65	45	.591
Salisbury	53	58	.477
Durham	47	79	.431
Durham	31	79	.282

EAST CAROLINA LEAGUE			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Goldboro	60	41	.594
Wilmington	55	44	.556
Rocky Mount	52	46	.531
Fayetteville	46	54	.460
Kinston	45	54	.455
Greenville	40	59	.404

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Asheville	76	43	.639
Spartanburg	64	54	.542
Knoxville	60	56	.517
Augusta	58	59	.496
Greenville	56	61	.479
Columbia	55	63	.466
Charlotte	52	61	.460
Charlotte	47	71	.398

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Atlanta	32	19	.627
Birmingham	30	18	.625
Little Rock	27	25	.540
Memphis	26	26	.500
New Orleans	23	25	.479
Mobile	22	26	.458
Chattanooga	22	30	.423
Nashville	17	33	.340

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
W.	L.	Pct.	
New York	78	37	.678
Philadelphia	73	41	.640
St. Louis	60	57	.513
Cleveland	54	62	.466
Chicago	53	63	.457
Washington	52	65	.444
Detroit	50	64	.439
Boston	42	73	.365

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
W.	L.	Pct.	
St. Louis	70	44	.614
New York	64	43	.598
Chicago	63	51	.560
Cincinnati	63	50	.558
Pittsburgh	61	50	.550
Brooklyn	56	58	.491
Boston	33	70	.320
Philadelphia	30	76	.283

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Wilmington	49	21	.720
McCarry	5	0	1.000
Schofield	4	0	1.000
Robins	4	1	.800
Roscoe	3	1	.750
Weaver	4	2	.667
Gordon	3	2	.600
Baker	4	0	1.000
Doherty	3	1	.750
Kennedy	4	2	.667

## PIRATES WIN SLOW AFFAIR FROM LOCALS

Wilmington, Aug. 17.—Rain today halted a comic opera ball game between Wilmington and Greenville in the seventh inning with the score 9-4 for the locals.

Joliff, veteran hurler of the Worms, was pounded at will by the Pirates while Lefty Kennedy fared none too well at the hands of the visitors.

Both pitchers hit home runs, Kennedy's drive going over deep centerfield fence.

The box:  
Greenville Ab. R. H. O. A. E.  
Crossjean, ss 4 0 0 2 2 1  
Daniels, lf 3 2 1 4 0 0  
Bailey, lb 4 1 4 7 0 0  
Finlator, cf 2 0 0 2 0 0  
Williams, 2b 4 0 2 2 1 0  
Maitox, 3b 4 0 0 2 0 1  
Dudley, rf 2 0 0 1 0 0  
Abbott, c 3 0 0 1 0 0  
Joliff, p 3 1 2 0 4 0

Totals 29 4 9 21 7 2  
Wilmington Ab. R. H. O. A. E.  
McCarry, rf 5 0 1 1 0 0  
Schofield, ss 4 0 0 4 2 0  
Robins, cf 4 1 2 0 0 0  
Roscoe, lf 3 1 1 1 0 0  
Weaver, 1b 4 2 3 7 1 0  
Gordon, 3b 3 2 2 2 1 1  
Baker, 2b 4 0 2 0 3 0  
Doherty, c 3 1 1 5 0 1  
Kennedy, p 4 2 3 1 4 0

Totals 34 9 15 21 11 2  
Score by innings: R. Greenville 100 102-4 Wilmington 034 101-9  
Summary—Runs batted in: Weaver (2), Doherty (2), Kennedy (2), Williams, Baker, McCarry. Two base hits: Gordon, Kennedy, Weaver, Robins, Williams. Earned runs: Wilmington 9, Greenville 3, Home runs: Weaver, Kennedy, Joliff. Stolen bases: Bailey. Sacrifices: Doherty. Double plays: Baker, Schofield to Weaver. Left on bases: Wilmington 7, Greenville 8. Base on balls: off Kennedy 5, Joliff 1. Hit by pitched balls: by Joliff (Gordon). Wild pitches: Kennedy. Passed balls: Doherty. Umpires: Brandon, Ledbetter and Conway. Time of game: 1:40.

## League Leaders.

(Including Games of August 17).  
NATIONAL.  
Batting: Hornsby, Braves, .376.  
Runs: P. Waner, Pirates, 101.  
Runs batted in: Bottomley, Cards, 100.  
Hits: P. Waner, Pirates, 165.  
Doubles: P. Waner, Pirates, 39.  
Triples: Bottomley, Cards, Bissonette, Robins, 13.  
Homers: Wilson, Cubs, 27.  
Stolen bases: Cuyler, Cubs, 23.  
Pitching: Benton, Giants, won 19, lost 4.  
AMERICAN.  
Batting: Goslin, Senators, .384.  
Runs: Ruth, Yanks, 126.  
Runs batted in: Gehrig, Yanks, 113.  
Hits: Manush, Browns, 172.  
Doubles: Flagstead, Red Sox, 36.  
Triples: Conby, Yanks, 15.  
Homers: Ruth, Yanks, 45.  
Stolen bases: Mostil, White Sox, twenty-one.  
Pitching: Hoyt, Yanks, won 15, lost 3.

## Swims Canal



Richard Halliburton, American author, has started an attempt to swim the Panama Canal from the Atlantic to the Pacific, more than 80 miles. He swims during the day.

## METHODISTS WIN PENNANT

The leading Methodists are today the Champions of the Twilight League by virtue of their victory over the Memorialists yesterday by a one sided score of 15 to 1. Playing a consistent game throughout, and never daunted by the fact that a win for Memorial meant more to the Christians and the Immanuelites than to Memorial, the Methodists counted three in the opening inning, and were never headed. Few errors aided Memorial and few passes gave them any opportunities. Dall allowed but one hit and walked two men, although he struck out but two in the game. His teammates took care of almost everything, and drove out nine hits, which, aided by Memorial errors, counted heavily. The real trouble was poor support for Jones, whose twirling was good enough, but whose backing was a minus quantity. Memorial simply did not have the material to cope with the flying Methodists.

Jones will have another chance to pitch today for the All-Stars against the champion Methodists, when, if the best players from the other teams show up, the Methodists will be forced to extend themselves to the utmost. This will be the last game of the season, unless the Christians and Immanuel desire to play off the tie which exists between them for second place. This game would take place Monday at 3:30.

TWILIGHT LEAGUE Final Standing.			
W.	L.	P.	C.
Methodists	8	2	800
Christians	7	3	700
Immanuel	7	3	700
Presbyterians	5	5	500
Memorial	2	8	200
Allies	1	9	100

## Where They Play

PIEDMONT LEAGUE.  
Raleigh at Salisbury.  
Winston-Salem at Durham.  
High Point at Greensboro.

EAST CAROLINA LEAGUE.  
Kinston at Rocky Mount.  
Greenville at Wilmington.  
Fayetteville at Goldsboro.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.  
Boston at Cincinnati.  
Brooklyn at Chicago.  
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh.  
New York at St. Louis.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.  
Chicago at Boston.  
Detroit at Washington.  
Cleveland at New York.  
St. Louis at Philadelphia.

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## Yesterday's Results

EAST CAROLINA LEAGUE.  
Wilmington 9, Greenville 4.  
Goldsboro 5, Fayetteville 2.  
Kinston 9, Rocky Mount 2.

PIEDMONT LEAGUE.  
Raleigh 12, Salisbury 1.  
Winston-Salem 7, Durham 5.  
High Point 9, Greensboro 10 (10 innings).

AMERICAN LEAGUE.  
Boston 4, Chicago 3.  
Washington 3, Detroit 1.  
Others postponed, rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.  
Pittsburgh 10-9, Philadelphia 3-1.  
Brooklyn 1, Chicago 0.  
Cincinnati 2, Boston 1.  
New York 3, St. Louis 2.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.  
Knoxville 2-4, Macon 13-3.  
Columbia 2-0, Asheville 4-11.  
Charlotte 6-4, Greenville 2-5.  
Spartanburg 4, Augusta 5.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.  
Mobile 5, Little Rock 3.  
Memphis 2, New Orleans 0.  
Chattanooga 5, Birmingham 9.  
Others not scheduled.

SOUTHEASTERN LEAGUE.  
Tampa 5-2, Columbus 3-1. (First game 14 innings).  
Montgomery 4, Selma 0.  
Pensacola 5, Jacksonville 0.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.  
Columbus 5, Milwaukee 2.  
Louisville 3, Minneapolis 6.  
Indianapolis 3-4, St. Paul 2-6.  
Toledo-Kansas City, rain.

## CARDS FALL BEFORE BIG GIANT BATS

By WILLIAM J. CHIPMAN (Associated Press Sports Writer)

The Giants were unable to withstand the force of their Wrighley Field jinx in Chicago, but as soon as they set foot in St. Louis they proceeded to demolish another evil influence equally potent. Until reduced to an unrecognizable hulk by a "shameful assault yesterday, the venerable Clarence Mitchell, long fabled as the only left handed spitballer in captivity, had been able to throttle the clan McGraw merely by having his name announced as pitcher.

Even as a Red, a Robin and a Philly the ancient and honorable southpaw won more than his fair share of games from the Giants. With the Cardinals behind him, he started out with three in a row and seemed as if he might never quit. Then came the turning point yesterday when the New Yorkers shaded the veteran by 3 to 2, in a game which seemed as if it should have ended about 10 to 2.

The Giants threatened Mitchell in each of the first six innings, but failed to cash any runs on eight hits. Andy High's three base wild throw of Andy Reese's grounder and Fresno, knocked out Nick Testo of Leslie Mann's sacrifice fly turned Troy, N. Y., (5).

the trick. This unearned run proved the eventual margin by which the Giants defeated Mitchell. McGraw's initial success in the three game series against the leaders gave him a bigger margin than any single game usually represents. First, it preserved the slight chance the Giants have of gaining first place by three percentage points on a sweep of the series. Next, it cut the Cardinal lead to two and one-half games and plastered the Red Birds with one defeat in excess of the number suffered by the Giants to date.

While the Giants and the Cards were locked in pennant strife, the Pirates registered a modest gain of half a game on the Cubs and the Reds in the third place battle. This was accomplished when the Buccaneers caught the Phillies coming and going in a double header 10 to 3 and 9 to 1. Paul Waner peeled off six hits and Pie Traynor seven for a neat advance in the batting table. Rain in New York and Philadelphia halted the great battle between the Athletics and Yankees. Action in this sector was confined to minor engagements which saw Boston stop Chicago by 4 to 3 in eleven innings and Washington nose out Detroit by 3 to 1.

Memphis, Tenn.—Dwight Fryer, Little Rock, won on a foul from Galliano, New Orleans (4).

New Orleans—Jimmy Finley, of Louisville outpointed Henry Jungle of New Orleans (10).

Macon, Ga.—Sammy Buchanan, Waycross, Ga., won decision over Pete Cole, Rome, Ga., (10).

San Francisco—Young Corbett of throw of Andy Reese's grounder and Fresno, knocked out Nick Testo of Leslie Mann's sacrifice fly turned Troy, N. Y., (5).

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# Market Report Cotton--Stocks--Grain

**NEW YORK COTTON**  
New York, Aug. 18.—(AP)—The cotton market was lower today under further week-end realizing which appeared to be coupled with some selling by the south. After an early decline of about 20 to 26 points, prices recovered a good part of the loss on covering promoted by unfavorable crop advices, but the demand soon subsided and active months sold off in the late trading. December declined to 18.60, closing at that figure, with the general market closing easy at net declines of 25 to 36 points.

Futures closed easy, 25 to 36 points lower; spot quiet; middling 18.85.

Open	High	Low	Close	P. C.	
Oct	1875	1888	1857	1860	1885
Dec	1875	1885	1860	1860	1885
Jan	1870	1880	1852	1855	1883
Mar	1877	1886	1860	1860	1888
May	1880	1891	1863	1866	1899

**CHICAGO GRAIN**  
Chicago, Aug. 18.—(AP)—Influenced by reports from railroad sources that the movement of wheat to northwest terminals will be the largest on record, wheat prices averaged lower today. Auspicious harvest weather in Canada tended also to ease wheat values down, but was offset somewhat by relative firmness of Liverpool quotations.

Notable strength in the corn market today counted also at times as a sustaining factor regarding wheat.

Wheat closed weak 1-2 to 1-1-2 net lower; corn at 1-8 to 1-3-4 advance; oats unchanged to 3-8 off, and provisions varying from 15c decline to a rise of 5c.

WHEAT:		
Sept.	1.12 3-4	1.11 7-8
Dec.	1.17 3-4	1.16 7-8
Mar.	1.22 1-4	1.21 1-8
May	1.24 3-8	1.23 1-2
CORN:		
Sept.	.90 5-8	.88
Dec.	.73 3-4	.73 1-8
Mar.	.76	.75 1-2
OATS:		
Sept. (nw)	.36 1-4	.36
Dec. (nw)	.39 1-2	.39 1-4
Mar.	.41 1-2	.41 1-2
RYE:		
Sept.	.96 1-2	.95 5-8
Dec.	.99	.98
Mar.	1.01 1-2	1.00 3-4
LARD:		
Sept.	12.40	12.35
Oct.	12.52	12.50
RIBS:		
Sept.	14.00	13.95
Oct.	14.00	13.95
BELLIES:		
Sept.	16.00	16.00
Oct.	16.00	16.07

**NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.**  
New York, Aug. 18.—(AP)—A broad demand for the railroad shares, particularly the non-dividend paying issues, featured the resumption of the upward price movement in today's brief session of the stock market. Buying of the industrials and specialties was rather selective in character, with a score of issues elevated to new high ground on gains ranging from fractions to nearly four points.

Violent fluctuations in call money rates earlier in the week continued to have a disturbing effect on speculative sentiment. Several optimistic comments on business conditions, coupled with the publica-

Am Can 104	190
A Car & Fry 90	190
A Loco 90 1-2	190
A T & T 175 7-8	190
A Tob 161 3-8	190
A Tob B 161	190
Amalgamated 67	190
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tion of a number of earnings reports to stimulate bullish enthusiasm. Texas and Pacific and St. Louis-Southwestern attained new peak prices at 180 and 96 respectively. Canadian Pacific ran up four points, St. Paul preferred 3 and St. Paul common, Missouri Pacific common and preferred and Washington moved 2 points or so. A score of others gained a point or more.

In the industrial group additional new high records were established by American Can, Loft Candy, Purdy Baking and Motor Wheel, Chrysler and Atlantic Refining ran into further profit taking but snapped back on the appearance of good buying support.

The closing was strong. Total shares approximated 850,000 shares.

**EDITOR PAINFULLY BURNED.**  
Charlotte, Aug. 18.—(AP)—James A. Best, an editor in the Charlotte bureau of the Associated Press, was painfully but not seriously burned early today when his automobile was destroyed by fire near Rutherford, N. C.

At a Rutherford hospital where he was carried, it was reported that he was burned about the face and the right arm and shoulder. He will probably be confined to the hospital for several days, physicians said.

Best was enroute from Charlotte to Lake Lure when the accident occurred. The gas line on his car stopped up, he reported to the Associated Press here, and when he struck a light to investigate the trouble, gasoline around the engine became ignited.

His quick action in wrapping his coat about his head and smothering the flames probably prevented more serious burns, physicians said.

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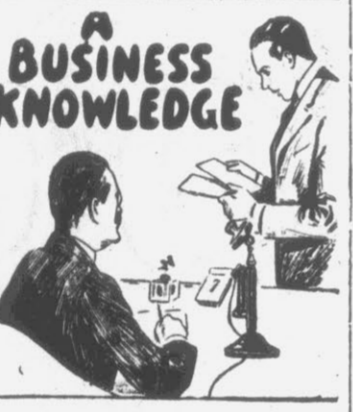
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**LINDY SAFE DESPITE RUMORS TO CONTRARY**  
New York, Aug. 18.—(AP)—Although more than a year has passed since Col. Charles A. Lindbergh gained world-wide fame by his flight to Paris, he continues today to be possibly the biggest single figure in news.

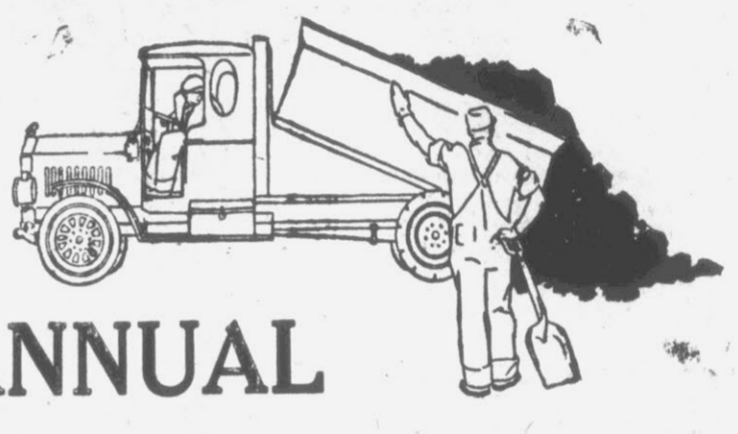
This was demonstrated to newspapers throughout the country the past few days when successive rumors swept the country that he had been killed or had met with serious injury. Newspaper offices from the Pacific to the Atlantic coast and in Cuba were deluged with telegrams calls from persons seeking confirmation of the reports. Colonel Lindbergh, meanwhile, was in San Francisco on business and yesterday when the rumors were at their height, had not even left the ground.

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