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DELEGATION SEEKS BETTER ROAD LINKS

Asks for Improvement of Roads From Bruce Thru Falkland and Fountain

A delegation composed of citizens of Falkland and surrounding territory and members of the Greenville Merchants Association appeared before the Pitt County Highway commission today and requested improvement of the roads from Bruce to the Edgecombe county line and from Bruce to Fountain via Falkland.

It was stated that the improvement of these roads would greatly cut down the distances between this section and the north and west. It was estimated that improvement of the strip of road from Bruce through Fountain would reduce the distance from this city to Rocky Mount at least eight miles.

Improvement of the road by the way of Falkland to Fountain would greatly decrease the distance among the towns of that section and enable the citizens to reach the different sections much more quickly than under ordinary circumstances.

These strips of roads were said to be in bad condition, especially at rainy seasons, and the commission was urged to take action as soon as possible. It was stated that Edgecombe county was already improving the Sparta road to the county line and that this would form a connecting link with the other roads of this district if the improvements urged today should go through.

It was said that the citizens of Pinetops were as much interested in the improvement of the roads in this county as any other sections, and that they were doing everything possible to bring about the improvement program.

Members of the commission told the spokesmen of the delegation that they would not be able to state what action would be taken at the matter at his time as no provision for the work had been made in their budget. They promised, however, to give the matter their earnest consideration and do whatever they could in behalf of the improvements.

Wilbur On Record For Supplanting Power Commission

Washington, May 5.—(AP)—Secretary Wilbur went on record again today for an independent agency to supplant the Federal Power Commission, which is now composed of the secretaries of war, agriculture and interior ex-officio.

Approving the Parker bill which would set up an independent commission, Wilbur said before the House Interstate Commerce committee that the present commission could not give sufficient time to the work. His views had previously been given to the Senate Interstate Commerce committee.

He urged that in any reorganization the commission be given control over power sites.

Under the Parker bill, which Wilbur said was drafted along the lines recommended by President Hoover in his annual message to Congress, all interstate power rates would be fixed by the commission.

Two Wives Die Unnatural Deaths

Chicago, May 5.—(AP)—Unnatural death has been the fate of Boris Polen's two wives.

The first Mrs. Polen went down when the excursion boat Favorite tipped over in Lake Michigan in 1927. The second swallowed poison yesterday.

Since the first tragedy, Polen has had many moments of depression, for he lost not only his wife but his young daughter. Even since his second marriage these moments have occurred, and on such occasions he seeks solitude, remaining away from home several hours so as not to let the second Mrs. Polen suffer because of his grief.

Yesterday, such a mood overcame him. He left home and walked for many hours. Returning, he was asked by his wife where he had been. He answered curtly, and retired.

Later, awakening, he regretted the harshness of his reply, and went to his wife's room to tell her he was sorry. It was too late. She was dead.

Mrs. Nathan Straus
Mammamonek, N. Y.—A career of 40 years in philanthropy has ended with the death of Mrs. Nathan Straus at the age of 77. She and her husband, retired merchant, long have given away most of their income and part of their principal.

Engaged



William T. Gossett, New York attorney, whose engagement to Elizabeth Hughes, daughter of Chief Justice and Mrs. Charles Evans Hughes, was recently announced.

NEW BALLOT SYSTEM USED IN ELECTION

Greenville Votes On Five Alderman Under Australian Ballot Legislation

For the first time in history, Greenville people went to the polls today to vote under the new Australian ballot law. The law was made effective at the last sitting of the North Carolina General Assembly but this is the first time an election has been held here since that date, and consequently the first opportunity local people have had to enter booths and vote in complete privacy.

One of the steel-framed, canvas-covered booths was placed on the porch at the Third street entrance to the courthouse early this morning, and from that vantage point voters today were able to cast their votes for five aldermen for the city of Greenville. The election is one of the most listless probably ever held in this city, due largely to the fact that there was no competition in either of the wards. However there are three new candidates taking the place of the incumbents who failed to run for re-election.

The candidates follow: First ward, J. I. Smith; second ward, J. L. Hassell; third ward, J. Norris; fifth ward, A. E. Hodgson. The incumbents who failed to run are, Ed Harvey, W. H. Bradsher and J. Key Brown.

While the booth was there ready for use, only a few apparently paid much attention to it during the early hours of the election this morning. It might have been given more attention had the polls been crowded as is customary during elections of this kind, but hardly a flicker of interest was manifested as the poll holders and registrar took their accustomed place at the window in the Register of Deeds' office, and the crowd was conspicuous for its paucity.

It is impossible to estimate the number of votes that will be cast during the day, but it is generally believed that the total vote will be considerably under the normal voting strength of the city. Had there been the slightest indication of contest, a scene of life and activity would have prevailed around the polling place during the entire day and Greenville would have voted in old-time form.

One Killed and Several Injured In Auto Collision

Pickens, S. C., May 5.—(AP)—Luther Bell, 27, of Augusta, Ga., is dead and eleven persons are in hospitals as the result of a head-on automobile collision between Norris and Central, S. C., late yesterday.

Bell, who was riding in the rumble seat of a small coupe, sustained a broken neck in the crash. The injured are: Ballas Borren, 40; his wife, Mrs. Annie Borren; Dallas Borren, Jr., 10; Edward Borren, 12; Hoyt Sullivan, 15; Cecil J. Durham, 21, of Greenville, S. C.; Louis, Katherine and Pauline Durham; Beatrice Bell, 14; Martin Bell 5, and Melvin Bell, three.

Durham was said to have been driving the coupe which collided with Borren's sedan.

Rep. Garner Back at Desk
Washington, May 5.—(AP)—Representative Garner of Texas, Democratic leader, was at his desk today for the first time in more than a week.

He has been ill with influenza.

DRUNKEN MAN SLAYS WIFE IN BUNCOMBE

Mother of Two Babies Shot Down By Enraged Husband Near Asheville

Asheville, May 5.—(AP)—The third murder in Buncombe county within two weeks was under investigation Monday. It was that of Mrs. Eleanor Burnett, 24-year-old mother of two babies, who was shot down Sunday by her husband, Chas. Burnett, Buncombe County highway maintenance employee.

The latest Buncombe county killing occurred at the road side in Rose Hill community not far from the Burnett home. Burnett laid the murder to liquor in a confession tearfully made to the Buncombe County sheriff's department.

Shortly before the shooting, Mrs. Burnett had gone with her brother, Fred Smith, to a hospital to visit a relative who had been injured in an automobile accident. Burnett bought some whiskey and drank it.

When Mrs. Burnett returned home, Burnett said, the couple got in Burnett's car to go for a drive. He was very drunk, he said. A short distance from the Burnett home there was an argument. Scarcely realizing what he was doing, Burnett said, he pulled a .38 calibre pistol from his pocket and emptied it into his wife's body.

After the shooting, Burnett, it was said, called to his brother-in-law, who lived a short distance away. He and a neighbor, Mrs. Lorene Baldwin, placed Mrs. Burnett in a car and rushed her to Billmore Hospital, later notifying the sheriff's department of the shooting. Mrs. Burnett died a few minutes after she reached the hospital.

Coroner W. E. Baker, who held an autopsy a short time later at the Lewis Funeral Parlor, found six bullets had struck Mrs. Burnett.

NAISBY MILLS PASSES AWAY AT BLACK JACK

Prominent Farmer Succumbs to Illness of Short Duration; Burial Today

Naisby Mills, 62, died yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at his home near Black Jack following a short illness, although he had been in declining health for a number of years.

Funeral services were conducted this afternoon at 4 o'clock at Black Jack Free Will Baptist church by Elder W. H. Laughinghouse. Burial followed in the family burying ground.

Mr. Mills was one of the most prominent farmers of his community. He was a native of Pitt county and spent all of his life at Black Jack.

Besides his wife he is survived by one daughter, Bettie, and three sons, Burly, Roy and Zeno Mills. He is also survived by one brother, J. A. Mills, and three sisters, Mrs. Sarah McRoy, Mrs. Sherman Elks, Mrs. J. J. Elks, all of Pitt county. He was a member of the Free Will Baptist church of Black Jack.

Snow Hill Man Held For Poisoning Wife; Body to be Exhumed

Snow Hill, N. C., May 5.—(AP)—George Gay, 24, today was held in jail here while preparations were being made to exhumate the body of his wife who died last week and examine her stomach to determine whether poison caused her death.

Sheriff E. A. Rasberry, said he had learned Gay purchased a poison from a "county doctor" a short while before his wife died.

Mrs. Gay's body, which was buried in Speight township, Green county, will be exhumed tomorrow morning. Its stomach will be sent to the state chemist at Raleigh for an examination.

Sheriff Rasberry said he had other information that Mrs. Gay's death was under "unusual circumstances." He refused to give any further details, however, saying the case had been worked up by Solicitor D. M. Clark, of Greenville, and that any further statement would have to come from him.

Albermarle, N. C.—Fire that originated in the boiler room did damage estimated at \$15,000 to the city steam laundry here two days after it was opened.

WOMAN MAY OPPOSE GOV. RITCHIE



Mrs. Jesse W. Nicholson of Chevy Chase, Md., president of the United Democratic Law Enforcement Clubs of Maryland, is considered a likely candidate to oppose Gov. Albert C. Ritchie for democratic gubernatorial nomination in September primaries.

Seek Probe Of Reports Of Patronage Offer For Votes For Judge Parker

Goldsborough to Attempt to Set Record to West

Los Angeles, May 5.—(AP)—Already possessor of a new East-West transcontinental record for junior fliers, Frank Goldsborough, nineteen-year-old Jackson Heights, N. Y., aviator, today announced plans for a return trip this week, seeking to establish a faster West-East mark.

Goldsborough planned to pilot his own plane to San Francisco today. He said he would return here later to take off again for the East.

After battling weather and flying conditions that would have tested the skill of a more experienced flier, Goldsborough landed here at 1 p. m. yesterday to clip 13 hours and 57 minutes from the former junior record held by Dick James. He computed his flying time as 34 hours and three minutes.

The youth is the son of Bryce Goldsborough, pilot of the ill-fated transatlantic plane, the "Dawn."

SIX KILLED IN COLLAPSE OF MEXICAN GRANDSTAND

Mexico City, May 5.—(AP)—Dispatches reaching here today said that six persons were killed and thirty-six sent to a hospital in the collapse of a grandstand at Guadalajara during the opening of a new air-field there yesterday.

The stand collapsed when a motor car rammed one of its supports, throwing the whole structure to the ground and dumping more than 2,300 spectators into the wreckage.

Hundreds Homeless After Fires In Eastern States; Loss Goes Into Millions

Most Disastrous Fire Wipes Out Section of Nashua, N. H., At Estimated Loss of \$2,500,000; Nearly Hundred Bungalows Destroyed By Brush Fires In New York

New York, May 5.—(AP)—Hundreds were homeless today and scores of communities counted losses amounting into millions of dollars as the result of fires in eastern seaboard states.

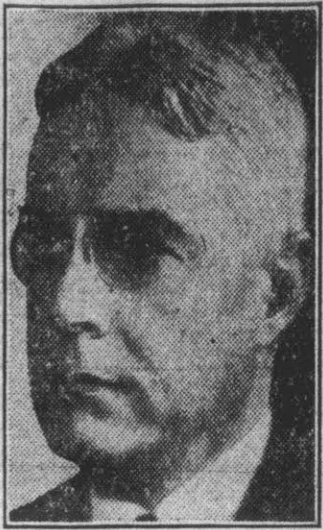
The most disastrous fire destroyed the southeastern section of Nashua, N. H., where more than 500 persons were made homeless when flames consumed more than 225 houses, two churches, schools and four large industrial plants yesterday. Estimates of the loss ran from \$2,500,000 up.

New York was encircled by brush fires.

On Staten Island brush fires destroyed 82 summer bungalows, damaging 200 others and threatened a colony of 3,500 cottages until 20 fire companies, ferried over from Manhattan, brought the flames under control.

An area 100 miles square on Long Island was dotted with brush and grass fires which spread a cloud of smoke over the island that blotted out the sunlight.

In southern New Jersey fires swept through thousands of acres of dry brush, scrub oak and Jack pine and destroyed more than a score of homes and other structures. At Forked River 19 homes and the



Senator Ashurst.

Senator Ashurst Tells Investigating Committee That "Judgeships Are Being Offered In Return for Votes for North Carolina Nominee."

Washington, May 5.—(AP)—Investigation of reports that patronage is being offered by the administration in return for votes for the nomination of Judge John J. Parker to the Supreme Court, was proposed in the Senate today by Senator Ashurst, Democrat, Arizona.

The Arizona senator said "judgeships are being promised in return for a vote for Parker."

"The nomination, he declared, 'is tainted with rank injustice to the American people'."

"Call the lobby committee together," he said, "and you'll see what strange fish will be brought up from those trying to put over this nomination."

The Ashurst charge was hurled into the Senate debate just after Senator Stephens, Democrat, Miss., had read a letter from Attorney General Mitchell assuming full responsibility for recommending Parker and denying that "politics" had played a part in his choice.

The Mitchell letter denied that the letter written by Joseph M. Dixon, assistant secretary of interior, to Walter Newton, executive secretary to President Hoover, urging the appointment of Judge Parker as a "master political stroke," had ever reached the attention of the president.

Denying Parker was a "weakling," (Continued on page four)

English Woman Off On Flight To Australia

Croydon, England, May 5.—(AP)—Amy Johnson, 23-year-old English aviatrix, whose longest flight has been only 299 miles, started at 8:40 a. m. today in a tiny Moth plane on a lone flight of 22,000 miles to Australia and return.

Her plane is named the "Jason," after the Grecian hero who sought the golden fleece. In it the golden haired Miss, who is a member of the London Aeroplane Club, hopes to beat the record of Bert Hinkler, who flew to Australia in fifteen days.

Her plane carries no radio, and she will depend upon telegrams to keep in touch with home.

Presbyterian church was destroyed. Part of the village of Bassville was destroyed in a fire which burned a 12-mile path from Smithburg to Lakehurst. A pall of smoke hanging over the district made useless the fire patrol lookout station atop the naval air station hangar at Lakehurst, where the dirigible Los Angeles and a number of smaller airships are housed. The naval station was not damaged.

Several houses and mills were destroyed in a forest fire which burned over an area of 1,500 acres within a few miles of Richmond, Va. The town of Hope Valley, R. I., was threatened by a fire which burned along a 10-mile front through the woods in the southern part of the state.

FIRE WRECKS PIER SEVEN AT NORFOLK

Spectacular Blaze Causes \$400,000 Loss; One Boat Practically Destroyed

Norfolk, Va., May 5.—(AP)—A board of inquiry to investigate the cause of the fire which last night destroyed pier seven at the Hampton Roads Naval Operating base was appointed today by Rear Admiral Guy H. Burrage, commandant of the fifth naval district and will meet tomorrow morning.

The loss of the pier was estimated at approximately \$500,000 and in addition considerable damage was done to the tugs Catawba and Kewadin and oil barges number six and 56 which were moored near the structure when the fire broke out.

The board appointed by Admiral Burrage is composed of Captain H. E. Lackey, commanding the naval training station, Captain W. K. Riddle and Captain W. H. Allen, public works officer.

Norfolk, Va., May 5.—(AP)—Pier seven at the Hampton Roads naval base, just reconstructed at a cost of \$210,000 and which on Tuesday was to have berthed the airplane carrier Lexington, was completely destroyed last night and early today by one of the most spectacular waterfront fires ever to cast its lurid glow over Hampton Roads.

Even as the great pier, stretching 1,300 feet into the mouth of the Elizabeth river, burst into flames, fed by the freshly creosoted timbers, the flames fanned up to make flaming torches of the tugs Catawba and Kewadin and oil barges six and fifty-six, moored alongside.

A watchman aboard the Catawba was the first to sight the blaze, that was apparently set off by a loose electric connection alongside the vessel. The fire spread with almost explosive force over the entire section of the pier.

Their vessels ablaze, the crews of the Catawba and the Kewadin cut them loose from the burning pier and hauled off into the stream to fight the fire that had already enveloped their superstructure, while men on duty near the pier raced through the fire and smoke to cut adrift the two oil barges, laden with a cargo of approximately 100,000 gallons of oil.

Wafted southeastward by a light breeze, the two flaming oil barges bore down upon pier 10, half a mile down where an ammunition lighter with 50,000 pounds of ammunition aboard was moored.

As other tugs raced toward the blazing oil barges with their fire pumps already spurring great streams of water into the air, the barges came to rest alongside pier ten, 150 feet from the ammunition lighter and its deadly cargo.

While a Norfolk fire engine, stationed at the head of pier 10 pumped away at full force, city firemen, working shoulder to shoulder with marines and sailors, ran 500 feet out on pier ten to play their streams upon the burning barges. Others, at the direction of Captain A. S. Wadsworth, port director, cut loose the ammunition barge from her berth and, hitching her behind a harbor tug, towed her far out into the stream.

The crews of the Catawba and the Kewadin were able to put out the fires aboard their vessels without assistance and with comparatively little damage. Oil barge No. 6 lost practically all of its superstructure and early today lay alongside pier 10, wrecked. Her sister barge escaped with less damage, and proceeded to berth alongside pier 3 under her own power.

With the blazing vessels attended to, naval base firemen reinforced by four companies from Norfolk and the fire boat Vulcan, devoted their entire attention to combating flames that were brought under control shortly before three o'clock at a loss estimated by Captain W. H. Allen, base public works officer, at more than \$400,000.

Craven Woman Dies Suddenly

Mrs. J. L. Causey, 73, dropped dead at her home in Craven county yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Funeral services were conducted from her late home this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock by Rev. B. W. Harrell, pastor of the Riverside Christian church. Burial was made in the Riverside church yard.

Mrs. Causey was the mother of Mrs. L. P. Wayne of this city and is survived by several other children and grandchildren.

Mrs. Causey was a frequent visitor to Greenville for years and she had many friends here who will regret to learn of her death.

Deadwood Dick Dead
Deadwood, S. D., May 5.—(AP)—Deadwood Dick, 83, pony express rider, Indian fighter and one of the last characters of the old west, died at St. Joseph's hospital today.

Posse Abandons Search For Negroes Who Shot Man And Attacked Girl

Pageant Queen



Mrs. F. E. Gregory of Richmond is queen of the historic Adventures Days festival in the capital of the Old Dominion.

CANDHI HELD IN PRISON BY THE BRITISH

Indian Leader Arrested At Jalalpur and Spirited Away to Jail At Yerroda

Bombay, India, May 5.—(AP)—Mahatma Gandhi, leader of the civil disobedience movement by which Indian Nationalists hope to gain independence from Great Britain, was arrested at Jalalpur at one a. m. today by British authorities.

He was spirited aboard a Gujrat mail train which took him to Borivli station. Awaiting automobile carried him to the jail at Yerroda, a town near Poona, where there is a large British garrison.

The arrest was made under article 25 of the ordinance of 1927, which provides for maintenance of British authority in India. Under the ordinance the Mahatma, who is venerated by a large section of the Indian masses, will remain in prison without trial during the pleasure of the government.

The arrest had been predicted for several days after it became increasingly apparent that in new phases of the civil disobedience planned by Gandhi there was a threat of serious disorders and trouble for the authorities. Gandhi has sought arrest since March 12, when with 70 devotees, he left Ahmedabad, to march to Jalapur to manufacture salt in defiance of the British monopoly.

In the past few weeks serious rioting has broken out in Calcutta, Peshawar, Poona, Madras, and other cities in protest at arrest of lesser leaders, notably Jawaharlal Nehru, president of the All-India National Congress, and Mayor J. M. Sen Gupta of Calcutta.

It was Gandhi's hope that in the martyrdom to be achieved by being arrested the dissident Indian elements would be drawn into the Nationalist camp and united with fervor to carry the campaign of civil disobedience to success. It was this martyrdom which the government was reluctant to grant him and which led them to stay their hands through so many weeks.

The government finally acted in Gandhi's case as he prepared to raid the government-controlled salt depots at Dharanasa, and to go to Bombay personally to lead 100,000 Satyagraha volunteers in civil disobedience and passive resistance to British law.

When taken into custody Gandhi was smuggled immediately into a special coach which had been placed behind the locomotive on a Gujrat mail train. Two officers, one of them a European policeman, accompanied him. The train stopped alongside a gate 300 yards from Borivli station in an absolutely deserted section, and Gandhi appeared tranquil, alighted.

The officers escorted him to a waiting automobile which started along the road toward Thana, from where a trunk road led to the Yerroda jail and Poona.

Negro Also Believed to Have Been Beaten to Death By Same Men Near Battleboro Saturday Night; Hold Bloodhounds In Readiness At Rocky Mount to Renew Search; Wounded Youth Tells Officers About Heinous Crime

Rocky Mount, May 5.—(AP)—Search in a woods near here for two negroes who Saturday night shot Frank Crickmore, attacked his girl companion and are believed to have beaten to death Joe Lee, Negro, was abandoned today.

The negroes were believed to have spent the night in the woods, but a search this morning after guards had been kept in the vicinity all night failed to reveal any trace of them.

O. P. Hedgepeth, Rocky Mount chief of police, is holding bloodhounds in readiness in case new traces of the negroes are found. Ten Negroes are held in jail on suspicion, but police said they did not believe any was directly implicated.

Two unidentified Negroes, sought for criminally assaulting Miss Elizabeth Jane Powell, and shooting her young man companion, early today apparently had eluded an armed posse of several hundred men.

However, the man-hunt started early Sunday as the news of the attack spread, was being continued, with blood hounds endeavoring to pick up trails. The heat of excitement had somewhat abated.

Miss Powell was attacked Saturday night. She and Frank Crickmore were out riding when two Negroes approached their automobile and asked for a "smoke."

Before Crickmore could reply, one of the Negroes placed a shot gun against the side of his neck and fired. The discharge tore away his larynx.

Miss Powell said the Negroes then dragged Crickmore from the car, got in the automobile and drove off with her. They rode a short distance down the highway. One of the Negroes attacked her, she said, and threatened to kill her if she gave an alarm.

Crickmore, dangerously wounded, managed to stagger to his home. He has given Solicitor Don Gilliam of Tarboro, a statement in writing.

The young man in a hospital here and is expected to recover, although physicians said he will never be able to talk again. Miss Powell also is in a hospital. Physicians said her condition is not serious.

Shortly after the posse was formed, Joe Lee, aged Negro, was found beaten to death, at his home near the scene of the attack, and Buck Hilliard, another Negro, who was with Lee, beaten into unconsciousness.

When Hilliard recovered, he told officers two Negroes had attacked them, killing Lee with an axe. The descriptions he gave were similar to the ones given by Miss Powell and Crickmore.

Hilliard also said the Negroes took his shotgun. Officers believe both attacks were committed by the same Negroes.

During the height of the man-hunt yesterday, members of the posse saw two negroes believed to be the men wanted, go into a brush patch. The brush was set afire, but the Negroes were not seen to leave.

A search after the fire had died down failed to uncover any signs of them and no trail could be picked up by the bloodhounds.

DEFEAT MOVEMENT TO PERMIT WOMEN TO BECOME PREACHERS
Philadelphia, May 5.—(AP)—Announcement was made today at the offices of the Presbyterian General Assembly that the overture which would permit women to become ordained ministers in the Presbyterian church in the United States, has been defeated. Returns received to today show that 191 Presbyteries voted for the overture and 147 of the 293 Presbyteries to adopt an overture.

SELLERS OF LIQUOR MAKING ACCESSORIES GUILTY OF VIOLATION
Washington, May 5.—(AP)—Persons who sell barrels, bottles, cans and labels, are subject to prosecution under the prohibition law, the Supreme Court held today, in a way as purposely to attract purchasers who intend to manufacture intoxicating liquor illegally.

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ABOUT TOWN

The business of taking census is a very serious matter and it is to be hoped the enumerators at work in Greenville will make their count as complete as possible.

This town has grown considerably during the last ten years, and there is every reason to believe that the population has increased several thousand, although there is no actual count to base this opinion on. However, the growth is noticeable and wherever such a found it may be readily assumed that the people have increased along with the number of houses and business establishments.

The report on numbers of cities has already been issued and Greenville's will be coming out in a few days. But before it is issued, it is to be hoped some concerted effort will be made to see that every nook and corner of the city has been counted and nobody left out.

Population means much to the future development of any community. It has its weight with big business establishments in the outside world who throw much of their business to the city where they have the most population. It is impossible to estimate the amount of business which Greenville would have gotten the past ten years could she have numbered her population at the ten thousand mark.

If we can make that mark this time, the future will hold forth greater opportunities for development than ever before, and it is possible that the passing of another ten years will witness growth in keeping with the past.

We would like to hear something more about the baseball league the boys were talking about last week. It is going to take some sport of this kind to keep things on the upgrade during the hot summer months, and it is to be hoped the promoters of the league will keep busy until they have accomplished something definite. A league composed of players of the various towns of the surrounding counties should be able to attract the attention of thousands of people, and that attendance would be gratifying is easy to believe.

Things are going to seem mighty dull in the towns comprising the old Eastern Carolina League this year if something isn't done in the way of providing amateur ball. The time is ripe for action and the sooner something is done the better the boys will like it.

There are many hubs comprising the towns in Eastern Carolina, but Greenville people contend that this city is the main one. They make the claim by reason of the rapid growth the city has made the last several years and the important part which it is taking as a trade center.

Business has developed to the extent that the business men lay claim to the honor of having the "principal shopping center in Eastern Carolina," and to this end have adopted certain methods of business to live up to that high standard.

This is the hub that keeps revolving all the year around and when there is anything going on it may be safely said that Greenville is enjoying her part of it. The business men are alert to the opportunities of this section and doing everything in their power to make the realization of the shopping center slogan more of a reality than ever before.

The aldermanic election is in progress in this city today. It is one of the quietest and most uninteresting elections of its kind ever held here and the contestants will go into office without the slightest opposition.

Elections of this kind in past years have been featured by more than usual interest by reason of the stiff competition offered by candidates from the various wards. For some unexplained reason, however, the boys did not toss their hats into the ring, and only the incumbents and those taking the places of three retiring aldermen are in the contest.

The post of alderman is one of the most important of the city government, and the men who fill that post have no easy job. The responsibility of running the affairs of the city rests upon their shoulders and at times they are subject to much criticism from the public because of some action that does not meet with approval.

The new Greenville board will be confronted with many problems in the future—problems vitally affecting the life of the city—and the job is not going to be an easy one by reason of the financial stringency which has existed in this section the past several months. The boys more than likely will be forced to literally "scratch their heads" many a time before their terms expire in reaching decisions in various matters, but that they will do their best to meet any great emergency cannot be questioned. Their future and the future of the city rests upon their shoulders, and it is to be hoped they will act as wisely as possible in the settlement of the various questions.

Gastonia, N. C.—(AP)—Major A. L. Buiwinkle has named John C. Stroupe of Gastonia as manager of his campaign for the Democratic nomination to Congress from this district.

Davidson—(AP)—L. B. Knott, Jr. of Duke University and Miss Margaret Andrews of North Carolina College, won first and second place in the State regional contests of the National Oratorical contest.

ZEPPELIN TO FLY TO S. A. DURING MAY

Big German Dirigible to Attempt First Flight From Europe to South America

Friedrichshafen, Germany, May 5.—(AP)—When May 18 dawns Dr. Hugo Eckner will lift the immense dirigible Graf Zeppelin into the air here and begin the first trip ever attempted between Europe and South America by lighter than air craft.

After stops at Rio Janeiro and Pernambuco, Brazil, Or. Eckner will turn the nose of the big ship northward. She will visit Havana, then Lakehurst, N. J., and then turn toward the Atlantic again for Seville, Spain, where an anchor mast has been erected.

Dr. Eckner estimates that it will take 23 days, including stops, to accomplish this journey, of 18,000 miles. That is a little more than a day longer than the time consumed in the round-the-world flight last summer, when time was 21 days 7 hours 53 minutes for the flight of 22,000 miles.

Standing of Clubs

PIEDMONT LEAGUE			
Club:	W.	L.	Pct.
Durham	8	4	.667
Henderson	7	5	.583
Winston-Salem	6	6	.500
Raleigh	5	7	.417
Greensboro	5	7	.417
High Point	5	7	.417

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE			
Club:	W.	L.	Pct.
Asheville	11	3	.786
Macon	11	3	.786
Greenville	7	6	.538
Charlotte	5	9	.357
Columbia	4	10	.286
Augusta	3	10	.235

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Club:	W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	11	4	.733
Washington	11	8	.578
Philadelphia	10	5	.667
Chicago	7	6	.538
St. Louis	8	8	.500
New York	5	9	.357
Detroit	4	14	.263

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Club:	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	10	5	.697
New York	8	5	.615
Chicago	11	8	.579
Brooklyn	7	3	.538
Cincinnati	6	9	.400
St. Louis	6	9	.400
Philadelphia	5	10	.333

CANDIDATES' CARDS

PITT COUNTY

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Pitt County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held June 7, 1930.

Since the present incumbent has been in office for two terms, and all things being equal, I am asking the voters of Pitt County for their support in the coming Primary to be held June 7th, 1930. If nominated and elected I shall give my individual attention to the faithful and impartial performance of the duties connected therewith.

WYATT C. TUCKER.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election for Sheriff of Pitt County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, June 7th, 1930.

If nominated and elected, I shall endeavor to enforce the laws to the best of my ability, as I have during my tenure of office.

Your approval of my past record by your support in the coming primary will be greatly appreciated.

S. A. WHITEHURST

ANNOUNCEMENT

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary on June 7th, 1930, I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination and election to the House of Representatives. I served Pitt County in the House during the Legislature of 1925 and if I am nominated and elected again, I pledge to work to relieve lands from burden of taxation. I will appreciate your vote.

K. A. PITTMAN

March 28-eod.

TO THE VOTERS OF PITT COUNTY

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the House of Representatives, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held June 7, 1930.

If nominated and elected, I pledge myself to work for the reduction of taxes on farm land and real estate, economy in state and county government, and do all in my power with justice to all to relieve the farmer of his burden of taxation.

E. G. FLANAGAN.

TO THE VOTERS OF PITT COUNTY

I am a candidate for a seat in the House of Representatives of 1931, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held June 7th. I pledge my best efforts in helping bring about better legislation. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

J. W. HOLMES.

Where They Play

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

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE
Charlotte at Columbia.
Greenville at Macon.
Asheville at Augusta.

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

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

Ships Cattle to Canada
London—What is regarded in some circles there as a calamity has struck the Isle of Jersey. An outstanding breeder of Jersey cattle sold his 100 head for shipment to Canada.

Yesterday's Results

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Cleveland 8, Boston 7.
Chicago 4, New York 7.
St. Louis 8, Washington 6.
Philadelphia 7, Detroit 1.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
New York 4, Cincinnati 8.
Philadelphia 7, Chicago 8.
Brooklyn 2-11, St. Louis 1-10.

Expect Durham to Furnish Fireworks In the Piedmont
Charlotte, May 5.—(AP)—Piedmont League fans will turn their eyes to Durham the first of the week, where George Whitted sends his bulls into action against Jimmy Teague's Henderson Gamecocks.

Plenty of fireworks are expected to be set off in the series. The two clubs featured last week's play, each winning five contests against two defeats, and the two-day mixup

Posse Seeks Killer in West

Asheville, May 5.—(AP)—A posse of 300 men early today was combing the mountainous sections of Madison county, North Carolina, and Green county, Tennessee, for Hubert Stanton, as the result of a shooting just over the Madison county line in Tennessee yesterday in which Mitch Gentry, Madison county deputy sheriff, was killed and Grady Cutshall seriously wounded.

Cutshall is in a Greenville, Tenn., hospital with two bullet wounds. Few details of the shooting were learned here. It was several hours after the shooting that news of it reached Marshall, the nearest town. A posse was immediately formed.

Lenoir—(AP)—Deputy Sheriff R. A. Smith trailed three young men for two days after they were alleged to have broken into a store at Yadkin Valley. Arrested, they gave their names as Kilby Hartley, Worley Watson and Willie Sumpter.

Three Killed and Several Injured In Mill Blast

Liverpool, Eng. May 5.—(AP)—A terrific explosion in Bibby's Oil Cake mill on Great Howard street this morning killed three men, injured four others so severely that they are not expected to recover and accounted for about 40 casualties.

The upper floors of the building were enveloped by flames after the blast, which occurred just before noon. All traffic in the district, except ambulances, was immediately suspended.

The explosion, occurring in the room where the meal was stored for conversion into oil cakes, was believed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion.

Hickory Man Dead

Hickory, May 5.—(AP)—Funeral services will be held tomorrow for J. D. Elliott, 75, prominent Hickory business man and for 14 years its mayor, who died at his home here last night.

Mr. Elliott was a past Potentate of Oasis Shrine Temple.

Charlotte—(AP)—J. R. Page, Jr. of Philadelphia, will succeed John B. Moore, transferred to New York, as industrial agent of the Seaboard Air Line railway here.

Greensboro—(AP)—Officers of the State Industrial Bank here have approved a proposal for acquisition of the bank by North Carolina Bank and Trust company as one of a chain of industrial banks it will operate through a subsidiary.

DR. B. McK. JOHNSON

IS TAKING POST-GRADUATE WORK AT NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY IN PLATE WORK.

A GOOD INVESTMENT.

The request of the local Merchants Association and a delegation from Falkland and vicinity made to the County Highway Commission this morning for improvement of the road between Bruce and the Edgecombe County line and the Road between Falkland and Fountain are matters that should be given as prompt attention as possible by the highway body and it is to be hoped it will be found within the means of the Commission to put these improvements into effect before very long. The improvement of the roads in the section mentioned would mean much to the people of that section as well as to our city and county from a trade standpoint. It is natural that we should want the trade not only of the people of our own county but to draw from adjacent counties, but this is not possible in the case of the Falkland and Fountain sections for because of the bad roads between those places and this city instead of the people from the adjoining counties coming into our county, our people of that section are following the lines of least resistance by traveling the better roads to points in the adjoining counties. At this morning's meeting letters from persons in the affected area even as far up as Pine-tops urging the requested improvements were presented. These two road projects would prove of great trade value to our county as well as a great convenience to the people living in that territory and surely it is to be hoped that if the present budget of the Highway Commission will not permit the carrying on of the work that the budget now in preparation for presentation will include sufficient funds for this work. We are aware that already there is effort to cut down on all departments wherever possible but money spent on this particular project would prove a good investment rather than an expense and not to do the job because of the cost involved would be poor business and false economy.

In a judge it's Character



in a cigarette it's Taste

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Chesterfield

Stars at Football and Baseball
Hamilton, N. Y.—Tom Dowler, sprinter, who made a touchdown in the first minutes of every one of Colgate's football games last fall, got a first like a flash on a punt, was made nine hits in the last nine times at bat.

Carries Money in Shoe
Grand Rapids, Mich.—Robert S. Johnson carries money in his shoe. He appeared in court to furnish \$2,500 bail for a sister. Out of the shoes came the cash, a \$1,000 bill and two \$500 bills.

Social and Personal

R. Cobb of Grifton was here today.

T. H. Boykin has returned from Richmond, Va., where he has been for the past week.

Mrs. J. W. Johnson left this afternoon for Plainfield, Ill., to join her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Jones and son, of Roxboro, are the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Jones.

Mrs. W. A. Forbes, of Winterville, was a Greenville visitor today.

Mrs. J. S. Ficklen returned today from a visit in Greensboro and Durham.

Mrs. Ellen Greene, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. White and Bob Greene went to Southport Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Carr and Miss Elizabeth Carr have returned from Norfolk, Va. Mr. Carr has also been visiting friends in Charlottesville, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Baker spent Sunday in Warrenton.

George Lay, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. C. A. White, returned to Chapel Hill Saturday.

Miss Mittie Smith has returned to Red Springs after spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith.

W. M. Moore, and Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Ragsdale, spent Sunday in Goldsboro.

Mrs. Wilbur Smith and Miss Mary Alice Jackson of Ayden, are spending the week-end with Miss Vendora Spain.

Miss Dorothy Willard entertains.

Saturday afternoon, May 3, Miss Dorothy Willard entertained a number of her friends at bridge in honor of her seventeenth birthday.

The living and dining room were decorated throughout with spring flowers. After a number of interesting progressions, Miss Kemp House was awarded high score prize. Low score prize went to Miss Grace Wayne. Table prizes were won by Misses Margaret Ford, Grace Wayne, Margaret Shields Everett, Maria Garrett and Miss Effie Patrick.

After the games the hostess, assisted by her mother and Misses Ruh, Edith and Frances Willard, and Mrs. E. L. Clarke, served a delightful ice course.

PATIENT CIRCLE KINGS

DAUGHTERS TO MEET

TUESDAY EVENING

The Patient Circle of the King's Daughters will meet with Mrs. J. L. Hassell, Tuesday evening at 7:45 promptly. All members are especially urged to attend.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express to my many friends my grateful appreciation of their kindness and sympathy in my great sorrow.

MRS. J. M. DOUGHTIE.

Attend Funeral of W. G. Carr

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Carr and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rawl, attended the funeral of W. G. Carr, which was held in Wilson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Carr died early Friday evening.

Fire Causes Slight Damage

The fire department was called to the home of Jasper House on Washington street yesterday afternoon to extinguish a burning garage. Damage was very slight. The cause of the blaze was undetermined.

T. E. L. Class To Meet

The T. E. L. class of Immanuel Baptist church will hold their regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening at eight o'clock at the home of Mrs. C. W. Willard on Tenth street. All members are urged to attend.

Go To Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones and little Miss Edna Earl and Mrs. Bettie McGowan went to Wilmington yesterday to see Mr. Byrd, Greenville policeman, who was in an automobile accident some weeks ago. Mr. Byrd is suffering with a fractured backbone. His many friends wish for him an early recovery.

Specials

For Tuesday and Wednesday—Shampoo and Finger Wave, \$1.00; Shampoo and Marcel, \$1.00; Phone \$79; Rosebud Beauty Parlor.

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New Methodist Church Opened At Grimesland

A great day for Methodism at Grimesland was Sunday, April 27, when our Methodist people moved from the Masonic hall to their beautiful new church located on the same lot where a little more than a year ago the old one-room church stood, the new church is a well planned building with all the Sunday school conveniences necessary and is completed throughout but not altogether paid for but our people have set the time of this not far distant.

Brother J. M. Ormand of Duke University was with us and in the Spirit of the Lord and gave us a great sermon, great in that it was logical and practical and was so very well adapted. Brother McCracken was with us for the entire day and took part in the morning service. He held the Third Quarter Conference in the afternoon and gave us a great sermon at the evening hour, which resulted in much good.

The dinner on the ground was a fine success, the entire community irrespective of denomination came with baskets and with the barbecue provided for the occasion, we had a great dinner and a great congregation of people from the country and adjoining towns.

We have preaching in the new church first and third Sunday evening and second Sunday, 11 a. m. Prayer service Thursday p. m. Sunday School each Sunday at 10 a. m. J. J. Ellis, superintendent. All invited.

Fire Destroys Warsaw Garage

Warsaw, N. C., May 5.—(AP)—Damage of \$15,000 was partially covered by insurance when fire destroyed Norwoods garage here last night. Seven automobiles and all machinery were lost.

The blaze originated on the second story of the building where furniture was stored. The entire upper story was aflame before the fire was discovered.

For a time it was feared the entire block might be lost as adjacent buildings caught fire but were extinguished before any damage could be done. Aid from Mt. Olive with the local fire department finally subdued the flames.

APPROVE TRANSFER OF PROHIBITION DEPARTMENT TO JUSTICE DEPARTMENT

Washington, May 5.—(AP)—The House bill transferring prohibition enforcement from the treasury to the justice department was approved with amendments today by the Senate judiciary committee and will receive early Senate consideration.

Raleigh, N. C.—(AP)—Date for the state-wide Baptist Sunday School convention has been set for June 4, 5 and 6. It will be held at Meredith College here.

ROUND TABLE CLUB TO MEET TUESDAY AFTERNOON

The Round Table Club will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3:30, with Mrs. Wiley Brown.

EASTERN STAR TO MEET TUESDAY EVENING

Chapter 149 Order of Eastern Star will meet Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to be present and on time.

TO MY MOTHER.

Helping me, cheering me,
In all of my needs;
Glad for me, sad for me,
In all of my deeds;
Unselfish, clean-hearted,
Doing your part;
Uplifting, dear to me,
Winning my heart;
True to me, blest to me,
Star of my soul;
Holding a standard,
Ever my goal.

—Janie Gold Hardee.

Attention, Graduate Nurses

On next Sunday afternoon, May 11, at 3 o'clock the Florence Nightingale Memorial Service and baccalaureate sermon for the Pitt Community hospital graduating class will be held in the Jarvis Memorial Methodist church.

All nurses are urged to attend in full uniform and are requested to meet in the Sunday school rooms of the church at 2:30. Local nurses are asked to dress in uniform at home and be on time to greet the visiting nurses at 2:30 o'clock.

This service is held in memory of Florence Nightingale, the founder of modern nursing whose birthday comes on May 12.

The first service of its kind was held in Wilmington May 12, 1929 and it is the aim of the nursing profession to make it an annual affair. The public is most cordially invited to be present.

Returned from Wedding Trip

Judge and Mrs. Albion Dunn returned yesterday from their wedding trip through Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland and Pennsylvania.

Judge and Mrs. Dunn were married on Thursday April 24 in the First Presbyterian church, Cleveland, Ohio, where Mrs. Dunn has been making her home for the past few months.

Mrs. Dunn was formerly Miss Latha-Rookh Boyd.

They will make their home in Greenville.

Joint Meeting of P. T. A.

There will be a joint meeting of Parent-Teachers Association at the High School Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. All parents are urged to attend.

Several Injured In Riot In Spain

Madrid, May 5.—(AP)—Republican sentiment seethed in Spain today, with strong police detachments stationed at strategic points in the capital to prevent recurrence of last night's rioting between Monarchists and anti-Monarchists.

Twelve or more people were injured in the disturbances which began in a hall where Don Miguel De Unamuno, Liberal rector of Salamanca university and returned Primo De Rivera exile, made a speech in behalf of establishment of a republic. Several arrests were made.

Before the speech began ten or twelve Monarchists rushed down the aisles of the crowded hall shouting: "Long live the king!" The audience shouted: "long live the republic!" in return, and after a series of fist fights expelled the disturbers. Civil guards restored order.

More than fifty persons were injured in rioting at the railway station Thursday when Don Miguel arrived in Madrid from Salamanca.

All Tired Out

Ever feel that way without having undergone unusual physical exertion?

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They affect the whole nervous system, and that means the brain and the muscles.

Those wearing correct glasses will tell you of the relief, comfort—yes, happiness imparted by properly fitted glasses. Life looks different through them.

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WINNERS IN BABY CONTEST



MASTER JAMES CLIFTON PAGE FRANCES EMMETT HOBGOOD
Frances Emmett Hobgood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hobgood and Master James Clifton Page, winners in the Baby Contest recently held here, under the auspices of the Young Matrons Society of the Eighth Street Christian church.

NAME JURORS FOR SUPERIOR COURT TERM

Two Weeks' Session of Civil Court to Convene Here Monday, May 19

The following jurors have drawn to serve at a two weeks' term of Pitt County Superior court, for the trial of civil cases, which will convene in this city Monday, May 19.

Ayden Township

Coward: J. H. Stox, L. J. Quinley

H. P. McGowan, W. E. Phillips,

W. B. Baldree, W. L. Craft, W. A.

Beaver Dam Township

Strickland E. S.

Bethel Township

Lewis, J. L. Carson, D. L.

Carolina Township

Taylor, Leonard, Leggett, W. J.

Barnhill, J. L.; Chicod, Singleton,

J. T.; Edwards, J. H. Stanley, J. L.

Farmville: Dupree, F. G. Jr. Fountain:

Owens, Joe. Greenville: Corey

J. Hicks, Fleming, J. Sam, Fornes,

H. C. Fortines, O. G. Johnson W. C.

Roundtree, C. E. Tyson, R. R.

Brown, J. F. Merritt R. G. Mollings

worth, T. T. Taft, J. M. Vinson, J. L.

Winterville: Williams L. F. Fort-

times, N. C. Rouse, G. L.

Second Week

Ayden township: Manning, H. A.

Bullock, W. J. Gardner, J. C.

Bethel: Staton, H. V., Bunting, Z.

V. Dowers, J. B. Carolina: James,

D. A. Chicod: Wilson, J. P. Ven-

ters, H. C., Venters, G. W. Tucker,

J. Raymond, Williams, Jodie, Mills

Merchant Captures Auto From Robbers

Kinston, May 5.—(AP)—Nils Manning, merchant living near Kinston, is possibly glad thieves tried to break into his store.

Hearing a noise, he jumped out of bed and found several men-trying to break in the front door of his store. He opened fire with a revolver and then a shotgun.

The robbers leapt in a car and fled. Manning pursued. Hard pushed, the thieves abandoned the car. Now Manning has a new car, a hat and a shoe left by the would-be robbers.

Kills Friend In Argument On Road

Suffolk, Va., May 5.—(AP)—Two men who had grown into manhood together in the Nuneville section of Nansemond county attended worship, as was their custom, at Cypress Chapel Christian church last night. One now is dead, fatally shot by the hand of the other, who is held in Nansemond county jail.

The two men were enroute home from the church services when the tragedy occurred. John H. Bobb, aged 43, the man killed, was driving a car belonging to Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Rawls, elderly couple, who also had been to the church. Willard Ballard, aged 40, who is being held in jail was driving behind the machine driven by Bobb.

Rawls said Ballard drove up in front of their car and stopped, jumped out and charged that Bobb had not drawn to one side of the road when he had signalled from behind that he wanted to pass. Bobb, he said, told Ballard, he had not heard him.

Words followed and "Ballard reached for his pocket." Seeing this, Mrs. Rawls rushed up to prevent the bullet finding its mark, but was too late. The bullet passed through her hand and lodged in Bobb's heart.

Germans Locate in S. C.

Greenwood, S. C., May 5.—(AP)—Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Rumpf are the first Germans to locate here under the colonization plans recently completed in Greenwood county.

The attraction to this section is set out as ideal dairy conditions and the movement to begin a German colony here is rapidly taking shape. Mr. and Mrs. Rumpf left Germany two years ago and have been in Brazil since that time.

"DOC" IS HERE

May 5th and 6th

For the treatment of

CORNS, BUNIONS AND

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without medicine.

Sorry he cannot make home

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Griffin Shoe Store, phone

347, from 9 a. m., to 5:30

p. m.—Just two days.

Bankers Meet At Old Point Comfort

Old Point Comfort, Va., May 5.—(AP)—Three hundred representatives of banking groups from every state in the United States today were prepared for business sessions of the American Bankers' Association spring meeting in session here.

The meeting was opened last night when John G. Longdale, of St. Louis, president of the association predicted a "forward movement of business in an orderly manner, and without credit stringency."

Branch and group banking is the principal topic of business discussions. Morning and night sessions of the executive council will be held tomorrow, with another session Wednesday morning, and a final gathering at the conclusion of the meeting Thursday.

Marion, N. C.—(AP)—Glen Brown driver of an automobile which crashed into another with fatal injuries resulting to Robert Harrell, of Forest City, his passenger, is held under \$1,000 bond pending an inquest.

Special For Monday and Tuesday

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North
Carolina

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OUTSTANDING STYLES IN

Coats, Suits and Dresses

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The cleverest of new styles... the most popular of the new Spring and Summer fabrics are here, tailored in models for every occasion. Shown in printed and plain crepes, georgettes and chiffons in the charming new pastel shades.

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\$14.95 \$16.95
\$19.95

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Formerly Priced up to
\$19.95—
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This group consists of sleeveless, short sleeves and long sleeve models in plain and figured crepes in dark and pastel shades... smartly styled. It is a decided fact that the thrifty woman will profit by examining this group of values.

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Former Priced \$7.95
Extra Special Price
\$4.95

Our Entire Stock Of

COATS AND SUITS REDUCED

Regular Values
up to \$16.95

\$9.95

Values Formerly
Priced up to \$19.95

\$13.95

Market Report

Cotton--Stocks--Grain

COTTON MARKET

New York, May 5.—(AP)—Cotton opened steady at a decline of 7 to 12 points under selling promoted by relatively easy cables and a favorable view of the weather news.

The decline in old crop months was checked by covering around 16.18 for July and there were slight rallies, but selling of new crop positions increased after the call with the new October selling off to 14.25 and December to 14.35, or about 13 to 18 points net lower.

Liverpool cables said the market there had been influenced by continental and Alexandrian liquidation which had uncovered some orders. A limited cloth business was reported in Manchester with a further stoppage of machinery likely and there were reiterated reports of unsettled political conditions in India. Trading was comparatively quiet at the start here, but became more active on the decline, particularly with reference to the new crop positions.

	High	Low	Close
Jan. Old	17.78	14.50	14.78
Jan. New	14.55	14.19	14.55
March	14.68	14.30	14.68
May	16.35	15.92	16.35
July	16.49	16.03	16.49
Oct. Old	14.61	14.29	14.61
Oct. New	14.32	14.00	14.32
Dec. Old	14.71	14.40	14.71
Dec. New	14.42	14.11	14.42

GRAIN MARKET

Chicago, May 5.—(AP)—Both the July and May deliveries of wheat slid down today to new lows for the season. Suspicious virtual completion of the seeding of domestic spring wheat, together with betterment of winter crop prospects were bearish factors, a liberal decrease of 3,332,000 bushels in the United States visible supply, though, helped to steady the market on setbacks.

Affected by weakness of the stock market, may wheat reached as low as \$1.00 a bushel in the final dealings. Wheat prices as a whole closed unsettled, 1-4 to 11-8c under Saturday's finish.

Corn closed 11-4c off to 3-8c up Oats 1-8c down, and provisions unchanged to 7c decline.

	WHEAT:	High	Low	Close
May	1.01-1.8	1.00	1.00-1.4	
July	1.02-5.8	1.01-1.8	1.01-1.2	
Sep.	1.05-1.2	1.04	1.04-1.4	
Dec.	1.10-3.8	1.08-7.8	1.08-1.8	

	CORN:	High	Low	Close
May	.79-3.8	.78	.78-5.8	
July	.81	.79-7.8	.80-1.4	
Sep.	.82-1.8	.80-7.8	.81-1.8	
Dec.	.76-1.4	.75-1.4	.75-3.8	

	OATS:	High	Low	Close
May	.41	.41-1.2	.40-5.8	
July	.40-3.4	.40	.40-1.4	
Sep.	.40-1.2	.39-3.4	.39-3.4	
Dec.	.43	.42-1.2	.42-1.2	

	RYE:	High	Low	Close
May	.57-5.8	.56-7.8	.56-7.8	
July	.62-5.8	.61-3.4	.61-3.4	
Sep.	.67-1.4	.66-1.8	.66-1.8	
Dec.	.71-1.4	.70	.70-1.8	

	LARD:	High	Low	Close
May	10.27	10.25	10.25	
July	10.27	10.25	10.25	
Sep.	10.62	10.60	10.60	

	BELLIES:	High	Low	Close
May	14.00			
July	13.70			

STOCK MARKET

New York, May 5.—(AP)—The stock market appeared to have touched bottom during the greater part of today's session, and a long list of leading shares made substantial recovery. Wall Street was inclined to take a cautious view, however, pending determination as to whether the market was really at the bottom of the abyss, or had merely caught on a ledge.

Trading progressed in enormous volume, the ticker again falling far in arrears. Stocks were dumped upon the market in large volume during the first half hour, but were well taken. Brokers reported that a large amount of investment buying had been attracted at current levels, and that many in-and-out traders were buying stocks in anticipation of a sharp rally. Such a rally as might be attributable to a rush of short covering failed to appear save in a few stocks, however, and the apparent unconcern of the bear crowd was regarded as a little disconcerting. Commission House advices were rather cautious, pointing out that further distress selling might be hanging over the market, and that bears might launch a new drive before covering. The hysteria of Saturday, however, appeared to have given way to a more sober attitude over the week-end.

Business news was meagre, and scarcely of a character to inspire any renewal of rash bidding up of stocks. Week-end business and trade reviews pointed to gradual improvement here and there, but indicated that further unsettlement in commodity prices remained a sore spot. Bradstreet commodity price index for April disclosed a decline for the seventh consecutive month, falling to the lowest point in nearly nine years. Reports from the steel centers indicated that operations will probably be well maintained this week, but that further adjustment of prices is in prospect.

Call money repeated Friday's process of renewing at 3-1/2 per cent, then dropping to 3. Time loans eased further. Declining credit rates tended to bring considerable buying into investment stocks selling on attractive yield bases, particularly into the investment rails.

N. Y. STOCK LIST

All Chem Dye 305	Am Beet Sug 81-4	American Can 130	Am Car Fndy 531-8	Am Loco 68	Am Smelt 671-2	A T T 2411.2	Am Tob 241	Am Tob B 244	Am Wool 131-4	Anacosta 55-3-8	Armour 55-8	Armour B 3	Asso Dry Goods 43-4	A C L 165	Atl Ref 37-4	B and O 112	Barnsdall A 251-8	Beth Steel 93-3-4	Bendix 38-7-8	Can Pac 195-3-4	Calumet Hec 17	Cannons Mills 28	Can Dry 43-4	C and O 205	Chrysler 315-8	Coca Cola 170	Coca Cola 51	Col Fuel 52-3-4	Col Gas Elec 71-3-4	Con Cig 431-2	Cont Can 623-8	Cons Gas 1201-4	Corn Prod 98	Cub Am Sugar 67-8	Davidson Chem 32-3-8	Drugs Inc 803-8	DuPont 123	Elec Auto Lite 901-2	El Pow Lt 771-4	Eng Pub Svc 567-8	Erie R R 45	Foster Wheeler 83	Fox A 481-2	Freight Tex 423-4	Gen Cig 501-2	Gen Elec 77	Gen Foods 55	Gen Mot 43-3-8	Gen Outdoor Adv 141-8	Gillette 83-5-8	Goodyear 76	Grigsby Cru 183-4	Gt Western Sugar 281-8	Houston Oil 881-2	How Sound 291-8	Hudson 421-8	Hupp Mot 171-2	Int Comb Eng 9	Int Harv 1011.2	Int Nick 311-2	I T T 62	Kennecott 431-8	Liggett My 103	Liggett My B 102	Loews 83	Lorillard 217-8	L and N 134	Mack 72-3-4	Magma 343-4	M K T 53-5-8	Mo Pac 76	Mont Ward 401-4	Nash Motors 431-8	Natl Bis 801-2	Natl Dairy Food 511-8	N Y C 1681-8	N Y Nh H 108-7-8	No Am 111	Nor and W 2271-2	Nor Pac 81	Oil Well Sup 11	Packard 16-3-8	Pan Am B 56	Penn R R 761-4	Phillips Morris 111-2	Phillips Pet 37-3-4	Pub Svc N J 102-3-4	Pullman New 77	Radio 44-3-4	R K O 38-5-8	Reading 111	Rem Rand 341-4	Reynolds B 491-2	Royal Dutch 515-8	Schulte 8	Seaboard 95-8	Sears Roebuck 811-4	Simmons 39	Sinclair 251-2	Skelly 33-4-4	Sou Dairies A 20	Sou Pac 119-5-8	Sou Rwy 109	St G Elec 108	St Cal 673-4	St N J 74	St N Y 351-2	Studebaker 361-2	Tenn Cop Chem 131-4	Tex Corp 56	Timk 75	Tob Prod 33-4	Un Pac 223-4	Un Rircraft 62	Un Corp 41	Un Fruit 93	U Cig Str 51-2	U S Aleh 861-4	U S Rub 261-2	U S Sil 1691-2	U S Tob 61	Univ Leaf Tob 32-3-4	Vanadium 981-4	Via Chem 44-3-4	Va Car Chem 53-4	Ward Baking B 103-4	Westinghouse 161	WU 1691-4	Willys Overland 71-2	Woolworth 603-8	Yellow Trk 231-2	Sales 8112300
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SNOW AND RAIN STORMS CAUSE DEATH IN CALIF

Transportation and Communication Badly Disrupted By Unsettled Weather

Los Angeles, May 5.—(AP)—Week end snow and rain storms caused one death in the Los Angeles area and disrupted transportation and communication systems in Southern California and Arizona.

Heavy snows and cold weather in the San Antonio mountains near Ontario, Cal., east of here yesterday claimed the life of Mrs. Mildred Percy, 35, former head of the Chicago Child Welfare League. The woman, who has been spending the winter in Pasadena, died of exposure after struggling in four-foot snowdrifts while on a hiking trip from Ice House canyon to Kelly's Camp deed in the mountains.

Metropolitan Los Angeles and adjacent territory experienced the heaviest May rain over the week-end since 1921, with a toll of 104 inches reported.

Snow fell steadily throughout Saturday night and Sunday in the mountain districts. Mount Wilson near Los Angeles is covered with snow half way down the mountain side, and telephone lines were put out of commission. Seven inches of snow fell at Big Pine north of San Bernardino, while heavy falls were reported at Idyllwild in the San Jacinto range at the Big Bear and Arrowhead resorts.

The highest temperature reported here yesterday was 56 and the lowest was 48 degrees. Low temperatures prevailed throughout the southland.

Control Forest Fires In Virginia

Richmond, Va., May 5.—(AP)—Two forest fires near Richmond, one of which swept over an area of 1,500 acres and destroyed mills and houses, were reported under control today. Wardens with organized crews patrolling the danger areas today to guard against fresh outbreaks feared because of the dry weather.

In the pair of the 1,500 acre conflagration were a valuable sawmill, four houses, 200 cords of pulp wood and 75,000 board feet of lumber. Forest wardens and volunteers fought the blaze for about ten hours before bringing it under control.

Court Refuses to Dismiss Petition In LaVarre Case

New York, May 5.—(AP)—The United States Circuit Court of Appeals today refused to dismiss an appeal brought by William LaVarre, southern newspaper publisher, on a commitment ordering him returned to Macon, Ga., to answer a charge of criminal contempt of court. Motion for dismissal was made by Thomas T. Cooke, assistant U. S. attorney on the grounds that it was frivolous.

The temporary stay of execution, which allows LaVarre's freedom under \$7,500 bail pending appeal, was continued.

LaVarre is appealing from decisions of Federal Judge Cox and U. S. Commissioner O'Neill which ordered him returned to Georgia.

Hines Submits Legislation for Vets to Senate

Washington, May 5.—(AP)—Director Hines of the Veterans Bureau submitted to the Senate Finance committee today proposed legislation which he said would increase the cost of veterans compensation approximately \$200,000 a year.

Hines disapproved provision of a veterans measure recently passed by the House.

"Mother Queen"

Mexico City—Two women, with 32 living children each, are leading in a contest being conducted by the newspaper Ecelsior to determine Mexico's "mother queen," who will be crowned Mother's Day.

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Republicans of Pennsylvania in Grip of Battle

Harrisburg, May 5.—(AP)—The Republican party in Pennsylvania is in the throes of one of the most exciting battles in its history.

In the center of the melee are such nationally known figures as United States Senator Joseph R. Grundy, Secretary of Labor James J. Davis, and Gifford Pinchot, former governor of Pennsylvania. Playing major roles, although not running for office, are such personages as William S. Vare, head of the Philadelphia Republican organization; W. W. Atterbury, president of the Pennsylvania Railroad; Andrew W. Mellon, secretary of the treasury and his nephew, W. L. Mellon of Pittsburgh and Governor John S. Fisher.

While few believe the party warfare will end with the May 20 primary election, Republican voters must decide on the date whether they will return Mr. Grundy, one of the leading high tariff advocates of the nation, to the United States Senate or confer the coveted honor upon Mr. Davis, secretary of labor under three presidents.

"Uncle Joe" Grundy as a vote-seeker is a novelty to Pennsylvania. Never before has he sought an important public office and never did he hold one until Governor John S. Fisher named him senator to seat William S. Vare after three years of deliberation.

Bank of Faison Plans to Reopen

Faison, N. C., May 5.—(AP)—Announcement was made today that the Bank of Faison which closed its doors last January 16 has been reorganized and will reopen on May 13.

A group of 110 stockholders has provided new capital to the amount of \$25,000 to assure reorganization, and will hold a meeting May 12 to name officers.

Coastguard Begins Investigation of Loss of Rum Chaser

Buffalo, N. Y., May 5.—(AP)—Coast guard headquarters here today began an investigation of the loss of Toledo, Ohio, in Lake Erie of the CG-173, rum chaser, last seen afloat on Thursday of last week. The bodies of two members of the crew, William J. Pratt of Gloucester, Mass., and Gardner D. Young, Goldsboro, Mo., have been recovered and search is continuing for that of John C. Hay, of Gloucester, Mass.

RED CROSS TO ATTEMPT AID ON HIGHWAYS

President Hoover Welcomes Annual Convention Today At Washington City

Washington, May 5.—(AP)—Delegates to the ninth annual convention of the American Red Cross today were welcomed by President Hoover with word that the organization's growth indicated the increasing sense of responsibility toward those who have met with disaster.

Mrs. L. Fieser, vice-chairman in charge of domestic operations, in announcing plans for first aid on highways, said the growing total of deaths from motor accidents was a challenge and a problem to the organization.

Mrs. Frank Vans, of Salt Lake City, was unanimously chosen chairman of the convention. She is the first woman to have been so honored.

The program included addresses by Ernest P. Bicknell, James K. McClintock and Constance Payne. The text of the president's address follows:

"It gives me a great deal of pleasure to participate in the convocation of the meeting of the officers of the American Red Cross.

"The past fifteen years has seen a great change in the purpose and activities of this, our great official association for the administration of national charity.

"Originally designed for succor in war, it has now become also the national agency for relief of disaster in peacetime, both at home and abroad.

"The past decade it has distinguished itself a score of times by effective organization of the saving of life and suffering.

"Its ever increasing strength represents the growing of the spiritual sense of responsibility of the nation toward those who meet with disaster.

"The Nation has grown to complete confidence in the efficiency, ability, and single mindedness of the Red Cross.

"We have come to entrust it with a great responsibility for the Red Cross is today the expression of the national will, the national sympathy, for all those overtaken by catastrophe of storm, of flood, of famine.

Al's Double

Garfield, N. J.—Mayon Anthony Perrapato is a double of Al Capone and doesn't like it a bit. Arriving by boat from Havana he found the police and photographers waiting at the pier in New York because of a rumor that Capone was aboard. On his first vacation in 12 years lots of folks aboard ship and at the hotel took the mayor for the gangsters. He was shunned and pestered.

SEEKS PROBE OF REPORTS OF PATRONAGE OFFER FOR VOTES FOR JUDGE PARKER

(Continued from page one) Senator Stephens continued, "318 lawyers met in Richmond and gave Parker the highest endorsement."

Asked by Senator Caraway, Democrat, Arkansas, if two former governors of North Carolina, were not going around the capitol endeavoring to influence senators on the nomination, Stephens said he had seen "only one ex-governor."

"I saw him as he was leaving the capitol," he said. "I think that only three men from North Carolina who are not in public life here in Washington, have mentioned this matter to me."

Senator Simmons, Democrat, said at a meeting at Pinehurst last week members of the state bar, mostly "Democratic lawyers," unanimously approved resolutions endorsing Parker.

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