

Cabarrus County Leader In Health Work Results

During First Three Months of Year This County Got More for Its Money Than Any County in State.

DR. RANKIN MAKES HIS REPORT PUBLIC

State Health Department Conducting Test to See Just What People Get For Their Health Money.

In a test recently made by Dr. W. S. Rankin, head of the State Board of Health, to determine what county in the State was getting the most for its money spent in health work...

Checking the value of work done in the administration of a public office against a standard system of costs and measuring the gross result against the gross expenditure...

Cabarrus county heads the list of 24 counties included in the experiment with an earning of \$2.52 for every dollar spent in public health work...

Four thousand copies of the report of the first three months of the operation of the system were mailed out yesterday to citizens living in the 24 counties...

The plan was put into operation January 1st, after several years of intensive study of the health work in the State...

Dr. Rankin's undertaking has been watched with profound interest throughout the State...

The scheme has been in Dr. Rankin's mind for several years and it is the main reason that he is not a member of the faculty of one of the great universities in the world this fall...

PLANS ANOTHER FLIGHT

Lieut. Maughan, Trying to Avoid a Cow, Broke Part of Landing Gear. St. Joseph, Mo., July 10.—Lieut. Russell L. Maughan, halted yesterday in his attempted dawn-to-dusk flight from New York to San Francisco...

THE COTTON MARKET

Opened Barely Steady at Decline of 1 to 14 Points.—July Rallied 20 Points. New York, July 10.—The cotton market opened barely steady at a decline of 1 to 14 points under overnight selling orders from the South...

GREAT FALLS BANK CLOSES

President Denies That It Has Any Connection With Financing of Dempsey-Gibbons Fight.

Great Falls, Mont., July 10.—George H. Stanton, President of the Stanton Trust and Savings Bank of this city which failed to open its doors for business yesterday, denied today that there is any connection between the closing of the institution and the financing of the Dempsey-Gibbons championship fight at Shelby, Mont., on July 4th.

Stanton was one of the great Falls men who helped in raising the second \$100,000 paid to Dempsey on his guarantee of \$300,000 to meet Gibbons for the title match.

ROTH'S BODY HELD

At Cleveland, Pending Instructions From Washington as to Its Disposal. Cleveland, July 10.—The body of Lieut. J. Roth, pilot of the naval balloon A-4938 in the national elimination race which sailed from Indianapolis July 4th, lays at rest in an undertaking establishment here today pending receipt of instructions from Washington as to its disposal.

The body was brought here last night from Port Stanley, Ontario, on the flying boat Nina of the Aero-Marine Airways Company. It was in charge of Lieutenant J. H. Strong, chief inspector of naval air craft at Glen L. Martin field here.

MAYBERRY ESCAPES FROM CITY JAIL

Man Charged With Seduction Breaks Out of Reidsville Jail. Reidsville, July 8.—R. H. Maberry, local ticket agent of the Southern Railway Company, created a sensation by making his escape from the city jail early this morning.

At 2 o'clock this morning officers served a warrant on him charging him with seduction. At 6 o'clock Maberry was lodged in the calaboose. A little later discovery of his escape was made. He gained his freedom by removing bricks from the wall. A hole about 9x12 was made and the prisoner climbed through it.

Plan "Law-Not War" Campaign.

Washington, D. C., July 10.—Thirty-five national organizations, through local branches in the States, are organizing nationwide activities in favor of "law-not war" to be held on July 28-29.

With these thirty-five organizations, all of which are affiliated in the National Council for Prevention of War, will cooperate other groups including those interested in the promotion of special plans for the substitution of law for war, such as the World Court, the League of Nations and the outlawry of war.

NORTH CAROLINA HELD UP AS MODEL STATE

Before the Georgia Legislators.—Ahead in Taxation, Schools and Roads.

Atlanta, Ga., July 10.—North Carolina is being placed before Georgia legislators as a model state, in some instances, to be followed. Long before the General Assembly convened the Tar Heel state's system of taxation was discussed throughout Georgia as one of the plans to be considered by the legislators when they met.

The plain system of income taxation met defeat in the Assembly two years ago. North Carolina was mentioned in connection with the plan at the relative success of the plan in operation there. This year Governor Walker included North Carolina in the several states whose taxation machinery and laws he studied.

The investigation of the state's finances followed charges made during the last session of the legislature by Corporation Commissioner A. J. Maxwell that a large deficit existed in the treasury instead of the surplus which Governor Morrison had asserted there was.

Mr. Maxwell, in his statement issued during the winter asserted that an analysis of the figures of the treasurer's report led him to believe that a deficit of approximately \$5,000,000 existed in the state finances.

WILL DEPART TOMORROW FOR A THREE-DAY TRIP ACROSS GULF OF ALASKA

On board the U. S. steamship Henderson with President Harding, July 10.—(By the Associated Press.)—A spectacle of crashing ice was planned to thrill President Harding and his party as the United States steamship Henderson came off Juneau, the capital of Alaska, this morning.

GOV. PEAY AND PARTY LEFT TODAY FOR DURHAM

Tennessee Gets Acquainted With the Good Roads of North Carolina. Greensboro, July 10.—Gov. Peay, Governor of Tennessee, and his party of fourteen, left here at noon for Durham after a visit to the North Carolina College for Women, Guilford Battle Grounds, the White Oak denim mills and other points of interest.

Want Sixteen-Foot Road.

Elizabeth City, July 9.—With the failure of the delegation from this section to have the State Highway Commission bear the expense of a 16-foot roadway from here to the Virginia line instead of the nine-foot road which the commission proposes to build, plans are under way here, it is said, for a new plan to be presented to the commission.

The new plan, it is said, contemplates presenting to the commission a request that a 16-foot roadway be built as far as it will go with the money which would be used on the nine-foot road to the Virginia line. It is believed here that if this is done that a 16-foot road would be forthcoming in a year or so for the balance of the way, while a nine-foot road would be unsatisfactory and probably would not be widened to the greater width in many years if at all.

INTERESTING ITEMS ABOUT NORTH CAROLINA.

(By the Associated Press.) North Carolina ranks second in the manufacture of cotton goods in the states of the Union and leads all southern states in this industry.

The cotton manufacturing industry ranks first among state industries in the amount paid in wages, the number of wage earners and in value of products. In 1912 the amount realized from products of North Carolina cotton manufactures was \$52,868,689; in 1922, it had increased to \$229,679,691.

Capital invested and utilized in the cotton manufacturing industry in 1912 was \$52,108,250; in 1922, \$147,493,572. The number of employees in this industry had grown from 54,110 in 1912 to 78,972 in 1922.

TO RECEIVE REPORT OF STATE'S FINANCES TODAY

The Whole State Awaits With Interest the Report on the Condition of the Treasury to Be Delivered to the Committee. Raleigh, N. C., July 9.—Official as well as civilian North Carolina awaits tonight with interest for the report of the condition of the state finances which will be delivered here tomorrow to the special legislative committee by the auditors who have been engaged for about five months in an extensive survey of the subject.

ELKS IN ATLANTA

Grand Lodge Begins Its Fifty-Ninth Annual Meeting There. Atlanta, Ga., July 10.—Meeting in the "old South" for the first time in 25 years, the grand lodge of Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks opened the first business session of its 59th annual meeting here this morning.

PREMIER HARDING ENTERTAINED IN ALASKA

Will Depart Tomorrow for a Three-Day Trip Across Gulf of Alaska. On board the U. S. steamship Henderson with President Harding, July 10.—(By the Associated Press.)—A spectacle of crashing ice was planned to thrill President Harding and his party as the United States steamship Henderson came off Juneau, the capital of Alaska, this morning.

Yankee Team in Wreck.

New York, July 10.—Members of the New York Yankee baseball team escaped injury today when the train they were riding between St. Louis and Chicago was wrecked 20 miles south of its destination, according to a message received this afternoon by a daily newspaper here.

Oil Promoters Arrested.

Cleveland, July 10.—Twenty-three Mexican oil promoters including Dr. Frederick Cook, former arctic explorer, were indicted here today by the Federal grand jury on charge of using the mails to defraud and making fraudulent uses of the mails.

CITIZENS BANK & TRUST COMPANY SAFETY is the foundation of our success. Our ample Capital and Surplus, conservative management and strict State supervision assure complete protection for funds deposited with us.

DEATH OF MRS. T. W. SMIT

One of Concord's Best Beloved Women Passed Away.—Funeral Tomorrow. Mrs. Mary Hubbard Smith, wife of Rev. Thomas W. Smith, died here at 11 o'clock this morning at her home on Marsh street.

The deceased is survived by her husband, two daughters, two sons, one sister and several brothers. The daughters are Mrs. U. G. DesPortes, of Wintonboro, S. C., and Mrs. J. D. Hargett, of Atlanta. Mr. Henry Smith, of this city, and Mr. Thomas Smith, of Rio Janeiro are the surviving sons.

Mrs. Smita was born in Clinton, N. C., June 2, 1857, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Langdon C. Hubbard. She was married on November 23rd, 1876 in Clinton, and during her husband's active ministry lived in a number of cities in the State.

Four detectives from Scotland Yard left London for Southampton yesterday with about 200 warrants which presumably will be served on men accused of deserting British ships when attracted by higher wages offered in the United States.

AUDITORS MAKE THEIR REPORT TO THE COMMITTEE

Later Will Now Consider the Report and Make Recommendations. Raleigh, N. C., July 10.—The auditors who have been employed to ascertain the financial condition of the State, made their report this morning to the special legislative committee.

SOCIAL SERVICE CONFERENCE

Widow of the Late Booker T. Washington One of the Speakers at Lake Junaluska. Lake Junaluska, July 8.—Among speakers at the Social Service Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in session here, was the widow of the late Booker T. Washington, former head of the Tuskegee Institute.

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GIANI LEVIATHAN ARRIVES CHERBOURG ON ITS MAIDEN TRIP

Landed Today at Cherbourg, France, on First Trans-Atlantic Voyage as Passenger Ship Under Our Flag.

MANY OF CREW TO BE ARRESTED

Accused of Deserting British Ships When They Were Offered by Leviathan.

Cherbourg, France, July 10.—(By the Associated Press.)—The giant liner Leviathan arrived here today on her first trans-Atlantic voyage as a passenger ship under the American flag.

ATTRACTS ATTENTION IN SHIPPING CIRCLES.

London, July 10.—The expected arrival of the Leviathan at Southampton today is attracting the interest of all shipping circles. The great liner's passenger record, her disputed claim to the world's record tonnage and her cargo of reputed millionaires on the present voyage have been discussed in the newspapers, while the reported impending arrest of a large proportion of her crew for desertion has also augmented public curiosity.

LARGE DETOUR MAPS ARE PLACED IN HOTELS

State Highway Commission Furnishes Traveling Public With Information. Raleigh, N. C., July 10.—The State Highway Commission, for the convenience of motorists has placed in the hotel lobbies of the state, large maps of the detours in effect during each month.

The purpose of the maps, it is said, is to indicate to a traveler going from town to town where he will have to detour. A man at Greensboro traveling to Raleigh, for example, would only have to glance at the map in Greensboro and see if any detours are marked up on the Greensboro-Raleigh Road.

This service, it is believed, will be of great assistance to motorists passing through the state as, because of the great amount of road construction now in progress, many roads are being replaced temporarily by detours.

The detour reports of the Commission which are issued monthly may be found in all public libraries of the state and will supplement the map so far as giving the exact mileage and location of all detours is concerned.

Confusion as to the Stop, Look and Listen Law.

Raleigh, N. C., July 9.—Expressing themselves as somewhat disappointed at the manner in which the "Stop, Look, Listen" signs about the state have been placed, the State Highway Commission last night called attention to a condition which officials of the Commission stated was prevalent over the entire state and mitigated to a certain extent the usefulness of the signs and was a cause of confusion to the motorist.

Under the terms of the measure passed by the last session of the legislature and which became a law on July first, railroads are required to place signboards at a distance of one hundred feet from all crossings in the country unless guarded by a watchman or by crossing gates. According to highway officials, in many instances where a crossing branches off from the main road a railroad crossing comes before the 100 foot distance along the crossroad has been passed, thus bringing the crossing within 100 feet of the main road.