

**THE WEATHER**  
 Increasing cloudiness.  
 Probably showers Wednesday. No change in temperature.

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## GETS TOP PRICE FOR FALL BEANS

**W. A. Brock, Who Made Money on Beans in Spring While Other Truckers Lost on Peas Again Strikes Luck.**

Again W. A. Brock, large truck grower of this section and member of the produce firm of Brock & Scott, who made quite a good thing out of string beans in the spring, struck the market right when he had a car load of string beans to sell at \$3.25 and \$3.50 on Northern markets Monday. There were 351 baskets, making a total of nearly \$1,200 for the car.

Mr. Brock is practically the only large shipper of fall truck at this time in this immediate section, the unusually dry weather having dwarfed and retarded both peas and beans planted for fall. However, quite a number of shippers are making small shipments by express, though the price for beans as a rule heretofore has not exceeded \$2.50 a basket. May peas are ranging higher, some shipper having got as high as \$7.50 a basket for them.

Among the smaller shippers of peas are J. S. Markham, E. J. Barcliff, Lem Gibson and Henry James, the latter being negro truckers. Among the shippers of beans are H. R. Barco and M. B. Sample.

Growing of fall crops of beans and peas is a comparatively new industry in this section but the acreage in peas this fall is quite large owing to record prices for fall peas last year ranging as high as \$10 and \$12 a basket.

## UNEMPLOYED GET ON A WILD SPREE

**Storm Town Hall in Berlin—Three Wounded When Police Attempt to Quell Rioting With Guns.**

Berlin, Oct. 16.—Several thousand unemployed persons attempted today to storm the town hall in the heart of the city. They were repulsed by the police with fixed bayonets.

Authorities said that Communist agitators led the demonstration that blocked traffic. Mobs in other sections kept the police busy. Three were wounded when the police used guns.

Renewed food riots are reported at numerous points in Germany. One demonstrator and one policeman were killed in Mannheim. Riots were renewed at Leipzig.

## STATE FAIR OPENS AT NOON TUESDAY

Raleigh, Oct. 16.—The sixty-second annual State Fair opened here today at noon with speeches by Governor Cameron Morrison and Mrs. Edith Vanderbilt, president of the Fair Association.

## Mississippian Dies at Greenville Home

Greenville, Miss., Oct. 16.—Benjamin Grubb Humphreys, for 20 years Congressman from the third Mississippi district, died suddenly at his home here today with heart disease.

## Will Allen Dies in Raleigh Hospital

Raleigh, Oct. 16.—Will A. Allen, member of the Raleigh real estate firm of Allen Brothers, died in a hospital here today at 11:15 this morning from injuries received in an automobile wreck last week when one other man was killed and others were injured.

Mr. Allen had been in a critical condition since the accident but his friends held out some hope of his recovery.

## GULF STORM FAILS TO STRIKE COAST

New Orleans, Oct. 16.—The gulf storm scheduled to strike the Louisiana coast today failed to do so. Morgan City reported no wind today. The wind died down here. A 18 miles wind was reported at Burwood, and gulf ports reported heavy winds.

## TO TAKE PARTNER AND MOVE OFFICES

Dr. J. H. White, oldest dentist in Elizabeth City, will take Dr. H. E. Nixon of Edenton into his partnership and move his offices to the Hinton Building soon.

The new offices will be equipped with X-Ray and other modern equipment.

## POLICE COURT BRIEF

Tuesday's session of police court was brief, there being only one case and two convictions. Sarah King and Anderson Perry were required to pay a fine of \$10 and costs each on a charge of prostitution.

## AGED COUPLE DIE TOGETHER

Columbia, S. C., Oct. 16.—C. M. Rhoder, aged 69, accidentally killed his 67-year-old wife while cleaning his gun today. He then committed suicide. The couple had recently celebrated their golden wedding.

## Shrine Circus Will Open Here Tonight

**Opening was Delayed Unavoidably but Eight Big Acts Are On Tonight**

The Shrine Circus was delayed in opening Monday, so the initial performance will be given tonight.

When the committee found that everything could not be got ready Monday night, they decided not to have a halfway sort of show, giving half the program, but to postpone the opening till tonight and give it just right.

The front doors will open at 7 and the performance will start at 8.

The season tickets sell for 50 cents and are good for all the week. A performance will be put on Saturday afternoon to take the place of Monday night.

The Star coupe will be given away Saturday night to the lucky person attending the circus this week. The prizes for selling tickets will also be awarded Saturday night.

The committee has worked very hard to make the circus a success. There will be eight big acts on the program tonight.

## SUCCESSFUL FISHING TRIP

Dr. H. D. Walker and Sam Parker of this city had a most successful fishing trip at Oregon Inlet last week-end. Their catch for two days at the Inlet included 18 bluefish, 22 trout and 75 drum.

## Talks On Health For Boy Of Twelve

**Director Health Education Urges Practice As Well As Preaching**

Detroit, Oct. 16.—Methods of teaching health to older school children who have not been so trained in their earlier years were discussed before today's session of the American Child Health Association's annual meeting by Miss Maud A. Brown, director of child health education in Fargo, North Dakota, where the first demonstration in the Commonwealth Fund Child Health Demonstration is being conducted.

In today's address Miss Brown dealt almost exclusively with the pre-adolescent boy—the youngster of 12 or 13.

The subject of her paper was "Teaching Health to Older Children."

"Of all human creatures the most difficult for the average woman to understand," she said, "is the pre-adolescent male, hence he is the most difficult to appeal to successfully. The boy of 12 is the most male creature, psychologically, in the world. The woman teacher might as well be non-existent. He merely tolerates his mother and his sister as an irritating foreign body. The wise woman will combine with other wise women and see to it that there are available good men in public places.

"In teaching health then to the pre-adolescent male, the teacher, usually a woman, would do well to keep in the background, making her appeal to two outstanding psychological characteristics:

"1. The boy is at this age an entirely self-centered egotistic male.

"2. He is a member of a gang.

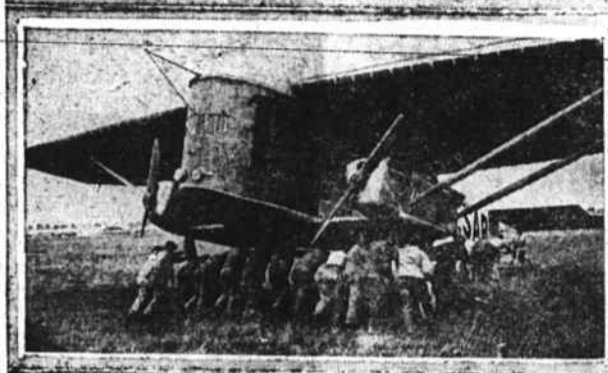
"Despite its dangers and abuses, the solution of the problem of teaching health to this boy lies chiefly in group games and athletics with some element of competition. To eliminate the dangers and keep the punch is one of the big health education problems.

"The inner urge the boy feels to assert his entity may be capitalized by the health teacher in loosing him into an activity survey of the city. Let the boys fix the blame for this adult inefficiency. A sanitary survey of the school building and grounds is valuable in the same way.

"With the connivance of the physical education teacher or the Scout Master a course in camp cooking can fill in the blank—and lo, the boy all unsuspecting has swallowed a large dose of health instruction. He will use this superior knowledge to paralyze his family when he loftily rejects the offerings of the frying pan or demands the milk but yesterday scorned as 'baby food.' In pleading that the health lesson for older children be made a part of a consistent school program, Miss Brown declared:

"Health may be taught to little people in the fact of inconsistencies. But teaching health to older children must be consistent. It is wasted breath to teach fresh air when his nose knows that he never breathes fresh air either at school or at home and still, apparently, nothing happens."

## FRANCE BELIEVES IN PREPAREDNESS.



These photographs represent France's aeroplanes of the future, also France's equipment to provide supplies for the war fleet. Note the unique and different build of this ship of the air, double propellers and closed cabin to protect the fighter.

## SCOUT LEADERS TO VISIT HERE FRIDAY

Calvin H. Livingston, president of the Boy Scouts of America, will be in Elizabeth City Friday.

Mr. Livingston will address the Rotary Club at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon and the Kiwanis Club Friday evening. He will probably speak to the high school students Friday morning, and to the Boy Scouts some time during the day.

Thomas Sparrow, Scout executive of Norfolk, will also be here Friday. Scoutmaster Scattergood returned Monday from Norfolk, where he completed the arrangements for the visit of these two Scout leaders.

## FARMERS CONVERTED TO CO-OP MOVEMENT

Washington, Oct. 16.—Senator Smith of South Carolina declared here yesterday that North and South Carolinians and Virginians are being converted to co-operative marketing and within a short number of years a majority of the farmers will join and will thus insure stability of agriculture and fair prices for products.

## Orations Haven't Changed So Much

**One Of 67 Years Ago At Commencement Sounded Just As They Do Nowadays**

Wake Forest, Oct. 16.—"Without boasting, we may say that we live in the most important period that the race has known. We are testing the truth of every principle and trying the strength of every power."

Sounds like the annual statement made nowadays by the commencement orators, doesn't it? Yet it was not last year, or year before last that the statement was made, but 67 years ago—four years before the civil war. Tiberius Gracchus Jones of Norfolk, Virginia, so delivered himself in an oration on "The True Man" at the Wake Forest Commencement of 1854.

A copy of the oration by Mr. Jones, along with copies of the addresses of other speakers of the occasion, is bound in a little book which has come to the Wake Forest college library in a collection of several hundred left by the late Rev. C. J. Thompson who recently died in Columbia, S. C. Rev. Thompson was graduated from Wake Forest in 1889. He served important Baptist churches in Atlanta and other cities.

Among the rare books in the collection left to the library by Mr. Thompson are a number of valuable ones dealing with the history of the Baptist denomination. The collection will comprise a valuable addition to the works for use by students preparing for the ministry.

## BLUE LODGE MEETS

The Blue Lodge of Masons will meet tonight and every Mason is expected to attend the meeting and then go over to the Shrine Circus for a good time.

## NEW NOTARIES PUBLIC

Raleigh, Oct. 16.—The following notaries of the public have been commissioned recently: Mrs. Catherine Deas, Elizabeth City and J. C. Jennings, Weaverville.

## Boll Weevil Now In Every County

**Even In Cherokee Where No Cotton Is Raised For Commercial Purposes**

Raleigh, Oct. 16.—The cotton boll weevil is to be found in every county and locality in North Carolina, even in faraway Cherokee County, where there is not a single patch of cotton raised for commercial purposes, according to a statement issued today by Franklin Sherman, chief in entomology for State College and the Department of Agriculture.

"It is utterly idle for the cotton farmer in this State to question whether the weevil is in his locality," declared the entomologist in his statement.

"After we finished the scouting work of 1922," said Professor Sherman in his statement, "we published in the papers that the weevil had virtually completed its spread through the State, and that we found it in every cotton county inspected, even along the Virginia border, with the single exception of Currituck County, which would doubtless prove to be infested in 1923. We have even found it across the line in Virginia at two places.

"Nevertheless, during 1923 we have heard discussions and received letters which show that many people still have their doubts on the subject. Therefore, I now wish to present several accurate records which should prove the matter to the most skeptical, provided he is willing to believe that we really know the identity of the boll weevil, which it is our business to know.

"During 1923, to date, we have received actual specimens of genuine boll weevils from Currituck, which was the only county left with a possible doubt in our minds. We have also received specimens from Northampton, Warren and other counties along the Virginia border.

On a recent visit to Cherokee County, in the mountains in the southwestern section of North Carolina, Professor Sherman said he found a single row of cotton in a garden being grown for the purpose of obtaining a source of supply for mattress stuffings, and in these cotton plants he discovered boll weevils, some of which he now has preserved in the State collections. This locality, he said is probably 20 miles from any commercial cotton fields.

"Yes," said the entomologist, "you may put it down that every part of the cotton growing area of North Carolina is infested with the boll weevil."

## SECURE EMPLOYMENT FOR DEAF AND DUMB

Raleigh, Oct. 16.—J. M. Robertson, chief of the Bureau for the Deaf and Printing, has returned to Raleigh after visiting employers in a number of towns and cities and conferring with them concerning the employment of deaf persons. Mr. Robertson reported to M. L. Shipman, the Commissioner of Labor and Printing, that most of the employers he approached took favorably his requests that they employ deaf persons when possible and promised to co-operate with him in securing work for the unemployed deaf and dumb.

## BIG LIQUOR RAID MADE

New York, Oct. 16.—Twenty-four persons were arrested and \$55,000 worth of whiskey was seized by the police here today when they captured the criminal, Minors, in Long Island sound.

The same charges, carrying 50 years of liquor, were also seized.

## City Planners May Meet In America

**International Conference Has Met In Nearly All European Countries**

New York, October 16.—The International City and Town Planning Conference may hold its 1924 session in the United States, according to Willard Reed Messenger, who was America's delegate to the meeting at Gothenburg this year. Mr. Messenger said he was in cable communication with officials of the Conference and that his invitation had received almost unanimous support.

"The international conference never has been held in the United States," he said "although it has met in nearly all of the European countries. I think it would be of benefit not only to this country but to the others participating. If the conference decides to come here in 1924."

## PRIZE OFFERED SAFETY ESSAYS

**Rules and Regulations for Contest Announced for 1923 Safety Campaign in the State.**

Raleigh, Oct. 16.—Rules and regulations of the national safety essay and national safety lesson contests conducted annually by the Highway Education Board, Washington, D. C., have been announced by the North Carolina State Highway Commission, which is sponsoring the 1923 National Safety Campaign in North Carolina.

The program for this year's National Safety Campaign includes a "Safety Season," September 17 to December 15, and a "Seven Days for Safety" period, October 21 to 27, inclusive. In conducting the safety campaign the Highway Education Board has instituted the essay and lesson contests to arouse interest.

The essay contest is open to school children of the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades, 14 years old and under. The subject to be dealt with by entrants in this contest has been named as "Highway Safety Habits I Should Learn" and the maximum length of papers acceptable in this contest has been set at 500 words. December 4 is announced as the closing date of the contest.

The regulations require that each essay be accompanied by an original drawing, appropriate photograph or a clipping from a magazine or newspaper illustrating the point of the writer's paper. Regarding the disposition of papers entered in the contest, a printed copy of the rules and regulations states that essays should be handed to the school principal or designated teacher on or before December 4.

It is required that the essays be written on one side of the paper only, either type-written or prepared with pen and ink and that each essay bear the name, school and home address of the pupil in the upper left corner of the first page.

Both State and national awards will be offered, according to the announcement of the North Carolina Highway Commission. The first prize in the State awards will be a gold medal and a cash sum, while the second prize will be a silver medal and a sum of cash. Nine other prizes, which will be bronze medals and cash sums, are authorized for North Carolina.

A trip to Washington and a gold watch is offered for the winner of the national contest first prize, while gold watches alone are offered to the second and third prize winner in this contest.

The safety lesson contest is open to school teachers of the eighth and lower grades. "Training Children in Habits of Safety on the Highways" is the subject named for this event, which has the same closing date as the other contest. There are no state awards in this contest, but the national awards consist of a trip to Washington plus a large cash sum for the first prize, and large cash sums for the second and third prizes.

Further information concerning the contests and the National Safety Campaign can be obtained by writing the Highway Education Board, Willard Building, Washington, D. C.

## COTTON MARKET

New York, Oct. 16.—Spot cotton, closed steady, Middling 39.29 an advance of 20 points. Futures, closing bid, Oct. 29.75, Dec. 29.08, Jan. 28.56, March 28.60, May 28.62.

New York, Oct. 16.—Cotton futures opened today at the following levels: October 29.80; December 29.15; January 28.70; March 28.75; May 28.80.

## OKLAHOMA CITY BADLY FLOODED

**Fifteen Thousand Residents Abandoned Homes Last Night After Water Breaks Through Dam.**

(By The Associated Press.)  
 Oklahoma City, Oct. 16.—Eighteen blocks of the principal business district of Oklahoma City were inundated today along with virtually all the south side of the city.

Fifteen thousand residents abandoned their homes last night after the dam which had been holding back the flooded North Canadian river gave way.

A total of 117 blocks are in the flooded area.

Oklahoma City, Oct. 16.—With the state in the grip of a devastating flood which has cost millions, another dam broke last night and loosed the flood waters of another great river to rush toward this city.

The water reservoir is in danger and all the lower sections of the city.

In some places the ordinarily quiet streams are rushing along with widths as great as seven miles and crops are being ruined.

The city expects the flood to reach its highest crest tonight and the situation is serious.

Reports that a band of 75 to 100 were looting the flooded district caused police to be sent to the scene with orders to shoot looters.

## GARRETT'S AGAIN ARE UP FOR TRIAL

(By The Associated Press.)  
 Cumberland Court House, Va., Oct. 16.—After several postponements and two mistrials the Garrett murder case was again called today.

The case of Robert Garrett, county clerk, is to be tried today before a jury from Southampton County.

Garrett and his brother, Larkin, are charged with the death of Rev. E. S. Pierce, last June 5. They claim self-defense.

Both were tried once but each time a mistrial was declared.

Police from Portsmouth and Petersburg are on guard here.

Little time was lost when the trial was called today. All technical questions were brushed aside and motions for quashing the Southampton jury were overruled.

Veneman M. H. More testified that he contributed \$1 toward a fund to prosecute the Garretts but was accepted for the jury over the protest of the defense. C. W. Gary was also accepted over the defense's protest.

The panel of 20 foremen from which the jury will be chosen was completed at noon. The court then recessed for dinner.

## LEGION CONFRONTED WITH MANY PROBLEMS

San Francisco, Oct. 16.—The American Legion convention opened here today with many important questions to handle.

The Ku Klux Klan issue seems to be looming on the horizon with possible serious effects, according to officials.

## GALLOP OUT OF JAIL

John H. Gallop, the last of the quartet lodged in Pasquotank County jail, as a result of the raid last Friday on a big distillery set up on Buck Island Marsh, Currituck County, was released under \$500 bond at 1 o'clock Tuesday. Other members of the quartet were released on bond for like amount late Saturday evening. Total bond for the four defendants amounts to \$3200.

## WITHDRAWS REQUEST FOR BODY OGLETHORPE

(By The Associated Press.)  
 London, Oct. 16.—Dr. Thornwell Jacobs today decided to withdraw the request of Oglethorpe University that the body of General James E. Oglethorpe, founder of Georgia, be transferred to the proposed shrine of the campus of the University at Atlanta, in deference to English sentiment.

## MUSIC DEPARTMENT WILL GIVE PROGRAM NEXT WEEK

The music department of the Woman's Club, which was to have given a program for the club Thursday afternoon has been obliged to defer this program for one week. Some of the local musicians are out of town, and others are worn out from arduous duties at the Fair last week. Then, there is the Shrine Circus this week, so it seems best to give the program on Thursday of next week.

Thursday is Club Day now, and the Woman's Club is endeavoring to hold all meetings on that day, so that members may plan their other duties and recreation accordingly.

## SUGGESTS LOWER RATES ON WHEAT

Washington, Oct. 16.—President Coolidge today suggested to Samuel Hays, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, that a freight rate reduction be put into effect by the railroads on wheat designed for export and that railroads make the same rate on export coal as on domestic. The suggestion was made during a conference at the White House.