

FORECAST
For Wilmington and vicinity—Cloudy and thundershowers in afternoon.

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Britain Has Special Goal In Holy Land
Wants Sole Trusteeship Over Palestine; Will Make UN Request
ARABS NOT IN FAVOR
Demand Would Start Great Diplomatic Battle, Is London Comment

LONDON, Aug. 20.—(AP)—Britain will ask the United Nations for sole trusteeship over Palestine a well-qualified government source said today, and there were immediate indications the move would touch off a widespread diplomatic battle for control of the strategic Holy Land.

A Jewish underground radio declared today that the British were about to start a new operation against Jews with a "regime of the guillotine and death sentences" and asserted "we are prepared to meet this regime."

Diplomatic quarters said Russia will long have urged that the British get out of Palestine and let the Jews and the Arabs settle their own problems, could be expected to oppose British trusteeship. The United States, building an oil pipeline across Palestine, could be expected to favor it, they added.

While the Jewish agency for Palestine made no official comment, a spokesman said Holy Land Jews would not oppose United Nations discussions of the trusteeship.

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WILMINGTON'S Y GIVEN CITATION
Army And Navy Award In Recognition Of Its USO Activities

A joint Army and Navy citation has been awarded to the Young Men's Christian Association, it was announced today by J. B. Huntington, general secretary.

The honor, which the "Y" here shares with other Y. M. C. A.'s throughout the country, was conferred in recognition of its USO activities.

Hailing the Y. M. C. A. for mobilizing its nationwide resources, including Army and Navy Y. M. C. A.'s to serve the spiritual, educational and welfare needs of men and women in the armed forces, the citation stated that the contribution of the "Y" was "of substantial aid in the successful prosecution of the war and in preserving the basic values of American Democracy."

According to Mr. Huntington, the "Y" in this city and throughout the country aided essentially through its operation of 500 clubs, as one of the six agencies comprising the USO.

He also disclosed that in addition to training thousands of junior hostesses for USO work, the "Y" assigned more than 700 trained professional "Y" workers to key posts in the agency.

Coach Dead
FAMOUS FOOTBALL COACH SUCCUMBS
Fielding H. Yost, University Of Michigan Strategist Dies Tuesday

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Aug. 20.—(AP)—Fielding Harris (Hurry Up) Yost, who built a national reputation as a football strategist during 39 years with the University of Michigan, died Tuesday of a gall bladder attack.

He celebrated his 75th birthday April 30. Although he had been in failing health for several years, Yost's death came suddenly. He had walked around his Ann Arbor home Tuesday morning and was apparently gaining strength following a recent illness.

His career as a football coach began in an era of mustached players garbed in turtleneck sweaters and ended in a day of giant stadiums and cheering multitudes.

Since 1940 Yost had been in virtual retirement, although holding the post of athletic director emeritus at the Ann Arbor institution.

His condition became serious enough this spring to warrant his hospitalization in Battle Creek, Mich. However, he was released within a few days and allowed to return to his home in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Yost, whom he married in 1906, was with him when he died. They have one son, Fielding H. Yost, Jr.

Tito Denies Plane I Or
Yugoslav Pilot Ignores Claim U. S. Transport Was Shot Down
ANOTHER NOTE SENT
American Troops Parade In Plain Sight On Morgan Line Edge

LONDON, Wednesday, Aug. 21.—(AP)—Marshal Tito, premier of Yugoslavia, denied today in a statement broadcast by the Belgrade radio that an American transport forced down in Yugoslavia on Aug. 9 had been lost in the clouds.

Tito declared that Yugoslavia desires peace, "but not at any price."

The broadcast said that Tito was an eyewitness to the forcing down of the American plane on Aug. 9, explaining that he was vacationing in Slovenia in the region "where the American plane landed."

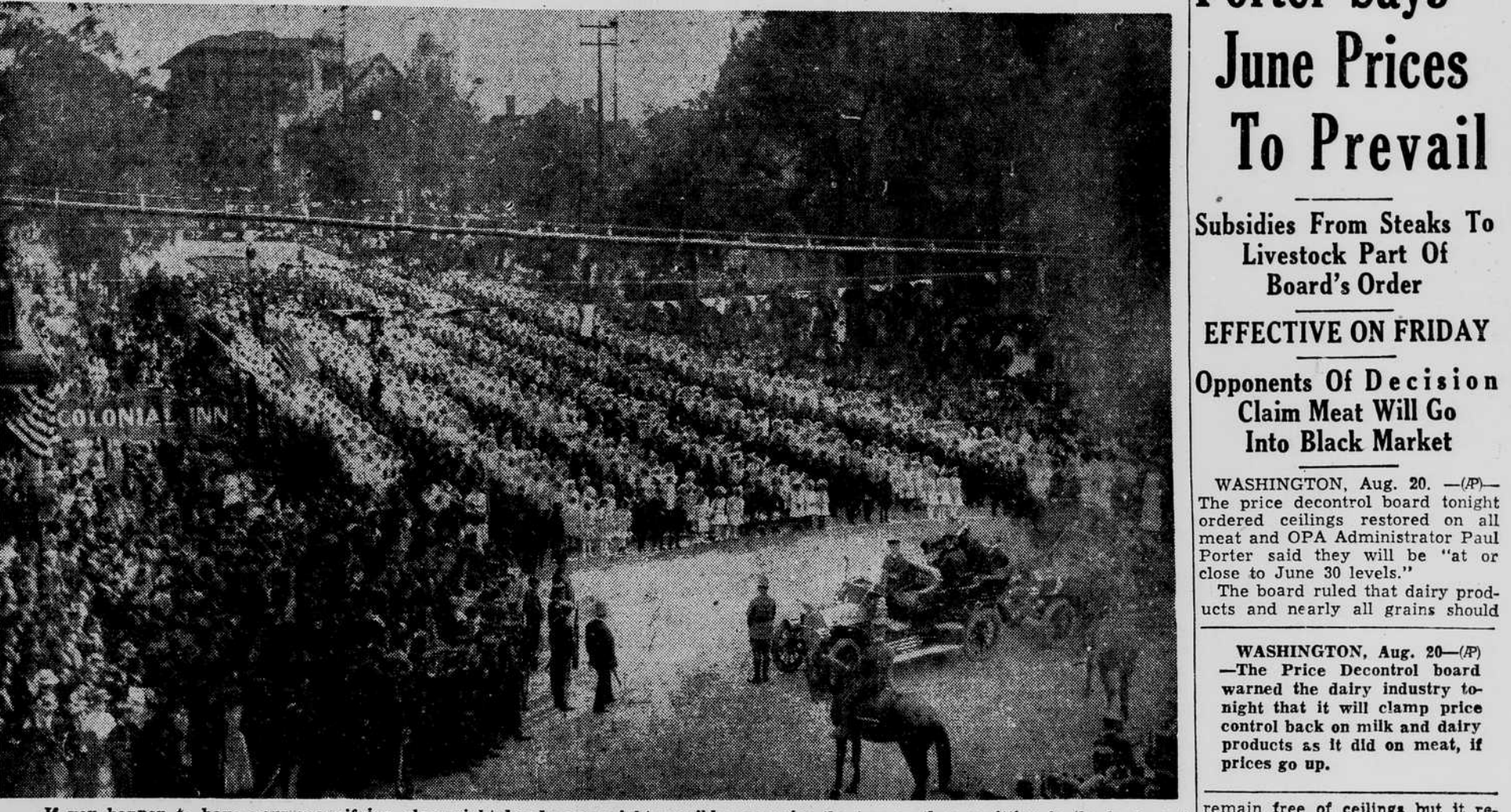
The broadcast statement, issued in London by the Yugoslav news agency, made clear that Tito's remarks applied only to the plane forced down on Aug. 9 and not to a second plane reportedly shot down by Yugoslav fighter planes on Monday.

Another Note
WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—(AP)—An outraged State department shot a third stiff note to Yugoslavia today, this time over an attack on an American transport plane forced to a crash landing.

Word came from the Navy, at the same time, that Adm. Marc A. Mitscher, acting commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet, and Vice Adm. Forrest P. Sherman, deputy chief of naval operations, are en route to "troubled areas in Europe."

Ceilings On All Meats Restored; Milk, Grains Still On Free List

President And Tycoon Visit City---37 Years Ago



If you happen to have your magnifying glass right handy you might possibly recognize the two gentlemen sitting in the back seat of that magnificent automobile (the front one) in the above picture. They are a famous former President of the United States and an equally famous millionaire. The scene is Third and Market streets back in the year of 1909. The rest of the people in the picture are, of course, Wilmingtonians who turned out to greet the president and his distinguished guest. For the story behind this picture read ALONG THE CAPE FEAR at the bottom of this page.—PHOTO THROUGH THE COURTESY OF MRS. PAUL FOWLER.

FOUNDATION LAID AT VENEER PLANT
North Carolina Lumber Plant To Rebuild At Whiteville

WHITEVILLE, Aug. 20.—Newly-laid foundations mark the initial work in the reconstruction of the North Carolina Lumber Company's veneer plant, which was destroyed by fire last June, the damage was estimated at that time to be over \$200,000.

Leon Bradley, general manager of the lumber company, acclaims the plant now under construction is "among the finest in the state."

The actual construction of the buildings is expected to begin this week with operations to be resumed in about 60 days.

Along The Cape Fear
CELEBRATED GENTLEMEN — It was 37 years ago in the last year of 1909 when the President of the United States and a famous millionaire came for a visit along the Cape Fear.

LONG SERVICE
Telephone Pioneers Plan Carolina Beach Meeting

The annual summer convention of the Wilmington and Hamlet clubs of the Telephone Pioneers of the Carolina Telephone and Telegraph company, Tarboro; L. W. Hill, president of the Carolina company, Tarboro; Fred H. Davis, president of the Tarboro council; W. L. Lane, president of the Blue Ridge council, Gaffney, S. C. and L. T. Wadsworth, president of the Raleigh council.

To qualify for membership a person must have at least 21 consecutive years of service in the telephone industry. Friday's initiatives will be H. N. Lucas, W. H. Griffin, and Mrs. Lee Shaw, all of Wilmington.

From 4:30 to 6 p. m. the members and guests will enjoy surfing, bathing, sight-seeing, and renewing old acquaintances.

Antique Vehicle — Continuing Mrs. Fowler's commentary, the President and the Colonel are enthroned in the back seat of that antique but magnificent vehicle — the front one. We don't know who occupied the other one. And we wonder how the horses in the picture could stand so much at ease at the sight of those gaudy, sputtering machines.

DEMANDS WEAKER ON BORDER BELT
Appearance Of Poorer Grades Expected To Pull Price Down

The demands were "considerably" weaker Tuesday on the North Carolina Border Belt tobacco market and the prices for most grades were off from \$1 to \$9 per hundred pounds.

Reports from the Eastern North Carolina tobacco belt indicated that the price trends on the second day of sales were about the same as Monday, but there were indications that a flood of poor grade tobacco would bring down the general price average.

Wants It To Give Her Better War Record; Lacks Approval
PARIS, Aug. 20.—(AP)—Italy appeared today for a re-wording of the Italian treaty preamble to give her credit for a better war record, but the Italian political and territorial commission of the Peace Conference failed to endorse her memorandum.

Wilmington Officers Form New Organization At Court House Meet
A Wilmington chapter of the Army Reserve Officers association, the fifth such chapter to be formed in North Carolina, was created last night at a meeting of Southeastern North Carolina Army reserve officers in the New Hanover county courthouse.

PRESIDENT HEARS FROM SEC. BYRNES
Truman Turns Southward After News Of Yugoslav Situation

WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN IN THE ATLANTIC, Aug. 20.—(AP)—Secretary of State Byrnes gave President Truman a full account of all developments in the Yugoslavian situation tonight with a transatlantic telephone call from Paris to the yacht Williamsburg. Press Secretary Charles G. Ross disclosed this shortly after informing reporters that the presidential yacht is headed now to a berth Thursday afternoon at Bermuda.

The Weather

Table with weather forecast: For North Carolina: Partly cloudy Wednesday, scattered thundershowers in extreme eastern section Wednesday afternoon; not quite so hot in western section, otherwise little change in temperature.

TOP CEILING PRICE—So ends Mrs. Fowler's story, but she wants See CAPE FEAR on Page Two

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HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS
By Alley
I AIN' NEVVH WRIT A LETTUH TO MISTUH PRES'DINTK, BUT I BIN THINKIN' EF I KIN GIT MISS LUCY TO BACK IT FUH ME.

Matter Of Fact
By STEWART ALSOP
Strange Revolution—I (While Joseph Alsop has been writing his series on England, Stewart Alsop has been on an extended trip throughout most of the Southern states. This is the first of a series of articles by Stewart Alsop on the political situation in the South.)

WASHINGTON, August 20.—For some time it has been fashionable to point out that a political revolution is in progress in the South. If this is so, it is surely an odd and confusing revolution, which is proceeding rapidly in several different directions at the same time.

AND SO TO BED
Two local ladies greatly embarrassed each other yesterday. The first lady went to visit the second lady at the second's office, and as she went in she spied her friend holding a brown cylindrical object between her fingers. She tried hard not to notice the object, but her un-noticing attitude was observed only too keenly by the second. "Whatever are you staring at my hand for?" asked the second lady. "My dear," answered the first lady, coming straight to the point, "I didn't know you smoked cigars." "Heavens," said the second lady, blushing in spite of herself, "this is brown crayon!"

