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New Third Party Picks Wallace

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Hard Battle

Vandenberg Working To Protect UN Charter At Inter-American Meet

PETROPOLIS, Brazil, Aug. 24 Denver

working out plans for the critical gings. week which starts tomorrow. United States informants said

after the meeting that the talk way beneath a mountain peak. See ARMY-NAVY on Page Two was devoted almost entirely to making "very sure" that nothing

Backing UN

The sense of the meeting, it was made known, was that the United States is working on the belief despite current difficulties. The delegation went over in de-

tail the work being done by Vandenberg in conference sub-committees, especially regarding the desire of Argentina that a distinction should be drawn between an attack on an American nation by a non-American nation and an attack on one American nation by

United States delegates fear that to draw such a distinction would be one entering wedge for a charge that the defense treaty actually is aimed against Communism-Russia.

In examining a new proposal today on 15 markets. for defining in detail a hemispheric "security zone"-violation into action—the concensus of the

mit Canada to do so.

EDISON'S WIDOW DIES IN NEW YORK

Daughter Of Temperance Family, She Was Acttive In Dry Cause

NEW YORK, Aug. 24. -(AP)-Mrs. Mina Miller Edison, widow of inventor Thomas A. Edison, died tonight.

Mrs. Edison, who was the in-ventor's second wife, and mother of Charles A. Edison, former governor of New Jersey, died at Harkness Pavilion of the Columbia she had been a patient since July

She had fallen into a coma late

Mrs. Edison was born ot Akron, Ohio, July 16, 1865, and was a leader in national fights for temperance and juvenile recreation fa-Her father was Lewis Miller, co-

founder with Bishop John H. Vin- have been improved. cent of the Chautauqua Institute. Her mother was an associate of Frances E. Willard in the early fight for temperance. Years later she often related that she had seen her mother come home with her clothes soaked with water thrown at her by salo n-keepers. She became Edison's second wife at 21 when she was hailed by artists as one of America's most beautiful women. The inventor, then 39, was in the midst of his work as the "Wizard of Menlo

Early this year, in connection with the centennial of Edison's for the Associated Press in which she said of their marriage that "there were no trials; there were no tribulations in being the wife of such a man."

I can look back on those woncompensation,"

See EDISON'S On Page Two

The Weather FORECAST: North Carolina — Partly cloudy and continued warm widely scattered after South Carolina — Partly cloudy and toninued warm Monday and Tuesday, extered afternoon thundershowers.

Material after hote for the 24 hours

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 7:30 p. m. yesterday.

TEMPERATURES

1:30 a. m. 75; 7:30 a. m. 75; 1:30 p. m. 78; 7:30 p. m. 78; Maximum 87; Minimum 74, Mean 80; Normal 77.

HUMIDITY

HUMIDITY
1:30 a. m. 95; 7:30 a. m. 93; 1:30 p.
1:30 p. m. 89.
PRECIPITATION

Total for 24 hours ending 7:30 p. m. Total since the first of the month TIDES FOR TODAY

Moonset 12:17a. More WEATHER On Page Two

U.S. Fighting Army-Navy Digs In Legion Commander Urges Sending To Prepare For War

Denver Production Copyright Article Says
Hug Hug Aguerque No Sand N a querque; No Secret Now

with the United Nations charter.

The fight is going on, at the moment, in a six-nation sub-committee with Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg, R., Mich., representing the United States.

It is fully in accord in the story from a revelation of military secrets," the post said in the story from Albuquerque by Robert Fenwick, "Because the general facts are known to many Albuquerque residents X X X. Its about miles of conveyor helts. ing the United States.

United States delegates are gravely worried over the present situation and the entire delegation who have flown over the digmet for nearly four hours tonight who have flown over the dig- earth to deliver automatic bombs

The Post article continued: "Great excavations are under-

24 -(P) The Hundreds and reputedly thousands Denver ported last night of men are at work there with ponderous machinery. Civilian pinche Inter-American conference tonight to keep the hemispheric defense treaty from becoming a veiled anti-Communist pact and to insure that it is fully in accord insure that it is fully in accord to the United Nations charter.

Denver ported last night in a copy at article that huge caverns are being dug under dug under army-Navy supervision in a moun tain range not far from Albuquerque, N.M., as super-defenses against a possible World War III."

"This is not a revelation of the most modern war types, from jet pursuits to extra-long-range bombers are standing near runways a short distance from the construction center."

to the surface.

The Post said David E. Lilien-

the would tend to undermine Nine-Day Trip Planned Over Initial Air Highway Independent Progressive Party of California. Chief organizer and

that the UN is indispensable and must be supported to the utmost EASTERN GROWERS Route For Civilian Planes

Warehouses In 15 Towns Of Belt Jammed With Leaf For Opening Day

By The Associated Press

Long after the sun set yesterday,
Eastern North Carolina flue-cured perhaps 1,500 have airports, will By The Associated Press warehouses for the openings sales non-airline planes.

current of apprehension over first- upon the price of ground markers of which would bring the treaty day sales as the farmers and ware- along the route. In any event, this housemen speculated about price would not cost much more than United States delegates was that Canada would be included in such a delegation.

Such inclusion might be effectively whether or not Canada adwhether o Such inclusion might be effected whether or not Canada adhered later to the defense treaty.

The United States is sponsoring day prices of three weeks ago.

partments of Agriculture prospective federal and airline officials.

After the model skyway is laid out, it is planned to establish others throughout the country.

Official designation of the route

beginning time. The market will and Los Angeles Chamber of Com-operate on a four-hour sales sched-merce. ule each day until the opening of the Middle Belt on September 15, when sales time will be slashed to Its president, Albert G. Brick, got

The Eastern Belt will sell 400 nounced it as "rank favoritism" and "bureaucratic skydoggling." buyers. The maximum weight of Miami was host to thousands of

pounds. year's Eastern Belt crop would be 1 to Florida. in weight would be of good quality, No. 2.'

Presbyterian Medical Center where particularly for cigarette purposes. pounds - only 20 pounds off the 1946 acreage yield, the Federal-

State Crop Reporting Service said. post-war cigarette consumption, the belt has 106 warehouses, nine more than last year, and throughout the state re-drying facilities

One Co-op Market At least one market, Wendell, offers a warehouse owned and operated by a co-operative of farmers, the first in the state. According to the Federal-State De-

birth, Mrs. Edison wrote an article HENRY FORD BOOSTS CAR, TRUCK PRICES

DETROIT, Aug. 24. - (AP) derful years and see nothing in President Henry Ford II announc- against the administration of the she ed today that prices on "most SED, which has the approximate wrote. "We have always felt that models" of Ford Motor company status of "official" party under any inconveniences there may passenger cars and all truck the Russians.

have been were as nothing, such models "are being raised from Neue Zeitung said the letters as the irregularity of his working :20 to :97, effective immediate- were directed to the wives of SED

sound economic basis." The action followed price rises selves back from misdeeds. Nash and Packard.

Will Be 40-Miles Wide **Ending On Coast**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24. -(U.P.) will serve with him on the steer-A 40-mile wide transcontinening committee. tal air highway between Los Angeles and Washington will be surveyed on a nine-day flight to start on petitions to be filed with the from the California city Sept. 8, it was announced tonight.

tobacco growers continued to bring be the first route of its kind, laid field pledged to Wallace as the their offerings to their favorite out expressly for private and other

The Eastern Belt warehousemen, and the survey flight were anmeeting in Farmville Saturday, nounced separately by the Civil agreed to start sales at 9 a. m., or Aeronautics Administration and 30 minutes earlier than the usual by the Washington Board of Trade

> Florida Irked It provoked consternation on the wind of the project earlier and de-

each basket has been set at 250 private fliers before Los Angeles in an open-air wooden stockade his force of officers with reinforce-"ever thought of giving them a break," he complained. "Skyway The Federal-State Crop Report-break," he complained. "Skyway ing service indicated that this No. 1" should follow Highway No.

about four per cent lower than the But the transcontinental route 1946 all-time record high of 454,- already had been designated of today. 250,000 pounds but predicted that ficially and the best Florida apthe crop although somewhat light parently can hope for is "Skyway

All along the Los Angeles Washington route, there will be

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Keeping pace with increased NOTES THREATEN **CERTAIN REVENGE**

sian Zone Take Blast At Wives Of SED

partments of Agriculture figures, Wilson last year led the Belt and Neue Zeitung, official German to protect the girl and themselves end. BERLIN, Aug. 24 - (AP) -The the entire state i nvolume or sales newspaper of the American Mili- It is constructed of two-by-fours with 83,244,733 pounds sold -- the tary government, said today and is connected to a room at the figure does not include resales. anonymous letters were circula- back of the house. Runner-up was Rocky Mount with ting in the Russian zone of Ger-67,324,785 pounds and in third place many, threatening revenge for the was Greenville with 62,027,667 "reign of terror and hunger" they said was being conducted there by the "Red Fascists" of the Communist-dominated German Socia-

list Unity Party (SED). The newspaper, which has extensive German news sources in FROM \$20 TO \$97 the closed Russian zone, has previously reported indications restiveness among the population

members in Saxony and that they hours which required constant re- ly."

"This is an average increase of warned the women "when the adjusting of the plans in the home. "This is an average increase of warned the women will be neld What we were doing was for a man 4.2 per cent," the announcement reckoning comes you will be neld accomplishing great things in the said. "This action has been dictat- accountable along with your hused by the simple necessity of keep- bands—just as the wives of the she gave of her time to the ing Ford Motor company on a Nazis were—unless you wake up their consciences and keep your-

> recently announced by other mem- The letters, the newspaper said, bers of the automotive "big three," charged that SED party leaders Chrysler and General Motors, and were living high while the popuseveral smaller manufacturers, in-lation hungered and were making cluding Hudson, Kaiser-Frazier, no effort to alleviate the lot of Nash and Packard.

Untruthful Clock Runs Afoul Streamline World his superiors that he would almost certainly be captured or killed, the lieutenant persisted in his

tower atop Philadelphia's city hall forever." -the city's official timepiece since New Year's Eye 1898—is going to stopped. be modernized.

replace the pneumatic system delphians in regulating their com- of Smithville without discovery. which has moved the clock's mas- ings and goings, in recent months sive hands since a manufacturer's the clock has not told the whole representative presented the time- truth and nothing but the truth.

temporary chairman of the statewide committee to promote the party is Hugh Bryson, 32, San Francisco, president of the CIO National Union of Marine Cooks Officials of AFL unions and the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen

Hundreds Of Men Milling

En Masse On Outskirts

Of Nelson, B. C.

arrest of 10 of their clansman.

At last reports the naked Freed-

omites were milling en masse at

Shore Acres, 15 miles West of here

enforcement agencies to be ready

The Doukhobors' long history

since their migration from Rus

sia to Canada has been marked

by frequent mass parades in the

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For Three Deaths In

State Over Weekend

By The ASSOCIATED PRESS

ing a storm near Lumberton.

ville, Fla., was killed early Sat

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VIOLENCE TAKES

would probably follow.

The committee will seek at least 350,000 names of qualified voters Secretary of State, a necessary preliminary to having the party certified.

and Stewards.

Labor Unions

Three Hundred Delegates

Launch Movement At

Los Angeles Sunday

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 24-(U.P)-

third political party, which will

oack Henry A. Wallace as a Presi-

dential nominee, was launched

nere today by 300 representatives of labor, civic and minority groups.

The new party was named the

An objective of the party is to out a slate of delegates in the party's Presidential nominee, Bryson said. A state-wide slate of The project may cost between candidates also will be pushed. As usual there was an electric \$100,000 and \$375,000, depending The party founders hope to qualify it for the 1948 election. Follow FDR

The party is determined to "continue to fight for progress in the tradition of Franklin D. Roosevelt" and "to build a new party that

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EPILEPTIC GIRL HAS 'CAGE' HOME

State Institution Unable To Kootenay Valley city to protest the Admit Hopelessly Ill Kannapolis Child

KANNAPOLIS, Aug. 24-(P)-14-year-old epileptic girl has lived or three days, and he augmented years while her parents have sought unsuccessfully to have her admitted to a state institution. Police Chief I. T. Chapman said

The girl is Maxine Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Smith. Chief Chapman said that the hopelessly-sick child roams the enclosure, alternately tearing as of August 1, was set at 1,130 markers which private fliers can up paper and leaves, and batter ing her head against walls and

In Raleigh, Dr. R. G. Blackwelder, superintendent of the State Hospital for Epileptics, said that Maxine was one of 100 or more patients on a long waiting list for

admission. He said the state institution had been unable to take new patients Germans Living In Rus- for several years and would be unable to admit any more until new facilities now under construction are completed.

For Protection Chief Chapmen said that Maxine's parents, built the stockade

Maxine is let into the enclosure every day and at night her father a wounded veteran of World War one, leads her into the room. Mills, died Friday in a Ruther-Chapman said that Maxine is fordton hospital of injuries suffertoo strong to be handled by her ed Thursday when the plane in nother or sister, and that her fa- which he was riding crashed near ther is barely a match for her. Rutherfordton. Smith is a textile mill employe. He said he had worked a double shift --80 hours-- last week and urday in Rocky Mount when scrap had often don so to meet medical

COLUMBIA, S. C., Aug. 24-

HE LIKES 'EM

KENNETH C. ROYALL JOHN C. SULLIVAN W. STUART SYMINGTON PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS NAMED THE ABOVE THREE MEN to head the nation's armed forces under the overall supervision of Secretary of National Defense James V. Forrestal. They are Secretary of the Army, Kenneth C. Rayoll, now Secretary of War; Secretary of the Navy, John C. Sullivan, now Navy Undersecretary; and Secretary for Air, W. Stuart Symington, presently Assistant Secretary of War for Air. (International)

Nude Doukhobors Threaten City

(AP)-South Carolina's bachelor governor, J. Strom Thurmond, NELSON, B. C., Aug. 24. Police oday prepared to cope with hunsaid today "I'm against" longer skirts for women's dresses. of nude members of the "Sons of Freedom," a radical unit Asked why, Thurmond reof the Russian Doukhobors, who plied, "I think that should be vere threatening to march on this

HEAVY SKYTRUCK Police Chief Robert Harshaw said the demonstration might last two ments from other provincial law Huge Post-War Cargo ference. Tsaldaris did not explain

Plane Can Carry 16 for the mass march which he said Tons At High Speed COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 24. --(AP) Military and commercial air- had hoped any new governmen line officials tomorrow will witness would contain all Greek political

pre-view demonstrations of a post-war skytruck, capable of carrying Liberals, who had no post in the 16 tons of freight at 300 miles an last cabinet. There was no comhour, at the Columbus plant of ment from American quarters on the Curtiss-Wright corp. LIVES OF EIGHT A full-scale wood mock-up of an air giant designed to carry larger air cargoes than any airplane Canellopoulos, National Unionist

vet introduced, including the 31,000 Airplane Crashes Account pound 155 MM "Long Tom" field ter Sophocles Venizelos, leader of gun, was shown as being capable of carrying any commercial car-in the cabinet. go that would fit into a box car. The entire tail section is hinged, and may be raised by a hydraulic

system, permitting a 7 1-2 ton truck to be driven aboard. A Three persons were killed in airtruck to be driven aboard. A single unit 48 feet long, 9 feet FOOD POISONING plane crashes and at least eight others suffered violent death in wide and 7 feet high, weighing 32, North Carolina during the week-000 pounds, can be accommodated. Four Cents Mile Rowland B. Nash of Raleigh and Jack McGee of Grosse Ile, Mich., were killed Friday night in the

Engineers have determined the direct operating costs at approxi-

crash of Nash's private plane dur-See HEAVY on Page Two Paul Bowen, 20, of Alexandria NATIONAL AIRLINES

MOVES OPERATION OF "FLIGHT CONTROL" Vernon Peeler, 19, of Jackson

Wilmington, is moving its flight control section from Jacksonville day suffering with food poisoning. National Airlines, which serves o Miami, it was announced today. They were immediately rushed to nection with a general "speed up" Tinker Field near Oklahoms City. dules and instant confirmation of Lt. Col. W. H. McCarroll, base requests for reservations. opera- the majority were not in a serious Flight control governs

tions of National Airlines planes condition.
throughout 10 states and Cuba. Source of the poisoning was not

Warns Nation Citing Danger Of Conflagration Abroad He Calls For "Training"

Paul Griffith

NEW YORK, Aug. 24. —(U.R)— Paul H. Griffith, national commander of the American Legion, said today the United States should sent troops to aid Greece if that country is invadea.

He warned that the "critical situation" in Greece poses the threat of "world conflagration on a moment's notice," and urged President Truman to call a special session of Congress to enact universal military training legislation to strengthen the nation's armed

He conceded that dispatch of U. S. troops to Greece probably would mean a shooting war, but pointed to the material support already being sent to Greece and said that "if it takes troops I believe we ought to send troops. Griffith, here for the national Legion convention, declared that 'the critical situation which has developed in Greece within the past few hours is a direct and dangerous head-on clash of the ideologies of democracy and Com-Athens Prepares For Violence; democracy and Communism. It could spread into world conflagration on a moment's

Urges Session
Griffith said that "confronted by the new European situation,' Truman should call Congress at once to enact UMT legislation. He urged that no other matters be considered at this proposed ses-

When asked at a press confer-U.P.) Police, gendarmes and army ence if the United States should troops were alerted today against send troops to Greece to protect possible violence as Foreign Min-that country's interests, Griffith

ister Constantin Tsaldaris announc-ed he had failed to persuade The-"We already have sent support mistocles Sophoulis to bring his to Greece and our Navy is now in unrepresented "rebel" faction of the Mediterranean. If it takes the Liberal Republican party into troops I believe we ought to send

troops. Asked if the sending of troops Tsaldaris, former premier and to Greece would mean a formal

leader of the Populist (Royalist) to Greece would mean a formal party, said he offered Sophoulis declaration of war against Rus"equal terms" with his Populist sia he said, "I don't know what you mean by a formal declaration;

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TROPICAL STORM to swear in a full cabinet by Mon--Americans, here to administer FORCE DIMINISHES a \$300,000,000 reconstruction loan,

Hurricane Passes Inland Leaving Little Damage At Galveston

GALVESTON, Tex., Aug 24-(P) -The center of a tropical storm (Republican), and Defense Minispassed over Galveston at 4:45 p. m. (CST) today with winds up to 65 miles an hour. The storm headed inland in a

North-Northwest direction, The Weather bureau predicted that the storm would begin to break up as it moved inland. Trees were uprooted here, signs were blown down and other damage of a minor nature were ob

HITS GUARDSMEN served. The force of the wind reached 65 miles per hour in gusts and Thirty-One Men Rushed was blowing steady at 52 miles At 3 p.m. the barometer was

29.68, then dropped to 29.28 when the center passed over the city. It climbed back to 29.33 shortly afterward. Heavy laden skies and blinding (AP)— Thirty-one members of the

rain blanketed the area. Oklahoma National Guard who There was very little traffic and have been in camp at Fort Sill few pedistrians, but improved shelters teemed with refugee persons living beyond the sea-wall. The city's power plant was the Army Air Force hospital at

knocked out. Hundreds of persons flocked into the city hall and municipal au-

surgeon at the field, reported that ditorium. sory predicted at 2 p.m. that the

Galveston tonight. This gulf coast resort town was littered with oleander blossoms,

"don't forget to take a good bath before you go to bed."
"Yes, Mummy," the young-

cracked the bedroom door to find the boy sound asleep on the bed, his feet covered with dirt.

"Yes, Mummy," the sleepy. eyed youngster replied.

"No, Mummy," he replied.

"I am not going to stand up in

Along The Cape Fear CUSHING VENTURES FORTH-, cape, he proceeded up the river

Raleigh", became stuck upon a shoal and to accomplish its des- led for the opposite shore and truction and at the same time, undertake a reconnaisance of the banks. His first stopping place South's defense in that region, was up a creek where the party his superiors that he would almost

Half an hour later the clock the vessel in a cutter accompa-

NEARLY RUN DOWN — After returned a few hours later with a nine with \$1017 other 1946 figures smaller proportion. passing Smithville his cutter was supply of chickens, eggs and but- included Virginia, \$952; Tennessee

The exploit of Naval Lieut. Wil-slowly and with oars muffled throughout 10 states and liam Cushing, Union officer, oc-steered under the guns of Fort The section will be housed in the immediately determined. Division cured on June 23, 1864, after the Confederate's small fleet had jour- fort, the moon came out from be- NAL maintenance and operations man had been supplied with a box neyed down the river and engaged the feet blockading the shore spotted the cutter and open- port.

Inam nad open supplied with a box palm leaves, small tree limbs and other debris. mouth of the Cape Fear river.

Returning into the river, the iron-clad Confederate vessel, "The Baleigh" became a trial and control.

Short spotted the cutter and open-port.

L.W. Dymond of Miami will be assistant operations manager in charge of flight control.

Let a trial at Fort Sill.

A close check is being made on other trains carrying guardsmen charge of flight control. But Cushing and his party pul

Lieutenant Cushing volunteered. poled its boat until reaching the Notwithstanding the warning of military road leading from Wilmington to Fort Fisher.

put one of his own men in the uninied by two subordinate officers form of the captured Confederate to 1200 for the and 15 men, crossed the western through it was quickly repaired and 15 men, crossed the western through it was quickly repaired by two subordinate officers and dispatched him to country as a whole. None of the in the far West, Southeast and the property of the property of the captured Confederate to 12 per cent above 1945, while in the far West, Southeast and the property of the captured Confederate to 1500 for the 150 Though it was quickly repaired and is lifely trooper and dispatched fill to mine Southeastern states equaled and for years after guided Philabar and passed the forts and town Wilmington for supplies. By that the national average.

Though it was quickly repaired and is lifely trooper and dispatched fill to mine Southeastern states equaled the national average. time it was daylight.

COURIER CAPTURED - Here North Carolina ranked fourth almost all states the total income the party went ashore and cut tele among the Southeastern states in payments to individuals in 1946 PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 24—The clock in the world. It will run huge clock on the William Penn huge clock on the William Penn forever."

scheme.

On the night of June 23,1864, he left "The USS Monticello", to with a message to the commandate which he was assigned. He left which he was assigned. He left which he was assigned. The left with a message to the commandate which he was assigned.

N. C. Per Capita Income Was Only \$817 In 1946

WASHINGTON, Aug 24 -(P)per capita income during 1946, a were at a record high. showed today.

The department reported that in The report noted that in Commerce department report Central, New England, Middle

East and Northwest regions, in-The North Carolina figure was dividual incomes in 1946 were 10 had provided the largest income the expansion, the 1947 gains were of

By states, the per capita income representative presented the titled. So, like most everything else in piece to city officials 49 years ago. On that occasion city officials were told:

So, like most everything else in nearly run down in the darkness ter which he had ben able to pursent this post-war world. Billy Penn's this post-war world. Billy Penn's told:

So, like most everything else in nearly run down in the darkness ter which he had ben able to pursent the passing Simulation without at the passing Simulation and product the form a high of the post-war world. Billy Penn's this post-war world. Billy Penn's this post-war world blockade the titulation of the darkness ter which he had ben able to pursent the passing Simulation and the passing S

The last Weather bureau advi-

center of the storm passed near

And So To Bed

A little boy started to retire the other night after a hard day's playing in the yard.
"Son" his mother said,

ster replied. An hour later his mother

She immediately awakened the boy. "Didn't I tell you to take a bath before you went to bed?" she asked.

But you did not wash your feet," Mother said.

Police, Gendarmes Alerted As Tsaldaris Fails To sion, because our national existence perhaps depended on speedy Form Government Congressional action on the country's defense. ATHENS, Greece, Aug. 24. -

a new Greek government.

day night.

Tsaldaris' failure.

in the course of a 45-minute con-

Sophoulis' rejection of a ministry,

and still maintained he will be able

Observers believed Public Order

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From Trains To Hospi-

tal At Tinker Field

OKLAHOMA, CITY, Aug. 24.