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HURRICANE CHANGES N. C. SHORE LINE

Gale Which Reached 110 Miles Hour Cut Five New Inlets Between Ocracoke and Cape Lookout; Hatteras Was Cut Off From Mainland by 100 Foot Inlet; Pamlico County Shore Line Under Sixteen Feet Water

Cape Hatteras, N. C., Sept. 19.—The coast guard today reported the discovery of four unidentified bodies which had washed ashore near Portsmouth apparently members of a fishing party caught in last week's hurricane.

Damage to the coast north of Portsmouth was estimated in excess of half a million dollars by the coast guard and inhabitants. Financial and sanitary distress was aboard in the entire northern coastal section.

Approximately 100 homeless families are dependent upon emergency subsistence. The gale reached 110 miles an hour in this section, and the tide swept over the beach cutting five new inlets between Ocracoke and Cape Lookout. Hatteras was cut off from the mainland by a 100-foot inlet. The three villages of Hatteras, Ocracoke and Portsmouth survived a six foot inundation which forced the Ocracoke guardsmen to abandon their station. Schools are closed in all three villages.

There is not a fishing house, ice house or fishing camp left at any place and all piers and boats are gone. Crawford Austin of Ocracoke lighthouse estimated the damage there at \$60,000 and at Portsmouth at \$40,000. Tom Barnett, commanding the Durant coast guard station, estimated Hatteras' actual damage at \$75,000.

Fishermen said their season was wiped out and it would take sixty days to repair gear not washed away. The Pamlico county shore line was reported here to be under sixteen feet of water.

—Buy in Franklin—

Recorder's Court

Only a few cases were before Judge J. E. Malone in Recorder's Court Tuesday, and only one of these was actually tried and disposed of, with the exception of one that asked for a jury and thereby gained a continuance, the rest were continued for different reasons.

Continued under former order was the entry in the case of reekers driving against Ellis Rabel.

The case of assault against Peter Holden was continued.

The case of assault with deadly weapon against Robert Young was continued.

Harry Spivey was given 90 days in jail, Commissioners to hire out, for larceny. Willie Wood was acquitted.

The Cooper Co. vs. D. C. Evans, relief, jury was demanded and granted, and case continued.

Bledsoe-Keese

Announcements reading as follows have been received in Louisburg: Mr. and Mrs. John W. Keese announce the marriage of their daughter Louise to Mr. William Alston Bledsoe on Saturday, the ninth day of September, nineteen hundred and thirty-three Greta, Va.

LOUISBURG BAPTIST CHURCH

9:45 a. m., Sunday School 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. preaching by the pastor. 6:30 p. m., meeting of the young people. The ordinance of baptism will be administered at the close of the evening sermon. —Buy in Franklin—

PLAN WOULD HELP TOBACCO GROWERS

Adoption of Tobacco Marketing Agreement Would Give Grower New Lease on Life; To Fix Minimum Price; Operation of Marketing Agreement Would End Warehouse Auction System

Washington, Sept. 19.—In the forenoon yesterday there was revealed rather definite lines of cleavage, or demarcation, in NRA circles over the proposed regulation of prices in the nation's 1,500,000 retail stores, a form of government regulation aimed in part at the "chains," while there was made available in the afternoon the tobacco marketing agreement promulgated, it has been officially explained, on the initiative of the secretary of agriculture, the first venture of this kind under the AAA. The developments of the day served as a reminder of the view, quite prevalent among economists, that there is logically no stopping place now short of complete economic regimentation.

There was confirmation yesterday of facts set forth recently by this bureau, relative to the projected tobacco agreement, now launched in tentative form, and which is to be given consideration in a conference called for Thursday, when manufacturers, buyers, government officials, and the growers' council, named a few days ago by a convention of growers in this city when Governor Ehringhaus presided, will participate.

The agreement as made public late this afternoon apparently contemplates a degree of government supervision over the tobacco industry similar to that undertaken in connection with fluid milk, and it is recalled that President Roosevelt, in an executive order issued recently while on a fishing trip off the New England coast, placed tobacco and tobacco products, under the supervision of the agricultural adjustment administration, as distinguished from the general run of industrial codes.

Blue Devils Making Ready

Durham, N. C., Sept. 20.—Coach Wallace Wade is putting the finishing touches on his Duke University Blue Devils preparatory to opening their 1933 schedule with V. M. I. in Greensboro, Saturday night, September 30.

The backfield problems that faced the Duke mentor when practice started finding a signal caller and a blocking back—have been about worked out and the combination he is running in the Duke camp now will be given their first trial under fire against the Flying Cadets from Virginia.

That quarter is composed of Horace (Horse) Hendrickson as quarterback, Nick Laney and Corky Cornelius, halfbacks, and Bob Cox, fullback. All earned their letters last year but only Laney was a regular during the 1932 campaign.

In the line Harry Rossiter, star triple-threat end, Rom Rogers and Earle Wenzel, all veterans, have been alternating at the ends; the great Freddie Crawford and Al Means, tackles; Captain Carl Schock and Jack Dunlap, guards; and E. B. Dunlap, center.

Duke's first trio of games are as hard as any team in the south faces. After the opener with V. M. I. the Devils play on successive Saturdays in Duke Stadium the Demon Deacons of Wake Forest and Tennessee's powerful Vols.

Tennessee is slated to be one of the best teams in the country this year and have already been picked by most of the coaches to win the Southeastern conference title. It will probably be the biggest obstacle on Duke's 1933 card.

In Beattie Feathers, Deke Brackett and Breezy Wynn, the Vols have three of as fine backs as there are in the country. All are dangerous ball carrying threats. V. M. I. and Wake Forest also have a full quota of stars and will be hard for the Blue Devils to handle in early season.

Greensboro officials who are putting on the Duke-V. M. I. game are making many plans for a colorful contest. A mammoth parade of college students is planned for the night of the game, marching through town to the stadium and special trains are going to be run from various points in Virginia to the contest, the first Southern conference game of the season and the first since the split in the ranks last December.

Makes Splendid Address

Post Master John C. Mathews Visits Duke Memorial At Justice

Mr. John C. Mathews, Post Master at Spring Hope paid Duke Memorial Sunday school in Franklin County a visit Sunday a. m. September 17th. He was called upon to make a talk and responded with a very inspiring speech. After making a few preliminary remarks he spoke very feelingly and with much tenderness his esteem and appreciation for the late Rev. Geo. M. Duke in whose honor and memory this church was organized by him. Mr. Mathews invited the attention of the large audience to the issue that is or should be so vital to the church school and home which is to be decided by the people of this state on Nov. 7th. Although he did not tell the people how to vote, he asked them to think prayerfully and seriously before voting and cast a ballot that would be most noble for a Christian, fitting for a parent and pleasing to the Master. We hope Post Master Mathews may visit us again.

Leslie J. Blue Is Killed In Accident

Henderson Man Loses Life When Furniture-Laden Truck Turns Over

Leslie J. Blue, representative of the Hughes-Smaw Furniture company of Henderson, was fatally injured Tuesday night at about 5:00 o'clock one mile north of Louisburg when his truck turned over. He succumbed in a short while after being taken to the hospital here, dying of a fractured skull and other injuries. There were no eye witnesses to the accident. The truck was right side up when found, but the furniture being scattered around and the truck being badly damaged, it was surmised that the vehicle had turned completely over. Mr. Blue was thrown clear of the truck, his injuries resulting, supposedly, from the impact with the pavement. He is survived by his wife, now visiting a son in Hialeah, Fla., and the following children: R. E. Blue, Hialeah, Fla., T. F. Blue, Christine, Herman, Katherine and Winifred Blue, all of Henderson. The deceased was about 50 years of age. The body was taken to Henderson where funeral arrangements were made.

Say Senator Reynolds Left To Avoid Seekers

New York Newspaper Lays Flight Of McAdoo and Reynolds To Patronage

New York, Sept. 20.—North Carolina and California United States Senators are really absent from United States to escape persistent job-hunters, the New York Daily Mirror will state tomorrow. "The urge for first hand observation was not the only reason for the European jaunt of Senator William Gibbs McAdoo and North Carolina's Senator Robert R. Reynolds although that was their public explanation," the paper states. "Desire to escape the endless horde of job seekers was the real reason. The two Senators advised friends before sailing that as long as they remained in United States there was no escape from clamorous applicants and that the only way to obtain relief was to put a broad ocean behind them."

Change In Faculty

Dr. Athey G. Gillaspie of Lynchburg, Va., has been appointed to the Head of the Department of Science in Louisburg College to take the place of Miss John Miller Terry who is unable to come this year on account of the illness of her mother. Dr. Gillaspie is an A. B. graduate of Lynchburg College and has an A. M. and Ph. D. from Duke University. Dr. Gillaspie has had several years training teaching Science in Cornell University and as an assistant at Duke University.

FUND FOR WATERWAY WILL GO INTO BRIDGE

Washington, Sept. 20.—The War Department announced today that a \$75,000 allocation of public works funds to the Norfolk-Beaufort Inlet Inland Waterway will be used to build a highway bridge 12 miles east of Belhaven, North Carolina. The present span, which will be replaced by a steel draw-bridge, is now known as Wilkerson Creek bridge. The department said the present structure across the waterway is dangerous and operation of wooden draw has resulted in two deaths.

F. R. A.

Nearly one hundred boosters, including the State College band, will visit Louisburg on Thursday, September 28, for a stop at 2:30 in the afternoon, where a speaker will give interesting sidelights on the new features of the State Fair this year. It will be remembered the boosters visited Louisburg last year.

It will be the 10th annual State Fair Special under the auspices of the Raleigh Chamber of Commerce. The civic organization is sponsoring this booster trip because it takes great pride in the State Fair on account of the wonderful opportunities given the people of North Carolina to display their agricultural resources, livestock and manufactured products and, at the same time, affords its citizens a chance to see these exhibits.

The State Fair this year is under different management with Norman Y. Chambliss, of Rocky Mount, as manager and secretary. He is associated with George Hamid, well known New York show man, and W. H. Joyner, of Garysburg, N. C.

These men already have mapped out an extensive program which calls for new faces and shows on a bigger and better midway with Wolf of Murns shows holding forth. The grandstand attractions will be featured by the Winter Garden Revue and a large number of vaudeville specialties.

The premium list shows that \$10,000 in prizes will be distributed to farmers of North Carolina for the best of their exhibits. But, these are just a few things that the Raleigh boosters will talk about on their two-day bus trip in acquainting the people with the coming State Fair. There will be souvenirs, too for the school children when the boosters come to town.

Splendid Program

Louisburg Theatre has come back with its program announcements in the columns of the Times. Look this announcement up and see the splendid shows that will be presented next week. Also you will find a coupon attached to the advertisement that will be worth real money to you when you wish to visit this popular amusement place.

Hold For Higher Prices

Urging cotton growers to hold their cotton for higher prices which he said should result from the acreage reduction campaign, increased consumption and general rise in commodity prices under NRA, M. G. Mann, secretary-treasurer of the North Carolina Cotton Growers Cooperative Association, addressed a meeting of Franklin County farmers in the court house here Monday morning.

"Don't sell a single pound of your cotton at present prices if you don't have to," Mr. Mann told the growers. He pointed out that with the rise in price of the things the farmer has to buy, nine-cent cotton will buy no more this year than six-cent cotton would buy last year.

As indications that cotton prices will rise before another planting time, Mr. Mann pointed to the recent "plow up" campaign which removed several million bales of cotton from this year's crop, the plans for cotton acreage reduction next year, and the increase in cotton consumption as people go back to newly-created-by-NRA jobs.

Mr. Mann pointed out that seed loan borrowers do not have to sell their cotton by October 31 to pay their loans but that the administration has given them the right to store their crop in a bonded warehouse for orderly marketing, and in so doing it warmly endorsed cooperative marketing.

He recalled that seed loan borrowers who collateralized their loans last year with cotton on a 3% basis made a profit of from \$15 to \$18 per bale over those who sold their crop outright at six to seven cents or less per pound.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Morning Prayer and Sermon "The Understanding Heart" at 11:00 o'clock. Sunday School at 10:00 o'clock and Y. P. S. L. at 7:30 p. m. are the services for St. Paul's Episcopal Church Sunday. A course of instruction on the Prayer Book has recently started in the Bible Class, and new members are invited to join us in this study.

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Parent-Teachers Association Meets

The parent-teacher's association of the Edward Best High School met on Monday night, Sept. 18, 1933 for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year. The following were elected: Mrs. B. F. Wheelers, president; Mrs. Joe Champion, vice-president; Mr. David T. Fuller, secretary; Mr. Bruce A. Perry, treasurer; and Miss Annie Miles Harris, Mrs. Clifford Dean, and Mrs. Forest Sledge, program committee.

Mr. Miller, our new principal, addressed the meeting with a few very forceful remarks. He mentioned as the chief objectives of P. T. A. work this year, the acquiring of books and magazines for our library, new equipment for laboratory use in the Science Department, and a floor for the gymnasium. He also brought up the question of operating the school on a short-day schedule during cotton-picking season. Nothing definite was decided about this matter.

LOUISBURG METHODIST CHURCH

Our annual revival begins Sunday morning at eleven o'clock with preaching by the pastor on the theme "Despising Our Inheritance." Sunday evening at seven thirty his subject will be "Religion Comes to College." There will be preaching service each evening at 7:30 throughout the week and the concluding service next Sunday evening by Dr. F. S. Love the presiding elder. We are asking the membership of our church to make the coming week "Church Week." Attend with your prayers, presence, and service every evening. The college faculty and student body, also the people throughout the city are given a most cordial welcome to these services.

Sunday school 9:45. Epworth League Sunday evening 7 o'clock. (We need above all else to become religiously conscious.) —Buy in Franklin—

Gin-Cut Cotton

"Gin-cutting" Reduces Value of Cotton, and Should be Guarded Against

Raleigh, Sept. 18.—Warning that ginning cotton while it is still "too green" results in "gin-cutting" which reduces its value has been issued by D. D. Williams, sales manager of the North Carolina Cotton Growers Cooperative Association.

He urged farmers to allow their cotton to "dry thoroughly" before sending it to the gin and then "to insist on better ginning."

"With our State due to have the shortest crop in years, it seems to me that our cotton producers should be interested in getting the most out of every bale," Mr. Williams said.

Pointing out that cotton is coming in freely to the association, Mr. Williams commented: "We are very much pleased with the staples that we are getting. On Friday only one bale was received that stapled below 15-16-inch, showing quite conclusively the good results that our farmers are enjoying from planting improved seed."

"A goodly per cent of our cotton is running 1-1.32 to 1-1.16 and the only criticism we have to offer is that the farmers are ginning their cotton too green and in this manner reducing its value."

The cotton cooperative, now in its 12th season, pays a premium to its more than 16,000 members on all cotton better than middling 7-8.

"The farmer's only hope for better conditions lies along the cooperative highway," said Mr. Mann as he pointed out that nothing was done about the tobacco situation until the growers got their heads together and put pressure on Washington.

He said that the plight of the cotton farmer would not be much worse than it is were it not for the cotton cooperative association, "already here with 11 years of success back of it and still fighting at all times for the interest of the farmers."

American Legion Auxiliary Meets

The regular monthly meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary was held on Tuesday, Sept. 19, at the Four Winds Tea Room with Mrs. D. T. Smithwick, Mrs. R. W. Smithwick and Miss Helen Smithwick, hostesses.

The meeting was opened by the reading of the preamble to the constitution in union and Mrs. D. T. Smithwick leading the Lord's Prayer.

The minutes were then read and approved, the roll call being omitted.

"Chicago Awaits" was the title of an article read by Mrs. J. E. Malone, Jr., telling of the preparations Chicago is making for the National Convention to be held there in October.

Mrs. Hugh W. Perry then gave a report of the state convention telling of the new Resolutions that were passed and of the citations awarded this unit and other things of interest. Mrs. W. L. Beasley read a "Message from the National President."

Miss Annie Perry Neal was welcomed back into the Auxiliary and Mrs. D. P. Harris was a guest of the afternoon. Mrs. Perry the retiring president made a few remarks thanking the membership for its cooperation during this year and beseeching for the incoming administration the same loyalty and cooperation. The unit expressed its regrets at losing Mrs. H. H. Hillton one of its loyal members who has moved to Raleigh.

New Shoe Shop

Mr. Harry Glickman has opened and equipped a new shoe shop in the vacant store room adjoining White's Radio Store. He has secured the services of Mr. R. K. Lancaster, who has been operating the Neese Shoe Shop for the past several years. Watch for their announcement. —Buy in Franklin—

RED CROSS APPEAL

Dr. H. G. Perry, Chairman of the Louisburg chapter American Red Cross has received the following telegram, from E. P. Krick, Director of North Carolina Hurricane Relief:

"In complete survey area devastated by hurricane indicates hundreds of homes destroyed, those damaged over a thousand, with loss of life to date sixteen together with injuries to many. These figures increasing daily as information seeps in from outlying and isolated sections. Counties most seriously affected are Craven, Carteret, Dare, Tyrrell and villages on banks. Red Cross rushing food and supplies to isolated sections via Coast Guard boats. Hundreds of families are being fed and given emergency assistance by Red Cross. Governor Ehringhaus yesterday designated Red Cross official Relief Agency and urged people of state to contribute to Relief Fund. Urge inactivation vicious campaign for Relief Fund in line with Dewitt Smith's wire yesterday. Suggest you emphasize in publicity that Hopkins Federal Relief Director, has ruled that Federal Organization Aid made available to States cannot be used for materials to rebuild or repair Red Cross responsibility in disaster relief; emphasize this point, imperative. Relief Fund many thousand dollars required to meet minimum needs of families who are without resources."

Commenting Dr. Perry says: "The above telegram, one of many I have received in the last few days in reference to the terrible storm and hurricane that Eastern Carolina has experienced in the last few days, should illustrate and visualize to every one of us the necessity for an active Red Cross chapter in this County. The American National Red Cross, that great mother, whose heart always beats in sympathy with suffering humanity, whether in time of war or peace has taken charge of the relief in those countries in Eastern Carolina where there has been most damage in conjunction with other relief agencies in the State. In this time of emergency, when normally, conditions are bad and then to have a terrific storm with loss of life and thousands of dollars of damage done to property, stock, crops and etc., even though you imagine our lot is a bad one, can you imagine and picture to yourself the position these fellow North Carolinians are in, their residents destroyed and their growing crops destroyed, in fact, practically everything lost. We should not feel that we are entirely exempt from such catastrophes as you can well realize we are only a short distance from the area swept by this storm, therefore we should always cooperate to the fullest extent with Red Cross work, so that, if such catastrophe should hit our county we would be in a position to care for our needy ones and feel free to call upon National Headquarters for whatever aid we might need, such as, food, clothing, nurses, medical attention, hospitalization and whatever we might have to have in emergency. The local Red Cross chapter in cooperation with its various committees and other relief agencies has rendered a great service to Franklin County citizens for the past few years and we stand ready at all times to render whatever aid is just and necessary to those unfortunate that are in need. To be able to continue to render this efficient service, I, as chairman of the Louisburg Red Cross Chapter, ask all citizens of Louisburg and Franklin County to contribute to the Red Cross Fund as liberal as possible and to cooperate with the various Red Cross workers in this County at all times, because it is not only worthy, but it is self-preservation for our people and particularly important in this time of depression, and if we should be so unfortunate as to have a catastrophe, such as Eastern Carolina is experiencing at this time, that would require immediate relief."

At The Louisburg Theatre

The following is the program at the Louisburg Theatre beginning today: Friday, Sept. 22—Clark Gable and Jean Harlow in "Hold Your Man." Saturday, Sept. 23—Tom Keene in "Son of The Border." Sunday & Tuesday, Sept. 25-26—George Arliss in "Voltaire."

Wednesday, Sept. 27—Paul Whiteman in "King of Jazz." Thursday & Friday, Sept. 28-29—Eddie Cantor in "Palmy Days."

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