

BETTER FEELING IN WAR ZONE

Rome, Sept. 25.—Improved relations between Great Britain and Italy resulted tonight in the calling off of the sailing from Naples tomorrow of 10,000 soldiers for Libya.

Because of the decline in tension between the two governments it was explained, the reinforcements in Libya, which borders upon Egypt, are not necessary.

The better feeling resulted from mutual assurances between Premier Mussolini and Sir Samuel Hoare, British foreign secretary.

It was emphasized, however, that the departure of troops for East Africa will continue unchecked. The Italia sailed from Naples today with 1,300 men and tomorrow the Colombo and Merano depart with approximately 2,800 soldiers.

Italy will never take the first step in transforming the Italo-Ethiopian conflict into a European one, said a government statement issued today.

This was part of a communique which disclosed that Sir Samuel Hoare, British foreign secretary, in a personal message to Premier Mussolini said Britain was: "Particularly desirous of eliminating every useless misunderstanding between the two countries."

The communique mentioned that Hoare was "speaking as an old friend of Italy." Italy, the communique said, "has not and does not wish to have any difficulties with England."

Other developments in the situation saw the closing of the border between Eritrea and Ethiopia to commerce by order of the governor of Gondar, according to a Stefani (Italian) news agency dispatch; a communique of the Catholic action organization of Italy indirectly supporting the government's African campaign; and a statement by prelates of the Papal court that the Pope would probably deliver a peace message in the course of his radio broadcast to the United States tomorrow.

PRICES IMPROVE

On Louisburg Market Past Week — Sales Light — Many Good Averages

While the total sales on the Louisburg Tobacco Market have been light the past week a decided improvement in prices have been noticed, and many splendid individual averages have been made. The prices are still considered much cheaper than warranted and a great deal of tobacco has been held off the market pending the results of the tobacco meeting. Quite a large number of farmers are taking the suggestion of keeping the low grades off the market seriously and co-operating.

Louisburg market is still holding its own at the top of the list for prices and is inviting you to sell in Louisburg, where good fellowship and good prices prevail.

EPSON FAIR

First Bale

Sid Taylor, colored, farming with W. B. Tucker near Laurel, brought the first bale of cotton from the 1935 crop to Louisburg Monday. It weighed 450 pounds and was ginned by Franklin Seed Co.

Farmers Supper

The Farmers usual monthly supper will be held at Franklin Friday night from 7 to 8:30 o'clock. It is understood a most interesting program has been arranged. All farmers are urged to be present.

Program At The Louisburg Theatre

The following is the program at the Louisburg Theatre beginning Friday, September 27:

Friday-Saturday—Shirley Temple in "Curly Top."

Sunday—Bette Davis and George Brent in "Special Agent."

Monday—Elissa Landi and Kent Taylor in "Without Regret" also "The March of Time."

Tuesday—Peter Lorre and Frances Drake in "Mad Love."

Wednesday—George O'Brien in "Thunder Mountain." 3rd Chapter "Roaring West."

Thursday-Friday—Will Rogers in "Steamboat Round The Bend."

Hold Balance of Power in Louisiana Struggle



BATON ROUGE, La. — Despite the appearance of "strong" men at every hand to take over the reign of the late "Kingfish", U. S. Senator Huey Long, the above three Long supporters are in key positions.

Governor Oscar K. Allen (left) is expected to resign, and Lieut. Gov. James A. Noe to succeed him to the governorship and appoint Allen to the U. S. Senate to fill out Long's term. Below is Mrs. Alice Lee Tarpe, former secretary to Long, most powerful of state office holders as Supervisor of Public Accounts.

JOE LEWIS WINS

Knocks Out Max Baer In Fourth Round — Knock Out Complete.

Yankee Stadium, New York, Sept. 25.—A brown tornado, merciless, savage Joe Lewis, swept over the magnificent Max Baer tonight, picked him up in the most devastating whirlwind of punches the prize ring has seen since the heyday of Jack Dempsey, smashed him down three times, and finally crushed him in four rounds before the first \$1,000,000 crowd of boxing's New Era.

Baer was knocked out after 2 minutes and 50 seconds of the fourth round. In little less than 12 minutes that he faced the chocolate cyclone, he took a beating so unmerciful, so complete that the crowd of 90,000, nearly filling the huge ball park, gasped at the cruelty of it.

Down Three Times

Three times the giant, curly-headed Californian, trying to grin to the last through the crimson mask of his torn features, was hammered to the floor under two-fisted blasts that hit him with all the suddenness and deadly accuracy of a tommy gun at point-blank range. He was floored three times in all, twice in the third for counts of nine and four, the last time being saved by the bell and hauled to his corner by his chief second, Jack Dempsey.

When the blast tore into his head again in the fourth, he sank to one knee by the ropes, across the ring from his own corner. So badly had he been beaten, so complete was his thrashing that his eyes were opaque, his knee trembled as he slowly shook his head from side to side. The blood from his face was pouring over his chest as he stayed on one knee until Referee Arthur Donovan finished the complete count of ten.

New Exhibit Hall Completed

The new Exhibit Hall at the Fair Ground is completed and all ready to receive the Franklin County products for the twenty-first annual County Fair.

The old exhibit building has been fenced in so as to further protect the storage and the wire fence will put that part of the entrance very near to the line of eating stands. This will make the concessions more desirable and already most of these eating stands have been rented.

The shows playing the Fair this year are of a very high class and will be something new as the Straetes Shows have spent most of their time abroad and in Canada. They will bring new and novel shows and acts and many things never before seen here as this is the shows first appearance in the South.

The exhibits will be large and unusually good this year as more interest is being shown than in several years. It is expected that Wednesday, Oct. 9th will be a County holiday, so that the little tots who cannot come to the Fair at night, may enjoy what they have looked for the entire year, the Great County Fair.

The Fair Association is admitting all the school children under twelve and their teachers in as guests of the Fair on that holiday. A gorgeous fire-works display will be seen every night and the midway will be live with real fun and amusement for the entire week.

Recorders Court

The peeping tom case failed to produce sufficient evidence to warrant a conviction in Franklin County Recorder's Court Tuesday. Quite a number of cases were on the docket which were disposed of as follows:

Bud Davis was found not guilty of being drunk and disorderly, but guilty of carrying concealed weapons, and was given 90 days on roads. Appeal.

Claude Davis was found not guilty of peeping into room.

Paul Horton and Ed Denton were found not guilty of operating automobile intoxicated and nuisance.

A. D. Joyner, operating automobile intoxicated, continued.

Pete Spivey, assault with deadly weapon, continued.

Gordon Mangum was found guilty of violating prohibition law, to be discharged upon payment of costs.

George Hale was given 30 days on roads for public drunkenness.

Sir Walter Dunston, assault with deadly weapon, disturbing public worship, continued.

Sam Denton, plead guilty to operating automobile intoxicated, to be discharged upon payment of \$50 fine and costs, not to operate car for 90 days.

Henry Bunn, carrying concealed weapon, found to be under age and transferred to Juvenile Court.

W. A. Stallings found guilty of operating automobile intoxicated and given 90 days on roads, upon payment of costs road sentence stayed. Not to operate car for 6 months. Appeal.

Farmers and Business Men's Club

At the regular monthly meeting of the Farmers and Business Men's Club, the faculty of the Franklinton School were present as guests of the Parent-Teacher Association. Supt. W. R. Mills and Hon. W. L. Lumpkin made very appropriate remarks for the occasion. It was announced at this meeting that the Soil Conservation Project would move into its headquarters to begin work on or before October 15.

TOBACCO PRICE CONFERENCE GETS FEW RESULTS

Washington, Sept. 25.—Despite a minimum of tangible results, a delegation of tobacco growers, warehousemen and members of Congress left here tonight somewhat more hopeful of the future trend of flue-cured tobacco prices than when they arrived.

The delegation, which was accompanied by Governor Ehringhaus, held three conferences, one this morning with AAA officials, another this afternoon with representatives of the large tobacco buyers and a third tonight among themselves.

Annual State Fair

Raleigh, Sept. 24.—North Carolina's annual State Fair, hailed this year as the finest, best balanced exposition in history, will open Monday, October 14, with a week-long program of festivities and revelry in store for its thousands of visitors.

Exhibition halls customarily bulging with blue ribbon exhibits will again be jammed to overflowing with choice North Carolina livestock, farm and home displays and countless other contenders for a share of the \$11,600 offered in premiums. Competition will be limited to North Carolina exhibitors.

Talent recruited from all parts of America and remote corners of the world as well will vie for applause in an all-star array of entertainment features. Heading the grandstand attractions will be the gay Broadway musical hit, Gertrude Avery's Diamond Revue of 1935, a 75-people musical extravaganza to be staged each night. The revue, coming to Raleigh from major northern expositions in two 70-foot baggage cars, will be augmented by 15 circus and hippodrome acts and climaxed each night by a brilliant fireworks show.

Harness horse racing for purses totaling \$1,800 will begin Wednesday and continue through the Thursday and Friday matinees. More than 150 of America's speediest trotters and pacers will be seen in action.

Other matinee headliners include B. Ward Beam's International Congress of Daredevils, 22 thrill artists who engage in head-on collisions, delayed parachute plunges from 5,000 feet, races between chariots careening behind motorcycles and a dozen other thrillers Tuesday afternoon; and a seven event program of A.A.A. championship auto races Saturday. The World of Mirth Shows, America's largest touring midway, will provide the carnival attractions.

Under 650,000,000

The crop certainly will be placed at below 650 million pounds," he told Dr. Clarence Poe, chairman of the group in revising a statement as to the accomplishments of the meetings. "The question in my mind is how much below 650 million pounds to fix it," he added.

The statement written by Dr. Poe was approved by other members of the committee, as well as by Mr. Hutson, appeared to represent the views of most of those present, but it was distinctly more optimistic than the views of some of those present, with Governor Ehringhaus showing the keenest disappointment because of the absence of concrete developments.

Cruets Aloof

All were somewhat surprised at the attitude of the buyers, who expressed a desire to cooperate but who declined to make any specific suggestions whatever.

At To Parity

Parity was the principal topic of the conversations between the delegation and Mr. Hutson and other AAA officials.

A study of parity will be made with a view to its increase, but little hope is felt in that connection. At the present time parity for flue cured tobacco runs about three cents above parity for cotton, which has never been obtained.

The processing tax on flue cured tobacco has been decreased from 4.2 to 1.9 cents a pound but will almost certainly be increased again to 3.8 cents on October 1, 1935 unless there is a change in the present law.

It was decided that nothing could be gained by another tobacco holiday and Mr. Hutson declined to recommend any purchase of or loans on tobacco on the ground that prices are now above parity.

Mr. Hutson's promise of a crop next year under 650 million pounds estimated consumption, is in contrast to the present crop of over 700,000,000 pounds, increased in order to increase stocks.

At the conclusion of its session tonight, Chairman Clarence Poe, with the approval of Mr. Hutson and other members of the committee issued the following statement:

"While the committee appointed at Saturday's mass meeting has accomplished no miracles, and I expected it to accomplish none, I am nevertheless confident that it has done a worthwhile work. In some respects it has accomplished improvements. In other respects, it has cleared up misapprehensions and discovered important facts of promise."

"The most important facts we discovered are those relating to the general improvement in prices that usually begins at this season, anyhow, regardless of activity by growers. We were informed, first, that average prices after October 1 are usually 2 1/2 per cent higher than prices before October 1. Second, that this usual increase in 1935 should

New Beauty Parlor

Cranford Beauty Parlor is one of Louisburg's latest established institutions. It is located in the Franklin Hotel building in the room formerly occupied by Fred Hicks and will be owned and operated by Miss Francis Cranford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Cranford. It will be equipped with the latest and most approved equipment and made modern in every particular. Miss Cranford has had seven years experience in beauty culture and will no doubt receive a hearty welcome from her many friends.

H. M. STOVALL, JR. INTERRED

The funeral services for H. M. Stovall, Jr., were held from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stovall north of Louisburg on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Frank E. Pully, rector St. Paul's Episcopal Church, and were largely attended. The interment was made at Oakwood Cemetery. The newly made grave was covered with beautiful flowers, tokens of love and esteem from scores of friends. The pallbearers were George I. Griffin, D. O. Pearce, R. C. Beck, Jr., Sam Allen, Alex Wilson and John Mills.

The body arrived in Louisburg late Friday evening from Pittsburgh, Pa., where Mr. Stovall succumbed to an attack of appendicitis, at 5:30 o'clock Thursday morning. "Hep" was a capable, efficient, courteous and likeable young man and enjoyed a wide popularity among his many friends.

The family has the sympathy of the entire community.

Rally Day

Rev. A. M. Williams, Pastor, announces that Rally Day and Home Coming Day will be observed on the Youngsville Charge next Sunday, which is the fifth Sunday of September. The six churches of the charge are requested to come together at Bunn for a morning and afternoon service, and picnic dinner. Those who attend are requested to bring lunch. At the eleven o'clock hour Dr. Gilbert T. Rowe will be the speaker, and the afternoon service will be immediately after dinner consisting of musical selections from the various churches of the charge. Officials will be asked to give a financial report of their church.

Walter Dantrosch predicts a return of musical giants. Well, only a giant can manage to carry some of the modern musical instruments.—Carey Williams in The Greensboro (Ga.) Herald-Journal.

Cong. Cooley To Speak at Epsom



Honorable Harold D. Cooley will speak at Epsom Friday morning October 4th, at 11:00 o'clock. This speaking will be in connection with the Epsom Community Fair. A large crowd is expected to be present from the neighboring cities and communities, as this is one of the main features in the fair program.

"SPECIAL AGENT"

Starring Bette Davis and George Brent at Louisburg Theatre, Sunday, Oct. 29

Bette Davis and George Brent, again paired as screen lovers in the new Cosmopolitan production, "Special Agent," a Warner Bros. picture, will be at Louisburg Theatre Sunday, Sept. 29th.

The picture is said to reveal the inner workings of the U. S. Treasury Department, showing an entirely new angle of the Government's activities in wiping out the nation's public enemies.

The story is crammed with tense dramatic situations in which secret service operatives face death in order to run down criminals and get evidence to convict them. Thrilling adventure and daring exploits follow every step of the secret operatives in their battle with the "killers."

Brent, in the role of a newspaper reporter on a New York daily, also allied with the Government as an undercover man, is trying to get evidence against the crooks and at the same time prevent the murder of Miss Davis, his sweetheart, who unwittingly has taken a job as the personal secretary to the head of the band.

The polished, but ruthless killer is played by Ricardo Cortez.

Others in the cast include Jack LaRue, Henry O'Neill, Robert Strange, Joseph Crehan, J. Carroll Nash and Robert Barrat.

The picture was directed by William Keighley from the screen play by Laird Doyle and Abem Finkel, based on the story idea by Martin Mooney.

Resolutions

We, the members of the Louisburg High School faculty, wishing to make expression in some measure of the high esteem and personal regard with which we hold our beloved leader and principal of so many years, Mr. W. R. Mills, do respectfully submit the following resolutions of honor.

Whereas, we are mindful that for thirty successive years he has patiently, devotedly, and so ably directed the affairs and influenced the progress of this school, we honor him for his successful leadership.

Whereas, because of his unwavering services, devotion, and loyalty to the end of the attainment of greater, more useful, and more democratic educational facilities and advantages to approximately three generations of children of the community comprising this school district, we pay him high tribute.

Whereas, because of the inspiration and encouragement which his life has given us as an example in the performance of our daily duties here and for the sympathy, understanding, and cooperation he has shown us who have been active co-laborers with him, we express our deep gratitude.

Finally, these resolutions being in a small part an expression of our sincerest feelings toward one so beloved of us, we order that copies of same be made and dispersed as follows: One copy to be forwarded to him in whose honor they have been prepared; one copy to be recorded in the minutes of the Parent-Teacher's Association of this school; and one copy to be printed in the Franklin Times.

Respectfully submitted,
MISS MARY BEST,
MRS. ALICE UZZELL,
J. M. MINTON,
Committee.

Franklinton Community Fair



The officers of the Franklinton Community Fair met recently and decided that the Fair be held Friday and Saturday, October 25 and 26.

On Monday, September 30, a notice is being sent to all interested persons to meet in the community room of the Franklinton School to make further arrangements for the Fair.

The Fair held last year was a very successful one. The committee is endeavoring to present the best Fair possible this year.

JIM HUTCHINS

Here's the boy who is expected to big guns in Carolina offense when the Tar Heels and Demon Deacons of Wake Forest clash at Chapel Hill Saturday in the opening game for Carolina. He's Jim Hutchins, who hails from Winston-Salem. He plays fullback. Last season he received All-American mention.

Injuries Handicap Tar Heels As They Drill For Wake Game

Tar Heels Looking for Hard Battle From Demon Deacons This Saturday — Great Passing Attacks Scheduled to Be Used By Both Elevens

Chapel Hill, N. C., Sept. 24.—Carolina battles Wake Forest Saturday at Kenan Stadium at 2:30 o'clock in a game which appeared at the opening of the pre-season workouts to be a "breather" but which now looms as quite an obstacle for the Tar Heels.

Injuries have cut the Carolina hopes to shreds, greatly weakening the Tar Heel reserve strength. Besides this, the Deacons, a "dark horse" a month ago, now appear as a strong club. They gave the highly favored Duke team a real fight last Saturday and are set to duplicate this feat against Carolina this week-end.

At the first of the season Coach Snively was looking forward to a season in which he would have plenty of reserve material. Things remained in that light for two or three weeks, but this past week caused a reversal in the situation. The reserves have been cut short by injuries. From the first string out with injuries at present is Herman Snyder, while both Tom Evans and John Trimpey are slow ed up with past injuries. Among the missing reserves are Dick Dashiell, Gene Barwick, Bruce Smith, Crowell Little and Ed Juliber. Al Gaydos, soph guard, is out for the season.

Some of these men will be ready for the Wake Forest tilt, but if so they will not be in shape to go at their full speed.

Pass defense is the main subject at the Tar Heel camp this week. The Deacons flashed a well-executed serial attack last week and Coach Snively is preparing to combat such a drive in the Tar Heel battle. The Blue and White, in turn, is itself perfecting air maneuvers to employ in its first game of the season.