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SALES OF TOBACCO BREAK THE RECOKD

Figures For the Opening Day Are Titanesque.

OVER HALF A MILLION

Two Places, Goldsboro and Kinston, Thus Report.

DUNN IS INUNDATED WITH TOBACCO

At Greenville the Sales Are a Quarter of a Million Pounds and the Outlook Brightest in the Town's History. Other Reports.

(Special to News and Observer.) Kinston, N. C., Aug. 1 .- Kinston broke the State record in tobacco sales on today's opening of the season by handling nearly 000,000 pounds of the weed. It is estimated that 800 farmers spent today here. Prices were good and there was general rejoicing among the farmers. Kinston has six warehouses and a strong corps of buyers. The American Tobacco Company is the principal buyer today. The tobacco crop in this section is

Half a Million at Goldsboro.

(Special to News and Observer.) Goldsboro, N. C., Aug. 1 .-- There were over a half million pounds of tobacco sold on this market today. The tobacco buyers had expected that 100,000 pounds would be sold on the opening day, but no one had counted on half a million. The streets around the several warehouses were blocked with vehicles for hours at a time. The crowd of country people surging through the streets reminded one of circus day. The farmers arrived in the city all during the night and this morning every available avenue leading into the city was crowded with a continuous stream of vehicles. The sales on the warehouse floors lasted from 10 o'clock this morning until late in the afternoon, and there were a number who

Mr. T. C. Bryan and daughter, Miss Carrie, left today for Rocky Mount, where they were summoned by telegram on account of the death of Mr. Wm. M. Bryan, the aged father of Mr. Bryan. The old gentleman had reached three score and steamer last year. The breaking up of ten, had been married three times and was a veteran of two wars.

In the race to show the first full grown wide-open cotton boll Mr. James Pearson, one of Wayne county's promising young farmers, came out ahead. He brought the cotton boll to the city this morning and was proudly exhibiting it to his numerous friends and acquaintances. The pext move in farming circles will be to produce the first bale of new cotton. While riding horseback on the avenue

near the Odd Fellows' Orphan Home yesterday afternoon the young sons of horse and had an arm broken. Dr. Thomas Hill was called in and gave the boy medical attention.

The death of "Uncle Jake" Hicks at his home in Greensboro this morning was announced here today by a private tele-Danville Railroad, between here and tober.' Greensboro, and was well known here as well as all along the line. He has a son who is shifting engineer here for the Southern Railway.

BREAKS IN GREENVILLE

A Quarter of a Million Pounds Sold. Outlook For Best Season Yet

(Special to News and Observer.) Greenville, N. C., August 1.-The Greenville tobacco market opened the new season today with a quarter of a million pounds. All six warehouses had fine sales. There was spirited bidding and much enthusiasm among the buyers. Prices started off well and very satisfactory to farmers. The market never had stronger crop buyers than this season. The outlook is for the best season in the history of the market. Double sales will be run.

Biggest Break in Dunn's History.

(Special to News and Observer.) Dunn, N. C., Aug. 1 .- Dunn's tobacco market opened today with the largest break since its establishment. One hundred thousand pounds were sold, which eight thousand dollars was paid to planters, and about fifty thousand pounds is left unsold on account of lack of warehouse capacity.

Sales at Greensboro.

(Special to News and Observer.) Greensboro, N. C., Aug. 1 .- Over one hundred thousand pounds of new tobacco were sold here today, averaging seven dollars per hundred.

Tobacco Sales at Louisburg.

(Special to News and Observer.) Louisburg, N. C., Aug. 1.-The regular season for sales of tobacco began yes-

sold on the market, and the prices were high, an average of between 9 and 10 cents, though there were many sales at 25 cents per pound. Sales will continue regularly every day

The Opening at Rocky Mount.

from this time.

(Special to News and Observer.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., Aug. 1 .- The Rocky Mount Tobacco Market opened today and a splendid crowd was present The sales are estimated to have been between 125,000 and 130,000 pounds. The prices ran high and the offerings were of excellent quality for the opening

Tobacco Sales at Wilson.

Special to News and Observer.)

Wilson, N. C., Aug. 1 .- The Wilson To bacco market held its opening sale today and there was sold on the floors of the various warehouses here between 150,000 and 165,000 pounds. The prices were up and the breaks here considered as very satisfactory ones, preparing for a big sale this year.

No Verdict Yet in Owens Case.

(Special to News and Observer.) Oxford, N. C., Aug. 1 .- The murder case of Robert Owens, charged with killing Jim Wilkins at Virgilina in March last, was given to the jury two days ago and the verdict has not yet been rendered. New tobacco is selling at first rate prices and the warehouses have the opening sales today.

Evyln Baldwyn Thinks His Work Makes This Possible Next Year.

(By the Associated Press.)

Honningsvaag, Norway, Aug. 1.-Evyln Baldwyn, the Arctic explorer, arrived here today. He reported all his men in good health and said:

"We have been baffled but not beaten." Mr. Baldwyn continued as follows: "The year's work has been successful in that enormous depots of condensed food have been established by means of General's cabin. Asealed document from then suffered nineteen casualties. sledges, one in Rudolf Land, within sight of the Italian expedition headquarters, another in latitude 81 degrees, 33 minutes and a third at Kane Lodge, Greely will have to wait for the sales tomor-listand. These depots, together with tired, occreome with emotion. houses and stores left at Camp Ziegler, General Smith was not seen will afford the means for a large Polar dash in 1903. All channels through Franz Josef Land remained blocked with ice during the autumn of 1901 and prevented the establishment of depots by ice early in June compelled the use of reserve supplies, hence the departure from Camp Ziegler on July 1 in order not to imperil the expedition. I dispatched fifteen balloons with 300 messages and in June I obtained the first moving picture of Arctic life. I also discovered Nansen's hut, recovering original docunents and securing paintings of the hut. Marine collections for the national museum, including new charts, etc., were obtained, in the field work thirty men, 13 ponies, 60 sledges and 170 dogs were employed from January 21 to May 21 Mr. J. H. Reeves was thrown from his and this severe work resulted in the destruction of sledges and destruction of the food for ponies and dogs, thus rendering our return imperative. I shall remain at Tromsoe for a week for repairs to the America's rudder and propeller frame, which were broken by the gram. He was for more than thirty years lice on the return voyage. The main an engineer on the old Richmond and anchor was lost during a gale in Oc-

Mr. Baldwyn sailed from Vardoe, Norway, on July 30, 1901. An auxiliary expedition started from Vardoe on July 7, 1902, under command of William S. Champ, to join them.

Events at Hillsboro.

(Special to News and Observer.) Hillsboro, N. C., August 1.-Rev. H. Swain has been appointed principal of the public school here. The session opens next September.

Rev. C. E. Maddry is County Superintendent of Schools and is doing a great work in the educational line and has aroused the people more than they ever have been to the necessity of education, and also better schools and school buildings and longer term's.

The political atmosphere is quite thick with candidates before the Democratic county convention which meets here August 16th. Among the many prominent candidates whose names will be presented to the convention fro the different offices are C. W. Johnson, Esq., of Chapel Hill township, and Capt. Wm N. Pritchard, of Chapel Hill, for State Senator, and Charles Strayhorn for Superior Court Clerk. All these are good

Rev. H. S. Bradshaw, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, New Bern, spent the most of last week here visiting the family of Miss Maria Nash. Mr. Bradshaw was former pastor of this

Killed in Bed by Ligh ning.

Special to News and Observer.) Pilot Mountain, N. C., Aug. 1 .- Coley Badgett, a prominent farmer, was killed by lightning near this place last night. He was in bed and his wife and one small child also. His wife and baby were badly shocked.

Rainbows never surrender, but always terday. There were more than 125 loads go down with their colors flying.

UNDER THE BLOW

The Action of Roosevelt Was Unexpected.

THE GENERAL IS DUMB

The Order to Make Sama a Howling Wilderness.

WAS NOT MEANT LITERALLY

The General Arrives at San Francisco and Receiving Roosevelt's Notification of His Retirement Denies Him-

seif to Interviewers

(By the Associated Press.) San Francisco, August 1 .- Standing on the bridge of the Thomas eagerly wait-

ing with the ships captain for a glimpse of his native shore, General Jacob H. Smith, tried by court martial for having ordered the island of Samar transformed into a howling wilderness, was man, June 5. doomed this morning to first learn that the President had retired him from act-

The pilot boat which met the Thomas just outside the heads at two o'clock this morning brought to General Smith the first news of the President's action. In the failing light of a binnacle lamp the veteran read the message that apprised him of his fate. An hour later the dawn came and with it the sight of land, but General Smith had retired to his cabin, where, with his wife and chief ade, Lieut. J. H. Shields, of the Twelfth Infantry, he discussed the outcome of the long ordeal through which he had passed.

Six hours later, when the Thomas reached the quarantine station in the harbor, Major David Duval, of the transport service, boarded the ship with his secretary and met both General Smith and Lieut. Shields at the door of the the War Department was handed General Smith. It contained the official notification of President Roosevelt's action and upon reading it General Smith re-

General Smith was not seen again until the United States custom house tender Hartley was ready to take the General and his party ashore. He denied himself to all interviewers who were met by Lieut. Shields. Together with his wife and aide General Smith proceeded to the Occidental Hotel, repairing thence to army headquarters in the Phelan building, where he remained during the morning.

"General Smith has absolutely nothing to say for publication," said Lieut. to any special classes of lawlessness. Shields to a representative of the Assotalk, and furthermore has nothing to say. tion, I have declared on innumerable ocwould not take action against him, and expressed hi desire that the enemy, if while inveighing against minor offenses waste and no prisoners be taken. The the full weight of my personality and in-

General Smith, who is wearing civilian attire, appeared yesterday nervous and worn. His sixty-two years are plainly read in his every action, and his intimate friends fear he s breaking down under the severe strain to which he has been subjected in recent months.

It is not yet known when General Smith will proceed East. His sealed orders require him to report to the Adjutant General at Washington and it is likely he will lose no time in starting for the Na-

10 WA MAY TAKE ACTION.

Against Centralization of Power and Capital in State by Rock Island.

(By the Associated Press.)

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 1.-Governor Cummings announced today that he is investigating the recent re-organization of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Company with a view of ascertaining whether the organization is in all respects in harmony with the laws of the State of Iowa. He has not yet conferred with the attorney general but will do so as soon as the attorney general returns to the city. Governor Cummings stated today that the first question he is inquiring into is as to whether the inflaon of capital stock which is contemplated by the re-organization is consistent with the Iowa law. In the second it is lawful for a New Jersey corporation to own and control the property of a railway owned and operated in Iowa. He has not reached a conclusion on any of these questions, and declares that he | Mr. Watson and Captain Glenn will be means to give them a thorough investigation before he decides what his duty ally make a canvass of the State when toward the new company may be under the premises.

"It may be," he stated, "that the lowa!

this company has used, but I doubt it very much.

"I am convinced that such a centralization of capital and power is dangerous, to say the least and cannot be enouraged without threatening business interests. Such a centralization of capital means that there may follow an explosion which, when it comes, is likely not only to affect one, but many interests."

Wonderings of a Derelict.

(By the Associated Press.)

Baltimore, Aug. 1.-The wanderings of the lumber laden derelict schooner, B. R. Woodside, which has been drifting about the Atlantic below Cape Hatteras, danger to navigation, for five months, are plotted on the July issue of the North Atlantic pilot chart made public today by the local hydrographic office. This craft was abandoned March 1 and bids fair to become one of the ocean's famous derelicts. Since that time she has been sighted by vessels not less than % times. She was abandoned off Charleston and drifted toward Bermuda. Then she drifted in toward the coast again, next she made a loop out to sea again and back to the vicinity of the point from which she started. Next she made a 200 mile drift southward. The craft was seen six times off the Florida coast during July. The derelict is now bound north again. She is kept adrift by her lumber cargo.

Hanged For Assault.

(By the Associated Press.) Pattiesburg, Miss., Aug. 1 .- Will Dantzell, a negro, was hanged here today for an assault committed upon a white wo-

Two Hundred Revolutionists Reported Killed. Government's Losses 19

(By the Associated Press.)

engagement is now being fought between the revolutionary forces under General Herrera and government troops at Agua Dulce. The battle begun Tuesday, July Two hundred of the Revolutionists were said to have been killed or wounded by Wednesday. The government had

Ammunition is being sent from here to the fighting government troops,

MORE LAWLESS THAN MINERS. Mitchell Declares the Chief Violators Are the Iron and Coal Police.

(By the Associated Press.)

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Aug. 1.-President Mitchell, in the course of his reply to the Citizens Alliance, which communication was made public this afternoon,

"Permit me to say that I do not recognize your right to make demands upon me to specifically declare myself opposed a citizen of the United States and the ciated Press. "He is not at liberty to chief executive of the miners' organiza-He has been hopeful that the President casions, and in language not susceptible of misconstruction that I am opposed to of course feels keenly the force of the lawlessness of every character, and I blow he has received. The general ad- do not propose to alter my views to mitted to the court martial trying him, conform to the tenets of the Citizens that he had issued orders which in effect (Alliance, namely, wink at capital crimes obdurate and unconquerable be not I have never in my life sought to conspared-in fact that the country be laid done an unlawful act. I have thrown literal construction of these orders and fluence on the side of law and order, and their exact interpretation make up the I can say without egotism that the bulwark of evidence against the general Miners' Union and its officers have done at the court martial. There is no doubt more for the conservation of peace than he said. He certainly did not expect or could be formed by men like yourthe action which the President has selves, whose sympathy with the poor and oppressed is like unto the friendship

Brutus entertained for Caesar. "I do not assume to say that there have not been some transgressions of from the service. law by members of the Miners' Union. but I do say, and defy you to successfully contradict the statement, that there has been much less lawlessness on the part of the miners-and that which has occurred has been less serious-in proportion to their number than on the part of deputies and coal and iron police, who are charged with authority and are specifically commissioned to preserve the law, and against whom you have made no protest and your association has taken no action whatsoever. And further, the records in the police courts will demonstrate that a smaller number of miners have been convicted of crime in the anthracite mining towns during the progress of the strike than for a like period preceding it."

Daring Rescue From Drowning.

(Special to News and Observer.) Winston-Salem, N. C., Aug. 1.-A special from Vade Mecum Springs tells of a daring rescue from drowning in the lake at that popular resort yesterday afterncon, by which Mr. Henry Shelton, of this city, saved the life of one of the waiters employed at the springs. The latter had gone rowing on the lake, and by some means fell overboard. He had come to the surface the third time, when this city, if not in the entire country. place he desires to know just how far | Mr. Shelton succeeded in rescuing him. The report that one of Forsyth's Seratorial candidates had about decided to withdraw from the race was a "false alarm." The indications now are that

the campaign opens.

COLOSSAL STEAL

Prominent Boston Lawyer an the United States 281,000, against 504,000 Embezzier.

HE ADMITS HE IS GUILTY

Has Stolen and Squandered Two Hundred Thousand Dollars,

WILLARD C. VANDERLIP IS THE MAN

He Can Give no Details of the Crime as He Has Destroyed All Records Not Even Saving His Check

Stubbs. (By the Associated Press.)

Boston, Mass., Aug 1 .- By his own admission, Willard C. Vanderlip, a prominent Boston lawyer, who has had for years the care of several estates, is guilty of embezzlement and the estate of the late George B. Emerson, of which he had charge for sixteen years, has been dissipated in ways of which Mr. Vanderlip is unable to give account.

Vanderlip was arrested at his home this afternoon. He was arraigned on the charge of larceny of bonds valued at \$4,000 from John Lowell, a relative of Mr. Emerson, pleaded not guilty and was held in \$8,000.

Mr. Vanderlip says that the total amount involved is "somewhere around \$100,000." Colonel W. D. Sohier and John Lowell, who are acting on behalf of the estate, however, declare that \$200,000 has disappeared. The accused man fort thirty Panama, Colombo, August 1.-A severe 'years has acted as confidential agent of numerous law firms in the city in the care of estates, the collection of dividends, the purchase and sale of securialso i a prominent member of the Order of Elks and is a Mason of high degree. Colonel Sohier says:

"For sixteen years Vanderlip has had, as trustee, management of the Emerson foundation. Everybody who could left terly, and submitted statements, the ac- special train sent from San Luis Obispo. curacy of which there was no reason to Late advices state that the earth conquestion. A few days ago bonds to the tinues to tremble at intervals. value of \$5,000 were missed. This led to an investigation and after a severe cross examination, Vanderlip admitted that he had taken the bonds and that he had squandered the entire Emerson

estate. He could not give details as he has destroyed all records, not even saving his check stubs. He asked for time, saying he could make restitution, and was given ten days in which to return the missing funds. He turned over property valued at about \$8,000 but as complete settlement appeared remote, when the ten days of grace had expired, it was resolved to prosecute the case.

Vanderlip was under sureties of \$100, 600, bearing the names of John Lyons, a Beach street liquor dealer, and J. James Starbuck, a Hanover street dentist. Both of these men declare that they never signed the bond.

VETERAN ENGINEER PEAD.

One of the Elepers Out on Bond. Unknown Man Killed by Train

(Special to News and Observer.)

Greensboro, N. C., Aug. 1.-Jacob Hicks, the oldest engineer living, who but that General Smith did not mean all all the citizens alliances that have been ran the first engine between Greensboro and Winston, died here today. He was visiting his daughter, Mrs. Litaker, He learned to read and write when over sixty-four years old, when orders were given for all who could not to retire

> An unknown white man was killed by the train near Reidsville today. He was

sitting on the cross ties. Tem Hicks, one of the four elopers in jail here was released this evening. His have deposited their shares under the mother came from Randleman and deposited fifty dollars as bond.

Lawyer Van Hoy, of Chicago, is here arranging to make application for a pardon for Al Daley, one of the gold brick men in the penitentiary. Major Watlington will sue the Durham Herald for \$5,000 for some expressions

Imperial to Build Mammoth Plant.

about him.

(By the Associated Press.) Richmond, Va., Aug. 1 .- It has been definitely announced that the Imperial Tobacco Company of Great Britain and Ireland will enlarge their operations

here and immediately begin the construc-

tion of a mammoth plant.

in this city at the corner of Sixth and Cary streets. The company has only recently completed the purchase of a site upon which the factory will be built. It is understood that the Imperial concern intends to further extend its proposed plant by acquiring other property adjoining that just purchased, and the plant will eventually be the largest in

Hester's Cotton Statment.

(By the Associated Press.) New Orleans, La., Aug. 1 .- Secretary

in the fight to the finish. Both will probsupply of cotton issued today shows the partment of Agriculture. total visible to be 1,765,255 bales, against 1,909,286 last week and 2,159,989 last year. laws contemplate as much latitude as not the only tiger lilies in the bouquet. 1,091,255, against 1,186,286 last week and believe it was a screech owl.

including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 674,-000, against 723,000 last week and 833,000 last year.

Of the world's visible supply of cotton there is now affoat and held in Great Britain and continental Europe 1,030,000, against 1,084,000 last year; in Egypt 58,000, against 91,000 last year; in India 396,000, against 481,000 last year, and in

George Robinson Hanged.

(By the Associated Press.)

Richmond, Va., Aug. 1 .- At Wise court house today, in the presence of a thousand people, George Robinson, was hanged for the murder of another negro. On the first drop the rope broke. He was brought up the steps on the outside of the scaffold to be dropped the second time, then had to wait until the sheriff went to a store and secured another rope. He was conscious throughout the whole of this remarkable ordeal, and did not show the faintest sign of a col-

Bought by the Williams Syndicate

(By the Associated Press.) Norfelk, Va., Aug. 1.—All of the property of the Norfelk Heat, Light and Power Company, together with all franchises, powers and privileges granted that company by the Legislature of Virginia and the councils of Norfolk today passed into the hands of the Norfolk Portsmouth and Newport News Company, of which R. Lancaster Williams is president, the consideration being in the neighborhood of \$125,000.

MORE SHOCKS FELT

Earthquake Reports Said to Have Been I xaggerated. Scientist's Theory.

(By the Associated Press.) Santa Barbara, Cal., Aug. 1.-During the forenoon today four severe shocks of earthquake were felt in Los Alamos ties and the disposal of real estate. He, valley and several buildings not already destroyed, were cracked badly. One immense structure, belonging to Juan Careaga; a short distance from Los Alamos, was turned partly around on its estate. He rendered his accounts quar- Los Alamos today, many departing on a

The Threes Slight.

(By the Associated Press.) San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 1.-A representative of the Associated Press, who was sent from here to Los Alamos, wires that the stories sent from there about the recent earthquakes have been greatly exaggerated. He reports that while there have been numerous earthquakes since last Sunday, the damage has been comparatively slight and the people have

Not Due to Volcanic Activity.

been needlessly alarmed.

(By the Associated Press.) San Francisco, Calif., August 1 .- John H. Conway, who has made a life study of the geology of the country, believes that the disturbances are in no way due to volcanic activity, but occasioned by local conditions. His theory is that the earthquakes are occasioned by subsidences caused by the action of the subterranean gases and oils in which the region is known to abound. It has been known for years that gas was being generated beneath the earth's surface in the vicinity of Los Alamos.

For Bonds of L. & N and Southern. 1

(By the Associated Press.)

New York, Aug. 1.-J. P. Morgan and Company, and depositaries, announce that holders of 72 per cent of the preferred stock of the Chicago, Indianapolis and Louisville Railway Company (Monon) proposed plan of exchange for joint bonds of the Louisville and Nashville and Southern roads. They also state that the time for depositing these stocks has been extended to August 31st inclusive but that under the terms depositors are not to receive any portion of their purchase in cash, only in bonds.

Oyster Packers Association,

(By the Associated Press.) Norfolk, Va., August 1.-The Virginia Oyster ackers' Association, composed of oyster packers of Norfolk, Portsmouth and Berkeley, made its debut today.

Captain George Wainwright, of Portsmouth, is president of the new association, and is stated by those interested. that the purpose of organizing is not for the purpose of raising prices, and that though it has been formed for the purpose of controlling the oyster industry of this section, it must not be considered a trust, since the object shall be to keep the prices uniform and break up the practice of price cutting.

Field Agent in Silk Culture,

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, Aug. 1 .- Miss Henrietta Aiken Kelly, of Charleston, S. C., has been appointed a special field agent in Hester's statement of the world's visible the silk culture investigation of the De-

Newpop Walker-We thought at first No, Cordelia, women who gamble are Of this the total of American cotton is that it was a stork, but now we half