COTION MEETING

Small Attendance Yesterday and Questions of Moment Are Deferred

EXPORT CORPORATION HAS FALLEN THROUGH

Directors American Cotton Association and Executive Committee State Association Arrange For State Convention To Perfect An Organiza-

North Carolina's directors of the American Cotton Association meeting here yesterday with the executive committer of the North Carolina Cotton Association called a meeting of the GLIMPSES OF THE STORM State Association, organized temporarily last spring to stimulate acreage reduction, in Raleigh August 6, when plans will be laid for an intensive

rarehouse campaign.

The meeting took no action with reference to raising North Carolina's quota of a million and a half dellars for the Cotton Export Corporation. It is the opinion here that this proposition has fallen through and the corporation cannot be started on a sound financial basis for some time.

Neither did the meeting openly declare against the spinner's warehouses. one of which is to be creeted in Raleigh. The Cotton Association is per-fectly willing for the spinners to build uses in the State to compete with the State system but would be opposed to the spinners buying or leasing ouses that are already built in North Carolina.

Atlanta Meeting July 23. Ex-Senator Marion Butler, of Elliott; L. S. Tomlinson, of Wilson, and C. D. Orrell, were at the meeting as directors of the American Cotton Association recently organized at New Orleans. Mr. Orrell, with Dr. Clarence Poe, represented the executive committee of the North Carolina Association. Others in the meeting included W. R. Dixon, representing the State Farmers' Union; Dr. B. W. Kilgore and O. J. McConnell, State warehouse superintendent.

in Atlanta called by President J. S. Wann-zaker, of South Carolina, for formulating a uniform plan of building State warehouses and for perfecting a uniform system of marketing the cotton crop of the South in the several The ultimate purpose of the American Association is to abolish the speculative market by keeping up with the supply of the mills and selling only when the demand is sufficient to steady the market.

With a system of warehouses organized and backed by the State and a guarantee fund ample enough to issue warehouse recuipts with current exchange, the cotton farmers of the South believe that they can command a good price for their product. To this end, the campaign will be directed to have every cotton grower in the South bea member of the association. Building Warehouses Now.

ivities have alres

gun in several North Carolina counties, with prospects bright for contracts with twesty-five cent warehouse tax becomes skyscrapers. operative with the opening of the ginming season this year and this tax present the season of the season this year and this tax present the season the season this year and this tax present the season th organizations in building warehouses. The meeting here on August 6 will be largely of the members of the pres ont North Carolina Cotton Association. Organization will be perfected at this time of the State division of the American Cotton Association and delegates attending the meeting will go back instructed as to local organization. Bankers and merchants, as well as

In connection with the coming meeting in Atlanta, President Wannamaker morning.

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planters, will be invited to the meeting

President Wannamaker's Statement, This meeting is called for the purpermanent organization of the Ameriof opposition which are being put into effect throughout the belt. This oppomition comes from people outside of the South; is backed by powerful holding the couple, so Judge Harris money interests. This opposing force has released them. a plan for an organization of a World letton Association, to include farmers, lars and costs for speeding. merchants, bankers and also spinners, both New England and foreign spin-BARS. They state that this association would be along the line of a profitsharing organization, and that it will prove very beneficial both to the profucer and the manufacturer. The action of this opposition has caused mem and and foreign spinners are already thoroughly organized, and they have always opposed the best interests of the producer and fought down the price of cotton, regardless of how low it was. Their movement today, it is thought, due to the fact that the American Cotton Association has brought about wonderful changes for the better ughout the entire South. They realine that cotton will never again under their administration be sold below the cost of production; that the spinner that the organization of the American Cotton Association means that there will really be profit-sharing, and that the producer will get a price for his cotton above the cost of produc-

Mrs. Louise M. Murphy Dead.
Mrs. Louise Mosely Murphy, wife of
Mr. J. C. Murphy, died last night at
10:30, death occurring on her thirtylifth birthday. She is survived by her
Mean temperature
Mean temperature

m her marriage a year and a half is. Murphy was a trained nurse the city and was president of the aleigh Gradunte Nurses Association. he was a faithful worker of Edenton trees Church and Sunday School. Fun-nal arrangements will be announced

IS RALEIGH GROWING? LOOK AT THIS LIST!

Home Building Takes Out Permits Covering \$22,250 Worth of Houses

Is Raleigh growing? We'll say she

Building permits were issued yes-terday by W. T. Davis, acting for Building Inspector J. W. Mangum, for seven residences to be built by the Raleigh Home Building Company at a cost of \$22,250 for the bunch. They are to be located as follows:

Two six-room, one-story buildings on North Person street, between Glascock street and the city limits; cost, \$4,000 each.

Two five-room, two-story buildings on North Bloodworth street, between Franklin and Sasser streets; cost, \$3,500 each.

Three five-room, one-story buildings on Boylan drive, between Boylan avenue and Florence street; cost, \$2,500 each.

THAT BROUGHT THE RAIN

Oldest Inhabitants Reminded of Days When They Planned With Noah

Rain in Raleight There sure was some rain!

It was a real storm that hit town yesterday evening just about six o'clock. Just as the storm struck, the fire alarm also struck. And just as the storm was at its height, and the fire laddies had returned to their halls and sighed a sigh of relief, a second alarm sounded. Out into the deluge went the brave fire fighters, only to find that it was a prank of the lightning that called them from shelter to the open and the mercies of the downpour.

The picture theatres, always interesting, suffered the misfortune to be left in darkness, and the crowds came to the streets to meet the driving rain and the howling gale.

Automobiles ploughed their way through several inches of water on Fayetteville street, while Fords floated. Umbrellas proved a cumbrance instead of a protection. Thin dresses were as shadows in the waters that filled the air and covered the earth.

Human landmarks was reminded of Before the meeting in Raleigh on the days of their youth when they were August 6, Mr. Orrell, Mr. Tomlinson planning with Noah for a landing of and Mr. Butler will attend a meeting the Ark.

Pedestrians who were too much engrossed in their business to seek shelter received a shower bath with the stream coming both from above and below.

Straw hats soaked with the warm rain gave the atmosphere an odor of newmown hay, which was at times tainted to some extent when a bedraggled dog sought shelter in a doorway, close at the heels of some crowd who had been so lucky as to have found a retreat safe from the deluge.

The storm came after a day of sweltering heat, and with it came relief to the suffering people. It was a welcome surcease from the desperately hot hours of the midafternoon.

During the downpour .81 inches of rain fell, and from the appearance of the clouds it would seem that the rain area was sufficiently wide to be of great benefit to the farmers in the vi-

The advance notice of the storm came in the shape of several whirlwinds that every cotton county in the State before lifted straw hats from the heads of pethis year's crop is harvested. The new destrians and carried them as high as

-But it was cool last night.

ON PAYMENT COSTS

Charlotte Couple May Now Continue Trip To Nashville; Affray Was Charge

All charges against Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Presicy were dropped with the pay-ment of costs by Mr. Presley in the affray case, in city court yesterday

The couple were arrested early Tuesday morning in Nash Square, where they were passing away the time waiting for a train to Nashville by quarpose of completing the plans for the reling. They were arrested on a charge permanent organization of the Americal of affray. Realizing that the arrest can Cotton Association. In addition to would be given publicity, Mrs. Presley this, the board will consider the plans tried to hang herself in her cell, but was kept from doing so by the officers in charge.

The police could find no reason for . Charles Bickett was fined five dol-

MEMORIAL SERVICE AT CHRIST CHURCH SUNDAY

As a memorial to five young men of the congregation who gave their lives in the European war, special services to sit up and take notice. Great pub- will be held at Christ church Sunday lielty bureaus are being employed for morning. The young men killed were purpose of pushing forward the marry Watson, George B. McCoy, Fred Manuing, John Q. Jackson and Alex-

The Weather

Local Office, United States Weather

FORECAST.

Raleigh, N. C., July 16, 1919. For North Carolina: Local thundershowers prebable Thursday and Friday. Sunrise .6:10 a. m. | Sunset .8:30 p. m. TEMPERATURE.

Net Bulb 71 Rel. Humidity 95

ary let Precipitation (in inches).

Amount for the 24 hours eiding

ROAD COMMISSION NOT ENOUGH FOR PASSES BUSY DAY

Delegations From 11 Counties After Smashing Hindenburg Heard: Many Make Petitions For Trucks

To say the very least, the State Highway Commission had a busy session up to a late hour last night, with the

commission all yesterday afternoon Most of the visitors were interested in getting trucks, and Chairman Frank Page said late last night that he thought the commission had been able to give them all they asked.

"The State Highway Commission is ready to furnish trucks to any county in the State on the basis of one trucck to every 25 miles of road now under maintenance contract with the commis- of army life. sion at a charge of one dollar a day the trucks to be used on the State highways," he said. He intimated that the been made would be used in construc-

Discussions of several applications for Federal aid was started in the executive session held last night, but no applications had been approved up to a late

The delegations mentioned were from the following counties: Madison, Durham, Cumberland, Nash, Caswell, Bladen, Franklin, Martin, Beaufort, Randolph and Alamance.

BARBECUE SATURDAY OF LOCAL T. P. A. POST

All Members Have Been Sent Tickets For Themselves and Friends

All members of Post E, Travelers' Protective Association of America, North Carolina division, have received tickets for themselves and guests to the big annual post barbecue, scheduled for next Saturday, 2 p. m., State fair grounds.

Preparations are being made for 125 people. Each post member is expected to be present and bring a friend. The arrangements committee has invited the State president, Henry T. Morris, of Henderson, and 'he State hotels committee chairman, Burrell H. Marsh, of Winston-Salem, to be guests of the

post. "The committee expects to have the greatest and most succulent 'cue' ever.' said W. S. ("Billy") Hicks, secretarytreasurer of the local organization, yesterday, "and can assure each friend and brother a good dinner and a mighty big time."

PINCH ARMY DRIVER: OFFICER IN CAR KICKS

Captain Dignowity's Progress Past Street Car Halted By Motor Cop

Capt. E. H. Dignowity, construction quartermaster for Camp Polk (Method), was a little put out when, yesterday afternoon, Speed Cop W. E. Mangum, brought he and his chauffeur. Jerome Henry (colored), to the city jail.

According to Mangum's speedometer, the army man's car was making 26 miles per hour. The Captain explained that the chauffeur was trying to pass a street car, and that because of the excessive speed of the car he was foreed to go at the speed indicated to turn the trick.

"You let corporations do as they please, while individuals-," he told Chief of Police Barbour, who answered that he was sorry, but that if Captain Dignowity would promise to have the colored boy back the next morning no bond for the arrest would be necessary The case will be called in city court this morning.

NEW ENTERPRISES.

Some \$150,000 of Tar Heel capital was represented in the corporation filings received by the Secretary of State yes-Nearly \$60,000 of that amount is paid up. Charters granted were as follows:

Bank of Salemburg, Salemburg; commercial and savings; authorized capital, \$25,000; subscribed, \$5,000; duration, 30 years; C. S. Royal, G. L. Sikes, W. J. Jones, all of Salemburg, and others, incorporators.

The Ladies Store Company. High Point; merchandise; authorized capital, \$25,000; subscribed, \$3,000; duration, unlimited. George T. Wood, G. L. Bolick, both of High Point; T. A. Bulla, Stoneville, incorporators.

Hamlet Manufacturing Company, Hamlet; building products; authorized capital, \$25,000; subscribed, \$9,000; duration, 90 years. H. E. Gibbons, M. W. Nicholson, L. H. Gibbons, all of Hamlet, incorporators.

Winchester Surgical Supply Company, Charlftte; drugs and supplies; authorized capital, \$50,000; subscribed, \$5,600; duration, unlimited. Raiford H. Winchester, Irma B. Winchester, John W. Berryhill, all of Charlotte, incorporators.

Mainland Beach Company, Wilmington Beach; resort; authorized capital, \$100,000; subscribed, \$10,000; duration, unlimited. C. C. Chadbourn, L. W. Davis, D. N. Chadwick, Jr., all of Wilmington, and others, incorporators. The Merchants Grocery Company, Oxford; wholesale; authorized capital, \$100,000; aubscribed, \$25,000; duration, 30 years, J. J. Medford, J. W. Horner,

incorporators. Angier Gin Company, Angier; au thorized capital, \$25,000; subscribed, \$2,100; duration, 60 years. J. W. Stephenson, W. R. Reaves, L. F. Adams, all of Willow Springs, and others, incorporators.

D. K. Taylor, all of Oxford, and others,

Cotton Growers to Meet. Cotton growers of Wake and Frank-lin counties will hold a meeting in the Wake county court house Saturday. July 19, at 12 o'clock, for the purpose of organizing and discussing matters of

Dr. W. L. Poteat, president of Wake Porest College, was here last night on his way to Mountain Park school, in Surry county. He will deliver the com-

STATE FAIR OFFERS **OLD HICKORY BOY**

Line, J. H. Riddle Wants An-Put On Exhibit

After charging the front line trenches dozen times, smashing the Hinden- State Fair, to be held in Raleigh on Ocyesterday. They were still having it burg line and surviving deluge after tober 20 to 25, the Fair Association is deluge of machine-gun bullets and planning to give away over \$1,500 in roll call hitting on all four.

Shrapnel during the world war, John
Eleven counties sent delegations H. Riddle, of R leigh, has realized that which were received and heard by the he has not had enough of army life. Less than three months after sever ing his connections-via the honorable discharge route-with the Raleigh Company of the 120th Infantry, 30th, or "Old Hickory" Division, he again ensome one class who has been authorized listed in the regular army of Uncle by the county board of commissioners.

Going to the local army recruiting station yesterday young Riddle told the recruiting officer he wanted some more

other Taste of Army

"The army has given me health," he said, "and an education such as one farmer in North Carolina. In this case, can obtain only by travel; I like the all of the products exhibited must be trucks left when this distribution had army life and am going back where one grown on the exhibitors own farm. can have sure-enough, honest-to-good-ness 'buddies,' who are willing to share anything." Five applicants were accepted for the

army yesterday at the local recruiting station. Examinations were made by Second Lieut. E. H. Gauerke, assistant recruiting officer for North Carolina. One of the enlisted men is Thomas S. Hopkins, of Wilmington, who served three menths in the S. A. T. C. at Wake Forest College. Ho chose the air service

future commercial business. Other applicants who were accepted are: Melvin Andrews, of Morehead City, but formerly a resident of Ral-eigh; Frederick Utley, of Biscoc, and Earl Moore, of Columbia, S. C., All en-listed in the air service of the army.

because he wants to learn aviation for

UTILIZE PRESS FOR AIDING HEALTH WORK

North Carolina Again Sets Pace For Rest of Country

In promoting public health through the regular advertising columns of newspapers North Carolina again sets a pace for the rest of the country in public health work. The idea was first utilized by D.

J. S. Mitchener, county physician of Chowan county, in connection with the anti-typhoid vaccination campaign carried on there some weeks ago. Through the co-operation of business firms considerable space was used to advertise the various dispensary points in the county.

Following this up on a larger scale Dr. L. J. Smith, whole-time health officer of Wilson county, recently used three issues of a local daily in forcibly bringing before the people of his county the importance of health work, and particularly the work against typhoid fever which is the most easily preventable of all preventable diseases. About six per cent of the advertising space in each of these issues was devoted to a message on health, the space being donated by the regular advertisers.

In the past few days examples of similar co-operative work have appeared in other places. The plan links together the health authorities, the business houses and the people generally through the best available means, the local newspapers, and has already demonstrated its efficiency.

COMMISSIONERS APPOINT THREE NEW PATROLMEN

Two Experienced and One Other Added To Force: Two Strothers On Beat Now

Three of the four pew patrolmen authorized by the 1919-20 City Budget were appointed yesterday morning by the City Board of Commissioners on nomination of Commissioner Mooney-

They are: J. A. Wiggs, John R. Banks, C. E. Strother. Mr. Wiggs and Mr. Banks are experienced men, Mr. Wiggs having been chief of police at Wilson. Mr. Strother is a brother of Mr. W. E. Strother, at present a member of the local peace force.

The new motorcycle policeman, who will assist the present speed cop, W. E. Mangum, will be appointed later.

CAPTURES NEGRO AFTER CHASE OF OVER MONTH

After evading arrest for over month, during which time an officer chased him several times from a plow, Edwin Marrow, a negro, was arrested early yesterday morning by Deputy Sheriff W. F. Edwards at a farm in Granville county, near the Virginia

The negro had been wanted for a long time on several charges as a result of trouble at Wake Forest. Deputy Edwards located him several times and made long trips to get Marrow, but he succeeded in fleeing to safety at the approach of the officer.

Learning that the negro was working on a farm near the Virginia line, the deputy went to Marrow's in the night and captured the negro yesterday at daybreak. He is now in Wake jail awaiting a hearing.

HIGHWAY COMMISSION AFTER CHIEF FARMER

Wants Raleigh Man As Superintendent of All Motive Power

Fire Chief Charles Farmer has received a flattering offer to go with the State Highway Commission as superintendent of its motor power. The city, however, is not yet ready to lose its fire chief, and the municipal officials are anxiously awaiting Mr. Farmer's decision. He has not accepted the offer, but is expected to announce his plans upon his return to the city from Asheville. He is now attending the State

Visiting in New Bern.

Edward, July 16.—Mrs. Sara J. Warren and children are spending some time with her sister, Mrs. G. S. Waters, of New Bern.

New Bern.

Aviator Mansey, Rilled.

Charles Mausey, of Fowler, Ind., an army aviator from Rockwell Field, Sau Diego, was killed here today when his mirplane caught fire at a height of 900 feet and fell into a tail spin.

\$1,500 FOR PRIZES

That Is, For Exhibits of Farm Crops: Government Will

At the Fifty-eighth North Carolina thousand dollars of this money will be awarded for county exhibits made under the supervision of the county agent of

by the county board of commissioners. As it now stands, at least four countier have signified their intention of competing for this prize money. The additional sum of \$500 will be distributed in premiums for the best collected agricultural exhibit by any individual

Farmers who are interested in sharing in the prize money should communicate at once with Mr. J. E. Pogue, Secretary of the Fair Association, requesting a catalog which will give all of the necessary information.

In addition to the prize money, the State Fair also has promised one of the nost wonderful exhibits ever brought into North Carolina. This exhibit will be put on by the government, under the supervision of the Department of Agrieulture, the War Department and the Navy Department. Nothing with a greater instructive value could possibly be offered than this gigantic display, being as it is a graphic illustration of modern warfare and of improved agricultural methods.

The county winning first prize in its display will be awarded \$300 in cash; the second premium is \$200; the third \$150; the fourth \$100, and the next five \$50 each. The best farm display will be awarded \$100; the second \$75; the third \$50, and the next 11 \$25 each.

MORE NORTH CAROLINIANS ARE GIVEN DISCHARGES

Petersburg, Va., July 16.—Between one thousand and twelve hundred men who have seen overseas service and who represented about every State in the Union, were demobilize at Camp Lee today. Hundreds of these men, and in it is said, a majority of them ar from North Carolina. Many of them from Ruleigh and vicinity. They consisted principally of casuals.

This promises to be a busy week at the came in the mustering out of men. There arrived at the camp between yes-terday afternoon and this afternoon, approximately two thousand troops, white and colored, for demobilization Hundreds of the men sent from Camp Stuart, near Newport News, by steamer to City Point, are transferred from the latter place to the cantonment in large army trucks. There left the camp this afternoon for Camp Gordon for demobilization something like three hundred colored troops. A heavy rain which fell this evening was gladly welcomed by the boys in khaki at the

GERMAN GOVERNMENT'S

NEW TAX BILL. uesday, July 16 .- (By The Associated Press.-It is reported that the government's new tax bill will include a surplus assessment on capital amounting to 30 per cent and also a drastic imperial income tax, the receipts from which will be apportioned among the Federated States, according

Mathias Erzberger, minister of finance is understood to be planning to centralize the nation's task assessments, obviating the necessity for an individual tax in financing part of the Federated States. An increase in the general trading tax, especially on articles of luxury, is also planned. It includes a

10 per cent levy on advertising. The National Assembly this morning rejected the socialist motion to abolish ranks of nobility, but declared in favor of an constitutional proviso deereeing the equality of all men and women and refusing to recognize special rights or privileges based on birth or social station. The new constitution prohibits a German citizen from accepting a title or decoration from a foreign government.

GREATER EXPORTATION OF WHEAT EXPECTED

Washington, July 16 .- It is expected that the higher price established for wheat at Galveston and New Orleans will divert a part of the crop's flow to export from Atlantic terminals, and thus relieve the strain on common carriers and terminal facilities.

In additional executive orders the President approved the licensing plan put into effect by Director Barnes providing that all persons handling wheat, with the exception of growers, bakers who consume less than 50 barrels of flour per month, and common carriers, must be licensed.

ABABAMA CONVENTION

OF AMERICAN LEGION. Birmingham, Ala., July 16.-More than three hundred delegates were on hand today for the first State convention of the American Legion, which convenes here this afternoon for a twoday session.

Five hundred delegates are expected to attend the meetings, with every county in the State represented. Routine matters were taken up at the first session this afternoon.

Selection of permanent State headquarters and permanent State officers will be made tomorrow afternoon. DELEGATIONS HERE INTERESTED

IN SEA - TO - COAST HIGHWAY W. A. McGirt, president of the North Carolina Good Roads Association; Sec-retary James H. Cowan, of the Wil-

mington Chamber of Commerce; W. D. McMillan, Jr., and George P. Galvin composed a delegation from Wilmington arriving in the city today at noon in the interest of the Wilmington-Charlotte-Asheville State highway.

Aviator Mausey Killed.

Kline & Lazarus

RALEIGH'S THRIFT STORE

FIVE BIG DEPARTMENTS

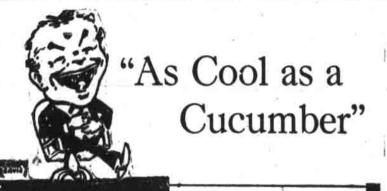
Three Exceptional Values

House DRESSES

\$1.98 \$2.95 \$3.48



They are nicely made of genuine Amoskeag Ginghams in a wide choice of colored plaids that are guaranteed fast colors. Generous size pockets, belts and other trimmings add to their attractiveness. Some have collars and cuffs of self material. Others of white Pique.



Expresses the feelings of the man dressed in one of our Suits that are "Just a little different—Just a little better."

Special Showing of

Palm Beach SUITS \$12.50 to \$20

"FRANK and WILLIS"

KING & HOLDING

315 FAYETTEVILLE STREET

United States Railroad Administration

NORFOLK SOUTHERN RAILROAD

Trains Nos. 15 and 16 between Goldsboro and Marsden were temporarily suspended account damaged trestle over the Neuse River near New Bern, N. C.

These trains and all other trains are now running through on regular schedules. The damage having been repaired on July 9, 1919.

Raleigh Floral Co. THE LADY FLORISTS HAYNES & WEATHERS

Preceding Our SEMI-ANNUAL INVENTORY

Consistent with our custom for 39 years, we opened our clearance sale of all spring and summer Suits on last Monday. The response was most liberal, because people

see a distinct saving in our sales, 25% is what you save on every Suit purchase. Men's, young men's or boys'. There isn't a single Suit excluded. Do not be one of the eleventh hour buyers for therein is the danger of not being suited or fitted.

> 25% Off on STRAW HATS. ALTERATIONS FREE, IF ANY.

S. BERWANGER