

# WEATHER

North Carolina: Fair tonight and Wednesday. Warmer tonight. Colder Wednesday night.

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# MARKETS

Cotton, spot ..... 12 1/2 to 13 1/2  
Cotton seed, wagon, ton ..... \$31.00  
Cotton seed, car, ton ..... \$34.00

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# PRESIDENT GOES TO ASK PAN-AMERICAN FRIENDSHIP

## To Ask Bond Issue For Veterans Homes

### ASKING N. C. TO LOWER INTEREST ON VETS LOANS

### Seek Increased Issue Of Bonds And 5%

### TO EQUAL F. H. A.

A resolution asking the general assembly to reduce interest rates on the veterans home loan fund in North Carolina to at least five per cent in line with rates charged by the Federal Housing Administration will be introduced this afternoon before the sixteenth district meeting of the American Legion by T. H. Abernathy, Jr., service officer of the Shelby post at direction of Shelby post officers.

### New Bond Issue

Decision to introduce such resolution came at a recent post officers meeting. It is believed the legislature will consider the request seriously since the entire trend of home financing, says veterans who are interested in toward lower financing charges for homes. The resolution also asks the legislature to make available another \$2,000,000 to be loaned veterans. The present loan total is \$2,000,000, this bond issue having been made several years ago and is all loaned.

The business meeting of the legion will begin at the legion building at 5 o'clock. Prior to this auxiliary members of the district will hold their business session, beginning at 3:30. Mrs. T. B. Gold, of Shelby, district committeewoman, will preside.

A joint banquet is to be held at 7 o'clock with Ray Galloway, Charlotte, district commander, presiding, and Jack Stafford, of Burlington, state chaplain, will make the address. Final event will be an invitation dance, beginning at nine o'clock.

### Banners Elk Bank Robbed 2nd Time In Last 2 Years

BANNERS ELK, Nov. 17.—(P)—Robbers entered the Banners Elk bank through a window last night, burned their way into the vault and escaped with an undetermined amount of loot.

Department of Justice agents in Charlotte and fingerprint experts from Elizabethtown, Tenn., were summoned as soon as the robbery was discovered at opening time today, and the bank was closed to prevent molestation of any clues which might have been left.

Cashier J. M. Shoemaker began an immediate check to determine the loss, which Dr. W. C. Tate, president, said would be fully covered by insurance.

The bank was robbed of \$1,080 in a daylight holdup two years ago in which witnesses attributed to the Bailey gang, of which the last principal member, Reese Bailey, was captured in Ohio last week.

### Edison Is Named To Navy Position

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—(P)—President Roosevelt today appointed Charles Edison of New Jersey, son of the late inventor, as assistant secretary of the navy. He will succeed Henry L. Roosevelt, who died last winter.

Edison is expected to assume his post under Secretary Swanson within a few weeks. The president said he was glad to have a man of his type in the navy department and added Edison had been in touch with naval affairs during the war. Edison's father was chairman of the naval consulting board during the war. The new appointee has been serving as New Jersey state director of the national emergency council.

### HAWKINS IS HELD IN ASHEVILLE DEATH

ASHEVILLE, Nov. 17.—A coroner's jury ordered James O. Hawkins, 20, of Greenville, S. C., held under \$3,500 bond in connection with the death of B. E. Green, 54, of Buena Vista, in an automobile accident.

### Forces At Madrid Are Said Locked In Fight To Finish

MADRID, Nov. 17.—(P)—Fascist attackers and the government defenders of Madrid threw the full strength of their air force, tank corps and artillery into a ferocious battle for the possession of the capital today.

Four months old tomorrow, the Spanish Civil War appeared in its decisive stage.

The thunder of artillery boomed even louder and the chatter of machine gun fire filled the center of the city as government militiamen, whipped to a feverish fighting rage, hurled themselves against insurgent armies filtering across the Manzanares river and into Madrid proper.

They turned close range artillery fire on the Moors and foreign legionnaires who held doggedly to their battle-won positions in University city, inside the northwestern limits of Madrid.

In successive waves, Fascist fighting planes dived over the center of the capital, spilling bombs and killing and wounding an unestimated number of persons.

Red Cross officials said an undetermined number of persons were killed and many wounded in the renewal of Fascist air attacks on the capital.

The first assault came at 5:35 a. m. and the second followed five hours later.

Many of the bombs fell in the heart of the city destroying several houses and wrecking business establishments.

One landed on a building at the corner of San Alberto and Monteros streets, wrecked the structure, and scattered plate glass windows between Alcala Street and Gran Via, Madrid's principal business thoroughfare.

The second air raid was made under cover of a heavy mist which blanketed the city.

One artillery shell fell through a

### Fat Moron Killer Sleeps Peacefully

CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—Fat Andrew Capodli, confessed slayer of a five year old girl who tried to fight off his morose advances, sprawled sleeping on his jail bunk today under the eye of a police guard.

Cries of "kill him" arose and 500 persons attempted to surge through the police lines when Capodli, 28, stepped from a patrol wagon yesterday near the slaying scene in "Little Italy" to show how he slashed Antoinette Tirillilli to death in an alley near her home.

### Pinehurst Golf

PINEHURST COUNTRY CLUB, Pinehurst, Nov. 17.—(P)—Final scores in the 36-hole qualifying round of the Professional Golfers championship (second round) played today:

Tom Talbot, Springfield, Mo., 81-81—162.  
C. E. Collins, Averhill, Park, N. Y., 78-81—159.  
Ben Richter, St. Louis, 77-79—156.  
Alex Gerlak, Catskill, N. Y., 71-78—149.  
Les Bolstad, Minneapolis, 76-79—155.  
Coleman Morse, Wellston, Mo., 82-30—withdraw.

## Gift Of Pork Chops From Woman Brings Man Death

HIGH POINT, Nov. 17.—(P)—B. S. Garbee, former employee of the City's Sanitary Department, was shot to death here last night by Clyde Morris, restaurant waiter, according to Prosecuting Attorney Parker Waynick, who said Morris walked up to him, shook hands with him and admitted the shooting shortly after Garbee was slain in his own home.

Morris was further credited by the prosecuting attorney with saying "I had to do it—this thing has been going on too long." He then explained, Waynick said, he meant

### Galli-Curci Back



Out of the public eye for five years following an operation for goiter, Mme. Melita Galli-Curci is shown testing her "new voice" for her comeback "debut" with the Chicago City Opera company Nov. 24. "My voice has not simply improved; it is a new voice," she said. (Associated Press Photo)

### ARMY APPROVES FLORIDA CANAL

### Engineers Say Project Is In Public Interest

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—(P)—The war department announced today a special board of army engineers studying the Florida Ship Canal reported the project "is justified in the public interest."

The department called a public hearing here on the report on December 16 before the board of engineers for rivers and harbors.

The announcement said the report, dated November 1, 1936, had this to say of the controversial project: "Construction of a sea level canal to provide a minimum depth of 33 feet and a minimum width of 250 feet, at an estimated cost of \$157,585,000, exclusive of lands, in addition to \$5,400,000 already expended, is justified in the public interest."

The special board was appointed by the war department last spring to bring all former reports on the waterway up to date. Engineers said at that time such studies were made of all large projects.

### GEORGE ADE SICK AT FLORIDA HOME

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Nov. 17.—(P)—George Ade, 70 year old Indiana humorist and author, is gravely ill at his winter home here and is undergoing treatment in an oxygen tent, it was learned today. He is suffering from an ailment of the lungs.

### Cold In Vermont

NEWPORT, Vt., Nov. 17.—(P)—Thermometers tumbled to six above zero today, the cold so far this season. A gale accompanied the sudden drop in temperature.

## Hopkins Predicts WPA Will Continue, Seeks To Train As Well As Feed

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—(P)—Harry L. Hopkins today foresaw a continuing WPA which, besides providing the unemployed with jobs, will place new emphasis on training them to take their places in private industry when opportunity comes.

In a speech prepared for delivery to the United States conference of mayors, the works progress administration chief cited figures to show that while the production of goods next year will hit 1929 levels, there will still be 6,500,000 to 7,500,000 unemployed.

Appealing to business to shorten hours, provide workers with high buying power and stabilize work,

## LABOR TO INVITE REBEL UNIONS TO RETURN TO FOLD

### Green's Forces Will Extend Olive Branch

By JOSEPH L. MILLER  
TAMPA, Fla., Nov. 17.—(P)—The American Federation of Labor's chief policy makers had all but finally decided today to try again for peace with John L. Lewis' ten rebel unions.

This word came from the federation convention's inner circles as the resolutions committee started consideration of a proposal to expel the rebels definitely and finally.

Unless a considerable number of leaders change their minds within the next ten days, the convention will ratify the executive council's suspension of the ten unions for farming the committee for industrial organization, and direct the council to continue its peace-making efforts.

Other developments: David Lillien- (Continued on page eight.)

## Mrs. David Willis Dies At Age 79; Funeral Is Today

Funeral services were held this afternoon at Pleasant Hill Methodist Protestant church near Belwood for Mrs. David Willis, 79, who died here last night at the home of her son, W. C. Willis.

Death came following a stroke of paralysis Sunday night. Mrs. Willis had been in her usual good health and had never been ill for a long period of time in her life.

Services this afternoon were in charge of Rev. Caleb Hoyle, pastor of the church. Pall bearers were grandsons and flower bearers were granddaughters and nieces.

Mrs. Willis was a native of Tennessee, but her parents moved to North Carolina in her early life. Her maiden name was Miss Nancy Jane Bivens and she was married as a young woman to David Willis, a resident of the Belwood community who died 21 years ago. To this union were born six children, five of whom survive. They are: Joe, D. L. and W. C. Willis of Shelby; Mrs. W. J. Turner of Lawndale and J. K. Willis of Kings Mountain; there and 21 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

## County Thirteenth As Cotton Grower

Cleveland county is not only out-ranked by one, but by 12 other cotton-producing counties in the state according to comparison made today by T. C. Beam, special cotton agent.

Robeson county, long a leader, is in front again with 30,853 bales ginned up to November 1. Others leaders are:

Johnston	33,227
Sampson	22,900
Halifax	18,503
Northampton	15,767
Harnett	15,508
Cleveland	10,701

## Fall Kills Lady Astor's Kin



A 14-story plunge from his apartment in New York brought instant death to David Brooks, a nephew of Lady Nancy Astor. He and his bride of four months, the former Adelaide Moffett, daughter of James A. Moffett, oil magnate and former federal housing administrator, are shown cutting their wedding cake just after their marriage in July. (Associated Press Photo)

## TREASURY IS TO WATCH AND WAIT

### Foreign Capital In U. S. Causes Some Study

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—(P)—Unless some unforeseen development occurs, treasury officials indicated today they will follow a "watch and wait" policy toward heavy foreign investments in the United States.

After Secretary Morgenthau's statement late yesterday that "We have all the tools necessary" to prevent fluctuation of the dollar, officials said that no move to control foreign investments here by legislation would be considered until a detailed study of possible effects of these investments was made.

It is quite possible, they said, that the operation of natural economic factors may result in the gradual withdrawal of some of these funds, automatically eliminating the question as to whether they constitute a threat to domestic economy.

The concentration of foreign capital here has led to much discussion as to whether the American economy might not be dealt a damaging blow in case foreigners should decide to withdraw their funds suddenly and in large quantities.

The heavy inflow of foreign capital, particularly into securities markets, was understood last week when President Roosevelt announced that he had requested the treasury and the federal reserve board to study the situation.

## PRESIDENT SPENT \$70 FOR HIS RE-ELECTION

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—(P)—President Roosevelt reported today his re-election cost him exactly \$70.

His personal campaign expenditures statement, written in his own hand, listed one contribution of \$150 to the town committee of Hyde Park, N. Y., during the last month of the campaign. The only other expenditure noted in his post-election report was \$10 for "additional postage."

## "Hog Killing Time" Is Here; Agent Gives Tips To Farmers

Nipping frost and the approach of Thanksgiving has served notice on farmers that "hog killing time" is really here, and there are thousands of fat and grunting porkers in Cleveland pens which will be made into sausage and tasty chops and ham in the next few days.

County Agent J. S. Wilkins meets the occasion with the admonition that the "coldest time is not the best time of the year to kill and cure meat." He was trained and used for the most part information furnished by R. E. Nance, meat specialist of State college.

## SOUTH AMERICAN TRIP IS PLANNED AS PEACE EFFORT

### Leaves Charleston On Wednesday Morn

### FAST SCHEDULE

By D. HAROLD OLIVER

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—(P)—Hoping to promote world peace, President Roosevelt will leave tonight to participate in the opening conference at Buenos Aires of the anti-war ideals and economic relations among the 21 American republics.

A definite decision to lengthen his long-planned post-election vacation cruise into the 12,000 mile round-trip to the Argentine capital was made by the chief executive last night.

### To Visit Brazil

At the same time, he accepted invitations to land for official visits in Brazil and Uruguay on a voyage that will be made in record time on the speedy cruiser Indianapolis.

He will embark tomorrow morning at Charleston, S. C., and will be away from Washington a month.

In greeting a group of mayors at the White House yesterday he dispelled any idea that he would remain here to intervene in the maritime strike.

Before leaving by special train tonight for the south, the president will complete the main work on the 1937-38 Federal budget.

He is expected to give consideration en route to his legislative and budget message to congress and, if opportunity arises, to do a little fishing.

He will embark shortly after breakfast tomorrow, and with the heavy cruiser Chester acting as es-

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## Textile Workers To Get Increase

CHARLOTTE, Nov. 17.—(P)—Thousands of Carolina textile workers will get faster pay envelopes as the result of wage increases announced by four cotton mill chains.

Cannon Mills, operating units in Kannapolis, China Grove, Salisbury, Rockwell, Concord, and York, S. C., announced it would boost wages of its 16,000 employees by an aggregate of \$1,000,000 a year.

Cone Mills of Greensboro, with plants employing approximately 5,000, also announced a general increase, the amount of which was not made public. The Erwin Mills at Erwin also raised employees' wages, effective November 23.

A general increase was also given the 7,000 employees of the 14 mills in the Marshall Field and company chain, with units at Leaksville, Spray and Draper, N. C., and Fieldale and Roanoke, Va. It was estimated the boost would add \$7,000 to \$10,000 weekly to the company's payroll.

The management of the Hampton group of Pacific mills at Columbia, S. C., said the four plants there employing 2,800 men will get higher wages after November 23.

## Winant Returns To Security Board

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—(P)—John W. Winant resumed his position at the helm of the social security program today as the task of enrolling future old age pensioners went forward.

Winant, former Republican governor of New Hampshire, resigned as chairman of the social security board during the presidential campaign, declaring he wanted to be free to answer attacks on the program.

His return to the post, which he plans to hold only temporarily, followed a conference last Saturday with President Roosevelt.

## SINGING CONVENTION AT CONCORD CHURCH

There will be a singing convention at Concord Baptist church, Rutherford county on Sunday, Nov. 22nd beginning at 1:30 o'clock. Parts of quartets from Fallston, Shelby, Cliffside, Camp's Creek, Gaffney and other places are expected, together with other singers. The public is invited.

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