

WEATHER

North Carolina, South Carolina: Fair and colder tonight and Thursday. Official Shelby temperature yesterday: High 62, Low 45, Rainfall: none.

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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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FORMAL AGREEMENT REACHED BY WARLIKE POWERS

23 Die In Ship, Train Disasters

14 DEAD, MISSING IN ACCIDENTS TO SHIPS IN 2 PORTS

Nine Burn In New Orleans, Five Suffocate In N. Y.

TWO ACCIDENTS

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 25.—(AP)—Water was pumped from a fire-scared hatch of the S. S. Scantic of the Moremack Line today to determine if flames killed nine missing men. The fire started late yesterday while about 75 men were busy installing refrigerating apparatus. The swift spread of the blaze forced men below decks to scramble swiftly up flame-licked 20-foot ladders. At least four men were injured. Warren Johnson, president of the Dry Docks company making the installations, said his check revealed nine others missing. The fire burned for several hours before the ship was towed downriver and the sealed hatch filled with steam.

CHEMICAL ICE FUMES KILL NEW YORK MEN

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—(AP)—Fumes released by chemical ice were blamed today for the death of five men who suffocated in the hold of a ship at the Brooklyn terminus of the New York state barge canal. The others were overcome, but were rescued by policemen who donned gas masks.

NEGRO IS HELD UNDER BOND IN PENNY STEALING

Huge Jars Of Coins Stolen From Merchant

The tinkling sound of pennies, nickels and all denominations of silver money appeals to two Shelby negroes. John Hoyle, 35 year old storekeeper, spent several weeks and months gathering the sum of \$111 in small change and hoarding it into two large glass jars. John Timmons, 40 year old laborer in some way found out where it was kept. Officers allege he took it. He is now in jail by default of \$1,000 bond. He will be tried in next superior court.

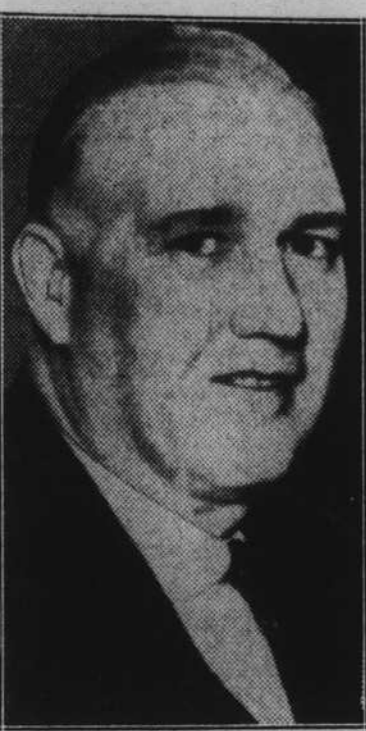
Detectives Work

Storekeeper Hoyle reported his loss to city officers who began a little detective work of their own. Timmons, who also has a federal court record, is charged with breaking and entering and with larceny. William Fresh was fined \$25 and the costs in court today on conviction for reckless driving. Duce Davis paid \$60 for possession of eight pints of liquor. Tom Yarboro was arrested during the week end on two counts for possession of illegal liquor, first for three pints, then for 12 pints. He will be tried by jury next Tuesday. Waco officers arrested Andrew Borders and Rodney Roberts, colored men for the alleged stealing of 300 pounds of cotton from a neighbor. They posted \$100 bonds for a hearing on Saturday. Nelson Green, also of Waco is still in jail on default of a \$250 bond. He is charged with breaking and entering Miller's Store which was being watched by officers. The suspect ran. Green was taken in his home a short time later and was alleged by Officers Ford and Barrett to have been perspiring heavily as if he had been running.

Lindbergh Safe In England, Is Report

DUBLIN Irish Free State, Nov. 23.—(AP)—The defense department of the Free State Government said today it had been informed Col. Charles A. Lindbergh had landed in England, but it had not learned where. Anxiety for Lindbergh's safety had mounted throughout the night when he was unreported on a three-hour flight, to England.

Boss Killed



A rain of shotgun slugs fired by four mysterious men ended the long reign of Michael J. Galvin (above) as a Republican ward boss and labor union leader in Chicago. He was shot down and killed instantly in leaving his office near the Loop. (Associated Press Photo)

NINE DIE WHEN TRAIN OF STEEL HITS WOOD CAR

Train Smashes Into Elevated Car In Chicago

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—(AP)—A steel electric train which plowed into a wooden elevated railroad car left human wreckage in its wake today—nine in the morgue, at least 65 in hospitals. The steel train struck from the rear last night near a North Side station where the eight car elevated train, loaded with home-bound workers, waited for a signal from a dispatcher's tower. The three car steel train drove almost the length of the last elevated car, littering the tracks with dead and injured passengers. Eight police stations dispatched 500 patrolmen, 30 squad cars, 20 police ambulances and a dozen private ambulances to gather up the dead and dying. Six persons either died at the scene or soon after in hospitals. Crushing injuries added three more to the death list early today. Many others were in critical condition.

Remember The Orphans Thursday

All religious denominations and fraternal orders which support orphanages take a special Thanksgiving offering for the children on Thursday of this week. Those in charge of the funds urge you to make your contribution as generous as possible and if you plan to be away from home, make your offering before you leave through your church and your fraternal order.

Variety Of Activities Are To Mark Thanksgiving In Shelby

Thanksgiving Day in Shelby will be observed with a wide variety of activities ranging from services at nearly all the churches to attendance at football games, family dinners, a dance and a full holiday for stores, shops, public offices, banks building and loans and postal employees. For the most part peace and quiet are expected to mark the day. Officers said today there have been no indications of any unneeded celebrations. Several thousand school children in Shelby and Kings Mountain with their teachers will enjoy a longer week-end, beginning this afternoon. The rural schools will not close, but will have special Thanksgiving programs in chapel.

Simplicio Godina Lives On After Siamese-Twin Brother Dies By His Side

Operation To Unjoin Twins Is Successful; Think Simplicio In No Immediate Danger; Appeared Here

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—(AP)—Simplicio Godina lived on today, parted by death and a surgeon's knife from the Siamese twin to whom he had been joined for 28 years. His brother, Lucio, ill with pneumonia for 10 days, died last night in York hospital while Simplicio, in good health, lay beside him. Within an hour, an operation had severed the bodies, linked by muscular tissue at the base of the spine. Physicians said the living twin was in no immediate danger. They explained there had been no common blood stream uniting the brothers and that the operation had been in the nature of a "routine" amputation. During the operation the twins' wives remained in a room in the hospital shaken with grief and anxiety. They are sisters, the former Validad and Victoria Matos, and were married to the twins in Manila in 1929. Simplicio was said to have taken his brother's death bravely. Lucia was stricken with pneumonia. (Continued on page eight.)

MORE DIVIDENDS ARE DECLARED IN YEAR-END PARADE

Federal Law Causes More Companies To Pay

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—(AP)—Headed by a \$5,000,000 disbursement on common stock by Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Co., the year-end dividend parade continued today under spur of the federal tax upon undistributed earnings. Westinghouse directors authorized a dividend of \$2 a share on the common and a similar amount on preferred stock, both payable Dec. 21 to holders of record Dec. 7. A bonus for employees amounting to \$11 for each year of service plus \$5 also was announced. The payment sent total dividends declared since late October by more than 340 companies above \$750,000,000 in a record-breaking November rush.

Search For Plane With 14 Aboard

JUNEAU, Alaska, Nov. 25.—(AP)—One certain and one feared tragedy gripped this northern land today. Search is being made over the ice laden Gulf of Alaska for a missing air liner with 14 persons aboard. The ship was lost on a 500-mile flight from Cordova to Juneau. Pliers who are combing the gulf report recurring storms add perils. Three-year-old Lorraine Vanali, entombed two days in debris from an avalanche which overwhelmed apartment houses here, died soon after her rescue. Her death brought the list to seven with fears that nine others missing may have also perished.

HOME ROOM MEMBERS GIVE SPECIAL PROGRAM

Members of Mrs. Robert Doggett's home room were in charge this morning of a special Thanksgiving program at the high school. Students also brought gifts of food and money to be given to the needy and to charity cases.

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MRS. GODWIN TO TELL HER STORY OF DEATH TODAY

Attractive Widow, Held For Murder, To Testify

LILLINGTON, Nov. 25.—(AP)—Defense attorneys intimated today they would send attractive, 36-year-old Mrs. Sina Pope Godwin to the witness stand to tell her version of the fatal shooting of her third husband. Mrs. Godwin claims that she shot her husband, 40-year-old prosperous farmer, in self-defense while they dined with pistols. The state contends she deliberately wounded her husband after she shot her husband. She calmly testified after witness went to the stand, the widow, clad in a trim blue sports outfit, calmly sat with her counsel, took notes on the testimony, and conferred with her lawyers in hushed tones frequently. The state rested its case yesterday and Judge E. H. Cramer denied a defense motion for non-suit. A long list of state's witnesses testified they heard a second volley of shots from within the Godwin home July 7 a few minutes after the farmer had stumbled from the house and fallen mortally wounded in the back yard. A principal witness for the defense was Mrs. Albert Pope, first cousin and sister-in-law of the defendant. She testified she saw Godwin walk from a field to his home on the fateful day, open the door and fire two shots from a 32 calibre revolver, then, the witness testified, Godwin entered the house and the couple, standing a few paces apart, emptied their pistols at each other. The pistols, submitted into evidence, are of identical calibre. Mrs. Godwin is free under \$3,500 bond, and after court sessions, slips out a side door of the courtroom to evade the curious. She covered her head with a cloak when she was approached by photographers.

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One Dead, The Other Lives



Lucio Godina, one of the Siamese Twins here at the Cleveland County Fair, died last night in a New York hospital. Simplicio, on your right, is alive following operation. Their wives are shown with them.

Dilling Accepts Offer Of Phoenix

Stockholders of the Dilling Mills company yesterday accepted the bid of the Phoenix Mill company of Kings Mountain, which offered \$125,000 for the Dilling property and the Phoenix management is expected to take the entire Dilling property immediately. While no definite announcement has been made it is understood that E. A. Hamrick will be in charge of Dilling operations. It is understood that arrangements are being made to begin work in the spinning mill at an early date. The rayon weaving mill, which is in a separate building, will probably not be started for some time.

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COUNTY FINANCES IN GOOD SHAPE

Taxpayers of Cleveland county can be thankful for public officials and a system of finance that keep the annual budget balanced the first five months of the year to present a large cash balance. Thanksgiving day for Cleveland's treasury, in charge of Mrs. Lillian Newton, will be a balance of \$129,181.47. Of this amount \$60,286.60 was paid in on current taxes and \$13,914.41 was paid in last year's taxes. Of the total budget of \$228,064.48 for the year expenditures are well within bounds, a check with the auditor reveals. The treasury is expected to be depleted of about \$32,000 very soon. A \$7,000 payment on bonds and interest is due December 1 and a \$25,000 payment to the state in taxes collected by the county is due on December 15. Of the \$53,650 allotted to the general fund the sum of \$16,165.16 has been spent and of the budgeted \$28,170 poor fund \$10,118.68 has been spent. Officials fear that a short cotton crop may result in a heavier charity load for the county and relief agencies this year.

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Signaling Apparatus In German Embassy Is Charge

MADRID, Nov. 25.—(AP)—Fascist shock troops fought a futile, all-morning battle today to rescue 2,000 comrades, marooned by government troops in the huge hospital clinic in University City. An international brigade surrounding what once was one of Europe's finest hospitals held its ground, although a flank attack by the insurgents seemed for a time to be menacing the first houses of interior Madrid. Thirty fascist bombers and pursuit planes bombarded the University City defenders and long range guns dropped shells in the center of Madrid. Conditions Awful Within the capital, the government ordered families refuged in subway stations to evacuate because of the "awful" sanitary conditions. At Cartagena, police semi-officially reported the discovery of a wide Nazi espionage and propaganda organization. It was at this point that the government cruiser Miguel de Cervantes was disabled Sunday by explosions which the government has laid, by pointed inference, to German submarines. Reports said "interesting documents" had been discovered at the German consulate at Cartagena and (Continued on page eight.)

100,000 North Carolinians Have Not Secured Licenses

There are still 100,000 drivers in North Carolina who have not purchased drivers' licenses. Arthur Fulk, head of the Motor Vehicle Bureau at Raleigh said here yesterday. Mr. Fulk and Capt. Charles Farmer, state highway patrol director were in Shelby a short time yesterday afternoon attending some details of a driver's license case. They discussed some recommendations to be made to the legislature. "There are approximately 540,000 vehicles in the state and we figure there should be about one and a half drivers per car. "Approximately 700,000 licenses have already been issued. Licenses are still coming in at the rate of about 500 per day, about one seventh of them being for drivers who are becoming of age. "Most of the persons who have no licenses, are those living in rural sections, who have no car, or those who are indifferent to the law. "Among the things to be recommended to the legislature will be a request for a safety inspection of all automobiles periodically, providing (Continued on page eight.)

GERMANY, JAPAN SIGN COMPACT, WORLD WATCHES

Ostensibly To Halt The Spread Of Communism

AID IS PLEDGED

BERLIN, Nov. 25.—(AP)—Germany and Japan signed today an agreement directed against the Communist Internationale. The alliance was signed at the foreign office after the government had announced it would publish an "official declaration" this afternoon. Joachim von Ribbentrop, German ambassador to Great Britain who is considered Adolf Hitler's personal adviser on foreign affairs, affixed his signature on behalf of the German government. Japan was represented by Japanese Ambassador Kintomo Matsuoka. Far Reaching The agreement consists of a preamble, three articles and a supplementary protocol under which both nations to the alliance agree to inform each other of all measures considered effective to halt the spread of communism. "The German government and the Japanese government," the preamble stated, recognizing that the aim of the Communist Internationale known as the Komintern is directed at disrupting and violating existing states with all means at its command and convinced that to tolerate the Communist Internationale's interference with the internal affairs of nations not only endangers their internal peace and social well-being but threatens world peace at large, animated by a desire to work in common against communist disruptive influences, have arrived at the following agreement. Text Of Treaty "1. The high contracting parties agree to mutually inform each other concerning the activities of the communist internationale, to consult (Continued on page eight.)

EUROPE WATCHES JAPAN, GERMANY, SPAIN FORGOTTEN

Italy Also Suspected Of Being Their Ally

By The Associated Press The diplomatic maneuver by Japan and Germany today far overshadowed localized military developments in Spain where observers consider the world-wide struggle between fascism and communism is being waged in miniature between fascist insurgents and the socialist-communist government. Fascist Italy's recognition of the insurgent command as the actual government of Spain was completed when the Italian charge d'affaires at Salamanca presented his credentials to Gen. Francisco Franco. Italy and Germany, outstanding exponents of the system of government which General Franco seeks for Spain, joined in recognizing his control of the country shortly after it became apparent his campaign against Madrid would be a long affair. England Neutral Great Britain, foreign office officials announced, would not take sides for or against fascism or communism, directing their energies to negotiating a sound basis for European peace. England's submarines were steaming toward Spanish waters determined to protect British shipping from attack by either government or insurgent warships; curiously worded instructions from the Paris ministry of navy directed French warships to afford any necessary protection to French shipping. While the German-Japanese accord was receiving the close attention of Europe's foreign offices, no reports came from Novosibirsk of the fate of E. I. Sticking, German engineer condemned to die in western Siberia for a sabotage conspiracy against the Soviet. Strong German representations to Moscow government were believed to have halted the execution pending consideration of a German appeal for clemency.