

CUBANS SAY INTERVENTION NOW AVOIDED

Municipal Advertising Tax Election Urged

MORE PEOPLE LOOKING FOR HOMES IN CITY

Encouraging Signs of Normalcy Recounted at C. of C. Dinner

1000 VISITORS USE NEW GOLF COURSE

One hundred seventeen members and guests of the Chamber of Commerce, meeting at dinner last night, glanced back over the activities of the year to date and looked ahead to economic recovery...

Secretary Hollowell directed attention to the construction of a new direct highway to Pisgah...

The secretary's report showed 31 bulletins containing 150 notices concerning real estate...

Dr. Parkhurst Sleep Walking, Falls to Death

Famed Reformer Shocked Country With War on Vice in Nineties

ATLANTIC CITY, Sept. 8.—(UP).—Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst, leading preacher and reformer, was shocked in the country in the city with his blistering denunciations of vice and Tammany Hall...

Russian Seeks Stratosphere



Now it's a Soviet balloonist, Pilot Fedosenko, who wants to find out how high is up. Here's Fedosenko, who is preparing for a stratosphere flight from Moscow soon.

TEACHER PAY RATES FIXED

Brummitt Fails to Win Fight for a Higher Schedule

By J. C. BASKERVILL The Times-News Bureau Staff Writer Raleigh, Sept. 8.—Deciding it was better to adopt a salary schedule for teachers based on the amount of money available for them rather than a schedule that was higher than could actually be paid, the state board of education finally approved the salary schedule as drawn up by the state school commission several weeks ago.

This action by the state board of education bears out the prediction made by this correspondent early this week to the effect that the board would refuse to adopt the motion made by Attorney General Brummitt and approve the salary schedule as already drawn up by a joint committee of the board of education and the school commission and approved by the school commission.

COTTON CROP IS REPORTED

92,000 Acres More Than Anticipated Was Removed in August

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8. (UP).—A United States cotton crop of 12,414,000 bales in 1933 was reported by the department of agriculture, based on conditions of Sept. 1. The department said acreage removed through activities of the agricultural adjustment administration amounted to 10,396,000 acres, which is 92,000 acres more than was anticipated August 1. Last year's crop was 13,002,000 bales. Virginia's 1933 crop is estimated at 38,000 bales; North Carolina's, 636,000 bales; Tennessee, 43,000; and Alabama, 992,000.

FATALITIES IN SLEEP MALADY SHOW GROWTH

Advance More Sharply in Past Week Than Any Time of Epidemic

DUBLIN, Ga., Sept. 8.—(UP).—W. A. Fuqua, 48, was the first sleeping sickness fatality reported in Georgia today.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 8.—(UP).—Fatalities from sleeping sickness rose more sharply during the last week than any time since the epidemic began here July 30. In the last seven days 42 deaths have been reported and 10 fatalities were reported yesterday. This brought the total dead to 92.

The spreading agent of the disease remained unknown today, despite efforts of scores of famous scientists.

A detailed study of almost every one of the more than 600 cases was being made by federal, state and city health authorities, augmented by many other men whose names are famous in the medical field.

Despite every effort to run down and block the spreading agent of the disease, the rate of increase in victims continued unchecked. The death rate among those stricken, which was below 10 per cent in the early stages of the epidemic now has risen to approximately one out of every seven.

Study of the disease was divided into three phases yesterday, with a group of noted experts in charge of each. One group directed by army medical officers sought to establish mosquitoes or other insects as the carriers.

Yellow fever mosquitoes were allowed to bite persons ill of sleeping sickness and then monkeys brought from Washington for the experiments. Many other insects will be tested as the possible carrier.

Public health service investigators, under the direction of Surgeon J. P. Leake, were making a house-to-house canvass in the affected area in an effort to learn the spreading agent.

The third group of epidemiologists continued investigations to check the early theory that the disease is spread by contact with a human carrier, probably through the nose and throat.

The illness, the September Journal of the Missouri State Medical association said editorially, "unquestionably is true cephalitis, but a different type from any previously reported in this country."

"The striking features of the disease," says the Journal, "have been the suddenness and rapidity of onset, usually with headache, fever, nausea and vomiting."

"A remarkable point is that notably few of those who have died of the disease are under 50 years of age and in most fatal cases a complication of other diseases has existed."

Less than 100 of those stricken have been released as cured, but physicians observing the cases closely believe there will be no serious after-effects in most cases.

FLORIDA JUDGE DIES Tampa, Fla., Sept. 8.—(UP).—Judge F. M. Robles, for 23 years a Florida circuit court jurist, died here yesterday at the age of 75.

Claire Faces Court in Love Suit



The three characters in Hollywood's sensational drama of triangular love—a beautiful movie actress, a dashing young broker and the latter's wife—are shown here as they appeared in court. At right is Claire Windsor, famed movie blond, who is being sued for \$100,000 by Mrs. Marian Y. Read, left, on charges that Miss Windsor stole the affections of her husband, Alfred C. Read, Jr., below.

TWO REVENUE RULINGS OUT

Felmet Calls Attention to Penalty on Professional Tax

C. L. Felmet of the state revenue department, today called attention of professional men to the fact that a 15 per cent penalty will be in force on privilege taxes after next Monday. Mr. Felmet will be in his office on Monday and urges that these taxes be paid in order to avoid the penalty.

Merchants who have not mailed in their August sales tax reports may bring them to the office on the second floor of the city hall and they will be sent to Raleigh.

Mr. Felmet also called attention to rulings of the department on sale of ice from trucks and on sales of products of farms, forests and mines by the producer from vehicles. Rulings were as follows:

1.—The sale of ice by manufacturer selling ice manufactured by such seller, from wagons, trucks or other vehicles, used by such manufacturer in sales of and delivery services of ice, would not constitute the manufacturer selling in such way a merchant in the ordinary meaning of the term and such sales, so made by the ice manufacturers, would not be liable to the retail tax by reason of the exemption contained in section 404, sub-section 9, of the emergency revenue act of 1933.

2.—Sales of products of farms, forests and mines, when made by the producer from wagons, trucks or other vehicles, would not constitute the producer making such sales a merchant in the ordinary meaning of that term and such sales when so made by the producer of the products of farms, forests or mines would not be liable to retail sales tax by reason of the exemption provided by section 405 of the emergency revenue act of 1933.

Brings Suit for The 'Explosion' Of His Glass Eye

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Sept. 8.—(UP).—O. G. Mattheus, charging that the "explosion" of an artificial eye for which he averred, was more excruciating than that which accompanied the loss of his eye by the explosion of an acetylene torch in 1922.

Eye specialists were at a loss to explain the "explosion" of the artificial optic.

CARNIVAL OF TRADE TO END ON SATURDAY

Cash and Prize Awards Will Be Made at 8 P. M. at Lewis'

The awarding of over \$300 in cash and prizes Saturday, Sept. 9, at 8 p. m., will automatically bring to a close Hendersonville's Trade Carnival, which has been in progress for almost four weeks, with 32 merchants participating.

Prizes will be awarded in front of Lewis Department store. Indications are that several thousand people will be present for this occasion.

Announcements and presentation of prizes will be made by Mayor Edwards, assisted by Noan Hollowell, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, and a committee of business men.

Prizes to be awarded are: First prize—\$200 in cash. Second prize—Seven-tube Baby Grand Philco radio.

Third prize—Man's or woman's watch—six to select from.

Consolations—75 adult admissions to Carolina theatre. Participating merchants report substantial increase in business with many accounts paid up during the trade event, and the reappearance of Old Sol's face, after a conspicuous absence of several days, has led merchants to believe the general public will do brisk buying today and Saturday in their final effort to take advantage of the Trade Carnival.

DEACONS CALL CHURCH MEET

Will Act on Osteen Resignation; no Meeting Saturday Night

Following an announcement made by the Rev. Jesse Osteen, resigned pastor of the Green River Baptist church in Thursday's issue of The Times-News that a special meeting would be held at that church Saturday night, at which a committee would act upon a "church dispute," The Times-News received a formal statement today from the board of deacons to the effect that there will be no church conference Saturday evening but that the board of deacons has called a church conference for Sunday morning, to consider the resignation of the Rev. Jesse Osteen.

The announcement of the board, of even date, reads as follows: "There will be no church conference at Green River Baptist church Saturday evening. But the board of deacons has called a church conference at the church Sunday a. m., at 10:00 o'clock to consider the resignation of Rev. Jesse Osteen, who resigned some time ago."

"The church will settle its own dispute, if it has any, in accordance with the Baptist principles and the board of deacons will call any outsiders that have an interest in the dispute at proper time and give all of them a fair showing."

"By the Board of Deacons, W. F. Pace (chairman), B. L. Pace."

The committee which was announced yesterday would hear the "church dispute" at the meeting which had been originally called for Saturday night was composed of the Reverends N. B. Phillips, A. T. Howard, W. A. Morris, C. E. Blythe and M. L. Lewis. The item said yesterday that "efforts are being made to secure the assistance of Revs. W. H. Ford and A. I. Justice."

King Feisal of Irak Died Today

Was Descendant of the Prophet Mohammed

BERNE, Switzerland, Sept. 8. (UP).—King Feisal of Irak died here today of heart disease. He was a descendant of Fatima, who was the only surviving child of the Prophet Mohammed.

MINISTER TO EGYPT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8. (UP).—Bert Fish, of Florida, was appointed minister to Egypt by President Roosevelt yesterday.

She May Check Sleep Malady



Discoveries made by Dr. Margaret G. Smith, above, assistant pathologist at Washington University, St. Louis, may provide a means for checking the mysterious epidemic of sleeping sickness which has ravaged St. Louis and other communities. Dr. Smith's research indicates that the virus which causes the malady resides in the kidneys.

DR. SEAGLE IS COMMANDER OF ARMY OF S. C. V.

Atlanta Convention Names Him Head of North Virginia Division

ATLANTA, Sept. 8.—(UP).—The National Society of Sons of Confederate Veterans holding its 38th annual convention in the city of Atlanta, this week has elected the Rev. Nathan A. Seagle, D. D., commander of the Division of the Army of Northern Virginia. This jurisdiction extends from Florida to New York, east of Tennessee, and comprises many camps with numerous division commanders and many local camp commanders covering this historic territory of Virginia and the Carolinas.

Dr. Seagle was born and reared in North Carolina. He is the pastor of St. Stephens' Episcopal church in New York City, where he resides.

Dr. Nathan Seagle is a native of this county and maintains keen interest in Henderson county and Hendersonville affairs, visiting here at least once a year. He spent last week-end with relatives in the county and was assistant celebrant at communion at St. James church, where his early church life centered and of which he was a member for a considerable period.

COAL CODE TO BE ENFORCED

But Administrator Ready for Reasonable Modifications

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8. (UP). Coal operators and union leaders have been given to understand by Recovery Administrator Hugh S. Johnson that the bituminous coal code drafted by the government was going to be the law of that industry.

Johnson warned he would not tolerate specious argument on minor details and said suggestions for reasonable modifications of the code will be received up to 6 p. m. Saturday.

CAPT. GIBBINS PAYS VISIT IN THE CITY

Captain George Gibbins of the Salvation Army, stationed in Hendersonville for several years, now a resident of Spartanburg, is a visitor in the city today.

SUNDAY'S SON HURT

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 8.—(UP).—George Sunday, son of Billy Sunday, noted evangelist, was in a serious condition at Central Emergency hospital last night after he had fallen three stories from a window of his home.

REDS VOTE TO OPEN FIRE IF MARINES LAND

Cuban Military Command Reorganized; Hungry Are Being Fed

WASHINGTON IN FEAR OF NEW REVOLUTION

HAVANA, Cuba, Sept. 8.—(UP).—Cuba's revolutionary executive committee today formally re-organized the nation's military command, arranged to feed the hungry and declared the danger of United States intervention has been avoided.

HAVANA, Sept. 8.—(UP).—Cuba's revolutionary government appealed urgently to army officers and political leaders of all parties to unite in its support. Only by united action could order be preserved and American intervention avoided, the government said.

The communist central committee has voted to fire upon U. S. marines if they are landed here, it was learned, as a "demonstration that Cuba isn't an American colony."

ROOSEVELT HOPEFUL FOR AN ADJUSTMENT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8. (UP). President Roosevelt expressed hope in addressing a conference on mobilization of the human needs today that Cuba will be able to solve her own difficulties.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8. (UP). The American government considered the likelihood of United States intervention in Cuba to be increasing hourly today. A vast military machine—29 warships, a fleet of bombing planes, a regiment of marines—awaited the zero hour.

Official observers were inclined to expect a new revolt in Cuba which would result in overthrow of the revolutionary "government of sergeants" and jeopardize foreign lives and property. If the danger was too great, intervention would become a reality quickly. But it was believed that if a contender for power struck quickly and effectively and set up a strong government without much fighting, intervention would be avoided.

UNEMPLOYED REGISTERING

Crowds Throng Office on First Day of Activity in the City

Crowds thronged the office of the national re-employed committee this morning and a large number of unemployed were registered during the course of the morning.

J. E. Bradley, who is in charge of the office on Fifth avenue east next to the city hall, announced today that a regular schedule of registrations will be put into effect next week.

On Monday white people will register, colored on Tuesday, white on Wednesday, colored on Thursday, white on Friday and colored on Saturday. This schedule is being put into effect in order to cut down the large numbers of people in the office.

THREE GUESSES



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