

# WASHINGTON DAILY NEWS

THE WEATHER—Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday. Probable light thunder showers.

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## EXPECT SALE 125,000 LBS. NEXT WEEK

LOCAL MARKET EXPECTS TO DISPOSE OF THAT AMOUNT OF TOBACCO.

### PRICES HIGHER

Good Tobacco is in Demand. Average Price in Washington Market. Complete Favorably With That of Other Markets.

That between 125,000 and 150,000 pounds of tobacco would be sold on the local market next week, was the statement made this morning by one of the local warehousemen. He added that he fully believed the market would reach the above figure if not more.

The opening of the market this year was too early for most of the farmers, and but few of them were ready with their crops. I believe that next week will see the tobacco coming in fast and that we will receive the amount sold this week.

The market price is getting higher all the time. Good tobacco is in great demand and good prices are being paid for it. From reports I have heard, the Washington market average price is higher than that paid in any of the other markets.

There were no sales at the local warehouses today.

## FISHES OF GALVESTON ARE IN HIGH SPIRITS

There is Plenty of Food in the City and Fresh Water Was Running Yesterday Morning.

Galveston, Tex., Aug. 21.—Wire service was restored to Galveston today by the Western Union. The first wire message out of the city since Monday was an Associated Press dispatch.

Galveston's known loss of life was eight killed in the city proper and 25 in the low sections on the western portion of the island.

There is plenty of food in the city. Mayor Fisher said today the same way will be rebuilt at once, "stronger and better than ever." It was estimated it will cost \$750,000 to repair the damage.

Fresh water was started running into the city mains this morning from Altoona, the city's water reservoir, 18 miles away on the mainland. Since Monday the people had been drinking water from wells and a serious impairment of health was feared.

Plans for quick restoration of railroad traffic were made at a meeting of representatives of all the railroads entering Galveston today. The people of Galveston are in good spirits despite the damage and inconvenience.

## NEW BERN JEWS DENOUNCE MOBS

Severely Criticize Lynching of Leo M. Frank in Georgia.

New Bern, Aug. 21.—Ever since the case of Leo M. Frank first came into the limelight, local Jews have taken a marked interest in it, following its every turn and evincing almost a personal interest in the young Hebrew and now that he has fallen a victim to Georgia's lynch law they are bitter in their denunciation of the men who aided and abetted in wrecking vengeance on Frank. It is the general opinion here that Frank was innocent and also that the lynching could have been prevented had the necessary precaution been taken. Ever since the horrible affair occurred it has been one of the chief topics of conversation with the Jews here and probably will be for several days to come.

## EIGHT AMERICANS ARE NOW NUMBERED AMONG THE LOST

Washington, Aug. 21.—Eight names now appear on the state department's list of American passengers not found among the survivors of the lost liner Arabic. A dispatch tonight from the consul at Queenstown, relayed by Ambassador Page at London, gave out the above information.

## MUCH INTEREST IN EDMONSON TRIAL TUESDAY

CHARGED WITH WHITE SLAY. MAY, TO BE TRIED AT GREENVILLE.

### FORMER BANKER

Was Prominent in Business Circles at Greenville. Girl in Case is From New Bern. Edmonson is Under \$1,000 Bond.

New Bern, Aug. 21.—Several New Bernians, two or three citizens of Norfolk and a number of others will go to Greenville next Tuesday to give evidence in the white slave case in which F. A. Edmonson, a former banker of that city, is the defendant and Eulalia Dudley of this city, the plaintiff. Edmonson was placed under arrest at Greenville last Saturday and has been at liberty under a thousand dollar bond since that time. The young woman claims that Edmonson dragged her at Greenville, had her carried to Washington and placed on a Pullman car en route to Norfolk. Later he committed a criminal assault upon her. The case is one which is attracting much interest in Eastern North Carolina and the outcome will be awaited with considerable interest.

## CHILD HYGIENE IN CATAWBA CO.

County Medical Society Will Inaugurate Work for Several Months in the Year.

Raleigh, Aug. 21.—The Catawba County Medical Society went on record yesterday as favoring tentative plans suggested some time ago by the State Board of Health to endeavor to inaugurate some special intensive work on child hygiene in that county, dealing especially with care and feeding of infants and summer diarrhoeal diseases. If the plan is finally adopted, it will probably mean the employment of a specialist in children's diseases for several months or even a year. It is hoped that such a specialist may be secured from the U. S. Public Health Service or the Children's Bureau. This specialist would devote the major part of his efforts in assisting the practicing physicians of the county in applying the best modern methods in the treatment and prevention of children's diseases. He will also hold reading, study and lecture courses for the mothers' clubs, and carry on such other work as may appear necessary looking toward lowering our present high infant death rate. So far as is known, if this plan is adopted it will be the first work of this nature ever adopted in this country.

The County Medical Society also endorsed a plan of rural quarantine for Catawba County to be undertaken jointly by the county and state authorities.

## SCORE OF CASES OF SCARLET FEVER AT HIGH POINT

High Point, Aug. 21.—According to the reports filed with City Physician McCain, there are a score of cases of scarlet fever in High Point though he cases have so far not developed into unusual seriousness. The health officials urge the families in which there is scarlet fever to strictly observe quarantine regulations, thereby preventing any substantial spread. It is especially important at this time that quarantine regulations be rigidly observed, as it is only a little over a month until the schools of the city open, and a lack of using proper precautionary measures now might lead to an epidemic that would seriously interfere with the school work.

## ARE ALL ANIMALS.

"Every one in our family is some kind of animal," said Jimmie to the amused preacher. "Why, you shouldn't say that," the god man exclaimed. "Well," said Jimmie, "mother's a bear, the baby is mother's little lamb, I'm the pig and dad's the goat." Ladies Home Journal.

## WASHINGTON IS AWAITING OFFICIAL NEWS

PRESIDENT WILSON WILL NOT ACT UNTIL ALL DETAILS ARE AT HAND.

### CALL MEETING

Cabinet Will Meet at Once as Official News is Expected. Arabic May Have Attempted to Ram Submarine.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 21.—Official information regarding the sinking of the Arabic is expected to reach Washington within the next day or two. In the meantime, neither President Wilson nor members of his cabinet will make any comment on the disaster.

It is reported as coming from official circles that the sinking of the British ship can only be considered as a deliberately "unfriendly act," and that the United States will take this view of the incident. So far, details of the disaster have been meagre. It may be possible that the Arabic attempted to ram the submarine, and if this was the case, the sinking of the vessel might have been justifiable.

The general impression here, while waiting for further information, is that the incident will be the cause for severing diplomatic relations with Germany.

President Wilson will call a meeting of the cabinet as soon as complete details regarding the sinking of the Arabic are at hand.

## GILL'S HEART STOPS BEATING IN MINUTES

Physicians of Country Interested in Case of Unprecedented Suspended Animation Reported from Los Angeles.

Los Angeles, Aug. 21.—Living to tell the story of her strange experience with death, little ten-year-old Murtha Carr, who was revived after sixteen minutes of suspended animation is attracting the wide attention of medical scientists.

Details of the operation and its strange results were told by Mrs. Trophagen, the aunt of the little patient.

"Murtha had been taken to St. Joseph's Hospital in Denver for a minor operation on the tonsils," Mrs. Trophagen said, "and the anesthetic had been administered prior to taking her into the operating room. Suddenly it was observed that her heart had stopped beating. This sometimes happens, but never longer than a minute or two.

"At the end of sixteen minutes Murtha showed the first signs of life. With the restoration of the heart action she still remained in a comatose condition, however, and it was not until two hours later that she was pronounced out of danger.

"Mr. Carr had been in the operating room at the time and witnessing the apparently futile efforts at resuscitation, and believing that no medical science possible could bring the dead to life, he had sorrowfully broken the news to his wife. "Imagine their happiness when they learned a miracle had been performed."

## PROHIBITION IN KANSAS.

As Well Enforced as Law Against Burglary Says Topeka Man.

(Washington Post) "It may be that in Maine, and some other prohibition States there is much drunkenness and that liquor is sold openly, but I can say from experience and close observation that in Kansas, which has been 'dry' for years, there is little or no drunkenness and no liquor sold openly or otherwise," remarked S. A. L. Hope, of Topeka, at the Raleigh. "The prohibition law in Kansas is as well enforced as the law against burglary or larceny.

"Kansas has not had a legalized saloon for 25 years, and there is not a brewery in the State. There are 85 city and county jails that are empty, 47 poor farms and almshouses that are not occupied, and 55 counties in which the criminal courts have not had a criminal prosecution in more than a year.

"New York City is proud of its record of last month—not a murder

## ONE OF WARSAW'S PRINCIPAL STREETS



Scene in the center of Warsaw, the capital of Russian Poland, which has been the object of the great Teuton drive in the eastern theater of the war and is now in the hands of the Germans.

## MYSTERIOUS CRAFT SEEN ON RIVER 10 YEARS AGO

Strange Boat Which Made its Appearance on the Pamlico This Week, Went Through the Same Procedure Once Before.

Editor Daily News.

I noticed in your paper a few days ago an account of a mysterious boat, which came up the Pamlico as far as Washington. You stated that the boat was propelled by a mule, working on a tread-mill, which turned a large saddle wheel, and that the passengers on the craft were an aged man and a small boy.

About ten years ago, when my family resided in Beaufort county, I remember having heard my father speak of the same boat. He was out hunting one morning and when he returned home he told us about it. He said that the boat came slowly up the river; that it was driven by a mule on a tread-mill and that there were three persons on board: a man, a woman and a small child, which the woman carried in her arms.

Father said he watched the boat

for about an hour. It proceeded slowly up the river until it came to what is now called Washington Park. Then it headed for the shore and the people got off. A little later, the man and the child returned, but the woman was nowhere to be seen. The man placed the baby in the cabin of the boat, and headed his strange craft down stream again. That was the last my father saw of the boat. I had forgotten all about the incident until I read the article in your paper this week. Then it recurred to my mind again, and I recollected that practically the same thing had happened ten years ago. I do not know the identity of the people on board of the boat, and I would appreciate it if you would let me know in case you learn more about the mysterious craft.

Very truly yours,  
MRS. ED. BROWN.  
Greensboro, N. C.

## ISSUE REPORT OF LEAF SALES

Washington Market, During Last Fiscal Year, Sold 2,509,978 Pounds, First Sales.

Raleigh, Aug. 21.—A report by the state board of agriculture issued today shows that 53 tobacco markets in this State sold during the fiscal year ending August 1 a grand total of 236,314,444 pounds of which 203,787,502 pounds were first hand for growers and the remainder resales for dealers and warehouses. The total sales for previous year were 181,648,315 pounds. Wilson has first place with 25,508,093 pounds first hand and 20,831,011 pounds including resales; Winston-Salem second with 22,748,514 pounds first hand and 27,491 including resales.

Washington stands first on the list with 2,509,978 first sales and 2,601,502 including resales.

## UNION SERVICES.

The Methodist, Presbyterian and Christian congregations will unite in a Union service, which will be held at the church of the latter tomorrow night. Rev. S. E. Ryan, of Arkansas, will preach the sermon of the evening.

was committed in the city—yet in Kansas, as I have said, 28 counties have not had a criminal prosecution in a year. If the Southern States that have prohibition enforced the laws as rigidly as Kansas does, there would be no outrageous and unspeakable crimes and lynchings.

"There are more than half a million boys and girls in Kansas who never saw an open saloon, and the State has the lowest death rate in the United States—seven in a thousand. Kansas has the largest wealth per capita of any State—nearly \$2,500.

"The Sublunar State was the first State to declare unanimously for nation-wide prohibition."

## CARROW HAS JUMPED INTO SECOND PLACE

BROWN STILL LEADING LOCAL BATTERS WITH .441.

Has Fallen Off 14 Points During the Week. Moore Has Dropped from Second Place to Fourth.

This week's games have brought forward some slight changes in the batting averages of the Walllopers. Brown still leads the list, but he has fallen off 14 points. Carrow has jumped into second place. Moore has dropped from second place to fourth. The averages complete are as follows:

Players	A.B.	H.	P.C.
Brown	59	26	.441
Carrow	74	26	.352
Kincaid	43	15	.349
Moore	61	19	.312
Davenport	61	15	.246
J. Hackney	67	16	.239
Fulford	27	6	.222
Phelps	56	14	.212
G. Hackney	30	5	.167

## 26, 537 PEOPLE IMMUNIZED

Take Typhoid Preventive at a Cost of 14 Cents Apiece.

Raleigh, Aug. 21.—The final figures for the anti-typhoid campaign recently conducted in the county of the state show that 26,537 people took three complete treatments at a total cost of \$370.27 to the counties, or 12 cents per person immunized. Northhampton leads in point of low per capita cost. They immunized 39 people at a cost of 9.8 cents apiece. Cumberland was next with 2844 at 12.9 cents apiece. Wake immunized 9156 at 15.7 cents apiece while Buncombe immunized 2995 at 18.3 cents and Henderson 2098 at 21.9 cents.

It has been estimated that had those 26,537 people paid the usual price of 50 cents per dose or \$1.50 per complete treatment, it would have cost them \$39,800, whereas by the method adopted the counties saved over \$26,000.

The total loss from typhoid fever saved to these five counties on account of the anti-typhoid treatment during the next five years is assuming a saving of 113 deaths and 1130 cases and, estimating a life saved to be worth \$1,700 and the cost of a case of typhoid at \$200, shows a saving of \$418,000.

## MARVELS BEAT OUT INVINCIBLES; 7-5

At Washington Park yesterday afternoon, before a large crowd of spectators, the Marvels beat out the Invincibles by the close score of 7-5. The game was hotly contested from start to finish. S. C. Pegram twirled for the Marvels and was touched for 9 hits. Goerch worked in the box for the Invincibles and did not allow a hit; all of the Marvels' runs being made on errors by C. A. Flynn, Fletcher and I. Morris. Some sensational fielding by M. T. Jordan, who played shortstop for the Marvels, and R. L. Shaw, who played second, were features of the game. G. T. Mayo also played a good game at first for the Marvels. All of the runs made by the Invincibles were home runs driven in by Goerch.

## 20,000 MEN CAPTURED BY GERMANS

FALL OF NOVOGOREGIVSK IS ANOTHER BIG VICTORY FOR TEUTONS.

### ONWARD

Have Secured Much War Material. Emperor Has Left for the Scene of the Latest Victory of His Troops.

Berlin, Aug. 21, via London.—Official announcement was made here today of the capture of the important Russian fortress of Novogoregievsk with more than 20,000 men. The statement follows:

"The fortress of Novogoregievsk, the enemy's last bulwark in Poland, has been captured after stubborn resistance. "The entire garrison, including over 20,000 men and an enormous stock of war material, fell into our hands. "The Emperor left for Novogoregievsk in order to give the thanks of himself and the fatherland to the leader of the attack, General Von Beseler, and his troops."

London, Aug. 21.—The allies on the Gallipoli peninsula are continuing their assaults upon Turkish positions and the British left wing has made some progress, an official report asserts. An open rupture between Italy and Turkey apparently is rapidly approaching, according to distances from Rome, while reports from the same capital say the entente powers have succeeded in inducing Serbia to agree to the immediate cession to Bulgaria of a part of Macedonia in exchange for the Bulgars' participation in the war.

ENTERTAINED YESTERDAY. Mrs. E. W. Ayers delightfully entertained at tea yesterday evening in honor of the Washington ladies who have recently returned from summer vacation trips. Those present were Mesdames A. M. Dumay, Annie Gullford, James Hodges, W. P. Baughn, H. B. Mayo, Geo. T. Leach, J. B. Moore, W. B. Walling and Miss Julia Hoyt.

The table was beautifully decorated with the oceanous, covers being light blue. A large cut-glass bowl filled with pink roses graced the center of the table while white canisters, with pink shades, threw a soft and pleasing light upon the scene. A five-course tea was served, Misses Helen Kugler, Adeline Mayo and Ruth Ayers of Plymouth, assisting in the serving.

## OPENING OF CO. SCHOOLS

Five-Months Schools Open in November; Special Tax Schools During September.

According to County School Superintendent Privette, the regular five-months term of the county schools will open on the first Monday in November, although the county board of education has not yet officially decided upon the date. There are 27 special tax schools in the county and these will open about the middle of September. The exact dates will be decided upon at the next meeting of the board of education.

## WANTED: ART STUDENTS FOR FALL TERM. Apply to Miss Ruth Hudnell, 701 West Second St. 8-18-4tp.

## New Theater

TONIGHT.

"ON THE STROKE OF TWELVE" Three Reels. "WHERE THE TRAIL LED" Two Reels. "THE RUNAWAY LEOPARD" One Reel Comedy. PRICES—5c and 10c