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THE WEATHER—Fair tonight. Cooler Friday. Fresh northeast wind.

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WARNING OF STORM SENT OUT

TELEGRAM RECEIVED THIS MORNING FROM THE U. S. WEATHER BUREAU.

IS OFF HATTERAS

Disturbance is Apparently off Cape Hatteras. According to Warning Telegram Which Was Received Today.

Washington, N. C. Hotel southeast storm warning, 9:30 p. m. Cape May to Cape Hatteras. Disturbance apparently off Cape Hatteras, northeast winds. Probably reach gale force off middle Atlantic and North Carolina coast during next 24 to 36 hours.

BOWIE

Washington, D. C. The above warning telegram was received today by the local weather displayman from the United States weather bureau at Washington, D. C. Coming as it does upon the eve of the anniversary of the big storm two years ago, which was preceded by weather of the same nature as is in effect at present, considerable uneasiness is felt among some of the residents of this section, that another storm may be brewing. The weather for the last four days has been decidedly chilly and a drizzling rain has been falling practically steadily.

BUSINESS CONDITIONS IN THIS STATE GOOD

No Chance for the Depressed Conditions That Existed in This Section of the Country Last Year.

Washington, Sept. 2.—The Federal reserve board in its monthly bulletin which was made public today takes a very optimistic view of business conditions in North and South Carolina. With reference to cotton the board believes there is not a chance for the depressed conditions that existed last year and predicts that this year's price will be controlled "only by supply and demand." Speaking of North and South Carolina, the bulletin says: "In the Carolina it seems to be very widely appreciated that this year there can be no excuse for a repetition of the experiences of last fall. The knowledge that there are now at hand well organized agencies competent to assist in the gradual liquidation of cotton free from undue pressure upon the farmers, has had a most steadying influence and will make for the marketing of the staple at prices subject only to the universal law of supply and demand and freed from artificial or hysterical conditions. Banking facilities now available as a matter of routine will, in permitting the generous use of cotton as collateral when desired, enable the growers rapidly to liquidate seasonal indebtedness to mature in the fall, and such a

GRIMESLAND SHUT OUT IN FIRST GAME

Pastor Game Ever Played on Local Diamond. Score Was 4-0.

Yesterday's game between Washington and Grimesland was the last ever seen on the local diamond. It took just 59 minutes to stage the contest. Washington shut the visitors out 4-0.

Both pitchers worked at top speed and there was little lost time. Taylor of Grimesland, twirled an excellent game and if his hammer had been a little stronger at the bat, he could doubtless have been able to chalk up a victory to his credit.

Washington's first two runs were made on errors by the Grimesland infield. The third, however, was made on clean play.

The Summary

Grimesland	A. B.	R.	H.	E.
E. Edwards, 1b.	4	0	0	0
Geo. Buck, 3b.	4	0	0	0
E. Edwards, 2b.	3	0	0	0
Smith, 1b.	3	0	0	0
Tucker, ss.	3	0	0	0
Hudson, c.	3	0	0	0
Taylor, p.	3	0	0	0
L. Edwards, rf.	3	0	0	0
Guy Buck, cf.	3	0	0	0
Total	25	0	0	0
Washington	A. B.	R.	H.	E.
Webster, 1b.	3	2	1	0
Phelps, 2b.	4	0	0	1
Carrow, cf.	1	0	1	0
Brown, p.	4	0	0	0
Davenport, c.	3	0	1	0
Moore, 1b.	4	0	0	0
Shelton, ss.	4	0	0	0
Weston, 3b.	3	0	0	0
Forbes, rf.	3	1	1	0
Total	29	3	4	1

R.H.E.

Grimesland. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 4
Washington. 1 0 1 0 0 1 0 3 4 1

Struck out: by Brown, 9; by Taylor, 15. Base on balls: off Brown, 1; off Taylor, 3. Sacrifice hits, Carrow, 2. Double plays: E. Edwards to Smith; Shelton to Phelps to Moore. Umpire: Guy Weston. Time of game, 59 minutes.

THREE MEN KILLED IN EXPLOSION

TRAGIC ACCIDENT OCCURRED YESTERDAY AFTERNOON NEAR BURLINGTON.

Burlington, Sept. 2.—Johnson's sawmill, located about 20 miles from Burlington, was the scene of a tragic accident yesterday afternoon when the boiler burst and three men were killed and five others seriously hurt.

There were 15 men working at the mill, including Otis Johnson, the proprietor, when the accident occurred. The building was demolished and iron, steel and wooden debris was scattered in every direction. One of the victims, B was learned here, was almost blown to pieces.

The dead: Otis Johnson, the proprietor. Sidney Rogge. Clem Fugassy.

Five of the others were badly injured. The father of young Fuquay was so badly hurt on the arm that it had to be amputated. It is said that several of the men were buried beneath the debris and were only rescued after hard work. Not one of the men at work at the time of the accident escaped injury. The cause of the accident could not be learned.

ENJOYABLE BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harrison gave a birthday party last night in honor of their sister, Miss Margaret Wicks. Many enjoyable games were played. After a late hour all were ushered to the dining room which was beautifully decorated for the occasion. Fruits, cream and cake was served by Mrs. Clyde Harrison. A large number of friends called to wish Miss Wicks many happy returns of the day. Many beautiful presents were received. Among the friends present were:

Misses Margaret Wicks, Elizabeth Kelly, Kathleen Willis, Minnie Woolard, Alice Whitley, Clara Paul, Inda Paul, Rosa Watson, Nancy Watson, W. Warren, Agatha Warren, Miss Chadwick, Cattie Wilkerson, Etta Lee Campbell, Blaise Foreman, Ethel Elliott, Amanda Edwards, Mildred Harrison, Mrs. C. H. Sterling, Jr., Mrs. Clyde Harrison, Mrs. L. G. Chadwick, Messrs. Heber Winsford, William Campen, Russell Willis, Romelous Silverthorne, Sam Silverthorne, P. H. Foreman, Archie O'Neal, Selby Jones, Chas. Allen, Jack Harris, Edwin Rhodes, David Davis, B. Handy, Clyde Harrison, Clyde Harrison, Jr.

A. C. L. WILL IMPROVE SERVICE

BEHAVIOR THAT EFFORT WILL BE MADE TO SECURE WESTERN TRAFFIC.

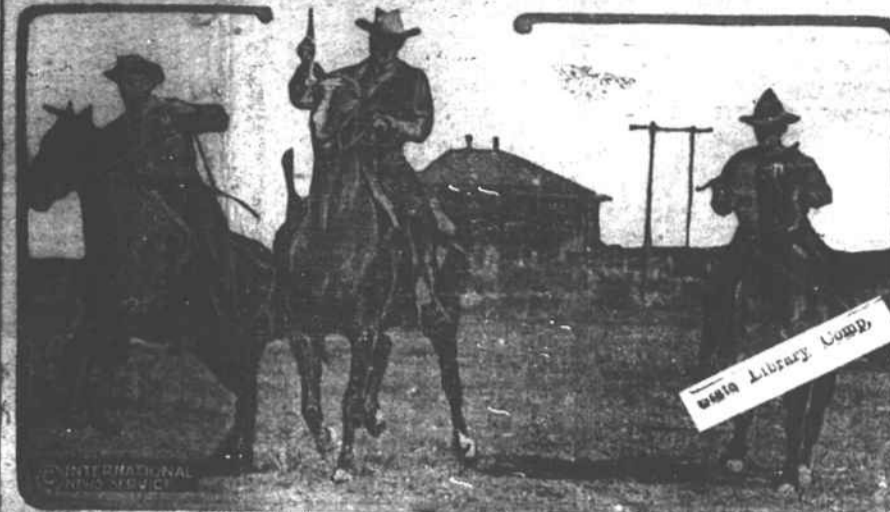
Railroad Will Try to Secure Traffic of Western Tourists to Florida This Season, According to Reports.

(By Eastern Press) Rocky Mount, Sept. 2.—Whether the Atlantic Coast Line will make a bid for the winter traffic from western points to Florida, is a matter of considerable speculation among local officials and others.

It was reported at this time last year that the A. C. L. would add to its equipment and make a determined effort to secure the passage of the hundreds of tourists and vacationists from Chicago, Cincinnati and other points in the west. The unsettled condition of business at that time, however, prevented any active steps being taken.

Within a week or two, the stream of vacationists from all parts of the country will begin pouring into Florida. It is now believed that the A. C. L. will for the first time make a bid for the traffic of tourists from western cities and will establish a service equal to that which runs from New York and other eastern cities through the South.

TEXAN RANGERS CHARGING MEXICAN BANDITS



Texan rangers have been very active in the frequent fights with the Mexican bandits, who have been making raids on this side of the Rio Grande. Three of them are here seen in attack on the bandits north of Brownsville, Tex.

INTERVIEW MR. SMALL ON TAR RIVER PROJECT

Congressman Gives Out Statements in Greenville Regarding Benefits of Proposed Work.

(By Eastern Press) Greenville, N. C., Sept. 2.—In an interview with Congressman John H. Small, who was in the city yesterday attending the Farmers' Educational meeting, Congressman Small had some rather nice things to say about Greenville. Congressman Small believes that Greenville is one of the coming towns of Eastern Carolina.

When asked about the proposed improvement of Tar river that is going the rounds of the press now, and which is being talked of locally, Mr. Small seemed to be elated with the plan, and believes that if carried out, it will mean much to the Eastern Carolina towns as regards improvement and development, and a saving in freight rates.

Congressman Small says that the board of army engineers has already made a report on the proposed deepening of the river, and that they say it is entirely practicable. Congressman Small, however, was a little backward in stating if it would really prove of lasting benefit, unless the people would all take

hold of it and see that it is used.

"You have, already," said Mr. Small, "a waterway between here and Norfolk, but you are not using it. There ought to be a direct barge line between Greenville, Norfolk and Baltimore. You have the waterway, and what you need is the barge line. In the event that the river is made navigable, Greenville should have a municipally maintained terminal here, with a warehouse large enough to take care of the shipments, and this terminal should be connected with the two railroads of the city.

"I believe that if the people will get enthused over the matter, display enough interest, that Congress will make the necessary appropriation to improve the Tar river. All that it will require, will be the interest of the people."

This improvement of Tar river will mean that it will furnish power for all the manufacturing industries of Greenville, Washington, Tarboro and Rocky Mount, besides furnishing the transportation by water.

IS ARRESTED IN GARAGE

Robert Henderson to be Given Hearing Before Recorder This Afternoon.

Robert Henderson, aged 19, will be tried this afternoon at the recorder's court, charged with housebreaking. Henderson was arrested last night and his bond was fixed at \$250. He was unable to find a bondsman.

It is alleged that Henderson was found in Foreman & Allgood's garage. He was arrested by Mr. Foreman yesterday evening.

BULLETS FLEW; NO ONE HURT

Four Marksman'ship is Displayed by Two Citizens of Rocky Mount.

(By Eastern Press) Rocky Mount, Sept. 2.—If the United States ever has a nation to jump into the big war, the recruiting officers had better pass up O. L. Jackson and Columbus Daniels, of this city, who engaged in a shooting scrape last night.

It appears that the two men had a dispute on the street and spitting that words were not sufficient to settle the argument, both of them drew big revolvers out of their pockets.

Jackson fired. Daniels ducked. Daniels fired. Jackson ducked.

And so it went on, until each of the parties had emptied their revolvers. Although they were less than ten feet apart, neither had inflicted a scratch upon the other. The combatants were arranged before the magistrate's court this morning and were bound over until the next term of court.

SENT TO ROADS FOR HAVING TOO MUCH LIQUOR

White Man Receives Heavy Sentence in Wilson. Gets Four Months on the Roads.

Wilson, N. C., Sept. 2.—Roger Scott, a white man from Salina, was arrested by Police Officer W. M. Meecham for having in his possession more liquor than is allowed by law. He had the goods in a valise and refused to open up until a search warrant was procured. Opening the "jaws of the grip" twenty pints of corn juice and six bottles of beer were brought to light. Defendant was locked up for the night and Mayor Killebrew sentenced him to jail for four months. There being nothing in the jail for idle hands to do, the commissioners will utilize him in constructing sand and clay roads.

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U. S. WILL NOT BECOME INVOLVED IN THE WAR

Guarantee is Given by Germany That no More Liners Are to Be Destroyed Without Being Warned.

(By Parker R. Andersen) Washington, Sept. 2.—German demand that the lives of neutrals be held sacred on the high seas, irrespective of the nationality of the vessel on which they may travel. The Imperial German government—through its American ambassador, Count von Vorstoff—has, in effect, confessed that it disregarded the law of nations when German submarines sank the Lusitania and the Arabic and has pledged its national word that these and like offenses will not be repeated.

Assurances are given the United States that in the future "liners will not be sunk" by German submarines "without warning and without safety of non-combatants, providing that the liners do not try to escape or offer resistance." After Secretary of State Lansing had Count von Vorstoff put the German agreement in writing, the

A MILLION RUSSIANS CAPTURED

MORE THAN THIS NUMBER HAVE BEEN TAKEN BY TEUTONS.

STILL GAINING

Today's Reports From the Front Indicate That the Teutonic Advance is Still Progressing Rapidly.

London, Sept. 2.—More than 1,000,000 Russians have been taken prisoners by the Germans since the campaign in Galicia began on May 2. German army headquarters announced today.

Captures of Russians during the month of August totalled 2,000 officers and 269,839 men, while 2,300 cannon and 550 machine guns were taken.

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FANCY PEACHES AT 35c Basket

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NEW THEATRE

TO-NIGHT

"Lady of the Snows"
3 Reel Feature
"Unfounded Jealousy"
"He Takes Well at Parties"
1 Reel Comedy
TOMORROW NIGHT
"WHO PAYS"
"Who"
"Who"

Price

GARDNER'S Cakes Are Growing more popular daily. We have them in marble, and plain, at 20c and light fruit at 35c per pound. E. K. WILLIS. 9-2-15c.

AT THE BELLMO

"MILLION DOLLAR MYSTERY"
Thrilling—Trapped by Flames
"THE CHOIR BOYS"
Relaxation
"THE LITTLE TRACHER"
Two Part Keystone
Featuring Mack Bennett, Mabel Normand, Owen Moore and (Fatty) Brown Arbuckle
Don't Miss this Keystone Comedy
ANOTHER SPECIAL TONIGHT SINGING

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