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MARITIME FORECAST Sandy Hook to Hatteras: Moderate outhwest winds and partly overcast

weather Saturday.

Gen.Miaja Resumes Offensiv**e**

Attacks On First Anniversary of War's Beginning

Dynamites Trench

Lovalists Claim Capture of 2.000 Rebels Since Drive Began

Madrid, July 16, -(U.P.)- Gen. se Miaja's loyalist armies totht celebrated the close of the the civil war with a emption of their smashing ofsive in the Guadarrama Hills.

The insurgent artillery of Gen. risco Franco killed 20 persons ent Miaja from moving up reements for his drive to free chy from eight months of

Have "Top Hand"

Maja, asserting that his troops "top hand" at last, and that the enemy strong of Villa Franca del Castillo the Coruna highway was

the northwestern fringe of amid the ruins of Unimany msurgents "dynamiteros" blew

tillery barrage. More than 50 rebels were in

Beats Counter-attack The assault on Villa Franca del its and was ready to resume resistance. drive southward toward Naval-

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C. G. Accepts New Boat House

Probably Means Removal of Cape Henry Station to Little Creek

The first move preliminary to moval of the Cape Henry Coast gard Station to Little Creek, Va., made yesterday when the ast Guard service formally took er a new boathouse at Little

A new lifeboat will be placed in boathouse there shortly, and atually it is planned to have a The Coast Guard's reason for acing a boat at Little Creek is tause it is always possible to ke a boat out of the creek and ito Chesapeake Bay land the Can off Cape Henry, whereas in avy weather it is very difficult launch a boat thru the surf re the Cape Henry Coast mard Station is now located. Seventh District Coast Guard eadquarters here has no definite formation regarding the even-

al removal of Cape Henry Staion to Little Creek. Yesterday Was

Hottest Day of 1937 Here

The public is not always right, tain business firms to the conary notwithstanding, but the blic was certainly right yesterints, it declared that yesterday the hottest day of 1937.

The Weather Man's official rethe day recorded a high 98 degrees and an average for day of 86.5 degrees.

All day long a hot sun beat ng populace, the only relief— of the crash. d that of a temporary nature ing found in the river, under a had never before driven an autoold shower or in front of an elec-

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C., SATURDAY, JULY 17, 1937

Accord Is

Reached

ByPowers

Accept Eden Compro-

mise Rather Than

Risk a Break

to revive their shattered non-in-

The delegates of 27 nations,

meeting against the grim back-

drop of 350,000 Spanish dead and

more than \$2,000,000,000 in de-

struction, consented to use a com-

promise plan of Anthony Eden,

British foreign secretary, as a "ba-

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William K. (Bill) Carter was

installed as Sachem of Pasquo-

Senior Sagamore, A. P. Belan-

Cohoon; and Prophet, E. B. Leary.

First brave, C. W. Ward, Jr.;

Guard of wigwam, S. A. Twi-

tank Tribe No. 8, Improved Or-

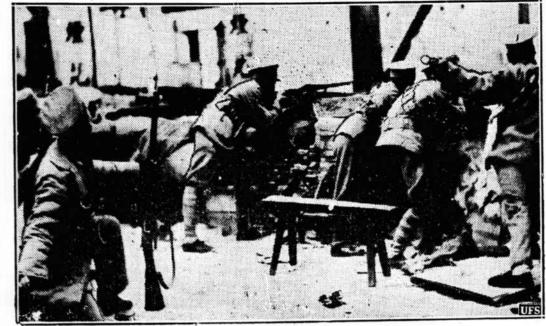
Tribe Installs New

Set of Officers

sis of discussion."

Combat Their Reelection

China No Longer Pacifist Nation



WAR reports from Spain are now paralleled with reports of the new war in North China between the Chinese and Japanese. These are typical fighting men of the Chinese army, members of the 29th brigade. They are repelling a Japanese attack during r.cent fighting near Peiping. Note how some of them are throwing hand grenades.

Japanese Army Moves Upon London, July 16.—(U.R).— Europe's powers agreed tonight, as the Spanish civil strife rounded out a year of bloodshed and destruction to take the Spanish civil strife rounded out a year of bloodshed and destruction to take the Spanish civil stripe the Spanish civil stripe the Spanish civil stripe the Spanish civil stripe the Spanish civ bombardment of Madrid's ern outskirts, attempting to outskirts, attempting to outskirts, attempting up reordered Miaja from moving up reordered Miaja from Miaja

ern Powers of the World Reaction

Tinetsin, North Cinna, Saturday, July 17 .- (U.P.) - Steel-helmeted soldiers of the regular Japanese army closed in on North Chikilled and wounded na along three routes today and were expected to occupy strategic rebel front line trench near areas in three of Cathay's richshambles of what once was est provinces during the week-

Both Chinese and Japanese agreed that major hostilities, in which more than 200,000 seasontrench and those who escap- ed soldiers may be engaged, apeath beneath tons of bricks peared to be "a matter of hours." A division of the Japanese home army was reported to have

reached the strategic city of indicated that Miaja had off insurgent counter-as- off insurgent counter-asindicated that Miaja had corted by destroyers, and to be

southwest of Madrid, in province—one of the richest in all China—and its occupation will give the Japanese command of July 28th to break the backbone of the vital railway line which runs from the Port Northwest to the Yellow river near the provincial capital, Tsinan.

Once in command of this railway, the Japanese will be in a position to prevent Chinese reinforcements from Nanking from

proceeding north. The Japanese already dominate Windholz, of Norfolk, himself a the Peiping-Tientsin-Mukden rail- great showman, that the U. S. way and part of the northern ap- Navy should be urged to sent a the Wright brothers having spent James Ferebee, Jr. proaches to the Peipin-Hankow fleet of planes to Roanoke Island nearly five years in building a railway as well as the motor roads on July 28 to take part in the between Tientsin and Peiping and Aviation Day ceremonies incident north from Peiping to the for- to the celebration of the 350th tified passes in the great wall.

Hull's Message Washington, July 16. —(U.P.)— Secretary of State Cordell Hull today warned Japan and China charge of the Aviation Day pro-

Hull Warns Far East- Drinkwater To Broadcast

Sunday Program At Old Fort Raleigh

by the Rev. Rowland P. Wagner, pastor of Central Baptist Church, Norfolk, Va. Special Choral numbers by "The Lost Colony Choir" made up of Westminster Choir School singers, Princeton, N. J. Services begin at 11 a.m. Organ concert in Fort Raleigh amphitheatre 4 p. m. Paul Green's out-door symphonic "The Lost Colony" 8:15 p. m.

The suggestion was imparted to

On Ripley's Program

Sermon at Old Fort Raleigh

Tsingtao is the key to Shantung Send Planes

Would Have Them Participate In Aviaation Day Observance

Manteo, July 16, (Special)—The suggestion comes from Louis H. air only 12 seconds. anniversary of the Roanoke Island settlements.

Chairman A. W. Drinkwater in

Will Tell How He Sent the News of First Airplane Flight

Manteo, July 16 (Special) Alpheus W. Drinkwater, has been invited to appear on Robt. (Believe It Or Not) Ripley's radio program, to give a national radio der of Red Men, at the tribe's audience the low down on how he weekly meeting Thursday night happened to flash the news of the Other officers installed were: first successful Wright flight at Kill Devil Hills to an incredulous ga; Junior Sagamore, Walter W.

Mr. Drinkwater, veteran weather bureau telegrapher, received installed: W. Ben Goodwin, Colthe invitation today to be the lector of Wampum; W. L. Sherprograms are arranged months in Ward, J. W. Johnson and T. O. advance, it will be some time this Bundy, fall before Drinkwater will appear on the program. Needless to say, Mr. Drinkwater accepted the positions have been filled:

Ripley invitation with alacrity. to fly a powered heavier-than-air ter. machine at Kill Devil Hills was on Dec. 17, 1903. The flight was hardly a success, lasting only 12 third warrior, George Owens; seconds, the machine being in the fourth warrior, Willie Barnes.

The first really successful flight was made not until May 6, 1908, brave, Edward Bell; fourth brave ing, Mr. Richardson said.

Guard of forest, Walter Spence. (Continued on Page Three)

ncers, the following

Denies Any Evasion

Court Opponents Believe

Administration Plans To



JAMES ROOSEVELT, son of the president, denying to newspapermen that he had any interest in foreign holding companies, as implied by Congressman Fish. He repeated it to the Joint Congressional Tax Evasion committee later.

Robinson Funeral Brings Armistice who also is chairman of the Democratic National Committee said in

Can Start On Political Friends and fight. Building By August 10

Bond Issue Is Finally Approved; No Other

First sannap, William Chesson: T. P. Richardson, district WPA State WPA headquarters in Ral- in which he fell-and bowed their First warrior, J. Elliott Cook;

second warrior, J. T. Jackson; eigh.

The WPA authorities and President Roosevelt approved the proj- great and humble citizens partiect last spring, but there was cipated in the farewell. some little hitch on the county's part in obtaining funds with

Washington, July 16.—(U.P.)-Senate judiciary bill opponents shelved bitter enmities today to don the cloak of mourning in final tribute to their dead colleague, Obstacle Remains Majority Leader Joe T. Robinson, but the truce was only temporary

Actual construction work on After brief funeral services in the Pasquotank County's proposed capitol they parted to lay plans In addition to the elective of- agriculture building probably will for renewal of their epochal enaround August 10th, if counter next Tuesday after Robnot a little sooner, according to inson's burial in Arkansas. They sat shoulder to shoulder-The first attempt of the Wrights second sannap, Dwight L. Silves- engineer, who is preparing an those who fought him and those operations schedule to be sent to who supported him in the battle

> heads as the solemn ritual for the As soon as word is received here dead was pronounced in the that the plans and estimates have chamber which only last Monday been approved, the WPA will be echoed with the dead leader's second brave, B. F. Jones; third ready to start work on the build- booming voice. President Roosevelt, his government, diplomatic representatives of the world, and

> > Leave For Little Rock Tonight a funeral train stood which to supplement the WPA ready to bear Robinson's body ty's \$20,000 bond issue was ap- rostrum to Little Rock, his birth-

Foes Join In

Rites

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State Negro Farm

of North Carolina In

Meeting at Raleigh

Wilson, July .- (U.P.)-North Car-

olina's Negro farm leaders today

began organization of a statewide

association for agriculturists of

Officers were to be elected and

Delegate, representing all parts

agent in charge of Negro work; A.

home demonstration agent.

their race.

Sixteen-Year-Old Parents Happier Than Ever

Son Born to Young Couple Who Braved Parental Opposition

A baby son arrived this week to bless the union of a young couple whose love for one another triumphed over parental opposition in one of the most dramatic stories of young love ever unfolded

Parents of the baby boy are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carroll Spencer, Jr., of 111 Glade street. The father, who was 15 when he was married last summer, will be 17 Nags Head hotel had a big ball with hot dog and soda pop stands in November. The young mother

Lina Elizabeth Bright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bright of 104 Glade street, and Joseph of State College was the principal as far as Railroad avenue, and bricks of the old walkways will be like that now?" pursued the Soda of big hotels on the Nags Head Carroll Spencer, Jr., son of Mr. and Kitty Hawk beaches. It took and Mrs. J. C. Spencer, Sr., of 400 look for Agriculture in North Car-Pearl street, were secretly married olina.

> news to their parents in mid-No- four of North Carolina's 28 vember, whereupon the young Negro farm agents, heard addresbridegroom's parents, arguing that ses covering various phases of he was entirely too young to mar- farm and home life, by speakers in preparation for winter, using "Well, when they build it I shall ry, instituted annulment proceed- including: C. R. Hudson, state

Consulting an attorney, the C. Kimrey, State College extenyoung couple learned that the sion dairy specialist; Murphey "Which is just about all a first married could not possibly be an- Barnes, field representative of

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Combat Any Such Reprisal Fear Punishment

Will Join Forces to

Van Nuys and McCarran Among Those Up for Re-election In '38

Washington, July 16. -(U.P.)-Senate Democrats fighting President Roosevelt's supreme court reorganization bill anticipate attempts by the administration to defeat them when they come up for re-election in 1938 and already are preparing to join hands in combatting such reprisals it was learned tonight.

The attitude the administration will take toward party members who have broken with the president to condemn the new deal's most drastic reform proposal has been the subject of informal discussions among court foes. They were cheered last week when Postmaster General James A. Farley a speech that no permanent party split would arise from the court

But, a few days later Gov. M. Clifford Townsend, of Indiana, said on leaving a conference with President Roosevelt that Senator Frederick Van Nuys, D, Ind,. one of the foes of the court measure, would not be renominated. Townsend heads the powerful political machine built up by Paul McNutt, Governor General of the Phillippines, when he was Indiana's Governor. Until he broke with the administration, Van Nuys was popu-

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Legion Day At Ft. Raleigh Delayed

National Commander Leaves at Once for France; Comes Later

Manteo, July 16.-American Legion Day in connection with the 350th anniversary celebration of the Lost Colony was indefinitely funds. This week, tho, the coun- from the flower-banked senate postponed last night upon receipt of a telegram by I. P. Davis, commander of Fort Raleigh post, from National Commander Harry W. Colmery saying that he found it impossible to come to Roanoke Island on July 23, the day set. The national commander said that the date for the dedication of a national war memorial in France at which he is to officiate had been set up to July 24 from a later date originally speci-Asso. Is Organized fied, and that he would be obliged to sail at once. It had been his plan to leave for France immediately after the Roanoke Island Delegates From All Parts ceremonial.

Commander Colmery, however, expressed his intention of making

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Pennsylvania Ave. Sidewalks Near Completion

The laying of concrete sidewalks committees appointed during the along the west side of Pennsylday's sessions. Dean I. O. Schaub vania avenue has been completed as far as Railroad avenue, and speaker. He discussed the "Out- used to extend the paving on toward Knobbs creek. Some of the brick have already been used to provide a sidewalk on Chesnut The young couple broke the of the state and including all but street. The work is being done

under WPA auspices. Street forces are now engaged in grading the city's dirt streets the tractor and grading machine recently purchased by the city.

There is no form of nerve disorder that may not be caused or ing up a clientele that would make rate hotel ever gets from the gen- nulled in less than 30 days and the federal soil conservation ser- aggravated by eye strain. For a vic; and Miss Ruth Current, state thorough eye examination see DRS. J. D. HATHAWAY. (adv.)

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Awaits Sentence For Auto Death

Forced Novice to Take the Wheel; Man Killed Wife Injured

Raleigh, July 16.—(U.P.)—Joe Rogers, 33, Raleigh ex-convict, today awaited sentence following a plea of guilty of causing the death of Clarence D. Moore, Jacksonville, Fla., lumberman, in an automobile collision here a

month ago. Statutes provide a sentence ranging from four months to 20

years in prison. Moore was killed and his wife was critically injured two miles when between puffs and east of here when an automobile in which Rogers was riding crashed head-on into the Florida

couple's car. Testimony at the trial here showed that a 13-year-old Negro boy, Rufus Haywood, was steering the death car, with Rogers sly down upon the swelt- "stepping on the gas" at the time

The Negro youth testified he

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hence, but the chances are only a Citizens who see the movie will The thing is shrouded in mys-

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Warner Bros. Write

for Photos of Town

As It Looked In 1903

Elizabeth City is likely to see

TODAY'S LOCAL CALENDAR

8:30 Mens Christian Federation P. M. 2:30 Local 119 AFHW Library Hours: 10-12, 2-6.

SUNDAY CALENDAR

A. M. 3:30 St. Elizabeth Mass 9:30 Church Schools 11:00 Morning worship

Library Closed.

P. M. 7:15 Young Peoples Leagues 7:45 Christian Science services 702 Boston Ave. 8:00 Evening worship

"They tell me that 50 years ago, tains or seashore in those days before there were any roads or made a month's or a summer's bridges, and when it took five hours to go to Nags Head from Elizabeth City by steamer, that there was a hundred-room hotel withal, and let him join the famat Nags Head and it did a thriv- ily for an occasional week-end. ing business. And now with all of our roads and bridges and autoitself in the movies a few months mobiles, more people and more shore today build their own cot-

THE BANK CLERK AND THE SODA JERKER

JOHN Q. PUBLIC AND FIRST RATE RESORT HOTELS

for enlightenment. "I'll tell you something else," on week-ends.

"But why can't Nags Head or cost of a dime.

resort hotel business has under- coast. gone a revolution in a quarter of a century. It used to be that an thumb a ride and go down and ings investor who had the nerve to give it the once over," said the build a resort hotel in some iso- Soda Jerker.

money, nobdy has the nerve to tages. And instead of finding resmall percentage of the Elizabeth build a hundred-room hotel any-sort hotels filled up with families where on the Dare coast." It was booked for a fortnight, a month recognize the old home town in the the Soda Jerker speaking and he or a summer, you find them dewas appealing to the Bank Clerk serted for five days in the week and overflowing with joy-parties "And the highways are lousy

room, an orchestra and a bar at which the motoring masses pick up half their meals at the "But don't worry about the lack

"They can," said the Bank a lot of small hotels and boarding Clerk, "and it is my guess that houses to make place for a Cava- at South Mills on July 25, 1936. you will see hotels of more than lier at Virginia Beach. It should a hundred rooms along that Vir- not be long now before you'll see ginia Dare Trail between Kitty a 200-room hotel with a ball room Hawk and Nags Head. But the and a steel fishing pier on the

it pay. Travel was different then, eral public," replied the Bank "People who went to the moun- Clerk cynically.