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The

Ill Feeling Is Aroused

if the country people came and helpstead of cementing the ties of friend- in the stores, and from their lawns? ship and good will between people in And yet the situation is analogous. the city and county, in many in- A known instance will illustrate. A stances is causing resentment and ill farm near Raleigh a few years ago feeling, because of the depredations had many acres abundantly covered of people in taking holly, Christmas with beautiful cedar, holly, mistletrees and other greens from the farms toe, ferns and other valued shrub-In Officials Hope To along the highways, without even a bery. These woods were hidden far Bring Bodies To Surface "by your leave," according to Frank from and inconvenient to the high-Parker, agricultural statistician, who way, and the tenants were always spent Christmas in the country and cautioned about these treasures, and learned from the farmers just how to preserve them.

they feel about it. There are very very rarely asked; they say. the taking.

Divers Have Finished Half "Do the city people realize that

Hope for the recovery of some of advantage of continued good day "hauls" has rightfully helped to grow. spected that the bore might be kind of pilfering? underway by nightfall today.

The second tunnel probably will be st required to raise the wreck. LINCOLN'S COBBLER tarring storms or unforseen de nents, this work preliminary to ctual raising should be done by Thomas Sloan, Oklahoma's Oldest end of the week. Naval officers ting the salvage believe some of odies of the 40 officers and men went to their deaths in the 17 ms of water off Wood End neartwo weeks ago may then hight to the surface.

PROGRESSING WITH

SALVAGE WORK ON

THE DISABLED SUB

Unless Bad Weather Sets

In Near Future.

HOPE TO FIND

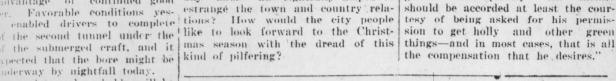
Tunnels Enough.

CONGRESS STIRRED BY S-4 CRITICISMS

Conviction Grows That Navy Should Have Got Air to Victims in Time. McClintic Favors Submarine Base Off Florida Coast. Washington, Dec. 28 .- The storm indignation over the failure of the save the lives of the six men vn to have been alive after the 44 was sent to the bottom of the

in collision with the Coast Guard tro! Paulding continued to grow to The coniction expressed by Sena-

aid have been possible to get a Douglas. snuffed out. It was



By Christmas Tree Seekers The Tribune Bureau, "What would our town folks think, Sir Walter Hotel. Raleigh, Dec. 29 .- Christmas, in- ed themselves to the things displayed

"But the Christmas greens vandals few farmers who will not gladly give found them just the same, and today SOME OF BODIES permission to those desiring Christ- they are all gone. Nor does the has greens, if it is asked, but it is farm owner have any idea who did

"Of course, many of the people Of Second Tunnel Un- they are stealing and mutilating the who take the Christmas shrubbery do der Sub-Think Two natural beauty along the highways, not realize what they are doing, and when they purposely go out to col- think that there is so much of it that lect their Christmas decorating the landowners will never miss it. greens for their homes and church- But farm people pay dearly for what incetown, Mass., Dec. 29,- (A) es?" said Mr. Parker. "Have the they produce, eat or wear. Chickunremunerative farm folks a right to ens don't grow spontaneously on of the victims of the S-4 resent this practice? Isn't it deplor- farms, nor does the shrubbery which disaster was raised today able that our carefree custom of col- has required years of care and pronaval salvage fleet sought to lecting and bragging about our holi- tection, and did not just 'happen' to Consequently the farmer

er. Favorable conditions yes- estrangé the town and country rela- should be accorded at least the courenabled drivers to complete tions? How would the city people tesy of being asked for his permisthe second tunnel under the like to look forward to the Christ- sion to get holly and other green

the compensation that he desires."

EXTRAORDINARY SPEED

Hours.

Sloan was born in Mourn Shore, Coun-

boy of fourteen, that he came to the

on speed; he made the aerial voyage in by of fresh air to them before | For some time now Sloan has been much faster time than he had antiliving in Guthrie, Okla., with his step cipated. The enthusiastic Guatemalans married twice. His second wife died bunting; others carried banners with but unchanged to 4 points lower on and everywhere was to be seen the holiday realizing or liquidation, and Seagrove a few weeks ago, when to get their new plates, and so far Stars and Stripes along with the na- a little southern selling. tional colors of the country. toxicating liquors, asserting the scent First to extend the hand of fellowof "those horrible things is too polecattish." He believes abstinence has had much to do with prolonging his years and does not remember having had more than one serious illness. John J. Donahoe of Ponca City has had many long talks, with Sloan. himself of the anxious mother, who had "He has always had a remarkable memory." said Donahoe today. ing field a few hours before and was and. He sent her a telegram reading : land. Sloan has never forgiven Engglory in making the first non-stop flight from Mexico City to Guatemala. Cordial felicitations."

FAINT HOPE LEADS Hickman Admit HeKilledMan TO FURTHER HUNT Last Year As He And Pal Made FOR LOST AIRMEN Plans To RobMin's Drug Store

Ships Not Able To Locate The Dawn But Just The District Attorney Says Hickman Held Back Portion of Confession Same, Search For The Plane Is Continued.

NEW TERRITORY BEING SEARCHED

Of Novia Scotia And the girl. New Foundland Being The prosecutor indicated he would Searched At Present.

New York, Dec. 29 .- (AP)-Hundreds of little coves and inlets along the coast of Nova Scotia and New Foundland were believed today to offer the only possibility that Mrs. ed State marshal questioned Hickman Frances Wilson Grayson and her three male companions in the Dawn still survive. Five destroyers which yesterday

on December 15. An indictment ombed 4,500 square miles south of charging violation of the Dyer act Sable Island, today separated to cover a new area to the south, and to was returned against Hickman by the patrol the north side of the island federal grand jury several days ago. from east to west.

Additional reports from persons who would plead guilty or not guilty to are certain they heard and airplane | murder was overshadowed today by a controversy which arose between Saturday night and Sunday not far from Harbor Grace, N. F., brought District Attorney Keyes and the faint hope to the searchers for the county attorney surgeon, Dr. A. F.

These reports and the so far futile girl's death. search of the destroyers and of the dirigible Los Angeles, which Tuesday niles along the path the Dawn is thought to have attempted led friends

hopes upon the possibility that the Dawn is in some inconspicuous cove or landed in barren country inland, whence the crew has not been able

Lieutenant Commander Charles E. Rosendhal, of the Los Angeles, however, expressed the opinion that there

organized bands of automobile thieves ever discovered in the state is expected to be uncovered by state of-

Opened Steady at an Advance of 8 Points on January But Unchanged to 4 Points Lower Generally. New York, Dec. 29 .- (A)-The cot-

Los Angeles, Dec. 28 .- District [to strangle her was met by a retort Attorney Asa Keyes late today de- from Keyes that the report meant elared his belief that William E. nothing to him. The district attorney was convinced, he said, that the girl Hickman, confessed kidnapper and slayer, had withheld important facts had been choked to death, but Little Coves Along Coast in his lengthy statement concerning whether she was or not, he would death of the 12-year-old school demand the death penalty for the

confessed kidnaper. The autopsy surgeon's report was based principally on the fact that the seek a new and more comprehensive conditions usually present after statement from Hickman which he strangulation were entirely absent believed would remove certain oband that since no poison was found scurities in the story of the crime. in the stomach, death probably was Elden McFarland, assistant United due to heart failure induced by fright. States attorney, and a deputy Unit-Keyes said that Wagner's friendship for the Parker girl misled him in his cell in connection with the alin his conclusions. The surgeon was leged stealing by Hickman in Kansas the next door neighbor of the Parker City, Mo., of the automobile in which family. Marian Parker was taken from school

Hickman is scheduled to be ar raigned tomorrow at 2 p. m. By that time Jerome Walsh, an attorney engaged by Hickman's mother at Kansas City, is expected to be in court Conjecture as to whether Hickman representing the youthful defendant. Phough Hickman reiterated today that he would enter a plea of guilty n view of his "complete confession. rumors were current that he probably would decide to take his chances in a jury trial. Any move for delay on the part of

Hickman's counsel would be opposed

AUTOMOBILE OWNERS

Repeats Warning That Time Extension Will Not Be Granted This Year.

> The Tribune Bureau. Sir Walter Hotel.

Raleigh, Dec. 29 .- With only a few nore than 100,000 automobile license plates sold for 1928, and only four the slain druggist, glanced in his dinext few weeks. To date there have more days remaining in which more relation with a cry. "That's him." been 36 stolen automobiles identified than 350,000 must be purchased by and fainted. She was able to only automobile owners, those who have partly identify Hunt. The cars so far located have all been not yet purchased their plates are

R. A. Doughton, commissioner of

New Confession Came After Hickman If The Plan Is Accept Smoot Will Aask Had Been Questioned ate Not To Consider B At Length By Officers. Until After March. ALSO DESCRIBES Washington, Dec. 29.-(AP)-A DEATH OF GIRL sire of administration leaders in

HICKMAN IS RIGHT SMOOT SUGGESTS

Senate to delay the tax bill until ter March 15th, so that definite Says He Does Not Think formation could be, obtained on He Is Insane But Has year's returns, was disclosed at by Chairman Smoot, of the S Desire To Commit Crimes by Chairman Smoot, of the From Time To Time. tary Mellon if such action would onvenience the Treasury.

OTHER YOUTH SAYS

Mr. Mellon has been represe Los Angeles, Dec. 29,-(AP)-Confession of two murders in addition to other crimes today found William Edward Hickman linked with Welby Hunt, Alhambra, Cal., youth in the slaying of a druggist in a holdup a year ago.

Hickmon, 19-year-old "Fox," who admitted the kidnapping and murdering of Marian Parker, weakened be fore relentless questioning, and last night confessed he shot and killed Ivy Thoms, Rose Hill, Cal., druggist.

Hunt, implicated by Hickman in the shooting of Thoms. December last was arrested and made a confession with the Treasury which corroborated that of Hickman. Hunt/ denied, however, that it was he who fired the shot which killed Thomas, as the youths attempted to rob his store.

The police worked at high speed in order to check Hickman's latest ad- of the year are made. missions before taking him into court today for arraignment on the murder and kidnapping charges.

Taken to Hickman's cell for a lool at the killer, Mrs. Thoms, wife of

Fords, and were found in Randolph urged to lose no time in doing so, by Marian Parker, written yesterday by a supplement to his pro Hickman as vious admissions, the youthful killer "We have given the automobile gave a graphic picture of the murder, and elaborated on his motives for taking the girl's life.

as looking favorably upon the posal as a means of settling the pute over the amount of tax rec which will be available on incon the year now closing. If approval of the administrat s given the program, Senator St will seek to have the Senate fina committee go ahead after the days on the alien property bill, r er than the tax measure. In his letter to Mr. chairman explained that there some disagreement as to the ective revenue for the

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MAY DELAY ACTION

ON TAX MEASURES

UNTIL MARCH 15T

It Is Said That Sec. Mell

Has Given O. K.

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Year Can Be Learnee

THIS NEW PLA

holding the total reduction to \$2 000,000 instead of \$290,000,000 proved by the House. He suggested that the issue m be settled of Congress waited u

March 15, when the first tax retu Delay until after March 15 wo make it possible for the corporat taxpayers, the big beneficiaries of pending bill, to obtain relief w they make their first returns in coming year.

NORTHERN EUROPE IN GRIP OF STOR

In a confession to the slaving of Suffering Reported in Many Loca ties and Traffic is Paralyzed. (By the Associated Press) Northwestern Europe was in grip of a three-day snow storm day, northern France, England Belgium suffering heavily.

searched an area of 24,000 square exhaustion rather than from the will get a fair trial," the district at-

Aboard the destroyers the same belief prevailed.

SHOWN BY LINDBERGH Lands Safely at Destination Earlier

Sloan was à hunter and trapper in Fuego and Agua (fire and water) and the Yellowstone area long before the was over the flying field soon after territories prior to statehood.

Coast and for six years was a seaman the flying field to give suitable greeton merchant ships that made almost ing to the youth who has stirred the

ENTERS 116TH YEAR Citizen, Celebrated Birthday Sun

Ponca City, Okla., Dec. 28-Thomas Sloan, Oklahoma's oldest citizen, celebrated his 115th birthday Sunday. It was in 1812, during the war be tween England and America, that

ty Down, Ireland, and in 1826, as a United States.

day.

national park was established and traveled over several Rocky Mountain 6:35 a. m. (central standard time). Sloan first lived along the Atlantic

every known port. He then lived twen- pulses of the world. They began to ty-five years at Mulhall, Okla., as the arrive early in the day and were still town's cobbler. In Illinois, prior to the moving in the direction of the field s and Representatives, as well as Civil War, he made boots for both when Lindbergh landed.

ordinary laymen, was that it Abraham Lincoln and Stephen A. The lone eagle evidently was bent

Than Expected .- Made it in Six Dawn. Guatemala City, Dec. 28 .-- Guatemain is the first of the central Americal republics to greet the good-will

ambassador from the United States. Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, Lindbergh today flew over the mountains which separate Mexico City, the first to make

the flight between these two points. He came winging his way between the ponderous mass of two volcanos.

noon. He had left Mexico City at No event has so stirred the people of Guatemala, and thousands were at

The extraordinary speed with which

of the party to pin their flickering

to yet make its way to a settlement.

virtually no hope.

THE COTTON MARKET.

ficers, in conjunction with Randolph and Moore county officers, in the next few weeks. To date there have

and taken into custody by the officers. Moore counties principally.

Wagner, as to what caused the school Dr. Wagner's report that he believed death was due to fright and vigorously, Keyes said. "Hickman towel which Hickman confessed he torney added, "but there is going to

Asheboro, Dec. 28 .- One of the best

drew tightly around the girl's neck be no delay." BIG AUTO THEFT BAND MAY SOON BE REVEALED

DOUGHTON WARNS Thirty-Six Stolen Cars Recovered and Number May Eventually Total 75.

own on Monday that they were ive in the torpedo compartment. It as known Monday night at the latthat the hose connected to the ain salvage piping system was not numping air to the torpedo com-

artment. While the difficulties under which lvage operations were carried on in seas are conceded, many senais and Representatives feel that here should have been enough inntive genius among ...e crews of twenty-six vessels concentrated on the spot to find a way to get an ir line in the listening device over e torpedo compartment before it was too late to do any good.

Chicago University Faculty Member

Is "Lover Of Slang." Cincinnati, O., Dec. 27 .- A college issor who "loves slang" came to ncinnati today to attend the anconvention of the national as iation of teachers of speech. He Professor Carl Buck, noted philo st of the University of Chicago.

Professor Buck made an intensiv hicago several years ago and found at 40 different tongues were spoken

He said he thinks slang, is intersting because it is a language unestrained and picturesque. He de ribed it as at "colloquial language

Here's One Way of Getting Ride. Kansas City, Kas., Dec. 28.ding walking difficult. Joseph mer. 30, telephoned the police staand asked the sergeant to send a rolman to arrest him for intoxica-The sergeant did. Before Po moved for dismissal of the charge, laring he was complaining witness well as defendant, and declined to secute. His motion was granted.

Report On Selig Not Correct Washington, Dec. 29.-(AP)-The ole Cotton Mills, of Gastonia. were awarded a tax refund \$56,015, and Frank Selig executor the lestate of Louis Selig, Elizaeth City, N. C., was awarded \$13 vas announced at the treasury deartment today. An error made in piling the list made it appear that

Firemen Have Narrow Escape ew York, Dec. 29 .- (AP)-Fifty ien narrowly escaped death today \$500,000 blaze which razed a way. The eight floors of the ing crashed to the cellar when thot steel pillars gave way just

Republican Named

nta Fe, N. M., Dec. 29 .-- (AP)-" Cutting, republican publish- (Fire and Water). the Santa Fe New Mexican, towas appointed by Gov. R. C. ate U. S. Senator A. A. Jones, temala City." crat, who died last week in ngton. yers are g.ad of it.

daughter, Mrs. Nickens. He has been last September. His only child, a boy. died in infancy. Sloan has never used tobaceo or in

Born in the days when there was bitter strife between England and Ire-

land. He was an ardent Fenian in th movement in the United States a half century ago to take Canada from England and join it to this country. "I am proud of America," he said His face is without wrinkles and does not suggest his advanced age.

of 'anguages in the city of Babies Born in 1928 May Expect 140 Days More Life.

vill be a good year for babies. Infants born in 1928 may expect 140 more days of life than those born n 1927. according to a symposium omposed by the Milbank Memoria fund and made public today.

explained.

Judge Fred R. White today Tan- LINDBERGH TO HOP

tion in Guatemala City.

Guatemala City, Guatemala, Dec. 29.-(AP)-The capital of the "Land of the Eagle" today entertained its adopted son, the Lone Eagle, who came here on a mission of good-will. Col. Chas. A. Lindbergh completed the first and longest leg of his Cen-Ir. Selig was awarded the larger tral American flight over a hazardous mountainous country in less time than he had expected. The Spirit of St. Louis performed magni-

miles from Mexico City, Lindbergh said. Seven hours and 5 minutes afdepartment store in lower ter he left Mexico City he landed at Aurora Field here, at 1:40 p. m. Central Time. Lindbergh had estimated that the

> crowds were still wending their way. toward the field when the plane appeared between the peaks of the extinct volcanoes Fuega and Agua Guatemala accepted him as a friend, and the city conferred upon

to fill the unexpired term of him the title "Adopted Son of Gua-Lindbergh expects to resume his Central American tour tomorrow is full of trials, and the law- morning with his-flight to Belize, day af British Honduras.

with every manifestation of cordiality. He was accompanied by several min-

destination.

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New

opened

Over

high words of praise for the daring Chicago, Dec. 28 .- The year 1928 feat.

"Utilization of improved principles of hygiene will account for the death rate reduction." Dr. William H. would make better time. Welch, of John Hopkins university.

OFF AGAIN FRIDAY

Going to Belize, British Honduras.-Great Recep-

Irregu lar pr opening with up sid as Bro

Brookl opening Railwa outset. ficently on the trip. of about 675 Clothir The

ad. in winter winter the he osemen were entering from the flight might take 9 hours and the duced odd pa the sa

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Colo The R. P.

ton market opened steady today at had bedecked their automobiles with an advance of 3 points on January. of cars was made as the outcome of a appropriate inscriptions of welcome, later deliveries, under further pre- shooting affair that took place near owners of the state since December 1

Prices worked on to 19.51 for ship to the intrepid airman, was Col. trading, or about 5 or 6 points be Francisco Amado, speaking for the low yesterday's closing quotations, Guatemalan army. Government offi- but the trade bought moderately at cials followed with their welcome, and the decline, while offerings were com-Arthur Geissler, the American minis- paratively light. The tone was fairter, after a warm greeting, bethought ly steady at the end of the first hour. Commission house realizing or liparted with her son at Vaibuena fly- quidation continued, the market working off to 19.46 for March and 19.53 was turned over to Sanford authoriherself on the way back to her home- for July, or about 10 to 12 points below yesterday's closing quotations. "Your son has again' achieved Trade buying continued in small volume on a scale downward, accompanied by reports of continued steadiness in the southern spot market, but otherwise there appeared to be

President Chacon went to the flying very little demand and the market field and received the youthful aviator was within a point or two of the lowest at midday, with business quiet. Cotton futures opened steady. Jan. isters, generals and high officials of 19.52; March 19.60; May 19.71; July the government. The president had 19.60; Oct. 19.03.

THE STOCK MARKET.

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1 --- 1231/4

3914

12134

105

6434

101 %

158%

109%

861/2

26%

591/2

114%

591%

90%

465%

32

Lindbergh flew from Mexico City to Guatemala City, a distance of about Reported by Fenner & Beane. 675 miles, averaging in the neighbor-(Quotations at 1:30 p. m.) 192 hood of 100 miles an hour, was beyond Atchison 74 even the flyer's most sanguine ex-American Can 1533 uectations. He had figured on nine Allied Chemical American Smelting _____ 1824 hours at the maximum, but hoped he 1871 Atlantic Coast Line _____ 2653/ Baldwin Locomotive _____ Taking off from the Mexican capital at 6:35 in the morning, when Baltimore & Ohio -----1165 Bethlehem Steel 561 there was just enough light to show 2027 Chesapeake & Ohio him the way across the flying field, 62 Chrysler ____ Lindbergh swept upward in a high 641 Corn Products _____ climb and then pointed directly for his New York Central _____ 163 321 Dupont _____ 64 Erie -THE STOCK MARKET 691/ Fleishman 1091/

lar Price Movements Occurred Opening of Market Today. York, Dec. 29.—(AP)—Irregu- ice movements occurred at the g of the stock market today, the larger fluctuations on the le. Gas company stocks, such ooklyn Union and Consolidated, 2 3-4 to 1 1-4 higher, and lyn Edison was strong at the g. Mack Truck and Southern ay were a point or so off at the	St. Louis-Francis. Ry General Electric General Motors Houston Oil
ng Sale at Richmond-Flowe Co. Richmond-Flowe Co. in a page this paper announces its mid- Clearance Sale. Its entire stock of men's clothing, at ight of the season, is being re- one-fourth. recoats and top coats, suits and ants are being offered during le which will begin tomorrow ontinue through January 10th. the ad. carefully and call at ore to get some of the unusual ns being offered. mial Dames to Meet Friday. Colonial Dames will meet Fri- fternoon at 3.30 o'clock at Mrs. Gibson's.	Pennsylvania Railroad Phillips Pete. Producers and Refiners Reading Railroad "B" Rey. Tob. Com. Rock Island Ry. Sears Roebuck Southern Railroad Stand. Oil of N. J. Southern Pacific Railroad Sou. Dairies, Pfd. Studebaker Corp. Tobacco Prode. Vicks Chemical Westinghouse Elec. Co. Western Maryland Ry. Wellow Cab and Truck Woolworth U. S. Steel Coca-Cola

The discovery of the wholesale theft revenue

Albert Culler, young man of High only 100,000 have responded." said Point, was shot in the side of the Commissioner Doughton, "and now March and 19.58 for July in the early head with a shotgun by Ben Presnell, there will be no extension of time Seagrove man. Culler later in a hospi- after December 31. So it will be tal in Asheboro, thinking he was going necessary for those who have not yet to die, made a long statement in re- gotten their new license plates to do gard to car stealing, that is going to so between now and Saturday at midreach well into Florida. Culler is supnight, or keep their cars in the ga rage until whatever time after that posedly one of the ring leaders in the date is required to get their new stealing, as he was arrested in Greensboro some time ago for car theft, and plates. For any one who operates an automobile under an old license after January 1 will be subject to ties, from whom he escaped. arrest and prosecution."

Four arrests have been made to date If people will act at once, and and several other warrants issued. either mail in their checks for the Ben Presnell, Boyd Presnell and proper amounts to the Raleigh office Larkin Presnell, all brothers, were of the Motor Vehicle Bureau, or to implicated by Culler, and have been the nearest branch office, they should arrested. John B. Powers, Bennett be able to get their new license plates man, has also been put under bond. before January 1. according to Culler, when apprehended in Greens-Sprague Silver, chief of the license boro, had in his car a full set of tools, dies, and the like for the changing of bureau. "But if they delay in doing thi numbers on cars. In the statements he after today, they can hardly expect has made since he was shot, he said to get their new plates for a week or

that they had notary public seals, ten days, since there will be thousblank title, and all the necessary ands of mail orders to be filled in the equipment for giving a customer what last few days,' said Mr. Silver apparently was a perfectly good title. "However, we believe that the ma jority of the people will co-operat

SOLONS IN OKLAHOMA with us and make an effort to ge NOT AGREED ON PLAN their licenses within the next two days-or at least make application Order Suspending Governor Is Prefor them.'

sented to Senate in Hotel But Is Not Yet Accepted. Oklahoma City. Dec. 29.-(A)-An

order suspending Governor Henry S. Johnston from office until charges Representative Black Says Depart against him have been decided, and placing Lieutenant Governor W. J. ment Is at Fault-Lacking in Ef-Holloway in the chair, was presented ficiency. to the purported Senate impeachment New York, Dec. 27 .- Representative court today by Senator Lester Smith. Loring M. Black, Jr., Democrat

Presentation of the order brought author of a resolution asking for to a climax the discussion as to congressional investigation of nava whether the charges voted against the affairs as a result of the S-4 disaster 1365% | governor by a self-convened session of Provincetown, called on Curtis D 1171/4 of the House of Representatives, had Wilbur today to resign as secretary 1581/2 been presented to the Senate in a leof the navy.

801/2 gal manner. In a statement issued from his of Thirty-six senators were present fice, Mr. Black charged Secretary Wil-8514 when the meeting was called to order bur with failure to maintain the navy 58% in a hotel room. The senators yesat its proper standard of efficiency and terday were dispersed by national 3814 guardsmen acting under Governor with lack of necessary aggressiveness Johnston's orders, when they attemptto obtain adequate financial support 1191/2 ed to meet at the capitol and decidfrom an "economy" administration. 100% ed to hold further sessions at the "Wilbur permitted the S-4 to op-

581/4 | hotel. erate in a zone that did not contain As soon as the Smith order, signed relief equipment," declared Mr. Black. by Senator MacQ. Williamson, pre-251/4 | siding officer of the court, was offered, Senator Guy Andrews of Mc-Alester, began a lengthy argument that the charges before the court were from an illegally convened house. and that therefore the court could

39% not suspend the Governor. Dr. W. K. Green Elected to Profes-

Durham, Dec. 27 .- Announcement

Few, president of Duke university, of the election of Dean W. K. Greene, of Wesleyan college, Macon, Ga., to a to Detroit from Mexico, landed at 191 full professorship in English in Hatbox field here at 11:15 a.m., to-1523, Duke, Dr. Greene is to begin his new day completing the second leg of the dutics here in the fall of 1928. day's journey.

His principal motive. Hickman said was to protect his own safety. Toward the conclusion of the sup plemental confession, Hickman said:

"Since my high school days, I have before heavy gales. Isolated villages in the southe suffered from a peculiar complex. As section of England were pressed a diversion from my school studies, food supplies with men a desire to commit crime seemed to overcome and control me gradually. miles through the drifts to obt food for snowbound families. reason with religion, and drew aging parties were sent out on 1 the conclusion that it was not based on absolute reason. I do not believe Isle of Wight to relieve distress, Rain storms swept the Moroco I am crazy or insane, but I believe this complex borders closely to them, coast, taking three lives in the st and cannot be considered too lightly ing of a trawler, while flood wate as my motive in this crime."

Marriage Announced

in the city reading as follows:

mond. Va."

present.

Announcements have ben received

"Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Benfield an-

nounce the marriage of their daugh-

ter. Stella May, to Robert Stewar

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ben-

field, and is known throughout Con-

cord and Charlotte for her unusual

pleasing personality. She graduated

from North Carolina College for

Women, Greensboro, N. C., and is a

stenographer for Famous Players-

Lasky Corporation, Charlotte, N. C.

producers and distributors of Para-

Mr. Lavender is a musician by pro

CROSS TEXAS TODAY

Making Good Progress in

Dallas, Tex., Dec. 29.-(A)- Mrs.

Evangeline Lindbergh stopped at Dal-

las for 25 minutes today on her re-

turn flight to Detroit from Mexico

City, where she spent Christmas with

MRS. LINDBERGH IS

Detroit Home.

mount productions.

invaded Casablanca. Traffic in Belgium was paralyz with reports that wolves are maki their appearance in the western pa attacking cattle and spreading etrr

Cross channel shipping was

pled, and even ocean, liners fo

difficulty in entering port, w

smaller shipping scurried to safe

struggli

EX-CATHOLIC PRIEST BECOMES A BENEDIC

Lavender, August twenty-seventh, R. J. Halbeib Married His Form nineteen hundred twenty-seven. Rich-Housekeeper December 12 at E cott City. Mrs. Lavender is the youngest

Dánville, Va., Dec. 27 .- A J. H bleib, who for 12 years was priest the local Roman Catholic congre tion and who renounced the pri hood October 7, and a few weeks lat published a volume of memoirs which he excoriated the Roman'Ca olic administration, was married Ellicott City, Md., on December This was learned from the form priest's own lips yesterday in \$10,000 bungalow on Falling Cr ssion. Mr. and Mrs. Lavender will near Richmond. make their home in Charlotte for the

He was married to Mrs. Alberta Opry, of Danville, who was his hou keeper while he was in holy or here. The former priest introduced wife, his face wreathed in smiles." said his memoirs were bringing expected returns and that he we devote himself to writing. His bu

Her Return Flight to Her galow is handsomely furnished. Recognition of Mr. Halbleib's Bo of Revelations was given here Christmas by the Protestant clere Rev. James M. Shelburne, pastor the First Baptist church, reviewed t book to his congregation and assert that it was written evidently as a p test against absolutism in religion.

Charter Issued By State to New H

terprise.

her son, Col. Chas. A. Lindbergh. Left At Dawn

San Antonio, Dec. 29 .- (AP)-Mrs. Raleigh. Dec. 28 .- Incorporate Evangeline Lindbergh took off from Parks-Belk, Brumley company, Kelly Field here shortly before dawn Newton, to buy, sell and other for Dallas. Weather conditions were deal in dry goods, shoes, etc., reported as ideal for the first hop of the 1,300-odd mile flight to De- thorized capital stock \$100,000, s today.

easily, its lights marking the course

for the 260-mile flight to Dallas. Brooks said he expected to reach Detroit in from 12 to 15 hours. He planned to stop at Dallas. Muskogee

and St. Louis to re-fuel. He said he hoped only 15 minutes would be needed at these three cities. The party ably in west portion Friday m arranged to have meals delivered at ing: not much change in tempe the fields, to be eaten en route.

troit, which she hopes to complete scribed stock \$40,000 by J. G. Parl of Concord ; W. H. Belk, of Charle The huge all-metal monoplane rose J. W. Belk. of Monroe, and othe

Cloudy with rain tonight and pre

ture. Strong south winds.

as pilot Harry Brooks headed north

"Economy denied the navy enough pontoons, and Mr. Wilbur should. therefore have restricted submarine

operations on the basis of the availability of relief factors. "The destruction of the S-4 climaxes

breakdown. Mr. Wilbur, as head of the navy, must accept culpability for

Reaches Oklahoma

WILBUR'S RESIGNATION

IS DEMANDED NOW

Muskogee, Okla., Dec. 29.-(A)-Mrs. Evangeline Lindbergh returning

sorship at Duke. was made here tonight by Dr. W. P.

conditions.

a long series of accidents and general