

HINDENBURG IS DEAD; HITLER IS NOW SUPREME

Georgia Tobacco Hits 25 Cents And Stays Strong

Official Averages For Opening Day 24-25 Cts. On Several Of Markets

Season Begins With Prices Generally Practically Double Opening Day Last Year

POUNDAGE FOR 1933 MORE THAN IN 1934

Tifton Sells 398,262 Pounds for \$25.24 Average, While Habira Has \$24.15, Moultrie \$25.11 and Valdosta \$24.47; Prices Are Continuing Strong

Valdosta, Ga., Aug. 2 (AP)—Tobacco growers who brought their weed to the markets today read that the amount sold yesterday brought nearly double in money average price the returns of the opening day last year. The poundage sold last year was more than that of this year. Official figures for the tobacco board of trade placed yesterday's sales here at 419,544 pounds, for an average of \$24.47 per hundred pounds. The total receipts were \$102,599.51. Last year's opening figures were 328,683 pounds, bringing \$64,263.24, or an average of \$12.27 per hundred pounds. Official figures at Moultrie showed 438,290 pounds sold on the opening day at an average price of \$24.11 per hundred. The price level appeared to be higher today, the Moultrie Observer said. At Waycross 44,526 pounds were sold on the first day for \$9,727.36, or an average price of \$21.84 per hundred. The highest price was \$41 per hundred. Hazelhurst estimated approximately 300,000 pounds were sold at an estimated price of 20 cents. Habira's three warehouses yesterday sold 92,744 pounds at an average of \$24.15 per hundred, bringing \$22,396.59 to growers. Tifton on the opening day sold 398,262 pounds, which brought \$100,376.46, an average of \$25.24 per hundred. Offerings for today were about 200,000 pounds. The Tifton Gazette said the price continued good.

Freakish Tornado Rages at Resort

Baltimore, Md., Aug. 2 (AP)—A freak tornado today struck Hickory Point, a summer colony near here, wrecked half a dozen houses, injured approximately a dozen people and buried a number of vacationists under a mass of debris. The twister, which struck without warning, was preceded by a huge wave which swept up Gray's Creek. Residents said it was 10 feet high and 100 yards long.

LONG GROUP GRABS TAX AUTHORITY FOR NEW ORLEANS CITY

State Appoints Assessors Throughout City Super- sede Men Mayor Walmsley Selected

BACKED BY POWERS OF NATIONAL GUARD

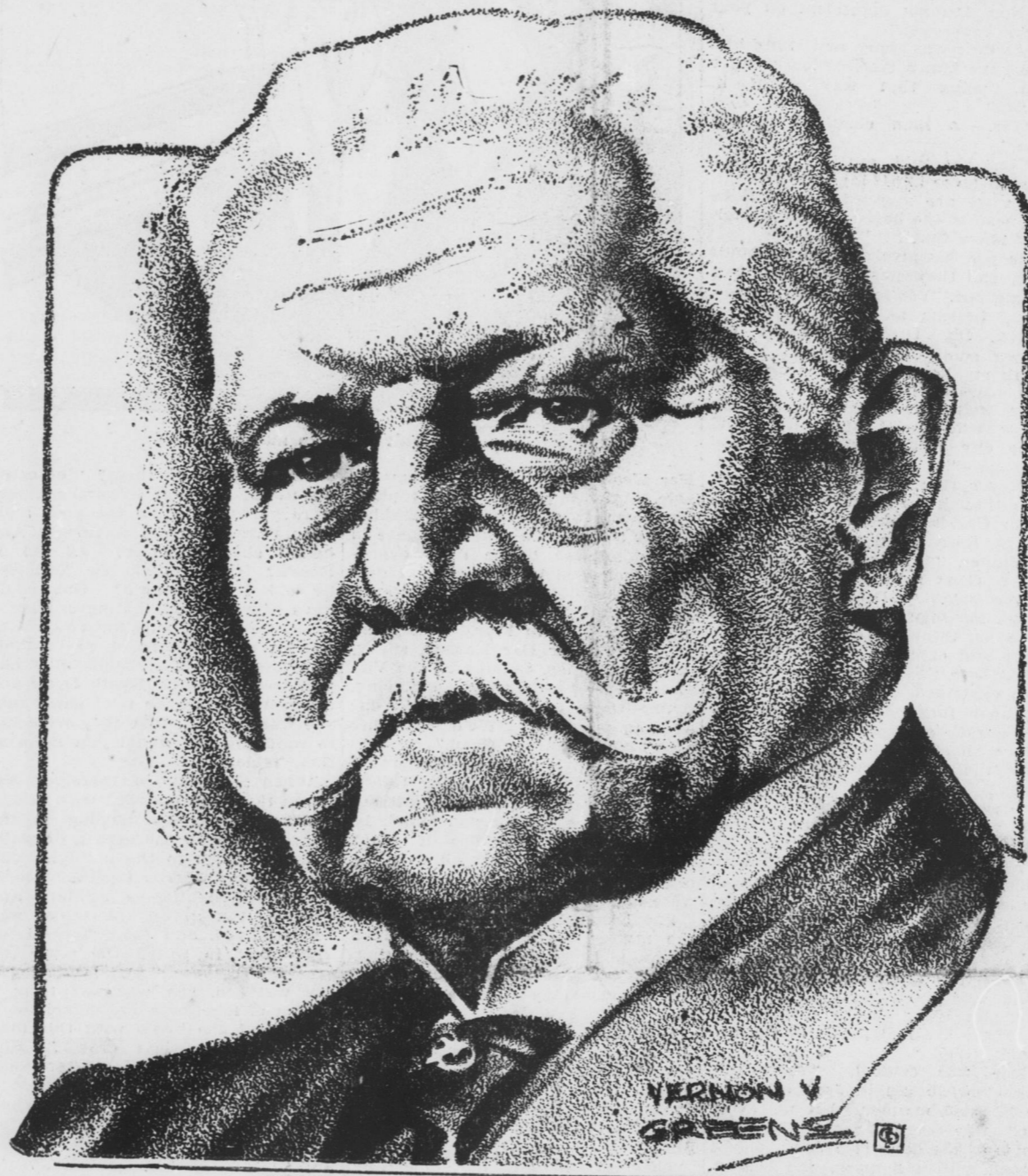
Mayor Had Refused To Recognize Two Long Selections and Senator Makes Good His Threat, Acting Through Governor O. K. Allen of Louisiana

New Orleans, La., Aug. 2 (AP)—Carrying out Senator Huey P. Long's threat to take over the tax authority in the city of New Orleans, the State today appointed tax assessors throughout the city to supersede the assessors selected by the city last January. Backed by the power of the mobilized National Guard, which already has seized the city voting registration office, William Rankin, of the Louisiana Tax Commission, announced the appointment of the State tax collectors to take charge in New Orleans replacing the elected city board of assessors. Senator Long recently announced this would be done as a result of Mayor T. Semmes Walmsley's refusal to recognize the legality of Governor O. K. Allen's appointment of two Long lieutenants to fill vacancies caused by the death of two elected assessors. "This is new infamy and courage," exclaimed Mayor Walmsley on being advised of the administration's latest reprisal move against his city regime. Senator Long recently announced this would be done as a result of Mayor T. Semmes Walmsley's refusal to recognize the legality of Governor O. K. Allen's appointment of two Long lieutenants to fill vacancies caused by the death of two elected assessors. "This is new infamy and courage," exclaimed Mayor Walmsley on being advised of the administration's latest reprisal move against his city regime.

Fever Now In Camden Kills Five

Elizabeth City, Aug. 2. (AP)—Black water fever, a form of malaria, rare in this section and usually found only in the tropics, is sweeping lower Camden county, a few miles from Elizabeth City. The epidemic, which at first was thought to be undulant fever, has been definitely diagnosed as malaria fever of the most pernicious and malignant form. It was announced today by Dr. W. L. Stevens health officer of Camden. Fifty cases have been reported, Dr. Stevens said, and five who had the disease have died. Red Cross nurses were en route to Camden today and state board of health authorities were cooperating with Dr. Stevens in an effort to stamp out the disease.

Grand Old Man Of Germany Is Dead



PRESIDENT PAUL VON HINDENBURG

Europe Trembles In Fear With Hitler Now Supreme

London, Aug. 2. (AP)—Sincere grief and considerable apprehension over the passing of von Hindenburg, a manifest in British government circles today after the death of President Paul von Hindenburg. Even during the World War years, when the so-called Hindenburg "pillboxes" on the Belgian coast menaced England, all Britain held the German military leader in great respect. Since then he has been regarded as the chief stabilizing force for both republican and Hitlerite Germany.

King George was aboard the royal yacht at Cowes when he was notified of the passing of von Hindenburg. A message of sympathy from the king was sent to the president's son instead of to Chancellor Hitler. Official sources explained that this was because there had been no official notification here that Hitler had assumed the presidency.

FRANCE SENDS MESSAGES OF CONDOLENCE TO BERLIN Paris, Aug. 2. (AP)—France sent her condolences to Germany today for the

death of President von Hindenburg, whose passing may mean much to the country, and officials described his death as a threat to European peace. President Albert LeBrun and Premier Gaston Doumergue telegraphed Chancellor Hitler expressions of sympathy. Louis Dathou, foreign minister sent a message to the German foreign minister. Dpumergue and Barthou sent aides to the German embassy

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STATE ISN'T GOING IN COAL BUSINESS

But Purchase of Moore County Coal Field Will Serve To Advantage

Raleigh, Aug. 2.—The State of North Carolina has no intention of going into the coal business, even though it has just purchased a farm in Moore county with some million or more tons of coal under it, State officials said here today. On the other hand, if the next legislature should cut budgets to the point where the State could no longer afford to spend \$750,000 a year for coal, most of this amount going to West Virginia coal mines and to the railroads for hauling it, it could still manage to keep the inmates of its institutions warm with this Moore county coal, it is admitted. There are no plans being made now for either the mining or use of this coal, so far as can be learned. But it is admitted that the time may come when this coal may come in handy either for actual use in State institutions or as an ace up the sleeve of the State in dealing with coal companies if and when coal prices ever get down on a competitive basis again. At the present time all coal prices are vir-

All Entries In Air Race Are Landed

Army and Navy Bags Apparently Covered Greater Distance From Birmingham

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 2. (AP)—All entrants in the national balloon elimination race had been reported down today with the finding of the navy's entry six miles southeast of Commerce, Ga., where it landed during the night. The Army No. 1 landed in a wheat field near Monticello, Ga., last night. Lieutenant Charles H. Kendall, pilot of the navy entry, said he passed over Commerce early in the night, and that a current of wind took him over Clarksville, Ga., a number of miles in the mountains. Later another cur-

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YOUNG DEMOCRATS MAY HAVE MISCUED

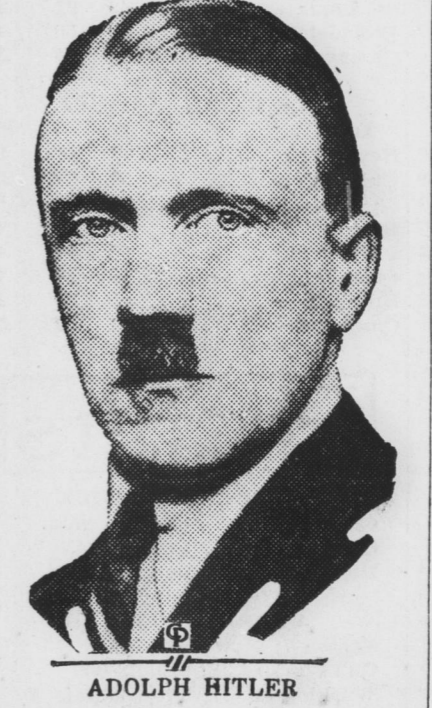
Endorsement of Liquor Plan for State Not Everywhere Approved

In the Sir Walter Hotel, Daily Dispatch Bureau BY J. C. BASKERVILLE Raleigh, Aug. 2.—There is still considerable discussion here as to whether the State convention of the North Carolina Young Democratic Clubs, meeting in Asheville last week, acted wisely in adopting the resolution advocating a liquor control plan rather than the present system of so-called State prohibition. There are some who still fear the Young Democrats acted too hastily and that they should not have adopted any resolution dealing with prohibition or the liquor problem. Others, however, are inclined to admire them for their refusal to pussyfoot or to adopt a hypocritical attitude with regard to prohibition, regardless of the political consequences. "The action by the State convention of Young Democrats was only an expression of opinion and as such should not be resented even by the dregs," one observer said here today. "Certainly these younger Democrats have just as much right to express their opinion and attitude with regard to liquor and State prohibition as have

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Army Is Required To Swear Loyalty To Will Of Hitler

Supreme in Germany



ADOLPH HITLER

Offices of President and Chancellor Merged, With Hitler Assuming Both Places

HINDENBURG RITES WILL BE TUESDAY

Funeral at Tannenburg Where He Stopped Russia's Armies in 1914; Burial Will Be at Country Estate Where He Died; Hitler Is Now Absolute

Berlin, Aug. 2 (AP)—President Paul Von Hindenburg died today and within seven hours Chancellor Adolf Hitler had succeeded him and ordered a nationwide presidential plebiscite to be held August 19. Also within that seven hours was formulated a new oath by which the reichwehr—the standing army of Germany—will pledge its allegiance to Hitler. Von Hindenburg died in his 87th year at 9 a. m., German time, in his country mansion at Neudeck, East Prussia. Also simultaneous with the announcement of his death came the announcement that the offices of the chancellorship and the presidency had been merged. Any doubt as to what position the reichwehr, long faithful to von Hindenburg, might take were dispelled, at least temporarily, by Werner von Blomberg, the minister of war, who announced that the army would take a new oath. It is expected to be administered within the next few days. The oath reads: "I swear by God this holy oath; that I shall be absolutely obedient to Der Fuehrer (the leader) of the German reich and people, Adolf Hitler, supreme head of the army and that I will be ready as a brave soldier to give my life for this oath." The ceremony of oath-taking will be followed by three cheers for the new supreme army commander—who is also the supreme commander of the Nazi storm troops and their black-shirted brethren, the Schults staffel—and by the two German national anthems. Funeral services for von Hindenburg are to be held tomorrow at Tannenburg, where he stopped the Russian advance in 1914, and he is to be buried Saturday at Neudeck, 30 miles away, on the ground of the estate where he died. It was expected that the presidential plebiscite will have the double pur-

ADMINISTRATION IS EXPECTED TO KEEP U. S. FREE OF WAR

Senate Overwhelmingly Against Slightest Dabbling in Europe and People More So

AUSTRIAN FREEDOM MADE A SOB STORY

Ought To Be No Shock At Dictator's End, for He Who Lives by Sword Shall Perish by Sword; Washington Understands Europe Better Than Back in 1914

New York, Aug. 2. (CP)—The Roosevelt administration is expected to keep the United States entirely aloof from the European imbroglio. The Senate is overwhelmingly against even the slightest participation in European affairs. The American people are even more so. Much propaganda—whether inspired or unintentional—already has been

Strikers Dispersed By Police

Greenville, S. C., Aug. 2. (AP)—A large force of deputies and State patrolmen this morning dispersed a group of approximately 100 strikers who, armed with slugs, sought to prevent non-striking employees from entering the Conestee mill near here. Members of the United Textile Workers Union walked out of the mill this week charging discrimination between union and non-union employees. The mill continued to operate with reduced forces. Early today, Sheriff B. B. Smith, answering a call, took all available officers to the mill, where he was joined by Lieutenant G. C. Kinsey and all State highway patrolmen located in this section. The officers forced their way through the cordon of bludgeon-bearing pickets and announced employees desiring to work would be allowed to enter without molestation. Attempts to disarm the strikers proved futile, but they fell back a clear way for entering workers and there was no violence.

Salaries Of Teachers At Start Same

New School Year To Start on Same Basis as Last; More Money Is Hunted

Raleigh, Aug. 2. c—Salaries of the school teachers in North Carolina will "very probably" be at the same level as they were last year when most of the schools of the State open in September. "The same salary schedule we had last year will stand unchanged until the commission finds it has funds on which it can base an increase, or until some way to provide back funds is definitely cited," Leroy Martin, secretary of the State School Commission, said today. Mr. Martin said he understood investigations were being made to ascertain if the State can definitely depend on Federal aid in paying teachers' salaries, but expressed doubt if any decision which might allow salary boosts would be reached before September. The commission will meet here Wednesday to consider routine matters and the purchase of 225 truck chassis for 17-foot and 20-foot school buses.

Clyde Hoey Expected To Run In 1936

Some See Him as Already Candidate for Governor Without Announcing as Yet

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Walter Hotel, BY J. C. BASKERVILLE Raleigh, Aug. 2.—Clyde R. Hoey, of Shelby, brother-in-law of former Governor O. Max Gardner, will be one of the candidates for the Democratic nomination for governor in 1936, in the opinion of many political observers here. While he has not yet made any announcement of his candidacy and is not expected to until after the 1935 General Assembly meets and adjourns, most observers here agree that he is already acting very much like a candidate and that he is undoubtedly feeling the situation out most carefully. "When the State Democratic Convention met here several weeks ago and Hoey stood in the lobby of the Sir Walter hotel for about six hours shaking hands with every one he could see, I was convinced then that he was seriously considering running for governor," a State official who keeps his ear pretty close to the ground said here today. "For men like Hoey usually do not spend five or six hours standing in a hotel lobby shaking hands with the multitude unless they

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WEATHER FOR NORTH CAROLINA Partly cloudy; probably showers tonight and Friday.