

of the Utilities commission, as the States proxy to vote its controlling stock at the annual directors' meeting at Morehead City today. "In a personal letter I asked the

board at this time to defer election of officers and directors," the governor said. "I presume it will transact current business. I suggested it meet again in September to consider elections."

for asking the delay.

Charlotte Folks Die In Wreck

Hartsville, S. C., Aug. 5.-(AP).-Dr. J. P. Matheson, 59, Charlotte, N. C., physician, was killed instantly and a woman companion died a short time later as the result of an automobile wreck near here early this afternoon. Highway Patrolman Paul McClel-

land said the woman victim had been identified as Mrs. J. T. Sowell, also of Charlotte.

Julius Calock, 63, chauffeur, was

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Grading Of Tobacco To Be Offered

Goldsboro, Aug. 5 (AP)--Charles Gage, of Washington, D. C., specialist in charge of the tobacco inspection section of the Bureau of Agriculture Economics, announced here today that free tobacco government grading on the Goldsboro, Farmville and Oxford markets would be continued this year. Five inspectors, he said, would be

sent to the market here. Officers for a permanent news bureau and headquarters for training tobacco inspectors have been leased in Raleigh, he said.

A referendum on the establishment of the service at Wendell will be established this month.

Threats Of Rail Strike

Vanish With Agreement

Cents an Hour Is **Clean Sweep Race** Granted to Over **Million Employees**

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 5.-(AP)-30-mile triangular course, Harold Threats of a strike of more than 1,-Vanderbilt's sleek snub-nosed Ran-000,000 railroad employees diminished ger today, led T. O. M. Sopwith's Endeavour II, the British challen-A five cents an hour wage increase ger, across the finish line by about half a mile to score her announced in Washington brought peace between the nation's carriers fourth and deciding victory in deand 8,0(* non-operating employees, fense of the America's Cup. since ratification was held only a

Still confronting the railroads, however, was the vote of 350,000 members of five operating brotherhoods authorizing a strike to enforce demands for 20 per cent raises. Settlement of the dispute with non-

operating brotherhoods, such as clerks and shopmen, was announced by the National Mediation Board last

today.

formality.

night. These 14 crafts authorized early this week a strike if their demands were rejected.

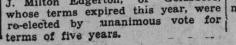
Otto Beyer, of the board, said the raise represented an increase of be-tween 8 1-2 and 8 3-4 per cent. The non-operating employees, like the operating employees, had demanded a 20 per cent increase.

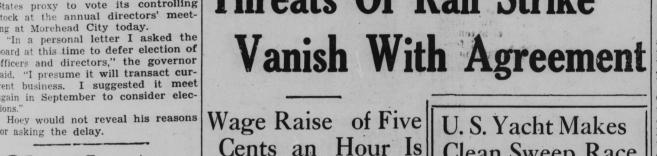
GUILFORD COLLEGE OFFICIALS CHOSEN Dr. Milner, President, Presents Re ports of Successful Operation of Institution

Guilford College, Aug. 5 (AP)—Dr. Clyde Milner, president, and D. D. Carroll, of Chapel Hill, chairman of

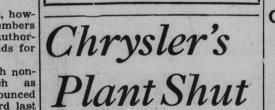
the board of trustees, presented reports of fine progress of Guilford College before a general session of the annual meeting of the North Carolina Society of Friends this morning.

For the first time in history, a wo-man was elected to the board of trustees. Mary Petty, of Greensboro, and J. Milton Edgerton, of Goldsboro, whose terms expired this year, were





Aboard Coast Guard Cutter Ar-(AP)—Gaining her lead on a rec-ord ten-mile windward leg and holding it safe over the rest of the





Detroit, Mich, Aug. 5 (AP)--The Chrysler Motor Corporation's plant

remained closed today after a riot yesterday in which ten men were injured. Only a few men appeared for

work today. The gates were not open-ed, and from a United Automobile Workers sound truck came instructions for the men to return to their

homes.

Conferences were resumed today. The UAWA demanded reinstatement of four men discharged for alleged participation in an attack yesterday noon on two officials of the Independent Association of Chrysler Employees, whose claims of 26,000 members are disputed by the United Automobile Workers.

Richard Frankensteen, organizational director for the UAWA, said "there probably will be no work today." The big plant, which employs 11,000

men remained closed throughout the

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wage and hour bill by Congress will make absolutely imperative the re-moval of railroad rate differentials against the South, if industrial prosperity is to continue in Dixie, Stanley Winborne, State Utilities Commission head, believes. Action of the Interstate Commerce

Commission in making an investiga-tion of these differentials upor their own motion is a very hopeful sign. Mr. Winborne said today in discussing the rail rate situation. Originally a combination of southern states filed a formal complaint with the commis sion, but also requested the I.C.C. to investigate the situation upon its own

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China Would Probably Be Victor If Contest Were Long Drawn Out

By CHARLES P. STEWART **Central Press Columnist**

Washington.-If China and Japan actually go to the mat, military men, to judge from comment by those in our own war and navy departments and by attaches at the various foreign embassies in Washington, are in geneneral agreement that Nippon must win in jig time or it cannot win at all.

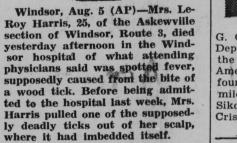
It is not disputed that, in training and equipment, the mikado's forces greatly outclass China's.

Japan, however, all accounts indicate, has not the resources to wage a long war. As its supplies play out, it

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OUR WEATHER MAN

FOR NORTH CAROLINA tion coast Friday.



TRUCKS RUN AGAIN **OVER PHILADELPHIA**

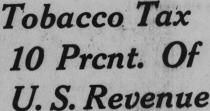
Near Normal Service Restored After End of Strike; Night Flare-**Up** Subsides

Philadelphia, Aug. 5. - (AP) -Trucks began to move normally throughout Philadelphia today. The Right Forestry Methods Is flare-up last night a few hours after the city-wide strike had been announced ended, except in the case of companies under contract to haul goods for the Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company, subsided. Mayor Davis Wilson, who proclaim

ed a state of emergency yesterday, said the proclamation would remain in effect until he was reasonably certain all danger had been passed.

Police convoys escorted A. & P.

trucks today, giving them safe con-duct throughout the city.



Washington, Aug. 5.—(AP)—Inter-nal revenuestatistics disclosed today tobacco tax collections of \$552,254,145 for the fiscal year ended June 30, represented more than ten per cent of all Federal tax receipts for the year. The tobacco collections were more

than double the \$265,755,938 paid in social security taxes, although they failed to exceed the \$595,301,432 paid in liquor revenue.

Total internal revenue taxes for 1936-37 were \$4,652,504,106, with in come levies accounting for nearly half that amount. Corporation in come taxes totalled \$1,054,888,799

Partly cloudy; showers in east por-on tonight and possibly near the ast Friday. Tobacco tax collections represented fore wanted burget of the wanted burget

G. Q. Caldwell (above) of the U. S Department of Commerce, was one of the 11 passengers aboard the Pan American-Grace Airways airliner found submerged in the sea thirty miles northeast of Cristobal. The Sikorsky amphibian was enroute to Cristobal from Lima, Peru, when it crashed.

TIMBER SHORTAGE CAN BE AVERTED

Remedy, Farm-Home Week Group Is Told

Raleigh, Aug. 5.-(AP)-The United States need not fear a timber shortage if approved forestry methods are practiced on farms, speakers tond North Carolina farmers here today while farm women at Farm and Home

Week held their annual business session and luncheon. Ferkins Coville, of the United

States Forestry Service; James Mc-Clure, president of the North Carolina Forestry Association; R. W. Graeter, extension specialist in for-

estry; N. T. Barron, a forester in Washington county, and P. R. Camp, of the Camp Manufacturing company at Franklin, Va., discussed timber problems

Tonight the delegates will hear to go, attending or returning from Governor Hoey and Harry Brown, the "Cotton Road" celebration in

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ATLANTIC STORM TO STRIKE N. C. COAST

Capes Warned of Approaching Disturbance, Which Will Not Be Violent in Nature

Jacksonville, Fla., Aug. 5.-(AP)-The Weather Bureau said today a slight Atlantic disturbance "probably

would pass over or near" the North Carolina capes this afternoon or early tonight, "without damaging winds." Observers said the storm area which never has developed into a full while individual income taxes totalled tropical disturbance, continued to be \$1,094,492,370. 1,094,492,370. Tobacco tax collections represented for small boats. They there-if ore warner small craft near the and jewelry, when the governor's

BY FEDERAL AGENTS

Victim of G-Men's Bullets Sought for Violation of Motor Vehicle Theft Act

Washington, Aug. 5.-(AP)-J. Edgar Hoover said today Federal agents shot and killed Jeff Harris, 34, at Tuscumbia, Ala., early today. Hoover said Harris was resisting arrest.

Hoover, Federal Bureau of Investigation director, said the shooting occurred when the Federal agents, accompanied by the sheriff of Colbert county, and khrde deputy sheriffs, tried to arrest Harris at the residence of Arlin Harris in Tuscumbia.

Jeff Harris was being sought, Hoover said, on charges of violating the Federal motor vehicle theft act.

Justice Department records showed Jeff Harris entered Kilby prison, Montgomery, Ala., February 15, 1935, on a charge of second degree murder, for which he received a 20-year sentence. He was paroled later, but the governor of Alabama revoked the parole last February 24, Hoover assert-



Daily Dispatch Bureau. In the Sir Waiter Hotel. Raleigh, Aug. 5.—For the first few days of this week Raleigh was very much a deserted village, so far as State officials and politicians were concerned. They were all planning

Clinton. Visitors to the headquarters of Cut-

lar Moore, chairman of the State Liquor Control Board, are greeted with this very discouraging sign promi-nently displayed where all can read: "No samples allowed in this office."

No story out of Raleigh in many

moons has had the same general

reader appeal as that telling of the

safe cracker who was reformed by his

One thing generally overlooked in

these stories was the fact that during

his last years, Ned, once known for

his disrespect for the valuables of

others, was often left as guardian of

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death of

love of flowers.

"Portland Ned," one-time