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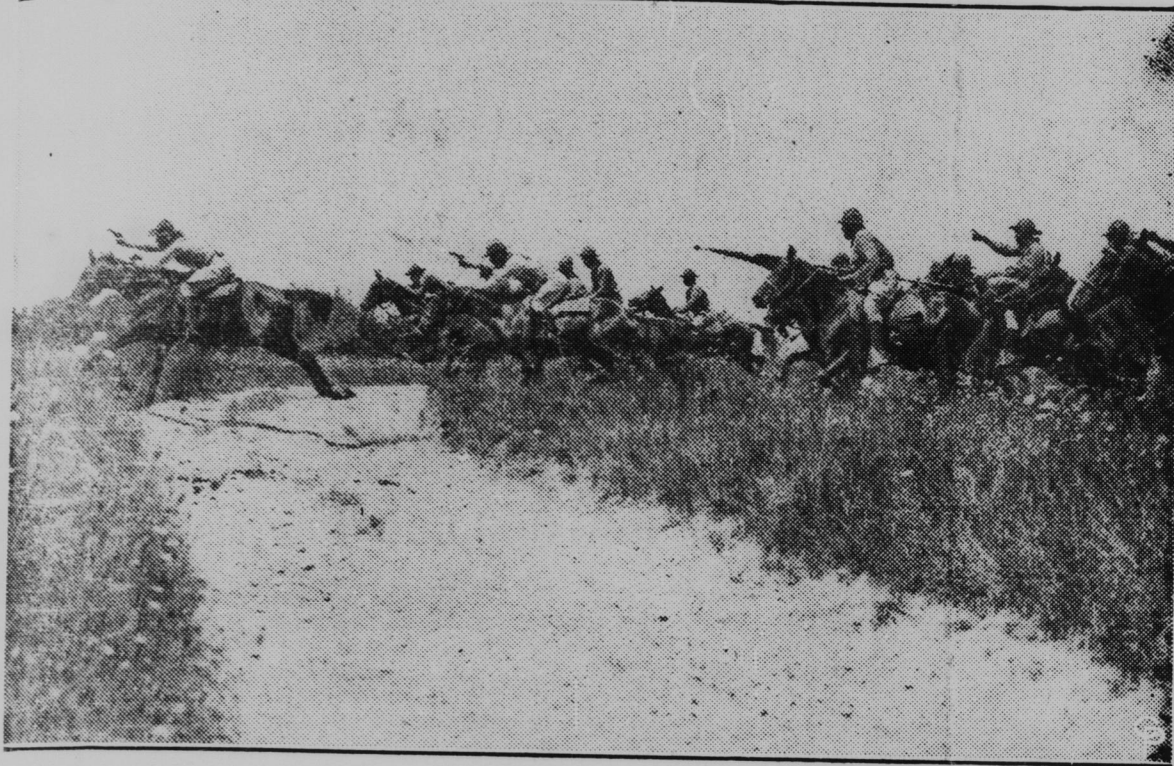
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## SUBMARINE SQUALUS BROUGHT UP AT LAST

The Horse Has His Day in U. S. War Games



The ghosts of Bull Run, bewildered by the strangeness of modern mechanized war equipment, at last see a familiar sight as the rough riders of the Tenth Cavalry from Fort Myer make a hell-bent-for-leather charge over the rough terrain, during U. S. Army maneuvers at Manassas, Va. Note that pistols have taken the place of sabers.

### Young Democrats Elect "New Dealer" President

#### Jury Reports Man In River Drowned

Greenville, Aug. 12.—(AP)—A coroner's jury investigating the death of Private Sam Lovett, Fort Bragg soldier, whose body was found in the Tar river here Monday, found today that Lovett "probably drowned".

The verdict reached this morning was "that the deceased came to his death through unknown means, probably drowned, in that his body was found in the Tar river."

County and State Bureau of Investigation officers failed to find evidence of foul play.

### State Labor To Re-Elect Its Officers

Daily Dispatch Bureau, Raleigh, Aug. 12.—Frank P. Fenton, director of organization for the American Federation of Labor, will substitute for Senator Robert (Vindictor) Reynolds, as speaker on the Monday program of the North Carolina Federation of Labor's annual convention, James F. Barrett, in charge of convention publicity, said today.

Director Fenton will speak at noon, Mr. Barrett said. Senator Reynolds, after accepting an invitation to appear on the federation's program, decided to sail for foreign shores instead and will not be here for the labor gathering.

Preliminary to the main convention.

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### Hoover Denies Debt Claims By Barkley

Palo Alto, Cal., Aug. 12.—(AP)—Former President Herbert Hoover asserted today Senator Barkley, of Kentucky, "has been grievously misinformed by the news research bureau" when he told the national convention of Young Democrats in Pittsburgh yesterday the Hoover administration had jumped the national debt \$6,000,000,000.

He quoted Treasury reports which

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### Weather

FOR NORTH CAROLINA.  
Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday; somewhat unsettled at times.

WEEKLY WEATHER.  
South Atlantic States: Partly cloudy, temperatures normal or slightly above, and occasional scattered showers during the week.

### Convention Cheers Demand by Mayor Kelly of Chicago That Roosevelt Consent to Run for Third Term for Presidency.

Pittsburgh, Aug. 12.—(AP)—After cheering a demand by Mayor Kelly of Chicago that President Roosevelt run for a third term, the national convention of Young Democratic Clubs today elected a 28-year-old New Dealer, Homer Matt Adams, of Springfield, Ill., as its president for the next two years. The vote was unanimous.

Adams, assistant director of finance of the State of Illinois, was placed in nomination by Pat Beacom, Huntington, W. Va., a candidate who withdrew in favor of Adams two days ago. He said Adams was a man who "will lead our democracy in the glorious path blazed by our great President," and was "young, progressive, vigorous, seasoned in politics despite his youth, and a tried and successful executive."

The speech set off a wild demon-

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### FREE DISTRIBUTION OF FOOD IS LISTED

Raleigh, Aug. 12.—(AP)—Director A. E. Langston, reported today that the State commodity distribution division handled 31,107,206 pounds of food commodities, and 7,930,130 other items for distribution to 193,428 persons on relief in North Carolina during the 1938-39 fiscal year.

The total commodities distributed last year increased by 130.7 percent over 1937-38, with the number of persons being served increasing about 57 percent from the number in 1937-38.

The 1938-39 commodities were valued at \$2,956,403.25, compared with \$1,443,950.18 in 1937-38.

### Undeclared Gubernatorial War Now More Confusing

Mention of Willie Lee Lumpkin of Franklin Get State Attention; Tom Cooper May Be Persuaded Out of Field.

Daily Dispatch Bureau, Raleigh, Aug. 12.—North Carolina's undeclared gubernatorial war, raging on many fronts and under many generals, is getting no simpler fast. In fact it is rapidly becoming a case of confusion worse confounded, and as the situation stands today anything can—and probably will—happen between now and the time when formal declarations of intention will be definitely in order under the Hoyer plan.

Nevertheless, there have been some recent developments which can be clearly noted, though their full force and effect on the future of the cam-

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### U. S. Ocean Fliers Not Yet Sighted

Dublin, Ireland, Aug. 12.—(AP)—Ireland remained without word of the American fliers, Alex Loeb and Dick Decker, as the deadline for their fuel supply was reached this afternoon. It was estimated that their fuel could last only to 4 p. m. (10 a. m., eastern standard time) on their attempt to fly from St. Peter's, Nova Scotia, to Ireland, in a monoplane like Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh used to fly to Paris 12 years ago.

They took off at 9:04 a. m., eastern standard time yesterday, with gasoline for an estimated 25 hours of flying, but with hopes of reaching Ireland non-stop, in 22 hours. The weather generally was favorable on this side, with favorable winds prevailing, and visibility excellent off the Irish coast, where coast guard stations kept a close lookout.

At the airport where Douglas Corrigan landed in his solo flight over the Atlantic, an official reported, "the weather still is favorable, but no ships have reported sighting the plane."

### Jap Shipping Firm Bombed At Shanghai

Shanghai, Aug. 12.—(AP)—A bomb explosion tonight damaged the offices of a Japanese-controlled shipping firm here, injured nine seriously and several others slightly.

The blast came as Shanghai, jittery on the second anniversary of the outbreak of warfare in the Shanghai area, prepared to cope with an anticipated wave of violence.

A heavy bomb, evidently thrown from the top of Embankments House, a big department house, struck in front and destroyed the Japanese navigation Bureau, an organization of the Japanese-dominated local regime for controlling small boat traffic on Soochow creek.

Both buildings are on Soochow

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### Roosevelt Begins Sea Trip North

Motors Down to New York from Hyde Park To Board Cruiser Tuscaloosa; Washington Ponders McNutt Prospects for 1940.

New York, Aug. 12.—(AP)—President Roosevelt boarded the cruiser Tuscaloosa at 11:45 a. m. today for a vacation cruise off the New England and Canadian coasts. He had motored here from his Hyde Park, N. Y., home.

Hyde Park, N. Y., Aug. 12.—(AP)—President Roosevelt left at 10:15 a. m., eastern daylight time, today on a motor trip to New York, where the cruiser Tuscaloosa waited to take him on a cruise off the New England-Canadian coasts.

The President had completed the job of passing on legislation. All of the hundreds of bills rushed through Congress in its closing days either had been signed or rejected. White House officials announced, and the President was looking forward to a period of carefree relaxation on the new cruiser and perhaps a bit of fishing.

In the seclusion of the study of his Hyde Park home, he received a last minute report on foreign affairs from the State Department.

Mr. Roosevelt said at a press conference yesterday that he saw no

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### Second Large Plane Falls Near Langley

Langley Field, Va., Aug. 12.—(AP)—An army plane crashed near here today in the second crack-up and burning of a Langley Field plane in 24 hours. The pilot and a passenger jumped in parachutes, but it was not learned immediately whether they escaped injury.

The ship, an attack plane, fell near Fort Eustis, several miles from here, while engaged in a routine flight. Post officials said the plane burned.

The plane was piloted by Second Lieutenant C. T. Murrell, of the Air

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### Publisher Named In Tax Evasions Is to Surrender

Chicago, Aug. 12.—(AP)—Federal prosecutors turned today to new phases of a grand jury investigation of charges involving M. L. Annenberg, wealthy Philadelphia publisher, pending his appearance on an indictment charging evasion of income taxes.

United States District Attorney William Campbell said he had been advised Annenberg and three others named in indictments yesterday would surrender next week. They owed \$5,548,348 in taxes, penalties and interest on a net income of \$6,243,523.01 for the five year period 1932 to 1936. His son, Walter, and Arnold W. Kruse, and Joseph Hafner were indicted on charges of aiding Annenberg in "willful" evasion of taxes.

### One Dead, 35 Injured In Train Crash

Denver, Col., Aug. 12.—(AP)—One man was killed and an estimated 35 persons were injured today in a collision of two passenger trains on a crossing switch in south Denver.

The man killed was tentatively identified as A. S. Mock, of Pueblo, conductor of northbound Santa Fe train No. 6. A dozen injured were taken to Denver hospitals.

The collision was between the Santa Fe No. 6 and the Denver &

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### Twenty-Five Years

It was 25 years ago today, on August 12, 1914, that the first issue of the Henderson Daily Dispatch was published. It was not known then as the "Dispatch", however, but as the "Daily Gold Leaf".

The daily paper was born during the uncertainty and wild excitement that attended the outbreak of the war in Europe, and was the answer to widespread demands in the community for quick service in news about the cataclysm that had come on the continent. The war began July 28, and was on so enormous a scale that it transcended in interest all local and national happenings in this country.

Today, as the Dispatch attains its quarter century milestone, conditions exist in a large part of the world that bear marked resemblance to those in the former trying times. More men are under arms and vastly more money is being spent for preparedness today than was the case in 1914 just before the outbreak of war in Europe. It remains to be seen whether there are sufficient brains and enough will for peace and enough vivid memory in the minds of men of the horrors of war to avert such catastrophe on a still greater scale in this modern day.

Just as the Dispatch was born to meet a need and a demand, just so it has striven through the years of its short life thus far to be of service and to discharge its duties to the community that gave it life and that has nourished it for two and a half decades.

This newspaper had a modest beginning, and in honesty and humility it has sought the while to fulfill its mission to keep the people informed of what is going on about them and to help in every way possible the progress and advancement of Henderson and the Henderson section. How well it has succeeded is for others to say.

But on this twenty-fifth, or silver, anniversary, it takes this occasion to pledge anew all the resources at its command to carry on for the good of the people who have made a daily newspaper possible in Henderson. It is grateful in large measure for all the good things that have come its way, and the good will and support of the community will be needed to continue its functions in the years to come.

### Hitler Is Host To Ciano At His Mountain Resort

Speaks for FDR



Pitt Tyson Maner

Pitt Tyson Maner, of Montgomery, Ala., retiring president of the Young Democratic Clubs of America, read President Roosevelt's message to the Pittsburgh national convention. The President, asserting he would not support his party if it nominated a conservative in 1940 convention, precipitated a storm of controversy.

### Socialite Is Shot By Man Who Suicides

Smithtown Branch, N. Y., Aug. 12.—(AP)—A socially prominent young divorcee was shot and critically wounded after a house party on the fashionable Long Island north shore today by a man described by State Police Lieutenant Charles La Forge as "a jealous admirer."

The assailant fired three shots at Mrs. Elizabeth Greve Caldwell Carolyn, of Delaford Farm, Noroton, Conn., wounded a State trooper who tried to save her, then turned the gun on himself and sent four bullets into his heart. He died almost instantly.

Lieutenant LaForge identified him as Lawrence Sprague, 30, stepson of Dr. Shirley E. Sprague, New York City physician.

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### Italian Foreign Minister Accompanied by German Minister Von Ribbentrop; Luncheon Tendered in Honor of Italian.

Berchtesgaden, Germany, Aug. 12.—(AP)—Adolf Hitler and the foreign ministers of Germany and Italy held a lengthy conference on Rome-Berlin axis policy today in the fuhrer's mountain chalet, near here.

Hitler gave Count Ciano, the Italian minister, a hearty welcome when he arrived by motor car from Salzburg, Germany, at 1:30 p. m. (7:30 a. m., eastern standard time).

There was a roll of drums from the fuhrer's black bodyguard as Ciano's car rolled up. Stepping out on the terrace, the fuhrer, accompanied by Foreign Minister von Ribbentrop greeted his guest and personally conducted him into the house.

The conference began after a luncheon given in honor of Ciano, Premier Mussolini's representative and son-in-law. Ciano was late leaving Salzburg, and it was believed the delay was occasioned by a last-minute telephone talk with Il Duce. It was believed the count had delayed his start on the 35-minute drive for the call.

Both Italian and German spokesmen remained tight-lipped on the

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### New Deal Bosses Are Not Keen For Extra Session

By CHARLES P. STEWART  
Central Press Columnist  
Washington, Aug. 12.—The New Deal Democratic management (not necessarily including President Roosevelt) doubts the desirability of an extra session of congress beginning in November, say the Republican party.

Management semi-favors an extra session, but can see certain objections to it, from the G. O. P. standpoint.

New Deal leaders (again not necessarily including President Roosevelt) realize that they need as much time as possible to work for a reconciliation of their badly split alignment on Capitol Hill. Consequently

### Craft With 26 Dead Was Lost May 26

Ship Follows Burst of Pontoons to Surface Near Salvage Ship; Will Be Towed to Shallow Water for Completion of Work.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 12.—(AP)—Apparently climaxing successfully the most difficult phase of a history-making salvage operation, the United States Navy today lifted the flooded submarine Squalus and her 26 dead from the ocean floor that has gripped her almost continuously since May 23.

Shortly before 9 a. m., eastern standard time, the three pontoons, attached to the tremendously heavy water-filled stern of the craft broke the surface amid a wild flurry of foam, indicating the after compartment had been lifted 80 feet from the bottom.

Without warning, save for a sudden burst of air bubbles, the three foremost stern pontoons broke the surface simultaneously, throwing foam fully fifteen feet into the air. The pontoons themselves broke almost clear of the water, sank beneath the surface and rose again to ride side by side on the calm sea. About two hours after the unwieldy stern of the submarine was

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### LAST OF TAR HEEL ROBBERS IS TAKEN

Newark, N. J., Aug. 12.—(AP)—Accused of participation in the \$2,455.54 hold-up in the Bank of Currituck, at Moyock, N. C., last July 18, Willie Albert Nichols, 27, Negro, was arrested in a rooming house today by Federal Bureau of Investigation agents and local police. A spokesman for A. Paul Kitchin, chief of the FBI Bureau here, said Nichols' arrest terminated the search for five Negroes who held up the bank. Four others previously had been arrested, the spokesman said.

### Georgia Near Season's End, Price 12-14c

Moultrie, Ga., Aug. 12.—(AP)—The Georgia-Florida bright leaf tobacco sales season neared its finish today, apparently with the average prices grooved in a 12 to 14 cents range.

The Moultrie market will close Wednesday at noon. Sales for the season through yesterday amounted to 9,123,262 pounds on this market for an average of \$12.97 per hundredweight.

Tifton arranged to close sales Tuesday at noon after a week's sales of 3,845,264 pounds at an average of \$10.79. The season total was 11,369,104 pounds for 13.31 cents average.

Adel reported a record tonnage for that market, with 4,441,648 pounds at an average of 13.89 cents.

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