THE DAILY FREE PRES The Home Paper The Weather Fair To Today's News Today VOL. XVIII.-No. 84 SECOND EDITION KINSTON, N. C., FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1916 PRICE TWO CENTS FOUR PAGES TODAY INVADERS OF ROUMA NIA RETREAT FIVE WILSON GETS READY NO PURSUIT VILLA, WILL BE HOURS YET **MAKES TWO HUNDR'D** MILES BEFORE ADVA NCING ALLIES; A BIG TO RETURN FIRE OF WHO IS LOITERING BEFORE TROOPS GET TARH'EL GUARDSM'N MAKE

Russians and Roumanians in Dobrudja Sweep Bulgari- To Discuss the Eight-Hour ans Back for Big Gain-Teutons Admit "Failure to Progress"-Ravaging Country as They Give Way-**Roumanians Take Town of Considerable Importance** 45 Miles Beyond Austrian Frontier-Troops of Central Powers Concentrate to Resist Successful Enemy In Black Sea Country-Most Violent Counter Yet In the Somme Offensive Checked by Curtain of Fire From the French Guns

(By the United Press) London, Sept. 20 .- A wireless message from Rome reports that the Russo-Roumanians have won victories in Dobrudja and Transylvania and that the Russians are again advancing in the Carpathians in Galicia.

London, Sept. 22 .- Under heavy blows of the Russo-Roumanian hammer, the Teutons in Dobrudja have retreated more than five miles already, say Bucharest dispatches.

An earlier statement reported that the Bulgars were burning villages and ravaging the country as they retreated. The statement also reported the capture of Szekely Udvarhely, an industrial town of 8,000 inhabitants, 45 miles inside the Transylvanian frontier.

Sofia dispatches admit the German-Bulgar "attacks" have been unsuccessful, but an official statement does not mention the retirement. It reports that the Bulgars are consolidating their positions in Dobrudja.

Furious Teuton Attack in West Fails.

Paris, ept. 22 .- The most violent German attack yet on the new French lines north of the Somme along the ed. Le Priez-Rancourt front, was checked by a French curtain of fire last night, it is officially said.

Another British Gain.

London, Sept. 22.-The British advanced on a mile front south of Ancre last night, capturing two lines of trenches between Flers and Martinpuich, according to General Haid. The Germans were driven toward the Lessars-Dueudecourt highway. The next strong line of defense before Bapaume.

Hour Law, Trade Competition and Other Issues Raised By Republican In **His First Addresses**

By ROBERT J. BENDER, (United Press Staff Correspondent) Long Branch, N. J., Sept. 22 .resident Wilson will make his first personal appeal for re-election tomorrow when he speaks from the veranda of his summer home to several hundred representatives of the Business Men's League. The Trenbefore the speech, and several thou- laws.

sand others are expected to be present.

throughout the West. .

The eight-hour law, what the administration promises the country. the laying of foundations for meeting and its preparation against foreign trade competition after the war are expected to feature the President's first "porch campaign" addresses. Following his address to the Young Men's League of Demo-

cratic Clubs, at Shadow Lawn, the President plans to confer with Walter Hines Page, Ambassador to London. It is understood the blacklist and mail interference will be discuss-



(By the United Press) WOMAN SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS. Mobile, Ala., Sept. 22 .- Mrs. J M. Sanders was today appointed superintendent of Pike Coun-

husband.

TEUTONS BOMB

RUSSIAN SHIPS.

Bulgar coast.

STOOD WITH SHOTGUN

TO KEEP SHERIFF OFF

Troy, Sept. 21-J. C. Johnson was

placed in jail today for failure to give

\$2,000 bond for assault on Deputy

Sheriff Stuart of Montgomery coun-

ty, and also for resisting an officer.

It appeared at the trial that Sheriff

Stuart in company with three other

men deputized by the sheriff went to

the home of J. C. Johnson about ?

De Facto Government Soldiers Afraid to Tackle the Bandit-Boast That He Was Badly Defeated But Won't Renew Chase

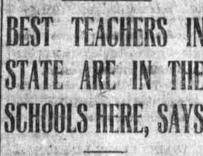
(By the United Press)

El Paso, Sept. 22 .- Although Francisco Villa is only twenty miles outside Chihuahua City, according to Carranza officials at Juarez, "a vigbe taken up, since Col. Rameus has abandoned it. General Trevino still ton gates of Shadow Lawn will be is conferring with his chiefs before opened to the public thirty minutes risking an encounter with the out-Trevino declares Villa was de-

ATTACK BY GERMANS IN WEST A FAILURE CANDIDATE HUGHES AROUND CHIHUAHUA UNDER WAY, PEPORT SOLDIERS OF CROSS FOR PEA

foated with heavy losses, and does Tremendous interest centers in not admit the capture of the city. He

the speech among Democratic leaders. charges that the attack was planned It will be the first plunge of the by "American and Mexican inter-President into the discussion of the ests," in the hope of influencing the ssues Hughes has been raising "American Peace Commission at New London.



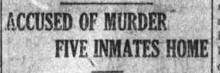
Trustee Cowper Declares That City Must Necessarily- Have Best Schools Since It Has Best Children In Carolina

Although the city schools have been doing business for a week and a half, the "formal opening" in the high school did not occur until Friday. The same for the Lewis school won't be pulled off until one day next Members of the Board of Trustees were present at the exercises Friday morning, held promptly at 9 o'clock. BIG ZEPS FOR ENGLISH BA Rome, Sept. 22 .-- Zurich dis-These were introduced to the teachers. Business affairs kept some of patches today revived reports that the Germans are building a the trustees away. County Superintendent Joseph Kinfleet of super-zeppelins for a sey made a short talk to the high great air raid upon England. school students in which he impressed upon them a lot of good things in a very few words, after his style, and ten called upon Trustee G. V. Cow Berlin, Sept. 22 .- German seaper to make an address. / Mr. Cowplanes have successfully bomper praised the schools and gave that barded two Russian ships on the young people encouragement in their work.

No Movement From Camp Glenn Today - Fitting Out Soldiers With Cold Weather Duds-Furlough for Few Infantrymen

Rev. W. Marshall Craig, the young There will be, no movement of soldiers from Camp Glenn today. That much is reported on pretty good authority. The sanitary troops, including an ambulance company with a orous pursuit" of the bandit will not big equipment, and a full field hos- M. C. A. at Camp Glenn. Mr. pital company, to use the first train Craig, back from the reservation, out, and the First infantry, to be the first line outfit to move, are ready to entrain at a minute's notice. Their paraphernalia is already on the cars. Fitting out of the men with winter-weight clothing is holding up the men. That is a big task for the quartermaster force at the reservation. Some of the clothing has not arrived from the Philadelphia supply depot, and it is generally believed at Camp Glenn now that it will be Sunday before the movement toward the border begins. The Second infantry, in which Kinston is most interested, probably won't get away before Monday afternoon or Tuesday morning. It is hoped that, since the regiment is coming through this city, that the Second will move by daylight. Several members of the First and Second infantries are spending short

furloughs here. Assistant Band Leader Joseph Ballard and Cook Oscar Palmer of the headquarters compay, Second, are among the number.



Hartford, Conn., Sept. 21 .-- Mrs Amy E. Eracher-Gilligan, charged with poisoning five inmates of her home for elderly people at Windsor,

Remarkable Success of Rev. W. M. Craig in Short Series of Services at Camp Glenn - Moral Standard Superb, Declares

pastor of the First Baptist church in this city, during the three nights ending Wednesday night secured no less than 200 conversions-the estimate is Mr. Cralg's-of soldiers in the Y. Thursday evening, told about the services and the sincerity of the men. Hundreds of those fellows, about to leave for El Paso, and possibly to back" of Villa, attended the services, Hundreds raised their hands in promise that they would try to make their spiritual lives better; and look ing out over the small sea of soldier faces, serious young Mr. Craig saw nothing but the seriousness there which did his heart good. Then when the time came for converts to announce, no less than ten score showed up. It was a wonderful and a truly beautiful spectacle for the preacher, for Mr. Graig knew-he wishes all the mothers and fathers of the young chaps down there knew it, he says-that amongst that 3,000 enlisted men there is more moral purity than there is in any ten thousand youths in civilized life. The physical standard of the North

Carolina soldlers is splendid. There is not a bit of doubt that the brigade will prove a revelation to the other soldiers in Texas. At the call for service they were above the average in the country, and three months of life under ideal conditions, with none hard work that those already at the

Allies Would Resent Suggestion as Coming Thro' Washington

WANT COMPLETE VICTORY

Madrid Another Possible Source of Overture, But King Alfonso Is Not Inclined to Be Used, Says London Opinion

(By the United Press)

London, Sept. 22 .- Germany will et another peace kite-flying in October, British officialdom expects. Recent apparently authentic rumors say Germany, suffering huge losses benume of the Somme offensive, is enleavoring to suggest an armistice through Spain and the United States. It is understood from high authority that King Alfonso is unresp and unlikely to act. The Germans, it is believed here, hope to tempt Presi-Mat Wilson to start negotiations at time when his success would affect the American election. It is believed uch a move on the part of Washington is foredoomed to failure and would arouse bitter resentment on the part of the Allies, eliminating Washington as a possible mediator.

GOING ON IN OTHER TOWNS AND COUNTIES OF FASTERN CAROLINA

A lot of indvertising must be done to bring the right kind of settlers to of the alleged harrowing heat and this section, says C. S. King, manager of a ranch in Beaufort county, border have experienced, has made and one of quite a few Middle Westthem a lot of male beauties in the erners who have located there. Why army uniform. Mr. Craig thinks there are people in the Central States was indicted for first degree murder they are fine physically, but their who actually believe the soil here is on five counts by the grand jury late moral standard-that is what he is poor, and that only cotton and tobactoday. Mrs. Gilligan pleaded not in ecstacies over-"is nearly superbi" co can be raised, Mr. King says. Mr.

Vigorous Fighting In Dobrudja.

Berlin, Sept. 22 .- The Russians are attacking the German-Bulgar line at Dobrudja with great vigor, it is said officially. Severe fighting is in progress along the whole front.

THE BORDER MATTER AMERICAN NAVY TO OUT OF WAY, COMM'N HAVE DIRIGIBLES AS **DISCUSSES' FINANCE BIG AS' GERMANY'S**

(By the United Press)

New London, Conn., Sept. 22 .-There was no formal session of the Pence Commission today, but the once of Albert Pani, one of the Mexican commissioners, in Boston, revived reports that a Mexican loan is being discussed.

The Mexicans have insisted that financial questions are secondary to the border patrol matter. With the patrol issue practically settled, it is believed the commission intends to take up Mexican financial affairs.

(By the United Press) Washington, Sept. 22-A mon-

ster zeppelin type dirigible as big as some of Germany's largest, is to be bought by the Navy De-N partment. This first air monster of the navy will be 500 fect in length, and be only the beginning of an aerial fleet. The dirigible is to cost half a million dollars.

miles south of Troy for the purpose of laying off his homestead under ex-HUGHES SAYS PRE'ST ecution, whereupon Mr. Johnson re-BRIGADE THE fused to let them enter his house and to prevent them from doing so he TARH'EL GUARDSM'N USED HARSHNESS IN used his single-barrelled shot gun and WITH PENNSYLV'N'NS MEXICAN SITUATION would kill them.

Harrisburg, Pa., Sept. 21.-Adjt. Richmond, Ind., Sept. 21 .- Instruc-Gen. Thomas J. Stewart of Pennsyltions said to have been given by vania today received a telegram from President Wilson to John Lind, his such as Mexico then had," Hughes Maj. Gen. Chas. M. Clement, com- personal representative in Mexico manding the seventh division at El, during Huerta's time, were cited in the executive to state this proposi- any front. They look like the fly- I saw was not large. The Germans Stewart in July. Several jurors dis- at Northic Paso, to the effect that the brigade speeches by Charles E. Hughes at tion to a minister of another govern- ing fish one sees on the ocean, many have other aeroplanes much larger, qualified themselves by saying t of North Carolina infantry, company Fort Wayne today and here tonight of engineers, field hospital company in support of Mr. Hughes' denial out if he does not get out. That it On close examination you discover and ambulance company will be as- that the administration sought to deal is the preference of the President an aeroplane standing about eight purposes of combat the "flying showed the extent of opinion as signed to the seventh division. This with small States in the same spirit that it should be accomplished by do- feet from the ground| The wings are whales" cannot be equalled, even by the defendant's guilt, and public it division is made up of Pennsylvania as with large States. Iroope.

ment, namely: 'Huerta will be put times magnified.

Kinston has the best teachers in the boiler room of J. C. Thomas' North Carolina, Mr. Cowper declar- roller and planing mill at 4:30 this ed, and must have the best schools, afternoon. The total loss is estimatsince it has the best children. ed at \$40,000.

THE FLYING WHALE LATEST ADDITION TO GERMANY'S WAR MENAGÉRIE; GHANT FISH-**AEROPLANES UNEQUALLED, SAY** SHAPED

By CARL W. ACKERMAN. | The motor is enclosed in the head and at the sides, where the eves of (United Press Staff Correspondent) With General Von Linsingen's Ar- the fish would be, are two windows. mies on the Russian Front, Aug. 20. The operator or observer can look -(By Mail)-Germany has added out from above the fish's hack or kept the track and no one was injurtold the sheriff if he or any of his flying whales to her other war won- from the sides, through the eyes. crowd tried to enter his house he ders of the air! (The censors' scissors had detect-

ed a paragraph at this point, possi- TERRY TRIAL UNDER A hundred yards away these new neroplanes look like gigantic fish with bly carrying more details of the aerodouble fine which have flopped out plane's construction.)

authentic information of the actuar of the water and lie stranded on These flying whales have greater speed, more bomb-carrying capacity

High in the air they are the most

mestic means, other means adequate those of an ordinary aeroplane, but the famous French Nieuport ma- ing in the matter. The taking "I have only received this' for the purpose will be resorted to.' the bodies are shaped like a fat fish, chines,

l'here was nothing at all s guilty and was remanded to the county jail without bond for her appearance at the December term of the Superior Court.

Most of the inmates were admitted to the home, the State claims, after contracts had been signed providing for life care upon payment of \$1,000.

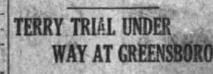


Statesville, Sept. 21 .- The main promise. He knows his men. business portion of Hiddenite was

destroyed by fire which originated in ACCIDENT TO TRAIN ON A. C. L. NEAR GRAINGEI

> An A. C. L. passenger train which left here for Weldon at 4:10 Thursday afternoon was delayed by an accident a short distance beyond Grainger. a few minutes out, and did not move for nearly six hours. A train due here at 7:40 was held up at moved out of the way.

The front truck of the outbound train left the track, turning partly around under the locomotive, and bumped over the crossties for a distance of about 200 yards, tearing up rails and ties. The passenger cars



and quicker action than any other bi- of the forenoon today to select a jury had been sold. Prices ranged from planes in Europe, officers at the Ger- in the case of State vs. J. A. Terry, 15 to 15.621-2. The staple in tringsaid. "Jobh Lind was authorized by startling creatures I have seen on man aviation camp told us. The one charged with the marder of John R. ing practically as much in Kinston as equipped with two motors and carry- had formed and expressed an opl

ing three or four persons, but for that the defendant was guilty, wh testimony was begun about not

owners and advertisings

about the services in the Y. M. C. The New Bern Sun-Journal says A: tent. None of the ordinary meththat a resident of the Caswell secods of persuasion were employed. That wouldn't have "gone" with the tion, passing through that city Thursmen. anyway. They were simply day, had 31 suitcases of whiaky, the total quantity being estimated told some truths and, listening atten-350 quarts. It is thought that the tively, more orderly and more interested than any congregation in civil bulk of he liquor was brought on a life, decided to "come across." The sleeper from Norfolk and transferred chaplains took their names. Mr. to a day coach at New Bern. The Craig, three hours from Camp Glenn, parson, came on through unmolested feel very confident that practically by the police, who had not gotten the last man will make good his wind of the "perambulating barroom."

Company B, Engineers, recently organized at Charlotte, arrived at Camp Glenn, with two officers, and 70 men, traveling via Wilmington.

AGAIN FAIR BREAKS **ON TOBACCO MARKET**

Between 225,000 and a quarter of a million pounds of tobacco was sold here Friday, at prices as good if not Grifton until the northbound train a little better than Thursday's. Offerings were good on the whole.

Heavier sales are expected on the market next week. A number of large planters are reported to have not entered the market at all yot, and millions of pounds of the best of the crop romains to be disposed of. October may equal, possibly surpass Soptember in the total of sales.

COTTON

Cotton sold high here Friday, Recipts were heavy. It was estimated

Greensboro, Sept. 21.-It took all at 3 o'clock that more than 50 balos

Net State	Open	IE I
January		16.
March		16
May		16.
October		35.
December		24.

instructions that were given with re- their bellies on the sand. They have spect to the government of Mexico, four big eyes on each side.