

ROANOKE BOOSTERS ROYALLY WELCOMED ON VISIT TO CITY

Virginians, Headed by Gov. Lee Trinkle, Spent About Half an Hour in This City on Tour of Two States.

CONCORD BOY IN BOOSTER PARTY

Rev. Oscar Blackwelder Called Upon to Make Address.—Key to City Presented to Visitors by Mayor Foil.

The Roanoke Boosters, about 140 strong, headed by Gov. E. Lee Trinkle, of Virginia, Congressman C. A. Woodrum, Mayor B. J. Fishburn, and Mr. R. H. Angell, president of the Club, spent almost half an hour in Concord yesterday, arriving on their special train from Charlotte shortly after 2 o'clock. Their arrival was about one hour later than scheduled, owing to the reception that had been given in Spartanburg, Gastonia, Charlotte and other cities visited before reaching here.

BROOKHART READY TO TAKE WITNESS STAND

Will Be "Only Too Glad" to Tell About Schemes, to Drive Farmers Back to Peasantry.

Jewel, La., Aug. 24.—Declaring that he would be "only too glad" to go under oath to "tell the farmers of Iowa and the United States what I have learned about the financial schemes to drive them back to peasantry," United States Senator Smith W. Brookhart, addressing an American Legion picnic here today, renewed his attack on E. T. Meredith, former Secretary of Agriculture, with whom he has taken issue on the financial condition of the farmer.

LEVIATHAN WINS IN RACE ACROSS ATLANTIC

Arrival at Southampton Many Hours Ahead of the Steamer Olympic.

Southampton, Aug. 24.—(By the Associated Press.)—The United States steamship Leviathan arrived here from New York at 12:55 a. m., today, Greenwich time. At that hour the White Star liner Olympic, which left New York about the same time as the Leviathan last Sunday, had not yet reached Cherbourg, her first point of call on this side, at which the big American passenger ship arrived at 5 o'clock this morning. It was estimated by officials of the United States Lines that the Leviathan had beaten the Olympic by at least 12 hours as the report indicated that the British liner was not likely to reach Cherbourg until around 6 o'clock this afternoon.

Fire Prevention Exhibition.

New York, Aug. 24.—One of the outstanding features of Fire Prevention Week this year, October 8 to 13, will be a great educational national fire prevention exhibition in New York City. For the first time will be shown thousands of products and devices, such as fire resistant roofing, metal doors, windows, springer systems, fire extinguishers, safes, electric goods, etc., which have been listed by underwriters' laboratories. Only those products which have passed the rigid tests of this non-commercial, non-profit-making and public service institution will be eligible for display at the exhibition. The exhibition will aim primarily to show that 80 per cent. of the enormous annual fire loss in the United States is unnecessary.

Parcel Post Adds to Exports.

Washington, Aug. 24.—The American export business by mail and parcel post is growing so rapidly that Department of Commerce officials have decided to ascertain so far as possible the extent of this business of which no statistics ever have been kept. It is believed to run into a huge sum each year, which will swell the total value of the foreign exports of the United States. Plans have been completed to collect, beginning with January, 1924, statistics of exports by parcel post and mail, which have not been collected heretofore. Postmaster General, have been drawn up regarding business concerns in the United States exporting by mail goods valued at \$25 or over to file export declarations.

Injured American Improving.

Nice, France, Aug. 24.—Improvement is reported in the condition of the eight Americans undergoing treatment in the hospital here for injuries received in the recent accident near here when a sight seeing bus fell over a 300-foot precipice into the River Yar. The injured, who are being cared for by English nurses, include Isaac R. Strayhorn, of Durham, N. C.

CO-OPS TESTIFY IN THE PITTMAN TRIAL

Deny Attempt Was Made to Misrepresent to Prospective Members Terms of Contract.

(By the Associated Press.)—Greenville, N. C., Aug. 24.—Direct denial that agents for the Tobacco Growers Co-operative Association attempted to misrepresent to prospective members the terms of the Association contract was made here today by defense witnesses in the trial of G. H. Pittman's case in which he seeks to have his contract declared void.

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(By the Associated Press.)—Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 24.—What is considered by many officials and officers of the state and also by thousands of automobile owners as one of the most important laws passed by the last General Assembly—the motor vehicle title registration act—goes into effect October 1.

In view of this law, automobile theft insurance officials already have announced that they will reduce their rates 10 per cent., and, according to Secretary of State W. N. Everett, in whose hands rests the enforcement of the law, they have assured that further automobile theft insurance rate reduction will be made later in accordance with the effectiveness of the new act.

Registration of all automobiles and other motor vehicles, including trucks and motorcycles, by their manufacturers and engine numbers, is required by the new law, which also makes it unlawful for a person to operate a car on or after October 1 unless registration has been made or applied for.

An automobile must be registered just like a piece of real property; the owner must have a title to it, said Mr. Everett in summarizing the law briefly.

Provisions are made for transferring automobile titles in a much similar manner to the transferring of titles to realty holdings. Special provisions are made for automobile dealers, new and second hand.

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LEWIS HEILIG DIED HERE DURING NIGHT

Was Found in His Bed Here After Failed to Report to Work.

Lewis Heilig, member of a prominent Cabarrus family, and for 20 years an employee of the Southern Railway Company here, died sometime last night at the home of Mr. J. S. Lafferty, where he had made his home for a number of years. Death was caused by heart trouble.

Funeral services probably will be held tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church in Mr. Peasant, conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. A. Linn.

Lewis Herbert Heilig was born in Mt. Pleasant 53 years ago, a son of the late Major L. G. Heilig and Mary Shipchock Heilig. He came to Concord about 20 years ago and accepted a position in the freight office of the Southern Railway Company, holding that position continuously until the time of his death.

TRINKLE NOT TO RUN FOR SENATE IN 1924

Sets at Rest Rumors That He Will Oppose Sen. Carter Glass Should Latter Seek Office Next Year.

(By the Associated Press.)—Greensboro, Aug. 24.—Governor E. Lee Trinkle, of Virginia, last night denied that he is contemplating announcing his candidacy for the United States Senate in the Democratic primary of next year in opposition to Senator Carter Glass, according to a story appearing this afternoon in the Greensboro Daily Record.

THEORY OF SUICIDE IS ABANDONED BY CORONER

Yadkinville Sheriff Believed to Have Been Killed By Parties Unknown to the Jury.

Winston-Salem, Aug. 23.—A telephone message received from Yadkinville stated that the coroner's jury investigating the death of ex-Sheriff B. L. Laney, returned a verdict at 2 o'clock this afternoon to the effect that the deceased came to his death from a gunshot wound inflicted by an unknown party.

FIFTY KILLED WHEN TRAIN JUMPS TRACK

Mess of Dead Were Jews, on Their Way to Coast to Sail For America.

Moscow, Aug. 24 (Jewish Telegraph Agency).—More than 50 persons were killed and approximately 100 injured when a train proceeding from Vilna to Warsaw left the tracks and crashed into a dam early yesterday morning. The impact burst the dam and the ensuing rush of water helped to swell the casualty list.

Premier Kato's Death Officially Announced

Death Was Due to Complication of Maladies That Weakened His Heart Beyond Repair.

Tokio, Aug. 24 (By the Associated Press).—Premier Kato died this morning apparently from a complication of maladies that weakened his heart beyond repair.

Night Air Mail Will Be Operated as Well as Daylight Service

Washington, Aug. 23.—A regular transcontinental airplane mail service, operated at night as well as during the day, is assured. Postmaster General New declared today as a result of the successful trial flights during the last few days.

COMMITTEES MEET TO HEAR OUTLINE OF HOSPITAL PLAN

Many Organizations of City Represented at Meeting of Medical Society Committee at Y Thursday Evening.

COMMITTEES ARE BEHIND PROPOSAL

Just What Hospital Would Mean and Something of Its Work Outlined—Ask Organizations to Support It.

An enthusiastic meeting in the interests of a Cabarrus County Hospital was held on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock at the Concord Y. M. C. A. under the auspices of the Cabarrus County Medical Society, who had as their guests representatives from most of the organizations in the city of Concord; including the Woodmen of the World, Masons, Knights of Pythias, Independent Order of Old Fellows, Junior Order, Manufacturers' Association, Medical Society, Ministerial Association, Bar Association, Elks, Kiwanis and Rotary Clubs.

CUNO OFFER STANDS WITH PRESENT REGIME

No Change in Regard to Reparations Made by Present German Officials.

Berlin, Aug. 24 (By the Associated Press).—The present German government stands by the offer made by the recent Cuno government for the meeting of Germany's reparations obligations, Chancellor Stresemann told the German industrial commerce club in addressing it today.

WANTS FIUME'S STATUS DETERMINED SOON NOW

Premier Mussolini Asks Joint Commission to Make Its Report to Him Not Later Than September First.

Rome, Aug. 24 (By the Associated Press).—Impatient over the delay in settling the status of Fiume, Premier Mussolini has asked the joint commission dealing with the question to reach a decision before September 1st.

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With Our Advertisers.

The Pearl Drug Co., is making special prices on Palmolive goods. New ad. gives particulars. The Cabarrus Cash Grocery Co., has just received a car of Spartan Dairy Feed. Makes the cows give more milk. Its facilities together with attention of its officers, make the Citizens Bank and Trust Company a satisfactory place to do your banking business.

Kenneth Gets His.

St. Louis, Aug. 22.—Kenneth Williams of the St. Louis Americans got his fourth homer of the season in the 24th inning of today's game with Boston. The four-bagger was off Ferguson's bat on a home run. It was Williams' second circuit drive in the two days that he has not been using his "plugged" bat, which has been barred by Ban Johnson president of the league.

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