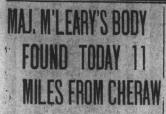
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Missing Army Officer Found at 11:30 O'clock This Morning by Searching Party Sent Out Today. **BODY MANGLED;**

EATEN BY ANIMALS

Apparently Had Been Dug Up—No Clothing on Body —Major Williams Sends Message to Raleigh.

It was stated by the police department at Hamlet at 1:30 this afternoon that nothing had been heard there regarding the find. Nothing had been heard from the searching party headed by the mayor and police officials of Hamlet, since they left, it was stated at the police depart-ment

King Taken to Columbia. MeBee, S. C., July 17.—Mortimer H. Ming Taken to Columbia. MeBee, S. C., July 17.—Mortimer H. King, who is aliged to have confessed the killing of Major Samuel McLeary and taken to Columbia, S. C., late today. Asheville, July 17.—Mortimer H. King, who has signed a confession that he and another man killed Major Samuel H. Mc-Leary of the coast artillery corps, today was taken to the vicinity of Cheraw, S. C, to end with the recovery of the body the mystery that has absorbed Federal military and civilian authorities for more finan a week in North Carolina and South Carolina. Mc. H. Mass state at the extra time Meats in Amust. (By the Associated Press.) Takiery July 17.—When the extra

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than a week in North Carolina and South Carolina. The confession made public late last night at Canton, N. C., said that King and his companion, whose name was not divulged, pending search for him, had killed Major McLeary on July 2nd, and had hidden his body near Cheraw, where the officer had given them a liff in his automobile. The motive, it was stated, was robbery, and the finding of one of the Major's shirts in King's home near Canton yesterday was described as bring-ing about the confession, after he had convinced investigators on Monday that he had nothing to do with the crime. Arrive in Union, S. C., on Domble Mission

he had nothing to do with the crime. Arrive in Union, S. C., on Double Mission Union S. C., July 17 (By the Asso-ciated Press).—On a double mission—to find the body of Major Samuel H. Mc-McLeary, slain a forthight ago, and to arrest the accomplice in the murder—a searching party lead by Major W. S. Williams, of the Department of Jusitee, arrived here early today, and soon af-terward left for Lockhart, about four-teen miles away, on information that the second man wanted had gone to that place.

OHIO APHASIA. VICTIM RECOVERS AT CAPITAL Columbus Man Recalls Nothing After Auto Ride in Home City July 2. Washington, July 15.—Oharles Ray-mond Davis, aphasia victim, who woke up fin a park here yesterday after ap-parently having wandered from his nome in Columbus, Ohio, today was re-borted to have recovered completely and ready to leave a hospital for his home. Davis now is awalling word from his nome in Columbus, with which he com-nunicated yesterday after awakening in her park.

municated yesterday after awakening in the park. The lapse of memoty Davis suffered is estimated to have stretched over 12 days. The last thing he remembered, Davis said, was on July 2, when he was riding in an aatomobile on the out-skirts of Columbus with a man named Alderman. Davis said he saw a lamp post 'rushing toward me,'' that he rais-ed his arm, and that was all. After Davis woke up in the park here yesterday he asked a policeman for aid, and the officer sent him to a hospi-tal.

tal. EXPLOSION WRECKS

Opened Firm Today at an Advance o From 13 to 26 Points.

(By the Associated Press.) New York, July 17.—The cotton mar-ket opened firm today at an advance of 13 to 26 points. Continuation of yes-13 to 26 points. Continuation of yes-terday's buying was encouraged by rel-atively steady cables, better reports from Attively scenary capies, better reports from the cotton goods market, and continued nervousness over new crop progress. A good deal of realizing was absorbed on slight setbacks, the carly market selling up to 30,80 for July and 26.12 for October or 35 to 40 points net high-er. The opening prices were: July

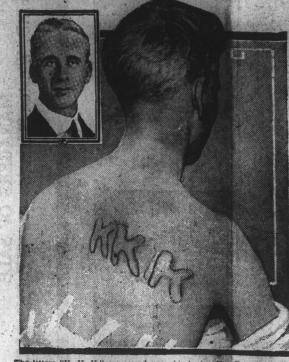
\$5,000,000 FOR THE SCHOLLS
 When the Extra Session of the Legislature Meste in Aurust.
 (By the Associated Press.)
 *Raleigh, July 17.—When the extra session of the General Assembly converses here in August, it will be asked by Superintendent of Public Instruction, A, T. Allen, for authority to make a third loan of \$5,000,000 to the various counties of the state for erection of new schools, according to an announcement made from the office of the superintendent.

ent. Soldiers Seek Aid in Making Out Insur ance Papers.

Soldiers Seek Aid in Making Out Insur-ance Papers. (By the Associated Press.) Snisbury, N. C., July 17.—Many are steking the aid of the American Legion Post of this city in making out their ap-plications for the insurance bonus as au-thorized by the last Congress. One case in particular stands out above the others though which is significant of some of the demands that are made upon Uncle Sam for the behefits of his generosity. This was the case of a man who had passed successfully down the list of questions in the application blank, until the quest tion of length of service was reached. The legionnaire asked him the date of his entrance into the army and that of his discharge. He gave them. The leg-ionnaire did a little figuring and discov-ered that the applicant had served just thirteen days. Then he asked the man if he drew a \$60 bonus upon his discharge. Upon being informed that such was true, the legionnaire repied, "You owe the sovernment just upout \$45, but there is the dow?."

the second man wanted had gone to that place. With the party was Mortimer H. King alleged to have confessed that he and another man killed the army officer on July 2nd, after they had been given a lift in the major's automobile, and who was to direct them to the place where the two are said to have buyied him on a lonely roadside near Camden. Coming to Union in hope of arresting Frank Harroldi a 22-year-old youth, who is said by Major Williams to have beas after hearing that Harrold had gone to thockhart, immediately departed for that place, after which it is understood the guidance of King the slain officer's body will be hunted. Searching Roadside Between Hamlet and Cheray. Hamlet N. C. July 17-A narty of Searching Roadside Between Hamlet and Cheraw.
 Hamlet, N. C., July 17.—A party of about 30 men headed by the mayor and police officials of this city left here about 9 o'clock this morning to search the roadside between Hamlet and Cheraw.
 C., in an effort to find the body of Major McLeary.
 Party Has Net Arrived at Cheraw. Cheraw, S. C., July 17 (By the As-sociated Press).—Cheraw awaited the arrival of Federal officers reported to be bringing Mortimer H. King here to locate the body of Major Samuel H. Mer Leary, through the early hours of today in vain. CONCORD, N. C., THURSDAY, JULY 17, 1924

Who Branded Minister



The letters "K. K. K." are seared upon his back. But Rev. Orrin Van Loon of Berkeley, Mich., a Detroit suburb, insists he remembers nothing of the branding. The minister had started for Lake Orion, Mich., to attend a Bible conference. Nearly two weeks later he was found un-conscious on the streets of Battle Creek. He had lost 34 pounds and his hair had turned from gray to white. Doctors declared he had been drugged. Rev. Van Loon said he recalled nothing from the time he cashed a check with a bank in Resel Och searchie a check at a bank in Royal Oak, near his home, until he awakened in the hospital in Battle Creek.

1800 TRAFFIC OFFENDERS FACE JUDGES IN CHICAGO GEORGIANS COMING TO STUDY ROADS OF NORTH CAROLINA

FACE JUDGES IN CHICAGO
 War on Auto Speeders Keeps Four Courts Working at Limit.
 Chicago, July 16.—Chicago's war on automobile speeders brought 1800 occud-ers into four Courts where fines and prison sentences were imposed today, with the Judges working at feversh into to handle the crush. The fines averaged \$5 to \$10 for first offenses, and habitual offenders were given prison sentences and heavy fines.
 Deaths under automobiles are ap-groaching the 400 mark for the half preas end as majority, st.-them can be traced to reckless or drunken drivers who tear through the streets in utter disregard of human life. The new rules limit speed to 20 miles an hour in the congested districts and even slower rate at corners.
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the congested districts and even slower rate at corners. Many of the offenders in the courts today were adolescents—reckless boys of 16 and under, who are permitted by their parents to go on streets with powerful cars. Several women were caught in the net. Most of them had been arrested for defying the rules against crossing boulevards without stopping. In all cases the offender were told that a second offense would mean a fine of \$25 or more and a third would mean a prison sentence.

an a prison sentence. REAL DOG SHOW IS PLANNED FOR STATE

gements Completed For a Compre-sive Exhibition at State Fair This Arrange

hensive Exhibition at State Fair This Fall. Raleigh, July 15.—A real dog show for the State Fair here this fall is prom-ised by General Manager E. V. Wal-born, who has completed arrangements for a comprehensive exhibition with the Central Carolina Field and Kennel Club. for a comprehensive exhibition with the Central Carolina Field and Kennel Club. Efforts to have a dog shew at the State Fair have been made for several years past, but the difficulty has been in getting it organized on a solid basis. This difficulty, it is believed, has been obvinted and dog enthusiasts from all over the state are expected to take part. The Central Carolina Field and Ken-nel club has been incorporated under the

The Central Carolina Field and Ken-Pressa.) . The club has been incorporated under the laws of the state with the following offi-cers: President, E, Guy Robertson, first vice president, E, Guy Robertson, first vice president, Will D. Briggs; secre-tre yesterday, the hospital, was severed was severed to the officers and Dr. Lewis Pegram. S Mrs. Arant S street a car and a second preser pinning membership of dog lovers.

Advised by The Observer that a dele-definition of 21 members of the Georgia General Assembly would visit Charlotte and South Carolina, Col. T. L. Kirk-gatrick, president of the rohas of North and South Carolina, Col. T. L. Kirk-commerce, stated that plans for the en-tertainment of the Georgians will be tertainment of the Georgians will be the time of the arrival of the Georgians will be the time of the arrival of the Georgians will be the time of the arrival of the Georgians will be the time of the arrival of the Georgians the farmer-tabor party in 1920, called

SNAKE AT HER FEET Repressed Natural Ccream For Fear of Disturbing the Church Service. Cottonboro, N. H., July 16.-Mrs, Anna Enman, wife of the Rev. S. B. Enman, pastor of Cottonboro Methodist Church, is the heroine of the town. Mrs. Enman is the church organist. Just after she took her place at the organ during services the other night, she saw a three-foot green-and-white milk adder coiled up less than four feet away. Her first impulse was to stream, but, fearful that this would break up the services, she kept on playing while the congregation sang, and the snake, soothed by the music, looked on quietly. Then the pastor began to preach. The snake became restless. Mrs. Emman was scared, but she stuck to her place. Then Then the philor began to became was scared, but she stuck to her place. Then she played and the snake again was charmed. When the services was over the snake led the way out of the church and later was killed.

The they will use his candidacy at the proper time. An invitation was extended Mr. Jimi-ison today to join the speaking forces of the La Follette organization and he was asked to visit a number of industrial centers over the country on a campaign for the progressive party. Mr. Jomison has the matter under consideration and if gittable arranements can be made he will probably be heard in a numbers of states during the campaign. Should he decide to become a candidate for the United States senate, he would return to North Carolina at once and give careful attention to his fences.

WHEELER BOLTS DAVIS TO WORK FOR LAFOLLETTE

ays He Cannot and Will Not Support

Morgan's Attorney. Washington, July 16.—Sen. Wheeler, lemocrat, Montana. will not support John W. Davis, the democratic presiential

John W. Davis, the democratic pres-dential nominee. Announcing this decisison today Mr. Wheeler, who directed the senate in-quiry into former Attorney General Daugherty's administration, said he in-tended, however, to support the demo-cratic ticket in Montana, and work for the re-election of Senator Walsh. As for his own rote, Senator Wheel-er said it "likely" will be cast for Senator LaFollette. He declared, how-ever, that he would not accept endorse-ment as a vice president candidate on the LaFollette tickt if it were offered him.

Winston-Salem Authorities Seizing Cars

Winston-Salem Authorities Seizing Cars Without Tags. Winston-Salem, July 16.—Although a fifteen days' period of grace, from July Ist, was granted, there are yet many automobile owners in this section who have not purchased new license plates for 1024-25. Those attempting to op-erate their cars today without the proper tags are finding that the authorities didn't mean 'maybe' when they said that such operation would not be permit-ted in this city. From 6:30 o'clock this morning until 2:30 this afternoon 15 drivers were cited to appear in court GREAT SURMARINE IS horning until 2:30 this afternoon 15 drivers were eited to appear in court Thursday morning and explain to his bonor just why their cars did not carry the new license plate. And this will probably prove an expensive proposition, for there are costs to be paid and then the license must be purchased.
 Martin Luther's Handwriting Brings Top Price at Auction.
 (By the Associated Press.) Berlin, July 17.-Martin Luther's handwriting commanded a higher price eyen than autographs by Goethe and Il, has a maximum breadth of 27 feet

DAVIS WILL SOON Walsh Says He Regrets the

(By the Associated Press.) (By the Associated Press.) New York, July 17.—When John W. Davis came to New York from his coun-try home today he had a long discussion to ampaign plans with Senator Thomas J. Walsh of Montana, who is chairman of the notification committee Clem Shav'-ter. of West Virginia, one of those under consideration for national chairman, and David Ladd Bockwell, who was manager for Mr. McAdoo. If was expected that he would announce his choice of cam-pain manager before night. This will probably be Mr. Davis' last day in New York before he leaves for May in New

country. Among the other callers were Geo. W. Olvany, the new deader of Tammany Hall, Judge Wesfcott, of New Jersey, who placed President Wilson's name in nomination in 1912 and 1916; and John G. Saxe, former state senator. The nominee today moved into of-fices in the Murray Hill Hotel which will serve as his New York headquar-ters.

THE BRAZILIAN REVOLUTION Government Bulletin Says Federal Forces Are Now in Possession of Greater Part of Sao Paulo. Buenos Aires, July 17 (By the Asso-ciated Press).—An official bulletin issued at midnight by the Brazilian governmient, and received by La Nacion, states that the complete success of operations being conducted by the federal troops along the entire front will not be long delayed. The hulletin declares that Federal forces are now in possession of a great part of the city of Sao Päulo, Federal thoroughfares, even the Municipal The-atre. It is added that numerous fugi-tives who banadoned the Federal cause have arrived at other cities, and algo that the Federal troops have made a number of prisoners, including one off-ore. ters. Senator Walsh was asked what he thought of dispatches. telling of the de-termination of his fellow senator from Montana, Mr, Wheeler, to support Sen-ator La Follette for President. "I do not want to comment on Sena-tor Wheeler's action, except to say that I regret it," said Senator Walsh. "Sen-ator Wheeler is a man of strong convic-tions and of earnest purpose, and I am sure he has taken the course that he thinks is his duty as a public spirifed citizen."

eer. Communication states that according to news from Sao Paulo the organiza-tion of patriotic batallions continues. An official communication issued at hoou yesterday says: "We are operating an important movement of forces along the entire front. New elements whose organization has been completed are go-ing to enter into the action." INSIST ON BAKERS TAKING TP THE LOAN TO GER

WANT TO ABOLISH UNIT AND TWO-THIRDS RULE

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feet. The French members also expressed their joint conviction that the economic unity of Germany could not be restored until the proposed loan was underwritsouthwestern states in an effort to make both the unit rule and the two-thirds maten. German Motor Manufacturers Fear American Competition.

citizen."

both the unit rule and the two-thirds majority rule inoperative in future national conventions has advanced today to the stage of formal interchange of views on the subject, a member of the committee revealed. A committee member from one western state had prepared a formal declaration on the subject for submission to the proposed meeting of the National Committee members have given assent to the proposition since the national convention adjourned, a week ago, a leader in the move said today. American Competition. (Ey the Associated Press.) Leipsic, July 17.—Germian automibile manufacturers are much worried over the prospects of American competition. Certain embargoes upon the importa-tion of foreign cars are about to expire, after which nothing but, a customs tariff will stand in the way of a flood of American autos.

of American autos. German manufacturers recogn German manufacturers recognize that they can only hope to meet American competition if they unite and simplify production. Thus far there has been a tendency for every auto engineer com-ing up from the ranks to set up for himself as soon as his funds permitted, and to devise a car slightly different that mass production is unknown in y for the United States Navy

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BEFORE DAY CLOSES

Confers Today With Senator Walsh, Clem Shaver and David Ladd Rockwell, Mc-

Adoo's Former Manager.

LEAVE FOR MAINE

Action of Senator Wheel-er, Who Announced He Would Support La Follette

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Germany. As a first step toward concentration and centralization, the two largest automobile manufacturers in Germany, Daimler and Benz, have pooled their in-terests and entered into an arrange-ment which approaches standardiza-tion



Nearly into an the early nours of today in vain. -No authentic information as to the where abouts of the officer and their prisoner was available here. Chief of Palice W. H. Jacobs said he received a message during the night to the effect that the party would arrive on the first southhound train, but when the train arrived at 9:50 o'clock the party was not on it.

further particulars on page nine arrest and confession of King.the ar

The great cathedral about to be con secrated in Liverpool has taken twenty years to build.

Ten Pages Today Two Sections

Poured Out 1,000 Gallons of Beer, (By the Associated Prevas) Gastonia, July 17.—Kings Mountain was washed with a thousand gallons of beer, when Deputy Sheriff Miles Rhyne and Officers Clyde Robinson and O. T. Sams found a 60 gallon copper still sur-rounded by numerous hogsheads of beer on the side of the mountain. They im-mediately poured the beer out of the hogsheads, strewed 50 gallons of blackber-ries which they also found by the still, all over the ground and destroyed the still. The blackberries were to be used for making brandy, the officers said.

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NO TRACE OF MacLAREN

The British Aviator Is More Than 33

The British Aviator is More Than 33 Hours Overdue. Tokio, July 17 (By the Associated Press).--No trace of A/ Stuart Mac-Laren, British aviator, overdue at Para-mashiru Island, and his companions in an around the world flight, had been found up to 9 o'clock tonight. MacLaren then was more than 33 hours overdue. Japanese destroyers were continuing a search for the missing party.

With Our Advertisers. With Our Advertisers. The big semi-annual sale on all cloth-ing, shirts, bathing suits, straw hats, un-derwear, etc., at W. A. Overcash's starts July 18th-tomorrow. One-fourth off will be given on all clothing, shirts and bathing suits, one-half and one-third off oh straw, hats and big reductions on odd trousers, felt hats, hosiery and un-derweat. See new ad, on page seven. Prices are cut to the lowest noth at Robison's during the July Clearance Sale.

even than autographs by Goethe and all, has a maximum breadth of 27 fee Schiller at an auction of autographs here. A letter addressed to the Elector John of Saxony brought 9,100 marks. The second highest price, 5,000

were killed instantly in a copper mine basis of dynamite exploded premature by according to reliable information received here today.
Republicans Meet at Durham This Articanom.
(By the Associated Press.)
Durham, July 17.—The executive committee and the electors of the Republican party of North Carolina will meet this afternoon with the state and Congressional candidates of the party, is was stated last night by William G Branham, chairman.
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The Firemen to Close Meeting Today. (By the Associated Press.) High Point, July 17.—A tournament, in which firemen from all over the state are expected tot participate will close the 38th annual convention of the North Carolina Firemens' Association here to-day.

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 Andrews, July 16.--Walker McGuiren and Wibourn Crip, superintendent are compositive the matter by according to reliable information received here today.
 Republicans Meet at Durham



Fair tonight and central pe ght, slightly cooler in portions; Friday fair.