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ELIZABETH CITY, NORTH CAROLINA. MONDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 1, 1919.

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ARE CALLED OFF

City of Knoxville Carefully gram. Guarded To Prevent Further Race Riots. Maurice Mayes at Chattanooga

(By Associated Press)

Knoxville, Sept. 1 .- Mass meetings in connection with the city primary next Saturday were called off today following race riots which started when a crowd charged the city jail Saturday to get Maurice Mayes, a negro held on the charge of murdering a white woman.

trolling the streets.

the down town section and all ap- dent Bertrand. pearing on the streets are searched. The revolutionists are planning a for arms. No assemblagies are al- siege of the capital, advices state. lowed for any purpose.

Work has been started on repairing the jail which was partly wrecked TRADE REOPENS TODAY by the mob.

The accused negro is in Chattanooga for safekeeping.

The grand jury is to convene Wednesday and the city authorities will give the names of many who are alleged to have participated in the riot.

The exodus of negroes which began Saturday continued today, many DRYS CARRY WAR leaving the city on trains, in vehicles end on foot.

LABOR TRUCE

And Suspension of all Strikes in Country ecommended in Committee's Report

(By Associated Press)

New York, Sept. 1 .- The suspen-State Federation of Labor today.

C. L. HINTON **DIES SUDDENLY**

C. L. Hinton died suddenly Sunday 62 years. He is survived by his wife. Mr. Hinton is one of the "Hinton Brothers" who are among Pasquo-

DANIELS REVIEWS PACIFIC FLEET

tank's wealthiest citizens.

(By Associated Press) San Francisco, Sept. 1.— The Pacific Fleet of forty two ships piloted pressing the opinion that the prohiby Admiral Rodman was reviewed by bition campaign will do positive mis-Secretary Daniels today.

NEW YORK LABOR REFUSES TO PARADE

(By Associated Press)

New York, Sept. 1 .- The high cost the abandonment of the annual Labor Day parade here.

Workers are also reported to have lost interest in the picturesqueness of the celebration because of strikes and labor troubles.

VISITING MOTHER

Miss Wilma Sample of Richmond, is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. May Sample, of this city.

RETURN FROM MOUNTAINS

Mr. W. P. Boettcher and son, Otto, returned Monday morning from A vannannoa. The latter is much imob ved in health after spending the fromer in the mountains.

FROM KANSAS

Frank Curtis, Jr., of Benedict, Kan- hands of the executive. eas, are visiting at the home of Mr and Mrs. W. S. White, on Pennsyl- Misses Elsie and Dorothy Gregory

BAPTIST CONFERENCE HERE ON TUESDAY NORTH

here on Tuesday with Dr. W. R. Cullom of Raleigh in charge of the pro-

These conferences are a part of the Baptist \$75,000,000.00 Drive and are being held all over the South.

All Baptist people are urged to at-

The hour is ten a. m. and the place is the First Baptist Church.

REVOLUTIONISTS PLAN TO ATTACK PRESIDENT BERTRAND

(By Associated Press)

San Salvador, Sept. 1 .- Col. Rodri-The city is quiet today with a large guez, with two hundred Honduran force of soldiers and deputies pa- revolutionists, are reported advancing from the Gulf of Fonsca toward Cho-The negroes are not permitted in lutega to attack the forces of Presi-

WITH CENTRAL POWERS

(By Associated Press)

London, Sept. 1 .- Trade was reopene dtoday with the Central Powers of Europe.

ENGLAND

London, Aug. 1. (Correspondence of The Associated Press.) - "Pussyfooting" is the term the newspapers and rBitish liquor interests have given the campaign to make England Melick Co. dry, and "pussyfeet" is the title they have given those members of Parliament and American Anti-Saloon League workers who are pressing the movement.

It has been announced that there sion of all strikes in the country and is abundant money behind the movea labor truce of six months to enable ment, and the nucleus of a parlia-President Wilson to force down the mentary prohibition party has been cost of living are recommended in formed by nine members of the House the report of the committee of the of Commons to first fight for the retention of war time liquor regulations while forming their lines for more drastic action.

Harrogate, a health resort with some 80 mineral springs, was selected as the first object of attack, and a number of speakers were sent there Perry spent Sunday at Ocean View. to spread the "dry" doctrine. It was afternoon at his home at Hinton's tention to Scotland where, under new regulations, local option is possible. with relatives. Other plans, it was announced, are in the making, and within a year the campaign will be in full swing.

Most of the newskpapers have done nothing but ridicule the movement, and urge that owing to the climate British men and women needed stimulants and would never voluntarily relinquish their alcohol.

Lady Henry Somerset, late president of the British Woman's Temperance Association, is quoted as exchief by making prohibition appear to be the sole alternative to a return vacation. to the pre-war position.

The liquor interests say they have not given the question much attention, preferring to believe that the prohibition experiment in the United States will fail and therefore there of costumes is given as the cause for will be no need for atcion in England.

> WANTED AT ONCE-A GOOD REliable boy from 14 to 16 years old. A good opportunity for the right Sunday at Nags Head. boy. OWENS SHOE COMPANY.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mrs. M. S. Heath take this means of expressing thanks tended sympathy in the sad hour of few days. their bereavement.

DECLINES TO GIVE DRAFTS OF TREATIES

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Sept. 1 .- President Wilson declined to give the Senate Foreign Committee tentative drafts of the treaties with Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria on the grounds that it would tend to take the funct-Major F. C. Lynch, wife and son, ion of negotiating treaties out of the Natt Burgess in Camden.

re visiting triends at Bel-Air, Md.

A Baptist Conference will be held UNDRSTAND NEGRO

Such is Sentiment of Whites And Negroes In Conference At Austin, Texas

(By Associated Press)

declaring opposition to the northern defeated the Grays Saturday afterpeople who do not understand conditions in the South were made public at a mass meeting of whites and

LIVE LOCALS

Miss Mary Sanderlin spent Sunday at Nags Head. She was accompanied by Miss Stella Baum, who returned to her home in Kitty Hawk, after spend-Sanderlin, on Panama street.

Jerry Hughes have returned from a ended the game. motor trip to Washington, D. C., Richmond, Luray, Vr., and other Grays: 0 1 0 0 1 0 2-4

Miss Evelyn Wilkins and brothers. Arthur and Harry Wilkins, have re- Caddy for the Cubs. Wood, on North Road street.

the guests of Mrs. Constant Fearing, games straight. on Ehringhaus street.

Miss Mary Sanderlin has accepted a position in the office of P. W.

fittle daughter Mary, and son George spent Sunday at Ocean View. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hyatt of Win-

ston-Salem, N. C., are visiting Mrs. W. H. Hyatt in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cox and daughter have returned from a ten

Miss Fannie Lee West is spending some time in Winfall.

Miss Addie Brock and Martin

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hyatt, of Norfolk, are spending some time here

Misses Dorothy Scott and Marie LeRoy returned Sunday from Nags

Miss Mary Lou Munden and Miss Mary Ward returned Sunday after spending some time at Nags Head.

Miss Verona Wynn and Miss Myra Nichols, of Portsmouth, are spending the weekend with relatives here.

Miss Mattie Spruill left Sunday for Norfolk, where she will spend her

Miss Virginia Toxey, of Norfolk,

spent Monday in this city.

day in this city.

J. T. Perry, of Sunbury, spent Sun-

W. G. Gaither returned from Nags Head Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Barnett spent

Miss Minnie and Henriotta Godfrey returned Monday morning from Belcross after visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Walston and to all their friends who so kindly ex- children hace gone to Norfolk for a

> William Godfrey spent Sunday at Nags Head.

> Graham Newbern, of Jarvisburg, was here Saturday.,

> I. A. Forbes, of Jarvisburg, was in the city Saturday.

Miss Luray Sawyer is visiting Mrs.

Mrs. Edith Dail, of Powells Point

Take Last Game by Close Score Game Fight

In the seventh and final game of Austin, Tex., Sept. 1.—Resolutions the series the Elizabeth City Cubs

noon by the score of five to four. At the end of the sixth the score stood five to two in favor of the Cubs negroes discussing the race question but in the seventh the Grays batted Boyce, the Cub pitcher, out of the box, and came within an ace of tieing the score. Davis who succeeded Boyce, with two men down and two strikes on the batter, threw a high one over the plate and Caddy, the Cub catcher, without waiting for the umpire's decision, threw to third. ing a week with Misses Grace and Caddy's throw went wild and a Gray runner was on the way to the home position at once. plate with the run that would have W. T. Love, Sr., W. T. Love, Jr., tied the score, when the umpire Milton Love, and Grafton Love, and called the high one a strike and

> The score by innings follows: Cubs: 0 2 0 0 0 3 0-5

Batteries: Reid and Henderson, for the Grays; Boyce, Davis and

Norfolk, Sept. 1 .- The Odd Fel- The same watch, strange to say, or the community generally. Twilight league, of that city.

at 4:30 p. In. and it is expected that it here again now. will be one of the livest events of Labor Day

POSTAL EMPLOYEES HOLD CONVENTION

(By Associated Press) Washington, Sept. 1 .- The National Federation of Postal Employees

began its convention here today. The organization plans to assist the government in reducing the cost of living and running down profiteers. It also advocates better wages and

DRIVE OUT BOLSHEVIKI

(By Associated Press)

working conditions.

Lithunian troops have driven the from the text, "And Yet There Is Bolsheviki from Novo Aledandrovsk, Room." southwest of Dvinsk, according to the statement of the Lettish press bu-

reau. The Letts claim the capture of a large number of prisoners and guns and report a steady advance.

IN HONOR OF GUEST

Misses Sophia Ives and Miss Mary Maud Morrisette delightfully enterthe home of Miss Ives, on South Road Misses Mary Jones, Linda Thornton, street Friday night from 8:30 to Ida Ballance and Evelyn Pritchard, thy Petree, of Norfolk.

Knee and Elizabeth Harris, of Nor- Raynor Pritchard, Jr., of this city. folk, Louise Smith, Blanche Sutton, Annie Byrum, Gussle Sample, Eva Walston, Mittie Fearing, Katherine Spence, Anna Hester Bottitt, Messrs Robert Byrum, Joe Lamb, Richardon Sedgwick, Clyde Garrett, Edwin James, William Ballard, Leslie Spence, Conrad Bailey, Ray Ives, Charlie Bell, Josh Dawson, Brighty & White, Clyde Butler, and James Harris, of Norfolk.

SALESLADIES WANTED—ONE OR * two experienced salesladies wanted * at once at Mitchell's Department & store. Unless you have had at least five years experience don't apply. Employees who have been with the firm sixty days she o in its profits O. F. Gilbert, Pro. 8.1. 1

HOUSEWIVES LEAGUE

The Housewives League will meet Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock in the Rest Rooms, Hinton Building. of Five to Four. Grays Made brought up and it is hoped that all members will be present.

MISS ALBERTSON RESIGNS

Miss Catherine Albertson has resigned from the faculty of the Elizwho have learned to respect and love creek near here. her during her work as an educator in the community. Miss Albertson terious stranger who called at the kindly offered to stay until the first Cooper home last Thursday night and of November if necessary, but Prof. left in an automobile with Cooper Sheep was fortunate to secure the who has not been seen again alive. services of Mrs. Romulus Hall for the

Mrs. Hall has just come to the city a bride after two or three years experience in teaching. She is a gradspecialized in England and French.

THIEF GETS WATCH

When Rev. C.M. Cartwright, pastor turned to their home in Norfolk af- This game ends the series and the of the First Baptist Church, colored, where in the county limits. ter visiting their aunt, Mrs. George season, the Cubs winning four games of this city returned home Monday | Inasmuch as another carnival was to three for the Grays. In the first morning he found that a thief had expected here at a very early date, half of the series the Grays had the entered his home twice during his the action is of much interest to the Miss Mabel Overton and Oron edge on the Cubs and the latter team absence. The first time was Satur- public and finds favor with the more Overton, of Norfolk, are in this city, won out only by taking the last two day night, August 16th, when food serious minded people of the comwas taken from the refrigerator. On munity who believe that money spent the next night, the intruder got away on carnivals might better be kept in SOUTH NORFOLK TO PLAY with a ladies gold watch and \$30 in the savings bank or used to buy ELIZABETH CITY GRAYS money, both belonging to Rev. Cart- Thrift Stamps, and this without any wright's wife.

lows' baseball team of South Norfolk was stolen last year and was found Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Godfrey and will leave Wilson's corner on Monday in the possession of a grandson of tile daughter Mary, and son George morning at 7 o'clock and journey to George Reed, colored barber. Reed Elizabeth City for the purpose of saw that the watch was returned and playing the Grays, champions of the paid Rev. Cartwright \$5 for the chain which could not be found. The The game will be called promptly boy was sent out of town, but is back

As soon as Rev. Cartwright heard the news of the loss he took steps to sailed for the United States today. find the watch and to catch the thief, Marshal Foch bade him farewell so the jewelers and the police are on the lookout.

LARGE CROWD AT FIRST BAPTIST

more, preached at both morning and oath of allegience and are now sailevening service at the First Baptist ors in the making. The men are: Church Sunday and was heard by an unusually large crowd, especially at

the evening service. Mr. Bowers spoke in the morning on the Baptist task in the Seventyfive Million Drive now about to be Copenhagen, Sept. 1.-Lettish and launched. In the evening he spoke

HOUSE PARTY RETURNS

The house party given by Miss Ida Ballance, of this city, and Victor Sylvester, of Portsmouth, returned Sunday after a week's stay at Nags Head.

They were chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Raynor Pritchard of this city. tained a number of young friends at The party consisted of the following: 11:30 o'clock in honor of Miss Doro- of this city, Mamie Snowden, of Maple, N. C., Lucille Menzel, of South Many delightful games were played Mills, and Ellen Stapelford, of Wilthe prizes being won by Josh Daw- mington, Deleware, Messrs Horace E. son and Elizabeth Harris. Afterwards Swain, of Norfolk, Victor Sylvester. delightful refreshments were served. Butler and Dewey Parsons, and B. Those enjoying the party were: P. Reid, of Portsmouth, D. W. Reid, Misses Dorothy Petree, Elizabeth of United States Navy, and Master

LANGUAGE OF THE CONSUMER.

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WHY NOT SPEAK IT

MEETS WEDNESDAY P. M. POLICE PROMISE EARLY ARREST

Very important matters will be Search Continuous For Mysterious Stranger Believed To Have Murdered Robin J. Cooper

(By Associated Press)

Nashville, Sept. 1 .- The police toabeth City High School to accept a day promised the early arrest of the more remunerative position else. slayer of Robin J. Cooper, prominent where. . The announcement of her attorney implicated in the shooting resignation brings disappointment to of the former Senator Carmack in many boys and girls and parents, 1508, whose body was found in a

Search is being made for the mys-

COUNTY PUTS LID ON ALL CARNIVALS

The County Board of Commissionuate of Meredith College and has ers met Monday morning at the courthouse in their regular monthly ses-

Among other things, the Board AND THIRTY DOLLARS passed an ordinance forbidding licenses to be issued to any carnival company to hold their shows any-

detriment of the youth of the land

(By Associated Press) Brest, Sept. 1 .- General Pershing aboard the transport Leviathan.

TEN YOUNG MEN ENLIST IN NAVY

Ten young men from Elizabeth City were enlisted in the Navy to Rev. Bartlett A. Bowers, pastor of serve on board the fast torpedo boat the First Baptist church of Balti- Robinsno. These men took their

> David Fox, 616 Morgan street. Cecil Jacob Mastin, 616 Morgan

William Leslie Sherlock, 10 Purse street. Malcolm Parton Meads, Weeksville Milton Lee James Wilson, Weeks-

Milton Thomas Bright, 10 Glade Ernest W. Midgett, 408 West

Frank Coontz, 217 Pearl street. Freece Tarkington, 508 Hunter

Main street.

Oscar Trueblood, Roper. These men will leave Elizabeth City from the U. S. Coast Guard dock at 8 a. m. tomorrow morning for the U.S. S. Robinson which is at

present in Norfolk at the Navy Yard. There still remains an opportunity for those who have not enlisted to do so and be sent aboard this ship. They must however report to the Coast Guard dock before 8 a. m. tomorrow morning.

MUNISH IS UNDER MARTIAL LAW TODAY

(By Associated Press)

Copenhagen, Sept. 1. - Munich, * the Bavarian capital, is under mar-# tial law, and soldiers and machine guns are posted in the streets, according to Berlin reports.

EDITORS TO CURRITUCK

The Editor of The Advance and the Little Editor are attending Currituck

LOST- FRIDAY, NEW CENTURY Self-filler Fountain Pen, either on Pennsylvania Avenue or Cypress Street. Has gold band with the initials A. L. B. on it. Finder will please return to A. L. Brown at office of Southern Gaz Co. and receive reward.