WEATHER Partly cloudy weather \* with local thunder showers \* tonight or Thursday. Little change in temperature. ........



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#### PLANES OFF TO SINK DESTROYER

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Thirty-five Bomb-laden Hopped Off Langley Field to Test face Sea Craft

Newport News, July 13 .- | charge. ginia Capes today by a Martin bomber.

Newport News, Va., July 13 .bomb-laden airplanes Thirty-five hopped off from Langley Field and winged their way today out to the Atlantic where they will attempt to reels. sink a former German destroyer.

Brigadier General Mitchell is lead. ing the airmen tests which are designed to demonstrate the effectiveness of planes operating against surface sea craft.

SOME POTATOES STILL MOVING

Growers

had moved, prices rose to \$4 and Sykes, comparatively few growers who had held their potatoes. shipped recently have reached their Stephens of Norfolk. destinations in bad condition.

M. E. Dennis, general freight home at Great Bridge. agent of the Norfolk Southern railroad here, stated . Tuesday that shipments over the railroad GRANT AUXILIARIES from Elizabeth City for July through Tuesday aggregated 87 cars. Move ments are continuing at the rate of is practically all gone.

R. C. Abbott, one of the largest local potato commission merchants, trace now in effect in Ireland. eported Tuesday that his total con-

FREE OF CHARGE Thursday Night at Court House Seven Reel Show of Delightful Variety Will Be Shown

MOVING PICTURES

Thursday night at eight o'clock at Effectiveness Against Sur- the court house a delightful moving picture show, seven reels long, of splendid variety, instructive and entertaining, will be given free of

to see this show.

quality;

The Yosemite Valley, one reel. Richmond, Virginia, one reel.

two reels.

"All's Well That Ends Well," a The public is given this opportu-

nity for an evening of pleasure by the atories and facilities for caring for Auto & Gas Engine Works, Inc.



Theodore Garnett Walton, of Great

After the bulk of the potato crop was rendered by Miss Emerald more and more in need of the aid of \$4.50 last week, to the delight of the ed by the rector, Rev. G. F. Hill. This week present were Mr. quotations are practically as high Hall, Stanley Hall, Mrs. Ada Thomas American Medical Association to representing City Road Methodist C. Morris, general manager and for first grade stock, but, due to the Williamson., and Miss Anne C. Wil- make a careful and detailed investi- Sunday school. The score was 5 to 2. intense heat, nearly all potatoes son, all of Great Bridge, and E. A. gation and its conclusion is that this The game was full of excitement from married couple will make their pital facilities in rural sections.

### INDEFINITE LEAVE

Dublin, July 13 .- Large bodies of around two cars a day, and the crop police auxiliaries have been granted

indefinite leave as a result of the

A MISUNDERSTANDING **OF A HOSPITAL** 

Interested Citizen Expresses moneys collected by former City tention Here

A Community Hospital is an es- owed W. A. Jones \$300 which could The former German destroyer A cordial invitation is extended the sential public service institution and not be paid because the city funds G-102 was sunk off the Vir- people of the country and the town should be non-secretarian and non- were low, and that Mr. Gommander The following brief summary of provides for and welcomes any suf- bills in this amount, and turned the the program merely suggests its high fering fellow being and endeavors money over to Mr. Wood, together to give the best care and attention to with a list of those from whom he his needs. It has for its purpose the had collected. In taking down the cure of curable diseases, the relief of names, Mr. Wood overlooked those Farming with a Fordson, two suffering and the prolonging of life of T. F. Bartlett and C. A. Spruill. and is a place of first resort in sick- As soon as he learned of the error Where and How Fords Are Made, ness or injury of any acute or serious Mr. Commander, who now is living nature.

> The extensive advances in medicine Elizabeth City and assisted the tax clean, wholesome, jolly comedy in one in recent years make it necessary collector in correcting it.

> > hospital with its well equipped labor- Mrs. Kaber Has the sick or injured and where he can give his patient the benefit of the

later and better methods of diagnosis and treatment.

Was of Little Benefit to Church, when Miss Evelyn Byrd veniences and modern equipment and tors were called and court adjourned Moss, of this city, was wedded to Mr. to see the value of hospital facilities until afternoon. in the saving of life and preserving of

Bridge, Va. The wedding music health in the community. They are BLACKWELL BASEBALL TEAM The ceremony was perform- hospitals, well equipped with laboratories and other essential furnish-

The community of Cincinnati, Ohio, comprising 250,000 people, built a \$95,000,000 hospital and willingly taxed themselves to the extent of \$800,000 a year for its mainten-

ance and support. If longevity of life is being promoted in the crowded cities where diseases are so easily contracted, by proper medical and

hospital facilities, is it not time that our rural folks, with every natural dvantage in their favor he given

With reference to the misunderstanding at the last City Council meeting relative to the payment of

AN EXPLANATION OF

Sentiment of Public on Mat- Manager J. C. Commander to City ter Now Claiming Much At- Tax Collector G. H. Wood, City Auditor M. E. Bell explained Wednesday morning how the situation came

on his farm in Virginia, came to

that the physician have access to a

Hysterical Faint

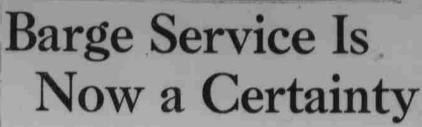
Cleveland, July 13 .- Mrs, Kaber went into a hysterical faint today

The public is coming more and while her brother was testifying in One of the most attractive mar- more to appreciate the handicap of her behalf in the trial here in which riages of the year was quietly physicians attempting to perform she is charged with murdering her After Bulk of Crop Moved two-thirty at Christ Episcopal nity without the aid of modern con- carried into the judge's room. Doc-

In an interesting game of baseball Among the out of town guests ings and the high rate of mortality Tuesday evening the Blackwell Mem. and Mrs. Colan in the rural sections is causing the orial baseball team defeated the team timore Tuesday with Franklin The newly condition is due to the lack of hos- start to finish. During the fourth in- States Inland and Coastwise ning the game was called on account of rain, but after the rain ceased play

> was again resumed and ended in a victory for the newly organized Blackwell boys. The batteries were: City Road, Bob Elliott and Rogers; and Woodley.

Much of the pleasure of a motor



about. He declared that the city Job And Robinson, of City Chamber Of Commerce, Succeed In Effort To Bring Government Line To **Elizabeth** City

FIRST BARGE TO ARRIVE JULY

New York Canal And Great Lakes Corporation Have Not Purchased the Line, As Warfield Stated Here Saturday

Through barge service between this city and Baltimore and Philadelphia is now assured, and the first barge will leave Rise In Market Quotations solemnized Tuesday afternoon at their important duties in a commu- husband. She screamed while being Baltimore on Monday, July 25, and arrive at this city on Wednesday, July 27, and leave about July 30.

> This is the news Secretary R. C. Job of the Elizabeth City WIRELESS SAVES DEFEATS CITY ROAD CLUB Chamber of Commerce brought back Wednesday upon his return from a conference at Baltraffic manager of the United Waterway Service, Intracoastal Division.

has developed that the New operation 200 miles at sea directed York Canal and Great Lakes Cor- by wireless from Brooklyn was deporation, whose officers demanded a scribed here today by Dr. Raymond guaranteed freight revenue of Eliza- Barrett, of the Brooklyn Liospital. chard and Kirby. Umpires-Ferrell beth City in the amount of \$100,000 The captain of the tanker, Vesta annually, did not purchase the gov. performed it under Dr. Barrett's ernment barge line, as they had wireless instructions on a man's in-IT PAYS TO CARRY A SPARE TIRE stated. The line is still owned and fected hand. The operation was operated by the government, and successful.

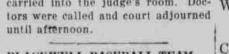
will not be sold except with the stipulation that this service is to con-

**INFECTED HAND** 

Surgical Operation Performed at Sea Two Hundred Miles **Out Under Direction Sent** By Radio

New York, July 13 .- A surgical

Predicts Improvement



signments to date had been 160 solid carloads, or around 33,000 barrels. He is still handling around a car a John B. Fearing of this city day: is still holding between 1,500 and torial chair was presented to Presi- tics of this country, it is plainly pastorage, which he preferred not to tors today, among whom was Demo- the line representing rural death dispose of at a dead loss.

Brock & Scott, heavy planters of Cox. potatoes in Pasquotank and Camden Counties, are cleaning up their crop this week. They shipped a car- Thousands Have load Monday and another Tuesday, and still have one more car load of disappointing spuds to market.

#### Earl Of Brandon **Taken Back Home**

Cork, Ireland, July 13 .- The Earl of Brandon, who was kidnapped by March, reducing the expense of op-Sinn Feiners June 21, was brought back home today and released by his captors.

#### Fair Association To **Stage Amusement Day**

Series of Automobile and Motorcycle Races and Other Amusements August 19

The Albemarle District Fair Association announces through the secretary, Mayor W. Ben Goodwin that a series of amusements will be given at the Fair Ground on Friday after. Will Not Allow noon, August 19, featuring automobile and motorcycle races, and perhaps a boys' bicycle race, together with other good attractions.

The Association has chosen a Friday afternoon for the festivities in order that the merchants and clerks who enjoy the summer-time half holidays may be present. The people one million dollars. living in the rural districts will have their work practically done by that time, and every preparation will be SHIPBUILDING made by the Association to give everybody a most pleasurable afternoon of sport events and amusements.

upon, and Mr. Goodwin indicates that quarter ending June 30 as compared in the time of suffering and distress? glea) aid, suffer more intensely and this city and section are opened up permanent addition to Northeastern additions may be made later. Only with the previous three months, accharged, and every possible arrange- register of shipping. ment will be made for the comfort and pleasure of those attending.

vance office. 1t-np pepper's Hardware Company.

#### PRESENT EDITORIAL

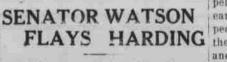
Washington, July 13 .- An edi.

# Been Discharged

From War Department to Cut Expenses, States Secretary Weeks

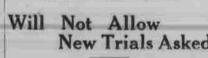
Washington, July 13 .- Secretary Weeks announced today that over

21,000 civilians have been discharged . from the War Department since



Washington. July 13 .- Senator the poor, the person of moderate Watson, of Georgia, today criticised means, and the well to do, and the the President for asking for a re- person of moderate means is often committal of the soldier bonus bill, taxed to the limit of his capacity to

presidential powers.



Macon, Ga., July 13 .- The federal facts, to endure suffering until, perjudge here today denied a motion for, haps, death terminates it new trials in all except one case of

## IS FALLING OFF

trip is lost when part of the time has more attention and better facilities to be spent at the road side making tinue. CHAIR TO HARDING for the care of the sick and suffering

and the promotion of longer life. From a study of the vital statis-2,000 barrels of his own crop in dent Harding by 600 newspaper edi- tent that within the last twenty years from the experiment of the drivers barges carry 500 tons each. They will

tire. cratic presidential nominee, James M, rate, which started below the representative urban death rate has ascended and in many localities at above the line representing urban States tires, "is always to carry a and New Bern may get the advantage death rate. This fact is not due to spare of good quality. It is the tire of through water transportation to prevention of the communicable di- you rely on to get you home and it Norfolk by having their consignseases but instead is largely due to is a false economy to attempt to get ments transferred to a local boat Middle West Still In Grip of Heat

the superior facilities for diagnosis along without it." and treatment. The people in our dis-

care are now compelled to travel some distance no matter how greatly they may be suffering or how great

doing.

great risk of life and they are com- claims. pelled to do this because of the deaf ear and the indifference of our

of the Peace T. B. Wilson.

they are compelled to go.

saying that Harding exceeded his pay for treatment in these foreign institutions, besides suffering these community, it may be said that he unday E. G. Warfield and Attorney other inconveniences, and the door is practically closed to the poor and and afflictions, to go to the city hos- Great Lakes Corporation, arrived

New Trials Asked and suffering at our door at this time brother of the unfortunate men and barge line, and would bring the serwho are compelled, because of these

fering as to the man of means with-

out even the suggestion that that he al, modernly equipped and properly concerning the corporation's purchase is an object of charity and a burden conducted, would be of inestimable of the line. Morris telegraphed back upon the community life, and he is value to all persons in the community at once that the government had not son engineer, which was made pubentitled to this consideration, for who irrespective of other means, are sold the line. Hence, Mr. Job and

New York, July 13-Merchant boasted Christian enlightenment placing their lives in peril or who, with the result that the barge ser- died the first of January. At present, the attractions for the shipbuilding in all countries fell off should it not be a pleasure for his through delay incurred in going vice was secured for Elizabeth City. day have only partially been decided nearly 900,000 gross tons for the fellow beings to come to his rescue where they can receive proper sur- Wide commercial possibilities for

A community hospital will make often die, and furthermore, who by the new through water transport Carolina's transportation facilities. a nominal admission fee will be cording to the report today of the special provision for that large class would have another advantage in a tation line to Baltimore and Philaof persons of moderate means who local hospital because of the ability delphia, and leading local merchants dertaken at first. If justified, this do not want charity but who can of his friends and relatives to visit are much elated over the success of will later be amplified to a twice-aneither afford expensive private ser- him often to visit and comfort the the Chamber of Commerce move to week or daily schedule. Any com-

Excursion is Thursday, July 14, needs be incurred now nor can they friends of much anxiety of being be no demand for a guarantee of service can be handled, and it is be-LOST - SATURDAY, BUNCH OF Tickets are now on sale at G. W. bring themselves to accept the condi- separated during the time and of freight revenue, but shippers are re- lieved that the new service will work keys. Reward if returned to Ad- Twiddy's Grocery Store and at Cul- tion of the charity ward in the hos- much loss of time and money .-- quested to lend their support to the greatly to the advantage of shippers. np pitals of the larger citles where A Home Towner.

a tire repair. The large number of The steamers used in the barge tire repairs being made along the service are oil-burners with a cargo

highway today undoubtedly results capacity of 250 to 300 tons. The who try to get along without a spare not stop at Norfolk, Va., for the reason that it is felt that this would "Our advice to car owners," says serve to compete too greatly with Estate Men here today. R. K. Forbes, of the Auto Supply & local water transportation agencies. Vulcanizing Co., dealer in United However, shippers at Washington

line upon arrival here.

Freight rates by government barge service will be approximately twenty per cent below the existing railroad rates. Elizabeth City shippers will be given the advantage of an aver- West. Farmers are doing their field Mexico, July 13 .- All countries age differential of two cents per hun- work by moonlight. the risk of life to hospital facilities whose national guards suffered dam- dred pounds freight over New Bern for the relief of the suffering they are age from Mexican revolutions are in- and Washington. Mr. Job has on file attributed to the heat. They are compelled to go vited by President Obregon to name at the Chamber of Commerce offices erating the Department by about to Norfolk or other places, incurring delegates to meet Mexican represen- the schedule of rates adopted on va-

glad to show to anyone interested.

Wednesday an interesting bit of in- T. A. Sawyer, of Edenton, on Sun-Chamber of Commerce transportation

for Baltimore on last Sunday night

can can we bring ourselves to be- vice here for an annual freight guarlieve that he would object to con- antee of \$100,000.

tributing of his means of which he Messrs. Joo and Robinson canhas been blessed to a home communi- celled their plans for the Baltimore

verify his statements, Mr. Job wired And further, a community hospit- General Manager Morris on Monday

hood of mankind and in our day of to reach hospital facilities without a conference with Morris himself, den, Germany, where Mr. Fritzsche

In Business Conditions

Chicago, July 13 .- Steady Improvement in business conditions was predicted by Josiah Kirby, of Cleveland, addressing the convention

FARMERS WORK BY MOONLIGHT

of the National Association of Real

Wave-Two Deaths at Chicago Tuesday

Chicago, July 13 .- The torrid wave continues to grip the Middle

Two deaths here yesterday were

BORN-A SON

Word has been received here of Secretary Job made public on the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs.

### ANTICIPATED WAR WITH JAPAN

terson, N. J., Who Died In Dresden, Germany, Leaves Strange Will

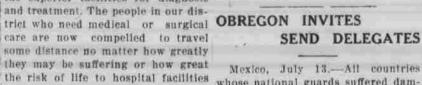
Patterson, N. J., July 13 .- The first American crew to capture or sink a Japanese war ship in the event of war with Japan and the United States would receive a prize of 5.000 German marks by the will of Charles Fritzsche, former Patterlic here today.

A weekly barge service will be un. line, and thus assist in making it a throughout this section.

In a community hospital it is aim- ty hospital, where his suffering fei- trip on the strength of Warfield's seventeen mea charged with robbing ed to give to the poor and unfortunate lowbeings can receive the same care representations, but, wishing to the American Express Company of the same facilities for relief to suf- and treatment?

is he not a member of the Brother- not physically able to make a journey Mr. Robinson left Monday night for

FIRST BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL vice and the expense that must patient and relieve relatives and bring it here. As stated, there will modifies not requiring fast freight



great expense, great suffering and tatives here and pass upon the rious commodities, which he will be

people to this great crying need of

FLAYS HARDING their fellow beings. Our community Payne, both of Snowden, were mar- negotiations of last week. He stat- merly Miss Mary Sanderlin, of this and counties in the district embarrass ried here Tuesday at noon by Justice ed that, with C. O. Robinson, of the city.

SAWYER-PAYNE

committee, he had intended to leave

Of the rich and well to do of the to confer with Mr. Morris. On Sat-

is financially able, with his aliments Walsh, of the New York Canal and

those without means to purchase pitals and buy the best private ser- here with the statement that their Will Charles Fritzche, of Patthese facilities. We have hosts of Nick vices and treatment but is he not a concern had bought the government