

**THE WEATHER**  
 Fair tonight and Friday.  
 Cooler Friday.  
 Moderate Northwest and North winds.

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## THE SCATTERGOOD MAKES TRIAL TRIP

**Scout Boat Proved Worthy of Her Name Wednesday, and Scoutmaster Asks for Payment of Pledges.**

The Scout boat Scattergood took her trial trip Wednesday afternoon and proved worthy of her name. The Scouts are greatly pleased with the Scattergood and are looking forward to many good times on board.

The boat will be formally launched and christened about week after next. By that time she will have been painted, the name will be gallantly displayed on the bow, and speakers will be here to do the occasion up exactly right.

Scoutmaster Scattergood has to attend the Presbyterian Synod at Graham next week, but when that is over he will exchange his ministerial clothes for his Scout uniform and start everything going anew.

Just what beverage will be used in the christening ceremony has not been decided. Nobody seems to have a bottle of champagne, or whoever has is keeping both the information and the champagne to himself. It may be apple cider, or Virginia Dare, or just some of the "amber waters of the Pasquotank," that will be spilled on the stern of the Scattergood.

The launching will take place at the Elizabeth City Shipyard, with the Scoutmaster and Scouts in uniform and with a large crowd attending.

The Scoutmaster calls upon all who made pledges for the work in connection with the boat to see Harry G. Kramer at the Savings Bank & Trust Company at one and finish up with the matter, financially speaking.

## Notorious Robber Is Shot In Paris

Paris, Oct. 4.—After one of the most extensive and stubborn searches in the annals of the French police, Gabriel Alphonse Mourey, alias Henri Bullal, master mind in the sensational Shattuck jewel robbery in New York in April, 1922, was today finally located at Chilles and shot down while resisting arrest.

## Resumes Work for Livestock Market

**V. W. Lewis Returns to Department Agriculture After an Absence**

Raleigh, Oct. 4.—W. W. Lewis, for several years in charge of the livestock marketing work of the Department of Agriculture and North Carolina State College, has returned to resume his duties in this work after participating in private business for about a year. It is announced by Dean F. F. Brown, in charge of the Department of Business Administration, who terms Mr. Lewis as "one of our most valued workers."

Through Mr. Lewis, work North Carolina farmers have been provided with markets for their livestock, according to Dean Brown. He has done much work, said the dean, in the cooperative carlot shipment of pigs, the pooling of wool and the holding of auction sales of North Carolina grown cattle.

As formerly, Mr. Lewis will do his work under the Division of Markets. Arrangements already have been made, according to announcements, for Mr. Lewis to conduct a sale of 700 feeder cattle at Spruce Pine on October 10. The cattle, it is said, will be brought from Avery, Mitchell and Yancey counties. According to M. L. Curtis, head of the animal industry division, no animal will be offered at the sale that does not weigh over 450 pounds and the cattle will be sold in lots graded according to average weights. W. R. Radford, of Spruce Pine, C. B. Baird of Newlands, and E. D. Bowditch, of Toecane, make up the local committee in charge of gathering the cattle together. Mr. Lewis will handle the sale.

## MERCHANTS TO GIVE CLERKS HALF HOLIDAY

Members of the Merchants' Association have decided to close their stores next Thursday at 1 o'clock, so that the clerks may have the afternoon to attend the Fair.

**COTTON MARKET**  
 New York, Oct. 4.—Spot cotton, closed quiet, Middling 29.20 an advance of 10 points above the opening Futures, closing bid, Oct. 28.70, Dec. 28.43, Jan. 27.93, March 27.91, May 27.93, July 27.85.

New York, Oct. 4.—Cotton futures, opened at the following levels: Oct. 28.75, Dec. 28.40, Jan. 27.92, March 27.87, May 27.95.

**Will Entertain Teachers.**  
 At 8 o'clock Friday evening the First Baptist B. Y. P. U. will entertain the graded school teachers in the church parlors.

## DIRECTORS ACTING ON HOOD RESIGNATION

Gurney P. Hood returned Thursday from Gates County, to which he made his first trip, following his resignation as cashier of the Carolina Banking & Trust Company, in the interest of installing the copyrighted Hood Weekly Loan System in the banks of that county. He reports a most encouraging reception of his system.

Mr. Hood's resignation, though accepted by the executive committee of the bank before Mr. Hood left for Gates County, was not formally acted upon by the directors until Thursday. The question of Mr. Hood's successor was also up for consideration at the same time, but no statement as to any action taken had been given out when this newspaper went to press.

"It was because the directors had taken no action on my resignation that I made no formal statement before leaving the city," said Mr. Hood.

"I have really had the matter of giving my whole time to introducing the Hood System into banks throughout the country for nearly two months. With financial conditions in my own State so favorable I came to the conclusion that now was the time to take the step."

Mr. Hood came to Elizabeth City from Tarboro when the Carolina Banking & Trust Company opened its doors for business in the fall of 1921. The bank was organized in 1920.

## Dairy Conference Held at Syracuse

**Emphasis Will be Placed on Importance of Dairy Industry in Nation**

Washington, Oct. 4.—Aaron Sapiro, general counsel of the National Council of Farmers' Co-operative Marketing Associations, told the World's Dairy Congress today that the country was only beginning to realize the true purpose and importance of the co-operative movement.

"The dairy farmers of Switzerland were the first to see the value of co-operation for production, which, of course, led to co-operation for marketing; and the dairymen of Denmark evolved the hundred per cent pooling, long term, binding contract form of co-operative organization. This kind of organization is used today among American farmers of all types. It has brought outstanding success to the fruit growers of the far West, the tobacco growers, the cotton growers, and innumerable others."

"What is more important, the practices which led these dairy farmers to success established our present guiding principle that the true aim of co-operative marketing is the substitution of scientific merchandising for the disorganized dumping of farm products. Co-operation in the dairy industry holds an even greater than historical interest by reason of the multiplicity of special problems with which the co-operator is confronted. The solution of this surplus problem through co-operative merchandising to increase and make more general the demand for cheese and other milk products, is the key to the intelligent market of milk."

"All of these difficulties are present in a marked degree in this country, and the recognition of the true purpose of co-operative marketing together with the application of the proper technique are just beginning. This is true in spite of the fact that in volume of general organization American dairymen exceed the activities of any other class of our agricultural producers. However, there are many commendable examples of modern type organizations which may thus far be cited, such as The Dairymen's League Co-operative Association, Inc., and the Twin City Milk Producers' Association. Furthermore, the country's dairy leaders are beginning to think and act along correct co-operative lines with the result that the tremendous amount of existing organization is becoming a great asset instead of a hindrance to the development of producing co-operation in the marketing of milk."

"A growth is foreshadowed in the immediate future, which will equal if not surpass, the co-operative achievements of any other branch of American agriculture."

**FUNERAL G. W. SAWYER**  
 The funeral of George W. Sawyer, who died at his home on Body Road five miles from town about 5 o'clock Wednesday evening, was conducted at the home Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock by Rev. E. L. Stack and interment was made at Halls Creek. Mr. Sawyer was about 40 years old and had been in bad health for several years.

He is survived by his wife, three children, and two brothers, John Sawyer of Nixonton and Mark Sawyer of this city.

## SPECIAL COURT TO TRY NEGRO CONVICT

Raleigh, Oct. 4.—Governor Morrison announced last night that a special session of court to try John Goss, negro, charged with an attack on an aged white woman which precipitated the Mitchell County race trouble, will be called immediately and the exact date of the trial will be set today.

## To Candidates and Their Friends

In the beginning of the present circulation campaign, The Advance tried to set forth, in the rules governing the contest, one fact with particular care.

That fact was that the campaign was launched with the idea of extending this newspaper's circulation in the ten counties of the Albemarle District, and that subscriptions that would have to be mailed outside this district would earn neither votes nor commission. Here is the rule:

Votes will not be allowed on subscriptions outside Elizabeth City's trade territory of Pasquotank, Perquimans, Camden, Currituck, Gates, Chowan, Washington, Tyrrell, Hyde and Dare counties.

The foregoing rule is not made arbitrarily or in order to embarrass or hamper any candidate, but only to limit effort to subscriptions that are worth while, from this newspaper's standpoint.

It is pretty generally understood now that the subscription price of a newspaper does not begin to cover the cost of producing it. It is from the advertiser that the newspaper must get its revenue and subscriptions are sought in order to make the paper of more value to the advertiser. It can readily be seen that a subscriber in Norfolk or at Raleigh or anywhere outside Elizabeth City's trade territory is of no value to the Elizabeth City advertiser. Recognizing this fact, The Advance charges a higher rate for subscriptions outside Elizabeth City's trade territory. To a subscriber in the ten counties of the Albemarle District, for instance, the subscription price of The Advance is \$4 a year. To a Norfolk subscriber the price is \$5 a year. To a subscriber in Baltimore or beyond the price is \$6 a year. Even at the higher price, The Advance considers that every copy mailed out beyond Elizabeth City's trade territory is sent out at a loss, and accepts these subscriptions only as a matter of retaining the good will and keeping in touch with a former resident, outside the city perhaps only temporarily, or as a matter of possibly advertising the section to a non-resident who is interested in it as a home-seeker. Such subscriptions are therefore sent out cheerfully but they are not sought after.

The Advance trusts that the foregoing explanation will make it clear both to candidates and the general public why neither votes nor commissions can be allowed for these subscriptions outside its territory and trusts that no credit will be looked for on such subscriptions turned in during this campaign. The general public is reminded that the rate of \$4 a year does not apply outside the ten counties of the Albemarle District and candidates are reminded that these outside subscriptions may be accepted to oblige a subscriber but are without value in the race for the Velie and other prizes.

## Very Few Candidates Are Active Up To This Time

**Contest for Velie Still Anybody's Race and One May Enter Now With Practically Even Chance to Win First Prize in This Campaign**

In view of a conversation the campaign manager had with a prospective contestant in The Advance "Everybody Wins" Auto and Cash Prize Campaign, it seems very necessary to point out that being "nominated" in the contest and being an active candidate is not the same thing at all.

The list published Wednesday showed a number of nominations but actually very few active candidates. "There are so many already in the contest," said the young lady over the phone, "that I am afraid I would be under a big handicap."

The campaign manager assured her that such was not the case and went on to explain that an "active candidate" is one who has turned in at least one subscription and besides the regular earned votes on that one subscription, has also been credited with the 100,000 bonus votes which go with every first subscription turned in.

As the young lady remarked after looking at a copy of The Advance,

## NOMINATION BLANK

— In The —

Daily Advance "Everybody Wins" Campaign

I hereby enter and cast 5,000 free votes for

Miss (Mr. or Mrs.) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_

As a candidate in the "Everybody Wins" Prize Campaign. Send or bring this Nomination Blank to Campaign Manager at the Daily Advance, Elizabeth City, N. C.

NOTE—Only one nomination blank accepted for each candidate nominated.

## Plan To Use Tear Gas To Oust Convict Mutineers

**Authorities Endeavoring to Take Murderers Without Further Loss of Life in Spectacular State Penitentiary Episode at Eddyville, Kentucky**

### MINERS RESCUED AFTER NINE DAYS

(By The Associated Press)  
 Falkirk, Scotland, Oct. 4.—Buried alive for nine days, five of the 41 miners entombed by an explosion in a coal pit near here were rescued today. They were brought to the surface in fairly good condition and their remarkable escape has raised the hopes for others imprisoned.

## Stop Sale Monday Of Season Tickets

**Now is Time For All Good Folks to Come to Aid of Sellers**

Monday, October 8, marks the close of the season ticket selling campaign of the Albemarle District Fair.

On Tuesday morning the three most successful ticket sellers will have in their possession three valuable prizes which have been offered by the management of the District Fair. The first prize is a diamond ring which may be seen at Sell's. The second prize is a wrist watch and the third a lavallier, both of which may be seen at the H. C. Bright Company.

"Some people who are waiting until the last moment to buy season tickets are likely to find all of them sold," Secretary Glover said Thursday morning.

### GRANTS RIGHT TO DEVELOP WATER POWER

Raleigh, Oct. 4.—The Supreme Court yesterday gave the right to the Carolina-Tennessee Power Company to develop the water power of the Hiwassee river in an opinion handed down upholding the lower court. The company must pay a reasonable price for the lands obtained.

## McTigue Will Fight With Injured Hand

Columbus, Ga., Oct. 4.—At noon McTigue unwrapped his bandages from his left thumb and announced that he was ready to fight Stribling.

His decision followed a demonstration by fight fans in front of McTigue's hotel disapproving of the action of the champion. The manager of the champion guaranteed a return bout in case he loses.

Columbus, Ga., Oct. 4.—The Stribling-McTigue fight for the world's light heavyweight championship, scheduled for this afternoon, was called off last night when McTigue broke a bone in his hand while training for the fight.

### BOYS AND GIRLS IMPROVE CATTLE

Syracuse, N. Y., Oct. 4.—Boys and girls enlisted in a nation-wide campaign have been a valuable aid in improving the breed of dairy cattle, Frank O. Lowden, president of the Holstein Friesian Association and former governor of Illinois, told the World's Dairy Congress today.

Calf clubs are being organized by the children, who become owners of pure-bred calves. As a result, said Mr. Lowden, the breed of cattle in these vicinities already has been improved.

The speaker urged upon the farmers greater attention to breeding. He praised European farmers, to whom he said Americans were much indebted for knowledge of how cattle stock might best be improved.

"The pure-breed associations are fighting the scrub bull, a campaign which will add to the country's health and wealth and in which the co-operation of business interests will be valuable," the speaker said in conclusion.

## Charges Conspiracy To Ruin Reputation

Chicago, Oct. 4.—Two Chicago negroes were reported today to have named in a true bill charging conspiracy after Mrs. Helen Elwood Stokes had testified before the grand jury concerning her charges of conspiracy to ruin her reputation in connection with the New York divorce suit of her husband, W. E. D. Stokes, wealthy hotel man.

Eddyville, Ky., Oct. 4.—Hemmed in by the gray stone walls of the Western Kentucky state penitentiary, three convict murderers who yesterday killed one guard and wounded three others, one of whom died today, in an attempt to shoot their way to freedom, were today barricaded in the two-story brick dining-room building, apparently conserving ammunition for their automatic pistols and waiting.

From behind the walls of their improvised fortress the desperadoes faced a ring of death.

Stationed at vantage points were prison guards, a National Guard machine gun company, and citizen marksmen from the country side.

The authorities planned to use steam pipes to force tear gas and red pepper into the room in the hope of driving out the desperadoes without further loss of life.

## Planes From Navy To Fly At The Fair

**Secretary Job Has Just Returned from Making all Arrangements for It.**

An airplane from the Norfolk Naval Base will fly over the Fair grounds on either Thursday or Friday of next week.

The local secretary of the Chamber of Commerce brought this news here Wednesday after returning from a visit to the Norfolk Naval base where he made arrangements with the commandant to have a plane in Elizabeth City Thursday. "If weather conditions are unfavorable on Thursday, the plane will be here Friday," Mr. Job said.

### RANKIN WILL DIRECT HEALTH CAMPAIGN

Raleigh, Oct. 4.—Dr. W. S. Rankin was yesterday granted a year's leave of absence from the board of health to direct a health campaign for the American Public Health Association.

### WALTON SAYS WILL KEEP UP HIS FIGHT

Oklahoma City, Oct. 4.—Governor Walton yesterday declared that the state is in the grip of the Ku Klux Klan and secured an injunction against tabulating the election returns. He says he will fight to the last ditch.

### SAYS AMERICA BEST LAND TO LIVE IN

Rocky Mount, Oct. 4.—Senator J. T. Robinson, speaking here yesterday, declared that America is the only land immune from revolution and the best land to live in regardless of home problems, which he insists should be handled.

### OWNERS OF DOGS MUST PAY THEIR DOG TAX

The police department is going after owners of dogs who have failed to pay their taxes and a half dozen defendants, more or less, were in court Thursday morning on this charge. There will be a still bigger list of defendants every day for the next week or two, say the police, unless the dog-owners of the city make up their minds to pay their dog tax and escape being hauled into court over it.

Three of the defendants, all negroes, were found guilty of failure to pay dog tax in Thursday's session of court. Two of them, James Aske and Mag Johnson, were taxed with costs in addition to the tax and the charge against Wiley Griffin, who had been sick, was dismissed on condition that he pay the tax.

### TO WED IN NORFOLK

Mrs. Nora Stevenson, Harney street, and Mr. C. H. Jennings, Cherry street, left by automobile for Norfolk Thursday morning to be married. They were to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McCoy, Jr., and it was expected that the ceremony would take place there. The bride is a widow and the bridegroom a widower. They are to return tonight and make their home on Cherry street. Accompanying them were Miss Elizabeth Bagley and Mr. Jacob Cox.

### SPRUCE PINE IS QUIET ONCE MORE

Spruce Pine, Oct. 4.—With the return of negroes to work here, the situation seems quiet and returning to normal. There have been no outbreaks against the negroes.