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The Weather  
Partly cloudy tonight and  
Thursday, not much change in  
temperature, southeast winds.

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## COOLIDGE WILL HELP FLIGHT PLAN Sewer Rate In Elizabeth City Reduced One Third

### Invitation From North Carolina To Be Brought Before Reception Group By Personal Direction Of Executive

President Coolidge is taking a hand in North Carolina's invitation to Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh, world famed flier, to make his first flight to Kill Devil Hill upon his return to America. The invitation was tendered Lindbergh in a cablegram from the Elizabeth City Chamber of Commerce Friday.

### President Conger, of Chamber of Commerce, and Others Elated over Possibility Lindbergh Will Fly to Kitty Hawk

Evidence of the President's interest in the proposed flight to the spot where the Wright brothers first flew the world's first plane is conveyed in the following letter from Everett Sanders, secretary to the President, to E. C. Conger, president of the Chamber of Commerce here:

"My Dear Mr. Conger:  
"I beg leave to make acknowledgment of your telegram of June 3rd and to say that, by the President's direction, it is being brought to the attention of the committee in charge of the reception of Captain Lindbergh.  
"Sincerely yours,  
(Signed) "EVERETT SANDERS."

### Two North Carolina Members of Congress, Representative Lindsay C. Warren, of the First District, and Representative Charles M. Stedman, of the Fifth, also have advised that they will assist in bringing the matter to the attention of Lindbergh, upon his arrival.

"I heartily endorse your efforts to get Lindbergh to visit the birthplace of aviation," Representative Warren telegraphed, from his home in Washington, N. C. "I will probably be in Washington next week, and if so will endeavor to convey your invitation in person to Captain Lindbergh."

### Grocery Stores And Markets Planning Close Wednesdays

Grocery stores and market places in Elizabeth City are planning to close Wednesday afternoons at 1 o'clock beginning June 15 and ending August 31, it was announced today.

### Rain Halts Potato Digging; Price Off

Early potatoes were slightly off Wednesday, as compared with Tuesday, New York quoting \$10 to \$10.50 and the other Eastern markets being closely in line. The drop approximated 15 to 20 cents. The price of a bushel of Elizabeth City potatoes, according to reports from the market, has dropped to \$8.50.

### Grandstand And Stables Burned

Baltimore, June 8.—(AP)—Word was received here of the destruction by fire today of the grandstand and stables at Bowie Race Track. No horses were burned. It was said.

### STOLEN CAR RECOVERED

Recovery of a 1925 model Ford touring car stolen from in front of the postoffice at noon Tuesday was reported Wednesday morning by Police Officer Charlie Anderson. The automobile was found abandoned on West Ehringhaus street, and Mr. Anderson reported that he was informed that it was driven there early Tuesday night by an unidentified negro and abandoned. The car belongs to R. D. Elliott of Hertford.

### American Heads Rotary



Arthur H. Sapp of Huntington, Indiana, chairman of the commission and by-laws committee of Rotary International, was elected president of the organization at its 25th annual convention Tuesday.

### Earl Carroll on Stretcher Enters Penitentiary After Two Months In A Hospital

Atlanta, June 8.—(AP)—Earl Carroll, New York theatrical producer, lost his liberty in fact today. At 5:31 o'clock a private ambulance bearing the producer, clad within the gates of the Atlanta Federal Penitentiary where Carroll must serve a year and a day for perjury.

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Policeman Reiterates Certainty as to Identity of His Assailant

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### MERCHANTS ACT TO BRIGHTEN UP DOWNTOWN AREA

Thirty-two Agree to Install Special Arrangement to Keep Show Window Lights on Nightly

### ADD TO WHITE WAY

New Flood Lights to be Switched in Sometime in Next Week or Ten Days. It is Announced

A first step in the direction of free sewerage in this city, long a matter of discussion, was taken Tuesday night by the Utilities Commission in authorizing a 33 1/3 per cent reduction in sewer rates, effective for and after the three months' period beginning July 1.

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