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ELIZABETH CITY, NORTH CAROLINA, FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 24, 1927.

LITTLE CHANGE IN CONDITION OF CITY OFFICIALS

City Manager Ferebee Resting Quietly After Night in Hospital; Councilman Cohoon Unchanged

ACCIDENT DESCRIBED

Dr. M. S. Bulla, Back After Trip to Bedside of Injured Men, Gives Account of Their Mishap

There was little change Friday morning in the condition of City Manager M. W. Ferebee and City Councilman E. J. Conoon, of this city, who, were injured Thursday when their automobile overturned on the Suffolk-Petersburg road

result to lessen his chance for recovery.

Barring complications, he expressed the opinion that Mr. Cohoon might be well enough to return home within a week.

City Manager Ferebee, on the other hand, had two fractures of the right leg, one not far above the knee, and the other in the upper third of the thigh bone. In the latter fracture, the bone penerisated through the flesh on the inner side of the leg, Dr. Bulla explained, adding that every care was being given Mr. Ferebee, at Lakeview Hospital, and the only reasonable danger lay in infection—a remote contingency. He gredicted that Mr. Ferebee might be up and about again in six to eight weeks.

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Dr. Bulla was high in his praise of the care and attention being be-stowed upon the injured men at the Suffoik hospital, declaring it was equipped adequately in every way to afford them the best of

A defect in the steering gear of A defect in the steering gear of Mr. Cohoon's car, a Hudson coach, is blamed for the accident. Dr. Bulla said Mr. Ferebee told him they were riding along a perfectly smooth road, with not a car in sight ahead, when suddenly the car began veering to the side of the highway, Mr. Cohoon, he continued, tried hard to right it, but could not, and almost instantly they were in the ditch.

Cohoon Pitched Out
The car turned over twice, gitching Mr. Cohoon clear of it. Mr. Ferebee, according to Dr. Bulla, said he didn't know he was burt until he tried to climb out

Bulla, said he didn't know he was burt until he tried to climb out and go to Mr. Cohoon's aid, and alseovered he could not. At the time of the accident, ac-cording to Mr. Ferebee, the car was going 35 to 49 miles an hour

BLOW ABOVE EYE FRACTURES SKULL OF CAMDEN NEGRO

His skull split open by a blow from a heavy singletree, Winfred Taylor, colored, employed on the farm of T. C. Sawyer at Belcross. Camden County, lay near death in the Elizabeth City Hospital Friday. Taylor was brought to the hospital by Hay Sawyee, of Belcross, brother of T. C. Sawyer. He said 'no blow was struck by John Morrisette, another negromployed on his brother's farm, but could give no details, other than that it occurred at about \$1.30 o'clock Friday morning.

Taylor's skull was fractured above the right eye. Little hope for his recovery was advanced.

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In the Army and participating in some of the Indian campaigns, the Dakotas.

(AP)—Caim and smiling Lonnie Dixon, negro, was executed in the electric chair at the state penitentiary at 5 a. m., today on his eighteenth birthday, for the murder last April of 12 year old Floella McDonald, a white girl, in the beliry of the fashionable First Presbyterian Church here. His last words were "I am guitty."

In the Army and participating in some of the Indian campaigns, the More WOMEN THAN MEN ARE USING AIRPLANES Croydon, Eng., June 24.—(AP)—Many more women use the airplane service between England and the Continent than men.

There has been a large increase in the number of young honey-

LAWN PARTY TONIGHT

was going 35 to 46 miles an hour—not an excessive speed for one of that size and power. They were not hurrying, he said, adding that the accident happened so quickly that there was nothing they could do to avert it.

A physician living in the neighborhood was summoned, and after the rushed with them to Sufficial that been administered, the injured men were taken quickly to Lakeview Hospital.

Mrs. E. J. Cohoon departed the summoned of the sum

here way to the bedside of her huses and. She was accompanied by her brother, U. D. Johnson, and the condition of the wrecked car. by Mr. Cohoon's business partner, by Mr. Cohoon's business partner, by Mr. Cohoon's business partner, the belief was advanced here that D. D. Dudley. Mrs. Ferebee left for Suffolk a little earlier, accompanied by Mrs. E. R. Outlaw, Jr. Recognized Snowden

City Auditor Snowden declared the side of the road which results Mr. Cohoon roused up and recognized him when he went to his his description over, since his description of the same distribution of the side of the road which results with balloon tires.

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GENERAL WOOD RESTS QUIETLY WITH COOLIDGE

Having Made His Report of Conditions in Philippines He Is Recuperating From His Long Trip

EXPECTS TO RETURN

Though Tired and Ill He Means to Go Back in September; South Dakota **Knew Him Previously**

Rapid City, S. D., June 24. (AP)—With a report on condi-tions in the Philippines in the hands of President Coolidge, Gov-

plane service betwen England and the Continent than men.

There has been a large increase in the number of young honey-mooners who travel by air rather than put up with the discomforts Gatesville, June 24.—There will be a lawn party given by the Young Peoples' Missionary Society of the Methodist Church on the lawn of Mrs. B. H. Black's home this evening. There will be plenty of fun and refreshments. Everybody is invited to come and bring a friend.

WOMAN EDITOR CALLS PRESS CONVENTION Opelousas, La., June 24.—(AP)—Newspaper work offers women a great opportunity to serve their communities, believes Mrs. W. F. Nolan, editor and publisher of the Clarion-Progress.

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"I didn't know a three-em dash from a stick of type when I began," she says, "but now my paper is ranked with the three best weeklies in Louisiana."

Besides managing her paper, she George II.

Creator Of Sun Compass Charts Byrd's Trans-Atlantic Course



Mrs. Kate Burr Johnson Has Been Caught Napping If She Is Rightly Quoted

Commissioner of Public SPUD SHIPMENTS Welfare Keeps Fight Going, But Survey Was Made Officially; Report Printed and Paid for

By J. C. BASKERVILL

commissioner of Public Welfare has been caught happing, if her statement is properly quoted to the effect that she knew nothing of the survey of women in industry, the results of which have just been announced by E. F. Carter, executive secretary of the Child Welfare Commission, and made by his department.

This report had not only been submitted to Mrs. Johnson, it has been learned, but she in her capacity as chairman of the Child Welfare Commission, approved it. Mrs. Johnson, as in well known, is a very busy woman, and carries on activities, extending out over the state, that require much of her time. But it is rather surprising that she would allow a matter apparently so dear to the hearts of the women political leaders of the state, to pass through her hands

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The survey recently completed by Mr. Carter and his assistants was started several years ago, when Dr. W. S. Rankin was secretary of the Board of Health, and one of the three members of the (Continued on page 2)

WITH NO RESULTS

Morganton, June 24.—(AP)—

After a night of wild chases and false rumors, in which two compares of the National Guard were pressed into service and a third held in readiness, the tenacious is been searching steadily for the past three days for Broadus Miller, negre assallant of Gladys Kincaid was no nearer its goal this morning, in the opinion of Sheriff J. J. Hallyburton.

All Day Closing Versus Half a Day July Fourth Discussed by Merchants

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NEXT DECADE TO **ECLIPSE ALL OF** CITY'S GROWTH

More Progress in First Ten Years of Enlarged Dismal Swamp Canal than in Preceding Century"

SO SAYS MR. BAILEY

Speaker at Rotary Luncheon Says Canal Soon Will Be Improved and Paints Rosy Future for Section

That a period of development awaits Elizabeth City and its section in the first decade following the opening of the Dismal Swamp opment of the last century was he message brought to Elizabeth

canal that will eclipse the development of the last century was the message brought to Elizabeth City Rotary at its weekly luncheon at the Southern Hotel Friday by Cornish Balley. field secretary bors. Congress of Washington.

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chester."
The speaker paid a glowing tribute to Secretary Job of the Elizabeth City Chamber of Commerce to whom he ascribed chief credit for the fact that the taking over of the canal by the Government is assured.

WILL FLY TO OTTAWA

Washington, June 24.—(AP)

Charles A. Lindbergh today accepted the invitation of the Canadian government to fly to Ottawa, July 2 to participate in the Diamond Jubilee of the Canadian Federation.

Special special still slept blissfully in their automobiles.

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NEW JERSEY WIDOWS

Paterson, N. J., June 24—(AP)

De Autremont OPPOSE BRITISH Twins Confess



time."

The first protent that the jinx of unfavorable weather was still on the job came shortly hefore 10 o'clock when a 35 mile gale lashed the field with rain.

News of the postponement spread slowly among the spectators and an hour later hundreds still slept blissfully in their automobiles.

SUGGESTION FOR **RE - DISCUSSION**

American Delegates Continue to Fight Suggestion for Bringing Up Agreement Reached in 1922

NOT THE TIME

Hugh S. Gibson Thinks Time to Discuss British Plan Would Be at the Conference of 1931

Geneva, July 24.—Great Britain will accept parity with the United States in the matter of 10,000 ton cruisers, W. C. Bridgeman, first lord of the admiralty, said this afternoon. The question of parity on other cruisers was still under discussion, he added. If the British project is agreed to, the 10,000 ton category would disappear when the time comes for replacement of the vessels, and the maximum of all would then be 7,500 tons.

Geneva, Switzerland, June 24.—(AP)—The American delegates to the Tripartite Navai Limitation conference continue absolutely

SHERIFF'S WIDOW HELD FOR MURDER