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Welcome To FARMVILLE The Little City With Big Possibilities.

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WAREHOUSE-MEN MEET GREENVILLE

Market to Open Tuesday, September 1; the Warehousemen in Future Will Observe Armistice Day. G. P. Fleming President

Greenville, N. C.—Tuesday, Sept. 1, is the definite opening date for auction tobacco warehouses in eastern North Carolina for the 1925-26 season as a result of action of the Eastern North Carolina Warehousemen's Association in annual session here last Friday. The meeting followed by a business dinner was held at the Greenville Country Club, and was attended by about a hundred tobaccoists from this section.

Mayer D. M. Clark extended the warmest cordial welcome to Greenville and this was supplemented by a welcome to the Country Club by Mr. H. A. White, president of the club.

Hon. F. C. Harding delivered the principal address of the day which was greatly enjoyed by those present. Mr. Harding set forth in glowing terms the importance of the tobacco industry, especially to this section, and the important role that was played by the tobacco warehousemen. Never had the word "Co-operative" been more wrongly used than in connection with the Co-operative Tobacco Growers' Association, the speaker said. Time has proven, he said, that the auction plan is the means by which the farmer must receive just compensation for his labors and it is the auction warehouse, he declared, that is the real co-operative link between the producer and the manufacturer. He praised the manner in which the warehousemen have operated their business and declared that continuance of this first thought for the interests of the producer will ensure continued prosperity throughout the season. The most important criticism



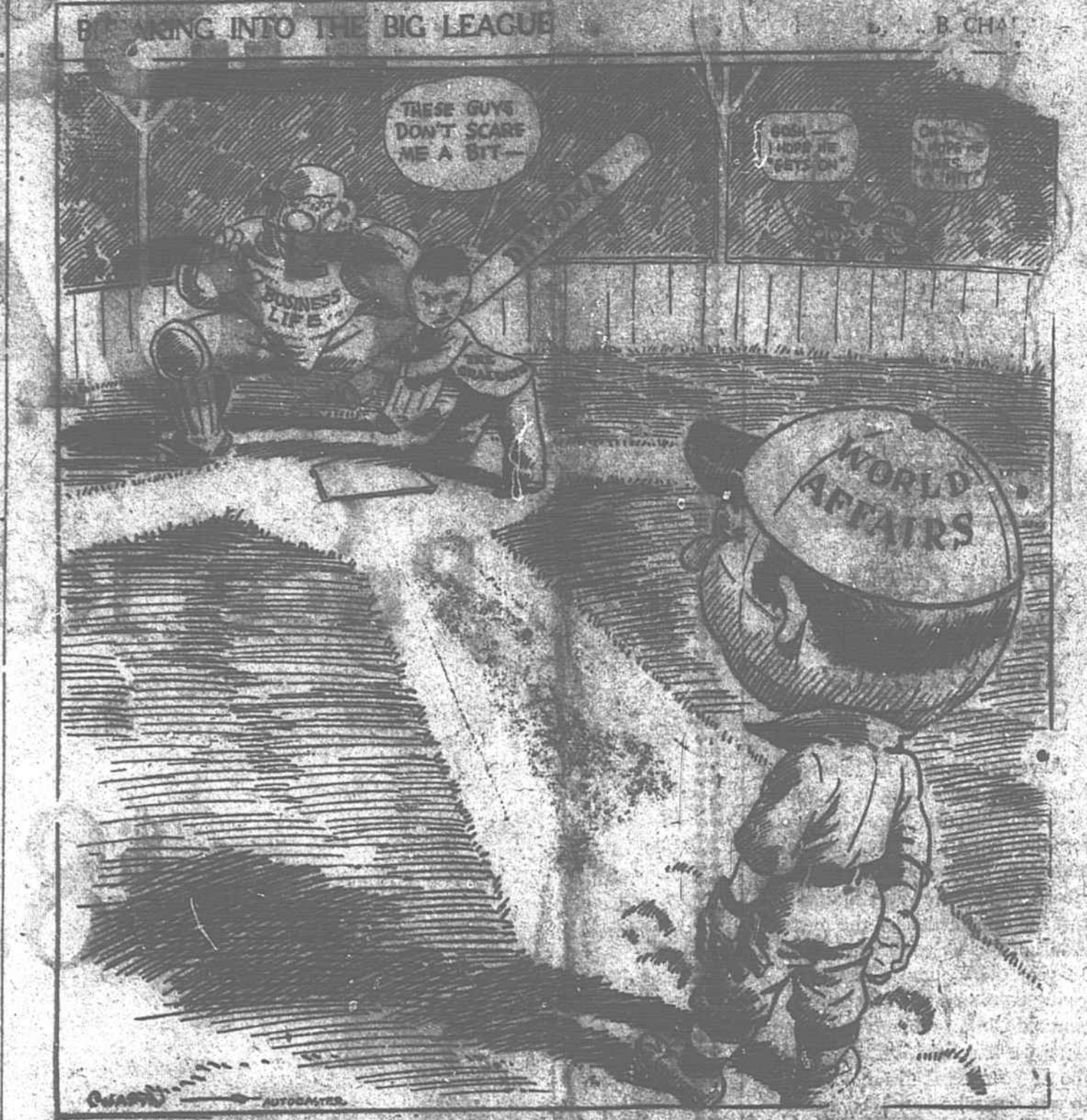
Paul Henderson, second vice president of the warehousemen, who is responsible to manage the new air transport line, capitalized for \$10,000,000 and which will immediately establish an overnight service between Chicago and New York—carrying both freight passengers.

F. H. S. COMES TO SUCCESSFUL CLOSE

Diplomas Delivered to Graduating Class Tuesday Evening Followed by an Address by Judge Winston

Tuesday evening of this week witnessed the final closing of the Farmville High School when diplomas were delivered to the graduates. This was followed by a timely address by Judge Francis D. Winston to an unusually large audience.

Those of the students finishing the high school course here and receiving diplomas were: Sarah Newberry, Edna



SUPREME C'RT TO HEAR TEST CASE SOON

Judge Daniels Enjoins Johnston County From Advancing Highway Commission

Raleigh, June 5.—A case of vital importance in road building circles of North Carolina, will be held by the supreme court before its spring adjournment on June 24, as the result of a case brought before Judge Frank Daniels in Wake county superior court here yesterday. Following the recent ruling of Attorney General that contracts between the state highway commission and the counties by which the counties advance money for road work to be repaid out of the fund of the commission are void. A test case was entered yesterday when Judge Daniels enjoined Johnston county from advancing \$500,000 to the commission for roads to be built in that county.

DIPLOMATS TO VISIT N. C.

Secretary of State Asks Governor to See That They Are Treated As Right

Washington, June 5.—The secretary of state of the United States, Frank B. Rowland, has issued to all officials of the state of North Carolina a proclamation requesting that they extend to all members of the foreign diplomatic corps, who may be traveling in the state during the year 1925, the courtesies and privileges to which members of the diplomatic missions of foreign governments in the United States are entitled. This request is probably made in anticipation of the fact that members of the diplomatic corps may visit North Carolina this summer and it is desired that they be assured every comfort and consideration. The governor has brought this to the attention of officials in the Piedmont and mountain sections as well as the cities along the most traveled highways of the state.

FUNERAL SERVICES THOMAS MARSHALL

Ceremony for the Nation's War Hero

Indianapolis, Ind., June 4th.—Humble as he was in life, so was Thomas R. Marshall today in death. The body of the nation's war time vice-president and Indiana's 27th governor fittingly might have lain in state in the capital building where once he occupied high office, but instead it rested in his home until services at 10 o'clock this morning. The Rev. Dr. J. M. Mason, of which Mr. Marshall was a member, conducted the funeral ceremonies, attended by relatives and a few intimate friends of the Marshall family. The casket was then taken to Crown Hill cemetery where it was placed in a vault until Mr. Marshall determines his final resting place. No pomp or pageantry marked the occasion, Mrs. Marshall having expressed the wish that the passing be attended by the simplicity so characteristic of her husband. The casket rests during the brief ceremony amid a bank of floral tributes with noted names from all sections of the United States and the world.

in as nothing but propaganda.

Following the address, and the speeches that followed, the association entered into the annual election of officers which resulted in the election of G. F. Fleming, of Kinston, as president; Marshall Ferrell, of Wilson, vice-president; B. B. Sugg, of Greenville, secretary-treasurer, and P. C. Winstall, of Rocky Mount; Will Anderson and J. C. Eagles, of Wilson; J. Y. Monk, of Farmville; W. H. Atkins, of Robersonville; J. F. Brinkley and W. Z. Morton, of Greenville, and L. F. Tapp, of Kinston, as directors.

The next business was a decision as to the opening date of the warehouses throughout the section for the 1925 season. The association decided definitely to open the coming season on Tuesday, September 1st. It was also decided that a committee be appointed to confer with the United States Tobacco Association at its coming meeting in Norfolk on establishing a regular opening date for every season in order that in the future there may be no doubt or discussion as to the date of opening.

At the request of the American Legion, it was decided that in the future Armistice Day, November 11th, would be observed by the warehousemen of the association at a holiday and no sales would be conducted on that date. The United Association will also be requested to co-operate in the observance of this holiday by refusing to furnish tobacco for any tobacco market, whatever, in the future on Armistice Day. Resolutions regarding prohibiting the sale of tobacco and other articles of commerce to the tobacco industry were adopted and a committee appointed to present said resolutions to the United States Tobacco Association for its approval.

Headed Cameron Dies at Raleigh

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D. A. LOVELACE ON CRUISE TO THE PACIFIC COAST

Mid-shipman, D. A. Lovelace, sailed on his summer cruise Thursday, June 4th. There were three ships to take the mid-shipmen to the Pacific Coast, the N. Y., Arkansas and Utah. They go direct to Panama, stop over for eight days, then on to the Pacific coast as far as Seattle, touching the principal ports. This is a practice cruise. They will return Sept. 1st, when "Don" will spend a month at his home here. "Don" graduated from the Farmville High School last year and entered the Academy on credit, where he has successfully passed his work.

MACK SHIRLEY IS KILLED BY ZED MOORE

Mack Shirley, 18, negro, was shot and instantly killed by Zed Moore, 12, at the home of Moore who lives on the farm of J. W. Parker, three miles from Farmville. The coroner's jury returned the verdict that Mack Shirley came to his death from a shot wound in the hands of Zed Moore, who was indicted in a criminal and manslaughter manner. They recommended that Moore be held on a manslaughter charge to be given a hearing in juvenile court.

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IT'S THE BEST THERE IS

There was an unusually large crowd of people in attendance when the opening of the new bridge at Farmville was celebrated yesterday. Despite the opening of the bridge, many people were in the city, and the streets were crowded with people coming and going.

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Clamp Hitch-Hiker



Nellie Amer, 17, lives in New York City and studies music at the Cleveland, O., Music Institute. She has made for many the way for traveling hitchhikers and she has "hitch-hiked" some for a while. She gave two rules for hitchhikers: "They are: 'Don't get into a crowded car; and 'Don't accept rides after dark.'"

N. C. FEDERAL TAXES RANK FORTH PLACE

Bills Fair to Exceed \$100,000,000. Leads the Union in Matter of Cost of Collection

Raleigh, N. C.—As it stands today, North Carolina pays more money into the Federal Treasury, in taxes than any State in the Union, with but slight exceptions. This total for the current fiscal year, it was estimated by the collector of internal revenue of Raleigh, bids fair to exceed \$100,000,000.

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EVOLUTION IS NOT A JOKE SAYS BRYAN

Great Commoner Declares Once and For All Time the Scientific Method Is Sound This Fused Work

Chicago, June 1.—The last case in Tennessee to determine the constitutionality of that state's law against the teaching of evolution in the public schools is "not a joke," but "the beginning of the end of attacks upon the Bible by those teachers in the public schools who have been substituting the business of scientists for the Word of God," William Jennings Bryan said in a formal statement here tonight.

There are four sources of control of the public schools, Mr. Bryan, who will act as counsel for the state in the Tennessee case, said. He termed them as the state's legislature; second, boards of education acting under authority of the legislature; third, the teachers themselves and fourth, about 11,000 scientists.

Regarding legislative control, he said: "Legislatures fix the death penalty for crime and the form and extent of other punishments. Legislatures regulate marriage and divorce; property, care of children; and all other matters between citizens. Why are our legislatures not competent to decide what kind of schools are needed, the equipment of teachers and the kind of instruction that shall be given?"

He declared that the boards of education set under authority of the legislature and finally of the people themselves, he said, concerning the control by scientists, he would not discuss.

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