

WEATHER

Increasing cloudiness Saturday also shows Saturday and Sunday not much change in temperature.

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PLAN EFFORT PUT OUT 200 FT. GEYSER OF FLAME LINDBERGH WILL LEAVE PARIS FOR BRUSSELS ABOUT NOON

Wearing Fire Proof Suit, Man Will Place Explosive In Crater And Touch It Off

Makes Eight Excursions Into Vicinity Roaring Fire Plasmic to Test Suit; Death List From Unexplained Explosive Mounts to Eight and Others Injured; Removing Buildings

MANFORD, Tenn., May 27.—(AP)—A geyser of flame and a 200-foot plume of flame rising from the mouth of a 1,000-foot crater in the center of this town all began today.

An explosive expert and hero of many battles against fire in the mid-continent oil fields, made preparations tonight for carrying the charge of nitroglycerine to the base of the huge geyser of fire and setting it off.

Plans were made to touch off the charge late tonight so that sparks and extinguished if they threatened and stray flames might easily be seen to be buildings or oil field equipment.

The expert tested out his fire-proof suit, which he will wear in approaching the burning well with his charge of explosives. By eight excursions into the crater of the flaming geyser.

Deaths from the explosion that started the fire reached eight today. Five men were in a hospital and two were missing.

Many buildings were moved from soaked all night with water. They were hauled out of danger with cables attached to trucks.

Reports were current that two roustabouts and one tool dresser were near the well at the time of the explosion in addition to the crew, but this had not been confirmed.

NOTE EXPLAINS SELF MURDER

Devil With Baby Face Caused Suicide, Says Note by Side of Body

CHICAGO, May 27.—(AP)—Search for the identity of a Chicago girl—"a devil with a baby face"—whom W. O. Martin said he killed here before he ended his own life yesterday in a Milwaukee hotel proved fruitless today. Martin left a note beside his body which said he killed the girl because of her faithlessness. His own note at the home of her mother in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, with her 3 weeks old baby said she knew of no other woman in Martin's affairs and believed the note was a result of hallucinations.

A theory that the girl with the "baby face" might be Evelyn Le Granda, who was shot and killed in her apartment by an unidentified assailant last week, was abandoned today when police and friends learned that they had not known each other.

"I have been trying to feel sorry for her, but I am not," Martin's note read. "She was a devil with a baby face. She swore by all the saints in heaven she would never leave me if I left my wife. I gave her \$1,000 cash."

Martin's wife said her husband always had been attentive and faithful.

BOTTLERS HOLD MEETING HERE

W. L. Rawlings and P. G. Middleton Hosts to Eastern Carolina Proprietors

Manufacturers of bottled beverages in Eastern North Carolina met here yesterday, named officers, mapped out plans for increasing their service to the people of the section, and were hosts of local bottlers at a barbecue at noon.

While the soda water manufacturers of the East do not have what they term an organization, they meet periodically in different cities of the section and keep up a close business communication.

The business session yesterday was held at the Barnes-Rawlings plant in the morning. At noon the delegates—twenty-three strong—adjourned to Crescent Lake where the hosts had prepared an excellent barbecue.

Those present included: A. A. McCoy and W. F. Tyndall, of Kinston; L. J. Taylor and C. O. Selfert of New Bern; Z. V. Murphy and M. O. Munas of Greenville; E. T. Fleming of Rocky Mount; M. S. Brown, of Tarboro; W. G. Richardson, of Raleigh; John Parks, P. G. Middleton, Spicer Holmes, G. H. Parker and W. L. Rawlings of Goldsboro; A. M. Woodard, Warsaw; D. B. Willis, Morehead City; S. J. Lane, Henderson; J. H. Reeves, Mt. Olive; and W. O. Gay, Farmville.

FUNERAL HELD FOR MRS. REBECCA MORTON

MOREHEAD CITY, May 27.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Rebecca Morton wife of Bridgers Morton was conducted from the Free Will Baptist church at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning and interment was in the amly burying ground at Newport. She died months old. She was born at Newport of apoplexy and was 88 years and 7 October 24, 1858. Before her marriage she was Miss Rebecca Garner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Garner.

ACTOR IS STRICKEN JUST BEFORE PLAY

PORTLAND, Ore., May 27.—(AP)—John Drew, actor, was ordered by his physicians to abandon a theatrical engagement here last night as the result of an attack of illness.

Wayne Woman's Tears Saves Husband In Federal Court

RALEIGH, May 26.—(AP)—Wayne county woman's tears today in Federal court here saved her husband from prison.

Mrs. Nancy Pierce, 40, husbandly at month's sentence in jail suspended until the next term of court after she told Judge Meekins that she didn't think he was guilty. The evidence against him was convincing but she said that has an innocent man and that he had a crop to cultivate.

District attorney Tucker said it was an old story of the alleged hoodlegger and that if he had planted a crop it was the first one. He said he had been the

A HOME-COMING FOR EBENEZER

For More Than 100 Years This Church Has Served Methodists in Fork

For more than one hundred years there has been known to be a church called Ebenezer, Fork township and for a number of weeks the membership of the church as it is today, a church on the Goldsboro-Methodist Circuit, have been working for a gala day that is to be known as the Ebenezer Home coming day, Sunday May 29. Once again old friends will meet around the little church house to sing songs of long ago and to tell of the years that have stood in between, those who have moved to other parts and those who have remained near the old grounds.

In these years that have gone like a tale that is told or like a watch in the night might of the old members have crossed over the river. To their memory there will be read an eulogy to each one of them giving all that can be found on their last days. This will be read by Mr. Neal, steward of Ebenezer church.

A special interest will be taken in the history of the old church that has been prepared by Dr. W. B. Crawford and will be read at the afternoon meeting by Dr. Crawford, an esteemed and greatly loved member and trustee of Ebenezer church. At a church meeting some time back the vote for a speaker on Home-Coming Day was unanimous for a former pastor, Rev. J. M. Wright, now pastor at Carthage, N. C. Mr. Wright will arrive in Goldsboro Saturday night and will be the guest of Bas and Mrs. Robert E. Brown, at the Goldsboro Circuit parsonage 712 East Ash street. Mr. Wright will preach at 11 o'clock Sunday.

Dinner will be served on the ground and all former members and friends of the church are invited, special invitation is given to all former ministers and officers of the church. Turn again towards the little church by the great highway, where the races of men go by, and listen to the call to worship and how again the knee to Him for whom all churches have been built and dedicated.

NAMES DELEGATES

RALEIGH, May 27.—(AP)—Appointment of delegates to represent this state at the meeting of the United States good roads association at Savannah, June 7 to 11 are: R. O. Everett, Durham; Francis D. Winston, Windsor; Charles C. Rose, Fayetteville; T. J. Murphy, Greensboro; R. H. Burns, Whiteville; Guy Newby, Hertford.

ABERNETHY'S NATION'S CHIEF MAGISTRATE

RALEIGH, May 27.—(AP)—Durham is the nation's capital and Congressman Charles Abernethy is president, an alien applying for citizenship papers here tells Judge Meekins in federal court. But history books say Durham is the capital of Durham county, N. C., and the New Bern congressman represents Eastern North Carolina at Washington.

subject of consideration for terms of court.

After the argument of the lawyers over the case had ended, Mrs. Pierce, with tears in her eyes, stood before Judge Meekins and pleaded in low tones for the liberty of her husband.

"Madam, I am letting your husband go home because you asked it," said Judge Meekins. She walked out the door with her husband behind. There was still tears in her eyes but they were tears of grief turned to tears of happiness that she had been able to convince the court. Pierce was represented by Attorney William H. Muzey of Princeton.

Will Fly His Own Airship

Still Received As Greatest Hero of Age Ever Known in Paris

PARIS, May 27.—(AP)—Captain Charles Lindbergh, still scheduled for more triumphs, tonight was closed the greatest week of his age ever has experienced.

Tomorrow the young American aviator, who left New York last Friday and arrived in Paris in Saturday night, will leave the French capital after having received such praises as almost to defy comparison.

Heaped with all the honors that the French people and their government could bestow upon him, the slim son of the middle west will climb into his historic monoplane to fly to Brussels where another Royal welcome has been prepared by King Albert and his people.

Capt. Lindbergh will leave France a little after noon from the field on which he brought "The Spirit of St. Louis" to rest last Saturday night at the end of his triumphant non-stop flight from New York and he is leaving Paris in "as great a blaze of glory as he entered it."

Today, the last full day of his present stay in France, Capt. Lindbergh was out of bed before dawn and from then until midnight his every moment was occupied.

DETROIT, Mich.—(AP)—Mrs. Evangeline Lindbergh announced tonight that her son, Capt. Charles Lindbergh, transatlantic flier, has accepted President Coolidge's invitation to return home on a warship and would sail for home about June 16. He so informed her by cable, she said.

BROWN SPEAKS AT ROSEWOOD

Tells Graduates Not to Stay on Farm Unless They Have Been Trained for Life

T. E. Brown, director of vocational education in North Carolina, yesterday told the boys and girls of Rosewood High School not to stay on the farm unless they were interested in farming as a vocation and interested in it above everything else. The Raleigh man spoke at Rosewood in the morning before a crowded house and in connection with the closing exercises of the school. A play by members of the high school last evening brought the pupils to a close.

North Carolina needs leadership, and leadership developed in the State, Mr. Brown declared. The time has come, he said, when we should depend more upon developing our leaders rather than in getting them from the outside.

The State, he said, had made progress rapidly the past few years and will now mark time until greatly increased revenues are set to operating in the state. Increased efficiency should bring increased revenues and better education will bring increased efficiency.

Mr. Brown advised the members of the graduating class to continue their education and to take positions of leadership in the great forward movement in North Carolina.

"One of the hopeful signs of today," declared Mr. Brown "is that farmers are receiving instruction in better principles of agriculture. If you are not trained for becoming a farmer, you should not stay on the farm. Farming, should be made a business, and operated on a business plan. Hit-or-miss methods are one of the greatest drawbacks to the farm today."

SMALL CRAFT WARNING

WASHINGTON, May 27.—(AP)—The weather bureau's general forecast today says that "small craft warnings" are displayed from Cape Hatteras to Eastport, Minn.

DILLARD HIGH GRADUATES 34

Dr. E. E. Smith Delivers Annual Address at Second Annual Commencement of School

Last night marked the close of the second annual commencement of the Dillard High school, graduating 34 pupils, 11 boys and 23 girls. The Rev. E. E. Smith of Portsmouth, Va., delivered the annual address, of John D. Langston on behalf of the board of education awarded the diplomas.

Long before the hour for the opening exercises the capacious auditorium was filled to capacity and standing room at a premium. Promptly at 8:00 o'clock the graduating class in procession marched to the platform and invocation was made by Rev. A. W. Freeland.

The salutatory by Maude Adkinson and the valedictory by Lillie Kornegay showed much painstaking care and were well delivered. The singing of the glee club and the quartet were well above the average.

Dr. Smith in his address in part, said that the student of today faced the challenge of indicating the wisdom of those who have made this opportunity possible. He stressed the importance of not being trained away from our eternal heritage. "We must cherish the wisdom of our parents, church, leaders who are making great sacrifices and the broad hearted philanthropies who are contributing to this great cause," continued the speaker.

His chief business in this world is not to make a living but a life, as no man can live unto himself, then he must promote peace to every race and nation. Dr. Smith concluded his address by urging the class to remember their creator on their young days, the years of impression.

Col. Langston in presenting the diplomas expressed himself as being pleased with everything he saw, commenting on the class motto "Striving for the goal," he told them they were the limit, but to succeed their motive must be pure.

Attorney Dees of the board of education made a few remarks at the closing of the program, Arthur H. Sasser and Lillie Kornegay chosen by the student body, as the outstanding students of the year were awarded prizes by Principal H. V. Brown.

Branches of Church May Consolidate

WASHINGTON, May 27.—(AP)—An invitation to unite with the Presbyterian Church of the South was extended today to the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church of North America. It came from the Rev. Dr. S. L. Morris of Atlanta, sent here for the purpose from the annual conference of the Southern Presbyterians.

The question of union has been under consideration by both denominations for 17 years. Delegates of the United Presbyterian church said that no substantial difference in doctrines or policies existed, although there were differences in details of administration and organization. They recommended that negotiations be carried to some definite conclusion.

Counties Required Prepare And Adopt Budget By June 1

RALEIGH, May 26.—Preparation of a budget that will take care of the needs of each county department and activity and stand public inspection in the court house and in the county seat is the province of the county officials throughout the State under the new county Fiscal control Act.

Preliminary budget estimates are now being prepared on forms already sent out from the office of the county Government Advisory Commission by the department heads and officers in charge of functions in each county. These estimates must be completed and presented to each county accountant by June 1.

These preliminary budgets will show in detail what the department

Postpone Case Alleged To Have Been Caused By Wild Party Until This Morning

CULLING TALK IS DELIVERED

Poultry Association Meets Next With Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Best

Who attended the poultry meeting at Steven's Mill yesterday seemed to enjoy it from start to finish. Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Warrick, with whom the meeting was held, served barbecue and in addition a table was spread by those present with fried chicken and dozens of other good things to eat.

The culling demonstration given by Prof. Wm. F. Armstrong was of great value to beginners in poultry keeping. The demonstration was begun by pointing out from charts the importance of feeding the proper feeds, showing that the content of the egg does not vary and that the protein, carbohydrates, fats and minerals must be supplied for egg production. The importance of plenty clean fresh water was stressed, it being pointed out that the egg is 66 percent water.

Prof. Armstrong demonstrated from charts the steps to egg profits. The first step was start with purebred. Then hatch early, keep youngsters growing, select pullets and house them comfortably. He stressed the idea that we must produce a quality product to meet competition.

In the culling demonstration, hens were used so as everyone could see what was meant. The chief points Prof. Armstrong recommended for a guide in culling was, bleaching, lack of fat and expansion for a good layer.

It was announced that the next meeting would be held the fourth Friday in June with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Best, Goldsboro, Route 2.

The meeting then adjourned with everyone feeling grateful to Mr. and Mrs. Warrick for their kind hospitality.

Back to Bible Is Urged by Speakers

CHICAGO, May 27.—(AP)—New Testament evangelism in preaching the Gospel against modernism was the subject before to fifth annual conference of the Baptist Bible Union this afternoon with Dr. W. J. H. Brown and Rev. R. T. Kitchin the speakers.

Both pastors described the spread of modernism and urged a return to the Bible teachings as the chief weapon against Liberalists.

"There is surely a need for new emphasis on the shed blood of Jesus Christ," Dr. Brown said. "The spirit of God functions on a foundation of blood atonement on Jesus, the world redeemer and not a moral reformer."

RAILWAY SIGNAL INSPECTED

RALEIGH, May 27.—(AP)—The meeting of the regional committee on the economics of railway signaling, held under the auspices of the signal section of the American Railway Association, was concluded with a inspection tour of the new signaling system from Richmond to Norfolk.

The party left Raleigh by train for Richmond, making the 8:30 a. m. train to Hamlet by train and returning to Raleigh by train.

PLANE FAILS TO RISE FOR FLIGHT OVER THE ARCTIC

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White Man and Negro Found Guilty of White Key Charge and Appeal to Higher Courts

Girl Makes Unsuccessful Effort to Obtain "Dope"; Young Princeton Man is Also Charged With Affray

Trial of the two men arrested on liquor charge and possession of the case charging affray against Starling Lane and Louise Piggott featured the special session of County Court yesterday. Solicitor Paul R. Edmondson had been called out of town and on account of this fact the case against the Piggott woman and against Lane were continued until this morning.

Frank Wilkins, white and George Austin, colored, were found guilty of manufacturing whiskey for the purpose of sale and sentenced to six months on the Wayne county work. They gave notice of appeal from the verdict and bond was fixed at \$500.

Austin was sentenced to seven thirty days on the road for possession of concealed weapon on his person.

Both Wilkins and Austin were taking by Sheriff's deputies on a raid in York township Thursday afternoon. Wilkins had five gallons of whiskey and Austin a half-gallon.

Much interest was expected to be developed in the affray charge against Starling Lane and the Piggott woman. This case grew out of wounds suffered by the girl last Sunday afternoon. She said Lane cut her with a knife after she rejected his suggestions of immoral proposals. Lane had told that she cut herself about the leg when she kicked the windshield of his automobile out after too many drinks during a wild party.

Brutus Holt, young Princeton man, is also docketed on the court dock to face trial along with Lane and the Piggott girl.

The girl, it was learned yesterday, made an unsuccessful effort to obtain "dope" for herself. Confined in the jail, she called to a negro girl passing by, tossed a folded note over the fence to the girl and told her to take it to the Goldsboro Drug Company. The negro carried out the instructions, and at the drug store the pharmacist found the note a request for a certain kind of opiate. He at once got in communication with the Wayne County Health Department to ascertain if the drug had been authorized for the patient. The reply was in the negative and the request went unfulfilled.

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