

WEATHER

Cloudy Wednesday. Thursday
thunder showers

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PRICE FIVE CENTS

GOOD PRICES PAID AS GA. WEED MARKET OPENS

"Do Not Choose Run For President in 1928" -- Coolidge

Indicates Fine Opening Of
Goldsboro Market on Sept. 6
According to Local Growers

Average Price in Georgia
Cents, States Telegram
To The News

IN FEW INSTANCES PRICE
PAID REACHED HIGH MARK

Local Growers Jubilant Over
Prospects for Opening in
Eastern Carolina

Local tobacco growers were jubilant yesterday when they learned that the Georgia markets had opened with high prices prevailing.

"That certainly looks good for the folks down this way, for you can usually tell how prices are going to run here from the way they run there," said a man who cultivates 100 acres of tobacco.

Sales on the Georgia market were reported as light in a telegram to The News, from Jones and Wooten, local warehousemen, with the average of about sixteen cents. In some instances, however, prices reached \$1 per pound. Farmers were reported as well pleased with the opening.

There are six or eight men on the Georgia market now who will be in Goldsboro later in the season.

The telegram to The News read: "Bids for Average Sixteen cents farmers well pleased.

Jones and Wooten
The telegram was filed late in the afternoon and gives the considered opinion of these expert tobaccoists after witnessing the progress of the market during the day.

Twenty Cents at Nashville
NASHVILLE, Ga., Aug. 2.—The Nashville tobacco market opened here today with very light sales. The offerings were mostly primings and of an ordinary grade, prices ranging from two to forty cents.

Nashville sold one hundred and seventy thousand pounds at an average of twenty cents. Prices were considered very fair and the farmers were well satisfied. The tobacco offered here today was very thin but high in color proving to be a very good cigarette type.

METTER, Ga., August 2 (AP)—With over 2,000 visitors in Metter and both warehouses overflowing with excellent grades of tobacco, the tobacco market opened here today with prospects of it being the brightest year in the history of this industry in its fourth year.

At noon today, the highest price paid for tobacco was one dollar per pound.

Seventeen tobacco companies are represented here including big Virginia and North Carolina concerns.

By noon today half a million pounds had been sold.
At Waycross
WAYCROSS, Ga., August 2 (AP)—It is estimated that a hundred thousand pounds of tobacco will be sold today on the floors of the two warehouses which were heavy with a fair quality of seed. Prices opened at from 25 to 35 cents.

Tifton, Ga., August 2 (AP)—The Tifton tobacco market opened today with three million pounds on sale, with the price estimated to average twenty cents per pound. Offerings included primings, sand lungs, and poorer qualities but the color was excellent.

The quality of the leaf for quality, price was about the same as last year.

Capt. N. O'Berry In
An Auto Accident

Captain Nathan O'Berry, one of Goldsboro's most prominent citizens, suffered minor cuts and severe body bruises when his automobile turned over near Faison Monday night. It was learned yesterday, but in no way was seriously injured.

The highway was slick from a recent rain and the chauffeur applied the brakes in a traffic emergency while the machine was making about 35 miles an hour, whereupon the car left the road and turned over. Those who are familiar with the accident express surprise that the occupants of the car were not seriously injured.

PYTHIANS PLAN
CLAYTON MEET

Will inspect new dormitories at
Orphanage; Local Pythians
Interested

Pythians of North Carolina will gather at the orphan home of the Lodge at Clayton on August 16 to inspect the new dormitories and to engage in a program for the occasion.

Pythians here will be interested in the following proclamation which has been issued by J. Fred Brower, Jr., of Winston-Salem.

By order of the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Domain of North Carolina, through a resolution passed at its last session in Charlotte, I hereby designate and proclaim Tuesday, August 16, 1927, as Pythian Home Day. I ask that as many of the members of our order as possible, their families and friends, go to Clayton on that date and visit our Home, and inspect the two handsome dormitories and other equipment, and meet our new Superintendent and our family of girls and boys. Please bring a basket lunch and provision will be made to spread same at the Home at 1 p. m.

The office of the our Grand Keeper of Records and Seal will after August 1st, be located at our Home in Clayton. Brother George E. Lovell will also be glad to welcome you.

I am sure you will spend a very pleasant and profitable day at the Home. We expect on August 16th a large attendance from all sections of the State. Please make every effort to be with us on that date.

REORGANIZATION OF DRY
BUREAU SEEN IN ACTION

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—(AP)—Steps toward a final reorganization of the prohibition bureau were taken today by Assistant Secretary Lowman, 24 hours after he formally took the oath of office, with abolishment of the five fixed enforcement zones and elevation of his immediate assistants to higher ranks.

The readjustment is subject only to changes which may be necessary when the bureau is put on a civil service basis as provided by act of the last congress.

22,700 AUTO TAGS SOLD
BL WINSTON-SALEM CLUB

WINSTON-SALEM, August 2 (AP)—A total of 22,734 automobile tags for this year have been disposed of by the Winston-Salem Automobile club, says G. W. Hill, in charge of the local license bureau. And added to this number there have been 2,053 pneumatic tire truck licenses and 130 solid tire truck tags.

EXPRESSES FEAR
FOR YOUNG GIRL

Whereabouts of 15-Year-Old
Daughter of Dock Kelly
Reported Unknown

As Mrs. Eleanor Kelly appeared before Judge Daniels at a chambers hearing yesterday and asked and gained the right to possess property which she helped her husband, Dock Kelly, accumulate, the whereabouts of two children of Kelly's by a former wife was unknown. Mrs. Kelly expressed the fear that one of them, a girl about 15, might be led astray as she and her 12-year-old brother have been abandoned by their father and left upon the mercy of the world. She asked that the welfare department of the county be interested in their case.

Mrs. Kelly reported that she was driven from the home of her husband, who operated a filling station on the Raleigh highway, because of the continued drunkenness of the man and because of his excessive cruelty. She related being beaten by him on several occasions and on one occasion was chased from the house at the point of a gun, she said.

Kelly did not appear to reply to the hearing before Judge Daniels. He had taken his automobile and fled the county, it was reported.

Judge Daniels ordered that property held in Kelly's name be sold and the proceeds applied to the support of Mrs. Kelly and children. She has four children by Mr. Kelly.

BILBO LEADS IN
MISSISSIPPI

Has Two to One Majority Over
Opponents for Govern-
orship

NEW ORLEANS, August 2.—(AP)—T. G. Bilbo clung to a two-to-one lead over his nearest opponent for the governorship, Mike Conner, on the face of scattering returns from the Mississippi Democratic primary tonight.

The former governor had polled 1,094 votes in 37 precincts of the 1,500 in the state, early returns showed. Conner, his nearest opponent, sprung into second place with 548 and the incumbent, governor Dennis, was third with 526. Anderson had polled 111.

PYTHIANS GIVE OVER \$40,000
TO MISSISSIPPI FLOOD FUND

WILMINGTON, Aug. 2.—(AP)—Knights of Pythias, through their subordinate lodges, have contributed more than \$40,000 to the Mississippi flood relief fund. Richard L. Meays, master of the supreme exchequer with headquarters here, announced today.

Mr. Meays expressed belief that several thousand dollars more would be contributed. Most of the lodges he said already have sent in their contributions.

Say Girl's Alleged Assailant Died From
Exhaustion and Not of Gunshot Wounds

ROCKY MOUNT, August 2 (AP)—Tom Bradshaw, negro alleged attacker of a 12-year old girl near Bailey Sunday morning died today of exhaustion and fatigue rather than from gunshot wounds inflicted by posse members by whom he had been trailed for more than 60 hours over woods and through swamps, according to testimony given at an inquest conducted late today at Coroner Collins of Nash County at a spot where the negro fell in Tolsnot swamp.

After hearing evidence at the scene where death occurred, the inquest was continued pending an autopsy to be performed on Bradshaw's body by the county health officer, who had previously told the jury that ex-

HIT BY CAR BUS
IS OVERTURNED

Mike Romanos, Local Man,
Slightly Injured in Accident
Near Fremont

Mike Romanos, of Goldsboro, was slightly injured, yesterday morning when the Wilson-Goldsboro bus collided with a Buick driven by Marvin Sherard, Jr., of Goldsboro. The bus was overturned in the collision.

Mr. Romanos was one of two passengers on the bus and he was taken to Wilson for treatment. Long distance calls to the Wilson hospital last evening brought the information that Mr. Romanos was not a patient and it is supposed that he must have been able to leave the hospital after receiving first aid. A shoulder was injured, reports are.

Accompanying Mr. Sherard in the Buick was Miss Eleanor Best of Fremont. Neither was injured. The Buick was badly damaged, reports are, but the bus was only slightly damaged, a fender being bent and a tire blown out.

The accident occurred near Black Creek, but information as to how it occurred could not be obtained.

This was the second near-serious accident of the Fremont section in three days.

Lennie Sloff, driving a Ford coupe down one of the principal streets Sunday afternoon, collided with a bicycle ridden by two small boys, one of them, a son of John Peacock. One of the boys saved himself by clutching to the radiator of the automobile when the car hit the bicycle and clinging to this hold until the car was stopped.

The other boy had gone under the automobile and the car stopped over him and the bicycle. His pants were caught in the chain of the wheel and practically torn off as he was pulled from under the car. But he escaped injury.

TWO KILLED IN
AN EXPLOSION

Barges Worth \$750,000 Burn
Following Explosion on
Oil Tanker

VICKSBURG, August 2.—(AP)—Two men were killed, two seriously injured and oil and barges valued at \$500,000 were destroyed today near here when an explosion occurred in one of several barges loaded with oil en route to Memphis, near Salem Bend, in the Mississippi river.

The tow was being hauled by a Standard Oil steamer.

The mate and a cook hand were thrown from the barge when the explosion occurred and were killed instantly.

TITLED LADY TO RUN LAUNDRY

LONDON, Aug. 2.—Lady Ossulton, wife of the heir to the Earl of Tankerville, is Britain's first titled woman laundry director.

OPEN STORE IN
WILMINGTON

Wayne Tire Company Announces
Opening of Second Store;
Meaders Manager

The Wayne Tire Company, for several years successfully operating in Goldsboro, today announces the opening of a branch store at Wilmington. The Wilmington store will be located at 211-215 Market street, and officials of the Wayne company foresee for it a development equal to that of the Goldsboro store during the past few years.

H. T. Meaders will be in charge of the Wilmington branch and Sam Magill will be his assistant. A unique service which the Wayne company now inaugurates is that of securing hotel reservations for Goldsboro people en route to the Seaside City for a vacation or for the week ends. "By communicating with our Wilmington store from the Goldsboro store," said D. M. Prince, "we will be able to secure reservations for local people at city and beach hotels and this is a service which we shall feature."

"We are opening the new store in Wilmington because we feel that there is an ample field for a store offering Firestone quality and efficient service. The Wilmington branch will in all respects operate on the same high plane and give full value for every dollar that the Goldsboro store has followed."

CAR GOES OVER
AN EMBANKMENT

No One is Hurt When Cars Col-
lide on Highway Forty
South of City

A Ford coupe driven by Green Walker, negro, employee of the Jordan Brick and Tile Company, went over a ten-foot embankment on highway forty a few miles south of town early last evening when it collided with a Buick driven by William Irwin.

Mr. Irwin stated that he was travelling about twenty miles an hour when hit by the Ford which was on the wrong side of the road. No one was injured in the accident. In the car with Mr. Irwin were Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Edwards and son Joseph, and Beaddy Atkinson, proprietor of the Hat Shop.

Walker was taken into custody by Deputy Carl Smith. Search of the negro disclosed a .38 calibre revolver on his person.

MARKED DECREASE SHOWN
IN NUMBER FEVER CASES

RALEIGH, August 2.—(AP)—With Dr. Charles Laughinghouse, state health officer in the field spreading typhoid fever prevention education, state board of health officers here report a marked decrease in new cases.

Simple Statement Issued To
Press at Noon Yesterday And
Takes Intimates by Surprise

Slayer Fremont Boy
Gets 30-Day Reprieve

George Frank Bazemore, Greens county negro, will not die today as scheduled for the murder of Gordon Yelverton 15 year old son Banks Yelverton of Fremont at eight months ago.

State Pardon Commissioner Edwin Bridges yesterday gave the negro thirty more days of life. Commissioner Bridges will study the case during the thirty days to determine if there are any facts in connection with it which demand a commutation of sentence.

The thirty-day reprieve, gives Bazemore until September 2 to live. Bazemore shot the Yelverton boy through the head, left his body in a clump of bushes and stole a load of tobacco which the boy was taking to market.

CO-OPS LEAD
RE-SIGN MOVE

Mann and Field Men Adjourning
Districts To Aid Frank
Jones Here

The North Carolina Cotton Growers Cooperative Association began a quiet membership drive in Wayne county yesterday. M. G. Mann, director of field service, with four other of the field men from adjoining districts, is assisting Frank Jones, the local representative in the resign-up drive in this county during the next four days.

The resign-up for the Cotton Growers Association to date is said by Mr. Jones, to be very encouraging with approximately half of the cotton that has been delivered to the association resigned under the new agreement, and that as fast as the field workers can get in contact with the leading members who have been delivering for the past five years that they are being given the privilege of signing the new liberal contract.

The resign-up is not only encouraging from the stand point of the high type of old members who are signing the new contract, but it is very encouraging from the standpoint of the high type of new members who are signing the new contract. Mr. Jones said, Among these being some of the leading business men, merchants and farmers through out the state.

One of the local men who will assist the association workers in this drive will be the present director of this district, E. A. Stevens others are: G. A. Norwood, C. L. Beaton, A. T. Griffin, C. F. Sizell, P. C. Caldwell, Will Casey, C. S. Davis, R. D. S. Beaton, N. A. Hoxell, T. J. Vail, H. G. Scott, H. H. Edgerton, Ira W. Parker, O. H. Hawkins, J. C. O'Berry, H. T. Davis, and a number of other leading farmers.

LAD CLING TO SPARK OF LIFE
FLORENCE, S. C., Aug. 2.—(AP)—W. Register, 19 year old Florence youth, today started his fourth week in a hospital where he suffered a broken neck in a dive in shallow water.

NEXT HIGHWAY LETTING
SCHEDULED AUGUST 30

RALEIGH, Aug. 2.—(AP)—The next highway letting will be on August 23, Frank Page, state highway commission chairman, said today. The projects to be advertised for letting have not been fully decided upon. The letting inaugurates the fall program. On the same day the supreme court meets in opening of the fall session.

Manager Not Convinced He
Would Not Run If Re-
Nominated

GOES FISHING AFTER HE
HANDS OUT CRYPTIC NOTE

Statement Issued Upon Anniver-
sary of Becoming Presi-
dent of Country

RAPID CITY, Aug. 2.—(AP)—President Coolidge today issued the simple statement that "I do not choose to run for president in 1928," taking his close associates by complete surprise.

This typewritten announcement was handed to newspapermen by Mr. Coolidge in his executive office at noon today and a faint smile lighted his face as he replied to the astonished group that there was no comment. Throughout the remainder of the day with constant Democratic as well as Republican political leaders throughout the nation, Mr. Coolidge retreated alone to the quarters of his favorite fishing hole near the state game lodge, where he is spending the summer.

The statement's wording caused so left some political leaders still speculating tonight whether Mr. Coolidge would be brought into the approaching campaign.

Significance was attached here to the comment of Wm. Butler, personal political manager of Mr. Coolidge in the pre-convention campaign of 1924. He declared:

"I am not convinced he will run if re-nominated," Mr. Butler, as chairman of the Republican National committee has retained his close personal contact with the president.

Mr. Coolidge will have served five years and seven months at the close of the four year term to which he was elected in 1924, having entered the White House in 1923 upon the death of President Harding.

That the announcement was to be of prime importance was quickly agreed since Mr. Coolidge had never recalled the White House correspondence to him. The announcement was timed, it was disclosed, so that it could reach the country after the closing of the New York stock market.

CHICAGO, August 2.—(AP)—President Coolidge's announcement that he will not seek the presidency next year will be received with regret by millions of his country men who president Dawes said in a statement here tonight.

"President Coolidge enjoys the confidence and respect of the American people," Mr. Dawes said. "And his decision will be received with regret by millions."

Will Know Their Fate
By 9 This Evening

BOSTON, August 2.—(AP)—George and Vanzeotti, awaiting execution at the state prison for murder, will know their fate between 8 and 9 o'clock tomorrow night, Governor Fuller, who has been conducting a personal investigation of their case, announced tonight that his decision would be ready at that time. The governor completed the interviewing of witnesses today and devoted himself to preparations of his findings.

War Pensions \$200,000,000 For Year
LONDON, Aug. 2.—Great Britain's war pensions expenditure is three times more per head annually than that of the United States, according to a Parliamentary statement.