

WEATHER

Fair Wednesday and Thursday slowly rising temperature

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REBELS CONCENTRATING FORCES AT NEW BASE

Planes Drop Medicines For Blue Jackets Who Were Wounded in Battle

Scout Planes Return From Quail Hills No Trace of General Sandino

1,000 ADDITIONAL TROOPS PROMISED

Re-inforcements Are Already Being Brought Up to Hold Captured City

MANAGUA, Nic., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Airplanes returning this afternoon from the region of Quail Hills were unable to find any sign of rebel troops. It is believed that they have gone to another point 15 miles away to concentrate against the American Marines who captured their base.

The original capture of the city, reinforced by a combat patrol are holding Quail Hills with an additional column of reinforcements on the way and the promise of 1,000 more Marines from the U. S. to assist in controlling the situation throughout the country.

The capture of Quail Hills by the Marines last Friday was a severe blow to the liberal general Sandino who had used the town as a base since last July. He has made one complete attack since losing the city. The chief concern of the Marines at present is to remove the sick and wounded to Managua although medical supplies were taken to them by the reinforcing squad. Airplanes today dropped medicine for the seriously wounded.

20 INJURED IN TRAIN ACCIDENT

Steam Ditcher Sideswipes Southern Passenger Train Number 46 at Spencer

SPENCER, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Nearly a score of persons were injured when Southern Railway passenger train number 46 was sideswiped by a steam ditcher 2 miles north of here late this afternoon.

Hospital attendants said tonight that none was injured seriously and that they probably would be able to go home within a few days.

Railroad officials said the rear end of the ditcher was across the northbound track when the accident occurred. Windows were broken from all the coaches.

COLD WAVE WILL END THIS NIGHT

Snow Fell Yesterday to Add Touch of Color to Bitter Spell

CHARLOTTE, Jan. 3.—(AP)—After three days of winter at its severest, North Carolina today awaited the coming of milder temperatures. Though the mercury did not decline to the extreme low reign of Monday and Sunday cold prevailed in sections of the state.

A trace of snow swept in on a brisk northwest breeze to give a colorful touch to winter's coldest weather in several years.

ATLANTA, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Sub-freezing weather that has held the south in its grip for three days bringing at least 10 deaths directly or indirectly and reports of some damage to Florida crops showed no signs of abatement tonight but a measure of relief was in sight.

Forecasters said that temperatures which today ranged from zero in Kentucky to well below freezing in sections of Florida with snow as far south as Mississippi, probably would begin to rise slowly tomorrow.

The death in Alabama from exposure and burns of five persons last night and today added to a similar toll yesterday, also laid to king winter when four persons were killed in a wreck of two trolley cars near here and a negro woman was frozen to death in Charlotte, N. C.

Seventy-One Local Items Are Printed

You get the home news first in The News, and you get it complete, not only for Goldsboro but for all of Wayne county. In the issue of yesterday 71 items of local news were printed: The local stories included spot news on the front page, local sports on page two, a full account of current Goldsboro and Wayne county society, and seventeen "local news" items. The emphasis which The News gives in giving complete, and accurate accounts of local history accounts in large part for the growing popularity of the paper.

NIGHT CLASSES TO START SOON

Fork Township Farmers Invited To Join Classes to Be Held By Mr. Veazey

Farmers of Fork township will meet once each week at Rosewood and Ebenezer schools to study latest practices in farming. The first class meets at Ebenezer tonight at 7 o'clock and the next at Rosewood on Thursday night at the same hour. The classes will continue throughout the winter months, meeting each week at Ebenezer Wednesday night, and Rosewood Thursday nights.

The subjects to be studied in these classes are cotton improvement, corn improvement, tobacco improvement, wine, poultry and soil improvement. The recent experiments and demonstration, coupled with the experiences of the best farmers will be presented in studying these subjects.

A large attendance is expected at both schools. Every farmer in Fork township is invited to join one of the classes. Members of the Agricultural advisory committee of Rosewood school are very optimistic over the prospects for large evening classes this year.

Prof. A. H. Veazey will be in charge of these classes. Prof. Seymour of the Grantham high school has been conducting night classes at Grantham and at Beavertown for sometime. Prof. C. W. Warrick is conducting night classes at Pikeville.

Number of Children Are Still Missing

QUEBEC, Canada, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Between 15 and 20 children of the 370 who were in the St. Charles Girls orphanage when it was swept by fire on December 14 are unaccounted for, a check revealed today. At least 20 girls lost their lives in the fire.

Police who have been attempting to locate the children who were forced to flee from the danger zone reported today 15 were missing, but the orphanage supervisor placed the figure at 20.

DURHAM WEED MART REOPENS

Over 21 Million Pounds Sold On Durham Market Before Closing For Holidays

DURHAM, (AP)—The Durham tobacco market reopened today after having been closed since December 15 for the Christmas holidays.

Sales for the first few days were generally expected to be rather slow as is the custom with the after-Christmas opening.

When the market closed on December 15, an average of around \$25 per hundred pounds was being paid for the week. More than 21 million pounds of tobacco were sold up to the time of the closing for the holidays and a few more millions was slated to be sold between today and the market closing date early in spring.

ROTARY HEARS A \$100,000 FIRE TAX DISCUSSION IN CAPITAL CITY

Senator Royall Outlines Proposed Amendment Aimed at Getting New Revenue Source

"The farmer pays more of his gross income in taxes than any other class of people," declared Senator Kenneth Royall last night in the course of discussing the question of taxation before the Rotary Club at its regular meeting at the Hotel Goldsboro. Senator Royall expressed the opinion that the agricultural sections of North Carolina are today bearing an unfair burden of taxation in comparison with the industrial sections. He declared that it was the duty of every citizen to give careful thought to the tax problem in North Carolina today.

There is a growing need, he said, for counties to find an adequate source of revenue and for the state to make it possible for the counties to get this revenue. He suggested that the gasoline tax surplus now accumulating should be made available to the counties.

As the chief solution, however, for North Carolina's tax dilemma, Senator Royall outlined the proposed amendment to the constitution of the State which he introduced in the last general assembly. The amendment would provide for the re-classification of intangible property—stocks, bonds, notes—and would place it on the tax books at a very reasonable rate. The amendment would become law if adopted by the people at the next general election.

Very little of the intangible property of the state ever gets on the tax books now, simply because the rate is too high, the same as land and about 3 per cent. If, however, the Rotarians were told, the intangibles should be classified and placed on the books at a nominal rate, say 1-10 of 1 per cent, then there would be no effort to conceal such wealth.

The present system, Senator Royall declared, practically closes the possibility of transactions in bonds and stocks locally and acts as a hindrance to bank deposits.

Kentucky was pointed out as a state which had adopted the classification system for intangible property, the placing of the intangible property on the books at a reasonable rate. The result was, Senator Royall said, that \$2,000,000 more in revenue was discovered. This new revenue, it was pointed out, would make possible a reduction of the tax rate on real estate.

AIRMAIL ROUTE TO BE LIGHTED

Duke Power Company To Furnish Electricity For Project After Rates Are Set

RALEIGH, (AP)—The North Carolina Corporation Commission has a progressive New Year's step before it today for decision soon—the fixing of a rate for lighting the Washington, D. C.-Atlanta airmail route.

A contract between the United States Department of Commerce and the Duke Power Company by which the power company will furnish electricity for the lighting system on the air route is ready for signatures, following an agreement between the two, just announced.

The department of commerce's request for a ruling from the state corporation commission fixing a rate for this lighting was before the commission. Under the agreement between the Duke company and the commerce department, all that is now needed is the rate to be set by the commission.

WANTED TO SEE C. L. EVEN IF HE HAD TO FREEZE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—J. W. Hunsfeld, Washington citizen apparently was born a hero.

At 8:45 Monday morning, Hunsfeld began standing a lonely post outside the gates to the White House grounds. The thermometer registered ten degrees above zero.

The lone gentleman was waiting for President Coolidge's public reception scheduled for 1:30 Monday afternoon. While his toes froze, however, Hunsfeld had the privilege of watching all the socially and officially elite roll up to the main entrance in their limousines.

Grand Theatre Burns and Adjoining Business Establishments Suffers

RALEIGH, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Fire here in the heart of the business district did what property owners estimated a \$100,000 damage.

The Grand theatre, old amusement house once noted for its doors being rucked by college students celebrating athletic victories was destroyed by flames of unknown origin.

Adjoining business establishments were heavily damaged.

EL DORADO, Ark., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Florence Williams, 9, today was burned to death and seven other members of her family were burned seriously, her mother probably fatally when the home of the Williams near here was destroyed by fire. A four year old boy escaped without harm. An open gas flame was believed responsible for the fire which was discovered by the father.

NOBLES TO NEW BERN THURSDAY

Fred B. Crowson Will Complete Term As Potentate After Very Fine Year

Fred B. Crowson, Goldsboro man who for the past year has guided the destinies of the Sudan Temple Ancient Arabic Order of the Mystic Shrine as its potentate, will retire from this position at the annual winter business session of the Temple in New Bern on Thursday. Many members of the local Shrine club will go to New Bern to attend the ceremonies.

Mr. Crowson will preside over the opening session of the meeting. Outstanding among business items to be transacted is the election of officers. If the usual procedure is followed, Harry Storr of Raleigh will be elevated to the place of potentate now held by Mr. Crowson.

During the year that Mr. Crowson had headed the Temple, a fine year's activities have been run off. The Spring ceremonial held in Goldsboro was voted as complete a ceremonial as the Nobles ever held, and many expressions of appreciation for the fine discharge of duty by the Goldsboro man have been heard.

There is a good class of novices to be initiated at the Thursday meeting in New Bern is located Sudan home, the seat of the order's activities.

New Bern committees are busily preparing for the meeting and ceremonial. A large number of candidates Nobles and visitors are expected for the event. Fred C. Rea, of Washington D. C., is already at work decorating the warehouse for the ceremonials and various buildings in the city for the reception of the out-of-town visitors.

PROLONG WRIT FOR GEO. REMUS

Judge Will Take Until Thursday To Consider Habeas Corpus Application

CINCINNATI, Jan. 3.—(AP)—George Remus was saved from the state insane asylum today only by the prolongation of a writ of habeas corpus hearing until next Thursday. Holding that a matter of grave public policy was involved, Judge Bell of Common Pleas court said he would need another 48 hours before he let down his decision on the application for the writ. In addition to many citations given by counsel for Remus and the county prosecutor, Judge Bell, said that others would be welcomed tomorrow.

Remus lost his hope of a new sanity hearing and release on bond when Judge of the Probate court who last week adjudged Remus insane.

Whippett Makes Cut In Prices for Cars

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 3.—(AP)—John N. Willys, president of the Willys-Overland company tonight announced price reductions ranging from \$90 to \$200 on the various models of Whippett cars.

SECOND DAY OF COUNTY COURT

Number Larceny Cases Among Seventeen Disposed of Yesterday in Session

In the second session of the week Recorder's court yesterday heard charges against seventeen defendants. A number of the cases involved larceny charges growing out of recent burglaries in the city. The following was the docket disposed of:

George Hopewell, transporting whiskey, case transferred to Superior court.

Louise Jolly, assault, four months on the roads.

Charles Stokes and Dora Minor, prostitution, three months on the roads for Stokes and two months in jail for the woman. Stokes also received a six months sentence for passing a worthless check.

For violating the auto law, Moses Parker was sentenced to jail for 3 months with permission to hire out to pay all costs. Evidence was that he had purchased liquor to carry to his home.

Frank Murphy and Mark Mathewson, larceny, three months and permission to hire out for costs.

Jesse Jones, violating auto law, costs. Joe Battle, trespassing, costs.

Allen Austin and John Hill were bound to Superior Court under a charge of store breaking and larceny.

Marvin Pierce and A. W. Woodard were before the court on a charge of having whiskey for sale. Pierce was declared not guilty and Woodard drew a \$50 fine with a suspended sentence of six months.

On the charges of larceny, Henry Lilly drew two sentences of 4 months each.

For having whiskey, Hill Moore drew the cost and a suspended sentence for a period of two years.

Lawrence Outlaw was sentenced to three months on roads for manufacturing whiskey.

LINDY ENDS ANOTHER LAP

Plane Comes From Out Murky Clouds to Glide Gracefully Onto Field

TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras, Jan. 3.—(AP)—The famous Spirit of St. Louis emerged from dark clouds and mist rain shortly before 2 o'clock this afternoon, circled over the Honduran capital, sailed to the aviation field here and landed exactly in front of the hangar.

Col. Charles Lindbergh arrived at the field from San Salvador at 1:55. Before landing he circled three times over the field in a graceful movement.

When he stepped out of his plane, he was welcomed by the President, the foreign minister and the American minister.

WILL ASK BIDS ON POSTOFFICE

\$40,000 Addition Will Be Let On January 31, Abernethy Wires News

Advertisements for bids for the \$40,000 addition to the Goldsboro Postoffice will be made on Friday, and bids will be opened on January 31, according to a telegram from Congressman Charles L. Abernethy to The News yesterday afternoon. The telegram from Congressman Abernethy stated that he had just been notified by the treasury department of the dates for the advertisement and opening of bids.

"I am pleased at the prompt action of the department in this and am glad to have been of service," read the telegram to The News.

At 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon Postmaster E. A. Simkins had not received official word from the Washington officials but the data should be here by today, it is thought.

Under a change in plans effected by Major Simkins after a consultation with officials in the postoffice and treasury departments during a trip to Washington the addition to the postoffice here will be on the Eastern side of the building and will provide much additional accommodation not provided for in the first plans.

The number of lock boxes will be materially increased and additional service windows opened.

Marcus Jacobi, Benefactor Of Odd Fellows Home Here, Dies at Wilmington Home

Tobacco Growers Fare Better Than In 1926

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Tobacco growers will fare better financially for their 1927 crop than in 1926, although the acreage this year is 46,000 acres smaller. The crop was valued today by the department of agriculture at \$34,000,000 more than last year and the average return per acre \$168 or \$25 more than in 1926.

"In general tobacco yields were lower the past season than they were the year before," said the department, "but the quality of most types was better. Increased prices are being paid for many types which in 1926 netted growers a loss, the apparent reason for the increased price being improved quality."

CONGRESS TO AGAIN GRIND

House Will Start to Consider Appropriation Bill This Morning

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—With the Christmas vacation over and a happy new year wished to folks back home, Congress will get down tomorrow to a grind which probably continue almost to the eve of the Republican convention in June.

The House will start off at noon on an appropriation bill, the session of the session, and the first of the regular annual batch of supply measures from the governmental departments.

In the Senate the first order of business will be the administering of oath to B. M. Cutting a Republican appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the recent death of Senator A. A. Jones, a Democrat of New Mexico.

While the House will not waste time in starting work on the appropriation bill which provides for the departments of state, justice, commerce and labor, speaker Longworth is of the opinion that its legislative machinery will operate for a time at least at a slower pace than before Christmas. He predicted today that for the next three weeks the House probably would devote itself mainly to appropriation measures with considerable debate on a wide range of subjects, including developments in Nicaragua and the sinking of the submarine S-4.

CLAIMS SHARE IN AN ESTATE

Sammy Williams of Lenoir County Holds He Never Received His Part of Land

Suit filed yesterday on complaint recorded in the office of Clerk of Court J. E. Hooks seeks to recover an alleged one-sixth interest in 320 acres of land, the property of the late Robert Williams, for Sammy Williams of Lenoir county. The suit is brought against Florida Williams, guardian, and about 15 others all residing in Wayne county.

The complaint, prepared by Shaw and Jones of Kinston, alleges that Sammy Williams did not share as he should have shared in the Williams estate. Robert Williams died without leaving a will and his estate was divided among all heirs, it is held. Sammy Williams it is contended, was not of age at the time of the partition of the estate and did not receive his share.

The complaint speaks of an alleged disposal of Sammy Williams part to Albert J. Barwick and asks that this purported settlement be set at declared void. If the courts finds that Mr. Barwick has a clear title to the property, request is made that Williams, the plaintiff, be adjudged due \$5000 in money with interest from December 1918.

Judgment for \$8000 with interest from 1918 and of \$300 yearly since 1914 is also asked against the defendants.

He and Father Before Him Had Cause of Orphanage Case To His Heart

SERVED AS CHAIRMAN BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Was Leader Among Odd Fellows Of North Carolina For Many Years

Marcus W. Jacobi millionaire hardware dealer of Wilmington and prominent in the Odd Fellows, lodge of the state died suddenly at 7 o'clock yesterday morning at his home in Wilmington. He had recently returned from New Bern where he spent the holidays with Mrs. Jacobi's relatives.

Mr. Jacobi was president of the W. Jacobi Hardware company one of the largest wholesale and retail concerns in the southeast. He was past grand master of the grand lodge of Temple Israel, past president of the Odd Fellows order of Blue Brick, trustee of the IPNAI Brick house in Atlanta, trustee of the Odd Fellows home in Goldsboro and had held every office in the Odd Fellows order, while the gift of the grand and local lodge.

The Jacobi family had long been an supporter of the Odd Fellows Home here for many years. The father of the man who died yesterday gave the Jacobi building of the plant to the home and started the philanthropies from the Jacobi to the home. Marcus Jacobi served for many years as president of the board of trustees and served in no detached fashion by he took an active part in the promotion of the home home than that he took a fatherly interest in the children. Often times he accompanied them with gifts, and especially at Christmas.

A number of men now residing in the life of this section were their start in the hotel hotel which Mr. Jacobi extended to them after they had finished the school course at the Home here.

The going of the Wilmingtonian was a blow to the institution. News of his death caused a great sorrow among the many friends of the boy.

AGAIN ARRAIGN J. FAISON TODAY

Plan to Object to Expected Request for Continuance of Saloper Murder Case

J. W. Faison, ex-county clerk secretary and ex-Sunday school superintendent of Richmond, will again be arraigned in the Virginia Capital this morning on a charge of having initiated the wound which caused the death of Mrs. Elsie Holt Saloper, pretty divorcee and native of Princeton, Sunday evening in November. Faison insisted that the trial be gone forward with at once," said J. J. Hatch, local attorney who has been employed by Toke Holt, father of the dead woman, to assist in the prosecution of Faison. A criminal had been arrested after the jury had the case six hours in the first trial.

Mr. Hatch left last night for Richmond to be present for the calling of the case this morning.

Gray Hadden, Richmond attorney who was one of those employed as defense counsel, is a member of the Senate of the Virginia legislature which convenes on January 11. Under an Old Dominion statute his case in which an attorney who is a member of the state senate is appearing is automatically continued while the Senate is in session.

As this is the case, Princeton relatives of the dead woman expected that an effort might be made to secure a postponement of the second trial until April, arguing that Mr. Hadden might not have time to complete the case before the Senate goes into session. It was indicated that the prosecution will in the main confine itself to strengthening the chain of circumstantial evidence which points to Faison as the murderer of the pretty divorcee. Faison admits that he was alone with her in her Richmond apartment the night she was fatally wounded but contends she shot herself when he told her he planned to break away from her and return to his wife and children.