

Weather

North Carolina: Fair, colder, frost in interior, probably heavy in highlands of west. Saturday, fair, cooler in southeast.

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ITALY HURLS ARMY AT ETHIOPIA

England Will Ask Sanctions Against Italy At Assembly

Troops Are Reported Ready To Move

Meanwhile, French Cabinet Gives Laval Authority To Act On Sanctions

By Associated Press
LONDON, Oct. 4.—The British public was concerned with two matters today: the news of the Italian advance on Ethiopia and rumors that British troops were on the move in the trouble zone.

Unconfirmed reports current for several days that the troops in India were ready to embark for Aden, on the southern end of the Red Sea, were revived and went undenied in official circles.

The British fleet now appears to be almost completely mobilized in the Mediterranean and Red Seas, while all indications point to heavy plane reinforcements in that sector.

200 Casualties

ADDIS ABABA, Oct. 4.—Emperor Haile Selassie today announced a clash between Italians and Ethiopians in Ogaden.

The emperor said there had been 200 casualties on each side.

It was the first official statement of fighting in the southwestern sector.

Other forces appeared to be attempting to strike at Aduwa from east and west.

Despite the Italian occupation without opposition of certain towns north of the Aduwa-Axum line, the emperor expressed the fullest confidence that his army was entrenched in formidable positions on the northern front and would be able to hold the fascists back.

Several airplanes carrying arms and instructions to tribal chiefs left the capital today for different parts of the country.

Demand Sanctions

LONDON, Oct. 4.—An authoritative source stated that the British delegates are prepared to walk into League headquarters tomorrow demanding that the League council sit in immediate judgment on Italy's invasion of Ethiopia. It was likewise stated that Great Britain wants the council to give a quick verdict, thus paving the way for the application of Article XVI of the covenant. The article concerned with application of sanctions or punishments against any nation which

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Morning Cotton LETTER

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—The higher prices early yesterday induced a decided increase in hedging sales and considerable realizing which proved temporarily in excess of the foreign and trade purchases. The hedge and trade sales were expanding. Ideas as to the size of the crop could indicate the next report will likely prove smaller than the last estimate. We believe that the hedging sales will find ready buyers and doubt if any setback of importance will be seen.

—E. A. Pierce & Co.

THE MARKETS

Cotton, spot	11 to 12
Cotton seed, wagon ton	\$29.00
Seed, car lot, ton	\$34.00

Cotton closings: Oct. 11.05, Dec. 10.00, Jan. 11.03, Mar. 11.10, May 11.16, July 11.17.

Cleveland On Holiday, And All Highways Lead To The Big County Fair

Huge Crowds

Why, it's the biggest thing I ever saw. They ought to move the state fair up here."

William A. Graham, North Carolina Commissioner of Agriculture, who attended the Cleveland Fair yesterday, made that remark as he passed through the big exhibit hall on his way to a grandstand seat, where he was greeted by the applause of more than 5,000 spectators when he was introduced by Dr. J. S. Dorton.

Yesterday's crowd, which over-

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flowed the midway and grandstand so that hundreds had to stand by the race track rail to see the events, and last night's attendance, probably marked a new high in Cleveland fair records.

All the county was on holiday. Estimates of attendance, it might as well be admitted here and now, are guess work. The fair secretary's staff can't count the tickets fast enough. No observer can be in enough places at once to get an

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Winners Named In Judging By 27 Vocational Schools

Rapidly becoming the agricultural capital of the entire western part of the state, the Cleveland fair was yesterday host to more than 500 vocational agriculture students from 27 different schools in 10 counties in this part of the state.

While here representative teams from each of the schools took part in the annual district cattle and mule judging contest, with Cleveland landing top honors in team contests and Catawba, Rutherford and Stanly winning for individual

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Piedmont Wins.

First honors go to the Piedmont department headed by R. C. Wiggins entering a team composed of John Falls Jr., John D. Hoyle and W. B. Spurling.

Brevard department, coached by R. J. Lyday took second with Melvin McGaha, Jones Carren and James Glabner. No. 2 high school was third under H. P. Winchester

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Sesqui-Centennial Program For Rutherford Completed

WPA To Start Work In City Next Monday

U. S. Re-employment Director Baber was informed this morning by telephone from the district Works Administration headquarters in Charlotte that a WPA office would be here this afternoon to organize a corps of men to start on a Shelby street paving project.

Mr. Baber will supply the needed number of workers, who are scheduled to take over a FERA project and start work Monday morning.

No details were given as to how many men would be employed or who would be in charge.

President Heads For Good Fishing

ABOARD CRUISER HOUSTON, Oct. 4.—(AP)—President Roosevelt headed for new fishing grounds today with Magdalena Bay, off the southern coast of lower California, as his destination. Sailors reported fishing there so good that "fish jump in the boat."

The president was keeping in close touch with news of the Italo Ethiopian war and domestic affairs by radio.

Three Lads Arrested Here Die In Electric Chair Early Today

Arthur Gosnell, Robert Thomas and Oris Gunter, all of Madison county and all under 23 years of age were electrocuted in the state penitentiary at Raleigh this morning.

The three youths were arrested last February in Shelby by local and Rutherford county officers after they were suspected of robbing a Spindale store. They had not robbed the store, but had the night before killed the 70 year old uncle of

PLANE LANDS IN PATTERSON FIELD

A plane coming to Shelby for the fair Wednesday, sought in vain for a landing field and finally dropped in a stubble field on the farm of George Patterson at Patterson Springs.

Two passengers were in the plane coming for an aerial attraction, consisting of a parachute jump, at the fair grounds. Neither plane nor passengers was hurt, but they had a narrow escape when they were taken in Lee Mahew's automobile to be brought to Shelby. Kenneth Mahew was driving the car when it became stalled on the railroad track with an oncoming train not far away. The train struck one end of the car, smashed a fender and did other damage, but again the passengers were unhurt.

The plane made a safe take-off and departed on time at the fair grounds for the aerial exhibition.

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Important Prizes

Prizes have been awarded in all departments, but only some of the more championships and group prizes will be announced.

In the swine department Berkshires took the lead with J. P. Neal Blacksburg, taking most championship honors. His entries took three sow championships and junior champion sow. N. L. Caton won the other two Berkshire championships. Poland China entries were next largest and winners of championships follow: Loy Ellis senior and grand champion sow; R. B. Costner, junior champion sow; Loy Ellis senior and grand champion sow; Walter Watterson, junior champion sow.

Junior champion sow among Spot-faced Poland Chinas was won by G. A. Spake.

Duroc Jerseys

Duroc Jerseys: Senior champion sow, Walter Watterson; grand champion, R. B. Costner; Guinea pig winners were G. B. and R. P. Seism, Walter Watterson and G. L. Hamrick; best fat hog, C. B. Dick.

Hampshire sheep: First honors for individuals and herd to C. C. Whittant, and second to J. W. Craft, Shropshires winner was H. C. Clark; goats, nannies, Delmas and Clarence Beam; billies, Arlie Dellinger.

Horses: Best pair, 1,000 to 1,200, Blanton brothers; best pair, 1,200 to 1,400, E. B. Lattimore; single under 1,000, Robert Doggett; single, 1,000 to 1,200, Blanton brothers; single, 1,200 to 1,400, best mare and colt, Vergil Hamrick; best colt under

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He's Healthy



"My health is good"—That, on his 75th birthday, was Gen. John J. Pershing's answer to friends' inquiries. The U. S. army commander-in-chief in the World War, erect as when he was a cadet at West Point, spent his birthday in France. He is shown above in a recent picture.

County Solicitor C.C. (Cobby) Horn Resigns Position

Commissioners To Act Monday; Shelby Attorneys Discuss Range of Possible Successors.

C. C. Horn, solicitor of the Recorder's Court, who was unopposed in the last election, yesterday submitted his resignation to the board of county commissioners.

He gave no reason for his action, and asked that the resignation be accepted immediately.

Commissioners Act Monday.

The commissioners will act on Monday morning in regular first Monday session.

Appointment of a successor to Mr. Horn will follow this procedure: several recommendations will be made by Judge of the Recorder's Court Bynum E. Weathers, from which the commissioners will make a selection.

Mr. Horn has held office for two terms. He is also in his third term as president of the Young Democrats of Cleveland County, having been re-elected by acclaim.

Discuss Successors.

Shelby attorneys, aware of the resignation yesterday, were discussing many possible successors, but no definite predictions can be made.

Marker Approved For Kings Mountain

Court of Honor Meeting Planned On Monday Night

State PTA Conducts Membership Drive

WILL INSTALL OFFICERS OF METHODIST GROUP

GREENVILLE, Oct. 4.—(AP)—Ray Bailey, bad man of the hills, who has been playing hide and seek with officers since his alleged participation in the slaying of a Greenville policeman on May 1, 1932, was in jail here today but he would not talk. He was brought here early today from Gainesville, Ga., where he was captured yesterday.

RALEIGH, Oct. 4.—(AP)—The first 25 points including the battle of Kings Mountain in Cleveland county to be marked by new state historical markers have been selected, Dr. C. C. Crittenden, secretary of the historical commission, said today.

The North Carolina Parent-Teacher associations will conduct a membership drive for a month, from October 15 to November 15, this year, as usual. Governor Ehringhaus has issued a proclamation asking the people of North Carolina to give "most careful and sympathetic attention" to the campaign.

The quarterly installation of officers of the young peoples' division of the Central Methodist church will be held Sunday morning beginning at 9:45, according to announcement from officials this morning.

All young people of this group, and especially the officers are asked to be present.

Shelby Group Asks PWA Transfer Fund For School

School Officials Are In Chapel Hill

They Suggest That Sum Be Shifted From Loan To Grant, County To Float Bond Issue.

In an attempt to obtain Public Works Administration approval of the \$150,000 Shelby high school project, which was not included in the \$250,000 county allotment, Superintendent of County Schools J. Horace Grigg, Superintendent of City Schools B. L. Smith, and County Auditor Troy V. McKinney, representing the commissioners, left at 8 this morning for a conference with Dr. Herman G. Baily in Chapel Hill.

Dr. Baily is acting state administrator for the PWA.

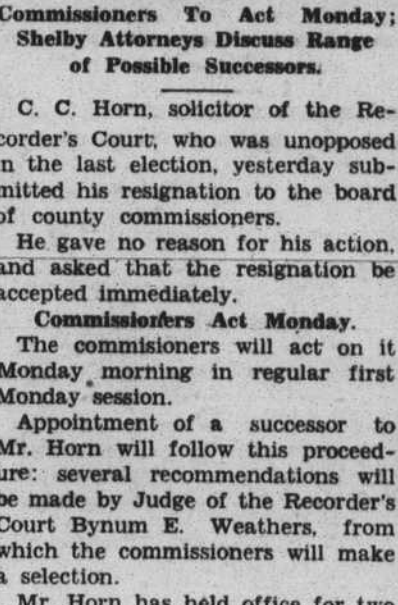
12 Districts Favored

In the allotment approved for the county, both Kings Mountain and Shelby, the two biggest towns were ignored. Twelve communities that had voted special school taxes were accorded loans and grants for school buildings and enlargements.

The loan to the county amounts to \$139,000 and the grant to \$113,727.

Schoolmen, however, point out that the loan is not really needed. Cleveland county bonds find such a ready market that this angle can readily be taken care of, they say. It is hoped, therefore, that they can persuade the PWA to transfer some of this loan money to the grant column, earmarking it for the high school project.

Warriors



Haile Selassie, left, emperor of Ethiopia, and Benito Mussolini, premier of Italy, whose armies are clashing today as the world catches its breath on what may be the eve of another world war.

Elden Auker, Lee Will Hurl Today In World Series

CHICAGO, Oct. 4.—(AP)—Mickey Cochrane, Detroit manager, after examining Hank Greenburg's injured right wrist with doctors today said the condition of the big first baseman and clean-up hitter in the Tigers batting order was "hopeless." He seemed lost for the entire series, a terrific blow to the champion's chances as well as morale.

Elden Auker for the Detroit Tigers will face Bill Lee at Chicago today as the scene of the World Series has changed, after the two clubs, the Cubs and Cats split the first two games.

The first game was taken by Warneke of the Cubs 3-0 against Schoolboy Rowe but Tommy Bridges, a boy born and reared the first part of his life in Cleveland and now of Tennessee curved and speed balled them to the ground yesterday which netted an 8-3 victory.

Mickey Cochrane says his team is hitting now and they will continue to do so for the entire series.

Brief Program Will Mark Revolution Battle Rites

The 155th anniversary of the battle of Kings Mountain will be observed Monday with a picnic and brief program on the famous battleground.

The Kings Mountain chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution of York, S. C. will conduct the program and serve the lunch. The program will begin at 11 o'clock.

In the town of Kings Mountain Mrs. E. W. Griffin, the regent, is ill, and is not expected to take an active part, but the chapter of the

Mussolini's Legions Bombing Way Forward On Three Frontiers

Triple Columns Of Cavalry And Infantry Follow Path Cut By Military Planes; Tribesmen Resist Stubbornly

(By The Associated Press)
ASMARA, Eritrea, Oct. 4.—Italian sources declared this evening that the fall of Aduwa, "Verdun of Ethiopia," was imminent.

The fascist columns had advanced to the hills ten miles away commanding the plain on which the city is situated. Bombing planes soared overhead and tanks lumbering overland sprayed bullets to lead the advance of the troops into the highlands.

Those forces already in position held their ground without difficulty. Italians asserted that "very heavy casualties" had been inflicted on the natives who were terrified by the sight of the death-dealing, mysterious tanks. An authoritative source declared that while the western advance moved on 30,000 Italian troops were massed near the border of Italian Somaliland to the east ready to advance on Dussau.

Other columns were reported poised for a drive on Harar, with the objective of putting the Djibouti-Addis Ababa railway out of commission.

Latest developments in world capitals as Mussolini's legions advance on Ethiopia, were reported by the Associated Press as:

LONDON—Italy's ambassador was granted an interview with Sir Samuel Hoare, the British foreign minister.

NEW YORK—Approximately 1,000 policemen and 200 detectives were mobilized for special duty because of clashes growing out of the war tension. The densely populated Italian and negro sections are close together in upper Manhattan.

WASHINGTON—The state department awaited further word on the African situation before ordering an embargo on arms shipments to the belligerents.

TOKYO—The government was silent but there was a general sentiment for Ethiopia. It was indicated Japan, a non-league member, would be inclined to cooperate in sanctions against Italy.

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt.—Anti-aircraft guns and other defense weapons were being installed in many sections to meet "eventualities."

LONDON, Oct. 4.—The Addis Ababa correspondent of Reuters reported today an Italian plane had been shot down near Aduwa.

WAR MACHINE MOVES

Premier Mussolini's war machine swept forward today over Ethiopia. Italian troops smashed into Ethiopian areas in three columns, two from Eritrea, and one from Italian Somaliland.

It was announced officially in Rome that advances were made "all along the front."

In Geneva, neutral observers said they were impressed by the fact that the speed of Italy's military movements was enormously greater than the League deliberations. The Italians admitted the aerial bombing yesterday of Aduwa and Adigret but said it was in retaliation to heavy fire from the planes.

Cavalry Follows Plans.

Official announcements indicated the plan of campaign consisted of sending bombing planes ahead to clear out strategic positions. After the planes came cavalry and infantry to take over.

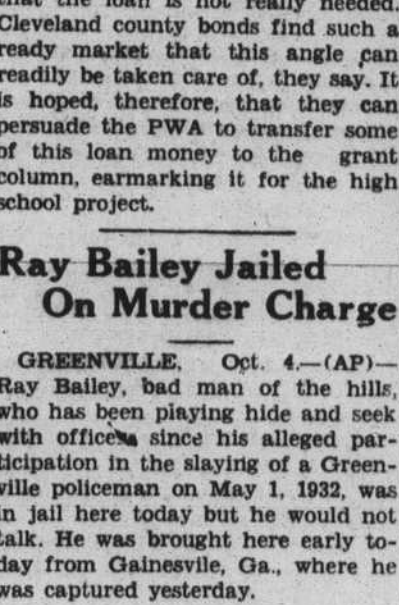
The extent of the casualties could not be immediately determined. Italian advices were that the Ethiopians, following plane attacks, met the advancing ground forces of Italians with flags of truce. One Italian communique said the Italian forces found these Ethiopians in great want and took steps to provide for them.

Tribesmen Resist.

Despite these official reports, ad-

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