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The Burlington Tobacco Market Opened Strong

First Sales Exceeded Expectation of Warehousemen Due to High Order of Weed.

SEVERAL PILES RANGE AT ABOVE \$60 PER HUNDRED

Alamance and Caswell County Crop This Year Best in Many Years.

Tobacco on the open market here today at three houses for the first sales probably exceeded what warehousemen expected due to the high order of the weed from the prolonged rainy weather.

While nothing like a break occurred at least two of the houses had their floors covered to capacity, while the third had a noticeably large amount to sell.

An index to what prices may be expected for the better grades was gained by several piles ranging above \$60 per hundred pounds, an evidence that such grades are in demand at spirited bidding prices.

Little of the better tobacco appears at the opening sales, as a rule, and the price average today, which warehousemen say will be above \$20, is expected to rise immediately to higher averages.

Generally in Alamance and Caswell county's tobacco growing belts, the crop this year is one of the best in many years, and has cured up well.

A full corps of buyers representing all the leading companies and several independent buyers are on the floors here, and with the addition of the third auction house, the Old Brick, the Burlington market this year looks forward to one of the most successful it has had.

REBELS LAUNCH GENERAL ATTACK ON ALL FRONTS

Mukden, Oct. 1.—General Chang Tso Lin's Fengtien troops today launched a general attack on all fronts against Marshal Wu Pei Fu's central government forces. Especially heavy fighting was reported around Shaanhai-Kuan, important railroad town and seaport.

The combined Kiangsu and Fukien forces opened an attack on Sung Kiang today, thereby completing the circle around the Chekiang forces near here.

Fighting continued today on all fronts with no gains reported for either side.

LUKE WINS DECISION OVER JIMMY CONWAY

Luke Carpenter won a newspaper decision over Jimmy Conway, in Greensboro last night, boxing in the main bout of charity fund exhibition, although a news writer described it as "tame" and disappointing. It went ten rounds.

Carpenter said here this morning that it should have been taken into account that he was called into the ring unexpectedly to substitute for a Wilmington boxer who failed to show up, and further that he was not in condition, while Conway, having gone through a training period, was.

The battler wants the Gate City boxing promoters to sign him far enough ahead to give him time to train. He is capable of more than a "waltz," he declared, at the same time it was admitted he led the veteran Conway in last night's setto.

HOTEL NOW REACHES TOP CONSTRUCTION

High above everything else in the business section of Burlington at South Main street and Maple avenue, workmen today are pouring on the top of the new hotel, while below them pedestrians gaze up until their necks are stiff.

Visitors here at the opening of the tobacco market today, three houses of which are within the shadows of the naked concrete pillars standing eight stories up, declare it's a high building—the highest that many of them have seen, while one prosperous farmer was heard to exclaim: "You ought to see that big one in Greensboro." He had looked upon the pride of that city, the Jefferson Standard building.

PAUL JONES' LEG NOT BROKE, IT IS REPORTED

Friends here of Paul Jones, State college freshman, whose leg was reported to have been broken when he stepped from a street car at the college and was knocked down by an automobile, will be glad to learn an X-ray examination revealed that no bones were broken, the injury being a severe sprain, from which he is expected to recover rapidly.

SAYS JAPAN NOT TRYING TO GET AMERICA IN HOLE

Tokio, Oct. 1.—Foreign Minister Shidehara announced today that "Japan has no intention of submitting the American immigration problem to the League of Nations for adjudication", in an interview with international news service. Japan's objection to the original arbitration protocol at the Geneva conference was a matter of principle, Shidehara said.

The League was created to minimize the chances of war. If this aim is to be ideally realized league competency should as a matter of principle be extended to all varieties of differences between nations.

Our stand was not at all inspired by the ulterior intention of lining up the world's nations against America in connection with the enactment of the immigration law.

The foreign office has as yet not received the details of the compromise effected at the league meeting although unofficial accounts of the amendment appearing in the local press were received so favorably that an approval of the draft is expected.

TONSIL AND ADENOID CLINIC AT GRAHAM

The State Board of Health will conduct a tonsil and adenoid clinic for Alamance county at Graham October 7, 8, 9, and 10th, for children between the ages of 6 and 12.

Full emergency hospital equipment, eight registered nurses, a competent physician to administer ether and specialist to operate.

Free for needy cases, but a charge of \$12.50 for those able to pay. Make engagement with State nurse or county superintendent of schools.

GREEK CABINET HAS RESIGNED IS REPORT

London, Oct. 1.—The Greek cabinet has resigned, according to a Central News dispatch from Athens today.

The resignation took place so that a new ministry can be created upon a coalition basis.

BRIGHT LIGHTS OF BROADWAY AT ROSE

The Rose theatre today will present the latest photodrama which has for its theme the struggles and temptations encountered by a young girl who aspires to see her name in electric lights on New York's Great White Way. It is promised by the management that in this production they have an offering far out of the beaten path of pictures of this type. "Bright Light of Broadway" is its attractive title, and it is the latest B. F. Zeidman production.

Heading what is truly an all-star cast are Lowell Sherman, Doris Kenyon and Harrison Ford, and other players include Edmund Breese, Tyrone Power, Edie Shannon and Charles Murray. Special numbers are introduced in the cabaret scenes by the sixteen Tiller Girls from the Zigfield Follies, and the entire beauty chorus from the New York Hippodrome. The production has been most lavishly staged by the director, Webster Campbell.

WHITSELL-HUFFMAN REUNION WAS HELD

A large crowd attended the reunion at J. C. Whitesell's Saturday, despite the rain and bad roads. The roll call showed an absence of a member who registered last year and registered a large number who did not attend last year.

Rev. J. D. Andrew, of Lexington, gave a splendid talk, laying special stress upon the need of closer union and fellowship toward each other. The music for the occasion was by M. E. and Linsey Clapp, violinists, accompanied by Mrs. R. F. Whitesell at the piano.

Dinner was served picnic style from a long table in the grove. Here it was easily determined as to the health of the families, for everybody ate sumptuously and nobody went away sick and still there was enough left on the table for as many more.

Those present from a distance were J. H. Dixon and family, of Lillington; Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Andrew, of Lexington; Miss Ema Sue Huffman, of Asheville, and Miss Maude Isley, of Salem Va.

It was voted that this reunion be held next year on the last Saturday in September and we hope that greater interest may be manifested.

These meetings are to help us to know each other and we should show a desire to become better acquainted.

TURKS AND BRITISH NEAR WAR IN THE NEAR EAST

London, Oct. 1.—"There is no state of war between the British and the Turks in the Near East," Colonial Secretary J. H. Thomas announced in the House of Commons this afternoon.

"Great Britain merely contends that Turkish troops disturbed the status quo at Iraq which both nations had pledged themselves to observe pending a decision as to the frontier. The British authorities at Iraq were authorized to take steps to prevent an invasion by Turks which might entail bloodshed."

Great Britain has sent a note to Turkey asking the Turks to evacuate the disputed area in Mosul but has received no answer.

HON. JOHN J. PARKER TO SPEAK IN THIS CITY

Hon. John J. Parker, Republican national committeeman of the state, will deliver an address to the citizens of Alamance county at the Municipal opera house on Thursday night, October 2nd, at 7:30 p. m. Everybody invited.

Mr. Parker is one of the big men of the Republican party and is a good speaker.

THE CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY
8:00 p. m.: Prayer services at the Presbyterian Hut.
8:00 p. m.: Services at the churches of the city.

THURSDAY
3:00 p. m.: Woman's Bible class of Presbyterian church, meets at Hut to take fruit shower to the county home.

The Burlington Daily Times

With this issue we change the name of the Burlington Daily News to the Burlington Daily Times.

We do this for the following reasons: The Burlington Semi-Weekly News and the Burlington Daily News have always been distinct and separate and yet on account of the same name we have had much confusion with our advertisers. This was especially true with reference to our foreign advertising. We would receive an advertisement for "The Burlington News." If we put it in the Daily News, we would find that it was intended for the Semi-Weekly and vice versa.

Another reason for the change, is we want to make the two as distinct as possible, because they are distinct. The two subscription lists are entirely distinct. Not a single subscriber takes both papers. It has been a problem to keep them distinct and prevent confusion, so long as the two names were the same.

Another and important reason is that we are going to devote more time to each publication, making each fill a distinct and separate field.

We are going to make the Burlington Daily Times one of the best little daily papers in the state, and we can devote more time and attention to the Semi-Weekly News.

The Burlington Daily has been in operation exactly two years and a half. During that time we have worked harder than we have ever worked in our lives. We have started out to make this daily paper a success, and we have succeeded. Burlington needs a daily paper and the Burlington Daily is just as essential to Burlington as the daily papers of the larger towns are essential to their cities, and we propose to make this paper a power in the business and commercial life of Burlington.

The Burlington Daily Times is an established institution. We have a circulation that is growing daily and weekly. We add new subscribers practically every day, and we are proud of the success that it has achieved.

In this success we have been greatly assisted by those who belong to the staff of the paper and to those who stood with us during the hard days that have passed. At present the staff of

the Burlington Daily is as follows:
O. F. Crowson, janitor and the boss.
Staley A. Cook, city editor.
Mrs. R. G. Adams, society editor.

The following compose our mechanical department: E. D. Joyner, J. W. Robertson, Paul Black, Thomas Faucette and Luther Montgomery.

The following are the young men who have charge of the delivery service: Neb Crowson, Henry Hunley, John Garner, Almon Oldham, Fred Allen, Paul Aldred, Keith Burk, Roy Whitesell, Sam McCurdy, Oscar Phillips, Thomas Whitley, Edgar Knott, Newton Horner and Hadley Horner.

James and John Corbett have charge of Graham delivery service.

So it will be seen that it takes quite a little army to run this paper and our pay-roll is an important item each Saturday.

We have recently added a third linotype machine, giving us three modern linotypes, and we have an office equipped with the most modern machinery. In fact, we have one of the best equipped little plants in the state.

We have been receiving for over six months a full leased wire press report. Unfortunately our advertising patronage will not justify our publishing a six or eight page paper daily, so we pick out the cream and give you all the main news condensed to the most important items. We get daily the full press reports, the same as the larger city papers get. We are expecting to enlarge our paper as soon as business conditions become normal and have already contracted for a "Sunday Funny" supplement to begin soon.

We shall expect an increased support from our merchants and business men so as to justify our contemplated improvements, so that we will have a daily paper that we will all be proud of.

We are deeply grateful for the splendid support that has made it possible for us to go forward, and for the loyal support that we received from our advertisers and our subscribers.

The future looks good, both for our growing little city and our growing little paper. We are ready to go forward, and we are going. So, we present to you today, the Burlington Daily Times, successor to the Burlington Daily News.

WILL COLLECT ALL THE MONEY DUE BY NATIONS

Washington, Oct. 1.—There has been no change in this government's attitude toward collecting the war-time debts owed by foreign governments, President Coolidge told callers at the White House today.

The statement of the government's position was called forth by renewed discussion in European capitals concerning possible cancellation of the debts.

The President considers that this government is bound by the war debt funding law passed by congress and it was said on his behalf that he could not understand how any responsible persons in Europe could be under any misapprehension concerning the American government's position.

THE ACQUITTAL COMES TO ROSE TOMORROW

"Wait! Hold everything! A district attorney, showing a witness on the stand an exhibit, also shows it to the jury at the same time!"

So insisted Clarence L. Brown, director, during one of the big courtroom scenes of "The Acquittal," Universal's spectacular mystery play coming to the Rose theatre tomorrow, as he reached into his brief case.

"Here's a photo of the Wilken's trial in San Francisco," he went on. "That shows it. It's one from Chicago. Here is the Becker case from New York."

Harry Mestayer, playing the district attorney, inspected the photos carefully.

"Wait a minute," interrupted Norman Kerry. "Here's one showing the defendant talking to his attorney—there's a pose that teaches me something."

One by one the cast examined the photos. Brown and Charles Leithmann, former Chicago public prosecutor, consulted in detail—and then the scene went on.

This is just one example of the many infinitesimal details watched during the filming of the biggest court scene ever put on the screen, in the notable mystery play which will be shown at the Rose theatre tomorrow.

CONDUCTOR GETS SENTENCE FOR TRANSPORTING BOOZE

Richmond, Va., Oct. 1.—Affirming the district court at Greensboro, N. C., the federal appeal court today held that R. P. Powell must pay a fine of \$500 for transporting fifty-eight gallons of liquor on a passenger train between Roanoke, Va., and Winston-Salem, N. C., and Winston-Salem, N. C., and Winston-Salem, N. C.

Powell was the conductor of the train.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

Chicago, Oct. 1.—Grains opened sharply lower today. Wheat started 3-4 to 1-2 off. Oats started 1-8 to 1-4 off. Opening:
Wheat: December, 1.40 1-2; May, 1.45 3-4.
Corn: December 1.09; May 1.10.
Oats: December 52 3-8; May 56.

CLOSE COTTON MARKET

New York, Oct. 1.—Stock prices rallied from the level of Tuesday's close at the opening of the market today. American Can jumped a point to 129 3-4; Baldwin was up 5-8 at 122 5-8; East Iron Pipe 3-1 to 115, after which it advanced to a new high at 116; General Electric up 3-4 at 259 1-4; U. S. Steel up 1-8 at 108 5-8. With the exception of Marland which opened half lower at 34 and declined to 33 3-4, the oil stocks were fairly steady.

Big Damage To Crops And Roads By Rains

GENERAL IMPROVEMENT IS SEEN IN BUSINESS

Boston, Oct. 1.—Continued improvement in New England business with employment in Massachusetts increasing for the second time in a year and a half, is reported by the federal reserve bank of Boston in the monthly review of industrial and financial conditions made public today. The woolen industry is, improving to an unusual degree, the report says, boot and shoe production shows seasonal growth and the cotton industry, although still unsettled, shares in the general improvement.

"According to preliminary reports from the woolen industry of New England, wool consumption during August was approximately 30 per cent greater than in July," the review says, adding:

"This is an unusually large increase in any one month."

"The cotton textile industry," according to the review, "has been one of the most depressed of any, and, due partly to considerable uncertainty regarding the ultimate size of the cotton crop, it remains in a somewhat unsettled condition."

"Nevertheless," it is asserted, "the consumption of cotton by New England textile mills in July was larger than in June, and in August was larger than in July."

GIANTS CAPTAIN MAY BE ABLE TO PLAY SATURDAY

New York, Oct. 1.—Optimistic reports came from the headquarters of the New York Giants on the question of whether Frank Frisch, second baseman and captain, would be able to play in the first game of the world series at Washington on Saturday.

"Frisch's finger is coming along nicely and I will be very much surprised if he fails to appear in the line-up for the opening game," one official said.

The condition of Heine Graham, third baseman, who was laid low with an injured knee, was not so satisfactory however and it was understood that the Giants were planning to take the field with Fred Lindstrom as his understudy.

CAPE FEAR AT FAYETTEVILLE IS INUNDATING PART OF CITY

Fayetteville, Oct. 1.—Rising at the rate of a foot an hour during most of the day, the Cape Fear river had reached a stage of 42 feet when the last official measurement was taken this afternoon and is expected to go as high as 48 feet before subsiding. Low-lying parts of the city along Cross creek are under the water for the first time since the big flood of 1908, and considerable damage has been done to crops and highways in this section as the result of unusually heavy rains in this vicinity for several days, culminating in a downpour last night that reached the proportions of a cloudburst near Roseboro.

United States Weather Observer Frank Glover stated tonight that he did not expect the river to rise more than five or six feet before morning. However, indications are that it will equal the Sherman freshet of 1865, which was the river's high water mark for 30 years before it was surpassed by the Populist rise of 1895 at 56 feet, which was in turn exceeded by the Prohibition freshet in 1908 when the waters rose to 68 feet.

Six feet of water from Cross creek stood in a dozen negro tenant houses when they were abandoned by their occupants today, while the water was from three to four feet deep in yards on Ray avenue and several adjoining streets as the result of the breaking of several small dams up the stream.

The rain near Roseboro was so heavy that a party of Fayetteville men last night ploughed through waters up to the headlights of their cars. Only one of the many buses running into this city has made the trip today.

COUNTY OFFICIALS WILL MOVE NOW IN FEW WEEKS

Within a fortnight Alamance County Manager W. O. Warren, said today, county officials will desert the cramped and inconvenient quarters they have been in for more than a year for the handsome new courthouse, which has replaced the old structure in the square at Graham.

For a long time it was thought the building would be ready by October 1, but a shortage of material and the necessarily slow work of finishing the interior, has lengthened the time of completion.

RECENT RAINS DO CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE IN EASTERN PART OF NORTH CAROLINA

Eastern North Carolina now is getting over the flood conditions that threatened yesterday to wash things away. Thousands of dollars worth of damage was done and roads and bridges were badly damaged.

A Raleigh dispatch says: "Tonight thousands of acres of crops were reported under water along the Cape Fear, Tar, Roanoke and Neuse rivers and a dozen smaller streams. The Cape Fear at Fayetteville is expected to reach a 46 to 48 foot stage today. Yesterday the river was above the flood stage, having passed the 36 foot mark. At Weldon, the Roanoke reached the flood stage of 30 feet this morning with a predicted crest of 45 feet. At Neuse station near Raleigh, the Neuse reached 19.3 feet early this morning and at Smithfield it passed 21 feet with a predicted crest of more than 25 feet."

Train service throughout the section was partially paralyzed last night. Trains were being re-routed in many cases and were running hours behind schedule, and in some places it had been necessary to discontinue the service temporarily.

The State highway commission Monday ordered its entire maintenance force to suspend operations and stand by to aid traffic. Though the hard surfaced roads were slippery no particular damage had been done to them but the other types of construction had been damaged and construction had been thrown days behind schedule. Damage estimated at \$300,000 had been caused to the roads of the state by the downpour. L. W. Ames, assistant state highway engineer, announced.

From Wilson, Goldsboro, New Bern, Kinston, Rocky Mount and other points in the east similar reports were received, indicating that the principal damage so far had been to roadways, crops and homes hastily abandoned.