**NEWS EVERY MORNING** 

FOR MIAMI, THE EAST COAST

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FLORIDA CITIES

Under Way In Large

Area Affected.

FLOODS MENACING

JACKSONVILLE, August 9 .- Resi-

dents of the Florida East Coast set

about with determined efforts today

to rehabilitate their farms and ottles

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FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 10, 1928.

### LATE NEWS ON INSIDE PAGES THE WEATHER.

START STORM in central and north; fair in south REPAIR WORK winds over south portion and mod-77. Complete weather report on Page 2. Rehabilitation Already

Japan warned Chinese factions,

Lowenstein, Belgian banker, left \$40,000,000 estate. wives ruled husbands.

The Back Country, by C, Clin-NEAR OKEECHOBEE Page 7 ton Page. Interest increased in the campaign by which all Miamians will Red Cross Sends Aid To ald in municipal publicity. Page 5. Mami boy was injured when he

> Dock improvement program of the Clyde Line was begun, Page 5. All payed roads from the North to Miami were promised by winter

ment houses listed winter rates.

and make a complete inventory of the An informal program was given damage wrought by the mld-summer tropical storm that lashed the rugged coastline from Palm Beach nearly to

Rtunned for awhile by the force o Safety director Indicated in the wind, which at some points reached a velocity of more than 100. miles an hour, most of the affected area virtually had recovered from the

Page 2: A remarkable feature of the afterplant. math of the hurricano, which was the worst to strike the state since the memorable blow of 1926, was that trayed dry law. while the crop and property damage

Page 13. Governor Smith on way to Brenwas estimated in the millions, few if any lives were lost, This was due probably in part to the fact that the

phenomenon, which wrought its fury of his views on dry law, Page 13. during the night, was a steady blow and not one of the wairling, twisting bourne. From its northern reaches kind so characteristic of such storms,

Floods rising rapidly in the wake of the hurricane tonight constituted f Tampa early yesterday. a new menace to many sections

companied and followed by torrential Taylor's creek which runs through their share of trouble.

Okecohobee ofty, ordinarily a letharin the Okeechobee area, the Kizwig branch about 15 feet wide almme river was rising slowly as way
Luke Occoundies, while can als tonight was more than a mile wide and still was spreading out over territory contiguous to its banks. The through which the lake empties into the Gulf and Atlantic ocean were creek still was riging rapidly and reported bank full and slowly rising. had out off more than 500 people by Damage so far in the Okeechobee area is less than it was in the hurricane of 1926, but with the stream ateadily rising and the crests not expeoted before Saturday or Sunday, It

A number of stores and residences in Oxechobes City have been flooded, but all business was normal, including telephone and light service, although the power house was flooded vould be greater. to a depth of three feet. The storm which swept inland

Tuesday at Palm Beach roared out across the Gulf of Mexico loday with decreasing intensity. A survey, made by the cities and

where the howling winds were ac-

the storm was spending its force on the West Coast, showed that the urday. No Seaboard Air Line train hanged at San Quentin pontentiary early estimates of damage to build, had reached here since Tuesday night, on October 19 next for the murder ings and homes had been somewhat axagrerated.

given the office an appearance of of the tropical storm construction would require.

was restored in less than six hours heavy damage. The chief loss of this April 27, but appeals to the higher after the heavy winds had passed. All section appears to have been from the courts, denied recently, prevented insurance Company and an injuncof the office on the East Coast and damage to the citrus growth. A great some further inland had their elect amount of fruit was blown from the trio light service in working order trees by the severe lashing of the either entirely or partially yastorday wind.

Normal service from all public utilities was expected today. Mart/of Palin Beach county Red Cross expedithe work of clearing the dobris from tion set out from West Palm Beach Expert Reports Evidence Against streets had been completed early yes- late this afternoon for the region terday and all highways were free west of Jupiter in an attempt to help of obstructions.

The hurricane, which declined in intensity as it crossed the state, was felt in the East Const area extending from West Palm Beach to Mel-

#### WANT SOMETHING?

A baby has the right idea. When he wants something he lets the largest number of people possible know about it as soon as possible; thanks to the fact that the vocal chords of infanthood are all out of proportion to the size of the infant. And if you haven't already learned it from experience, let us inform you that his method is usually most successful. He gets what he wants.

Mrs. T A. Dollard, 329 N. W. Fifty-second street, wanted a V. K. pump. She immediately let the largest number of newspaper readers in Miami know of her want by advertising in The Herald Classified section. Six calls gave her the opportunity to select the pump she wanted the next day, and for a week later Herald readers were offering numps by mail. She got what she wanted.

If you want to buy, rent, sell or exchange-get in touch with the largest number of interested readers in Miami-Herald tenders. The cost is small and the result enormous in proportion. Phone 23125-your ads will he charged. You will get what you

Office-200 S. Miami Avenue.

Forecast for Florida: Showers

portion today; tomorrow local; thundershowers. Moderate south erate to fresh south winds over central portion. Mianil temperatures yesterday: Maximum, 87; minimum,

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Turkish feminist said harem Page. 3 Kellogg anti-war pact before Page 8 League of Nations.

fell from his bloycle into the path of an automobile.

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Miami Beach hotels and apart-Page 7

in Bayfront park last night, Page 2. Papaya possibilities of this section were related to Mlaini Rotary

speech that arrests will be made in Billy McAllister kidnaping. Page 2. Blds will be opened August 27 for the extension of the city water

Prohibition nominee in acceptince speech said Republicans be-

an funeral in Chicago. Page 13. DuPont offered resignation as General Motors chairman because

it turned west to disappear into the Gulf of Mexico about 50 miles north

In its passage across the state the storm hit the rich citrus belt hard. in addition, highways, public utililes and lines of communication got

was feared losses from the flood

Several bridges were washed away and Conners' highway is the only out let to the East Coast. Anhounce. ment was made by the Florida Eas Coast Rullway that it would not be towns visited on the Bast Coast while possible to operate trains into Okeechobes before tomorrow night or Sat

Low lands in the south central part of Marion Parker of the state were flooded by the se-The, debris-strewn streets had vere rain which attended the passing

what the work of replacement and re- ter Haven, Haines City, Dade City, year-old school girl here last De-Bartow, Lake Wales, St. Cloud and a cember. In Stuart the water supply system dosen small communities escaped any

> Laden with food and roofing. many families, reported out off completely from the outside world, surrounded by water, with their homes unroofed and suffering for lack of food

News of the situation west of Juniter was brought to the Red Cross disported that automobile communication with the interior was entirely head out off beyond Hull's Grove, west of

#### RED CROSS PROVIDES

. (A)—Approximately 1(9 persons, poured liquor from it. nany of them women and children

soveral hours from a Red Cross relief expedition which penetrated the terexpedition which penetrated the ter-plant was tof Jupiter, where they Parole for William V. Dwyer, con-Florida to Columbia, S. C. and had were marconed by floods which fol- violed in New York of violation of owed Tuesday's disastrous hurricane. announcing that all known white in the federal penitentiary at Atresidents of the affected some in lants. Dwyer's parole was approved which they traveled had been ac-

it found conditions fore acute than prisoner was "very ill." any yot revealed in this section as

Bridges across streams were washed out and fields which three days ke promised a lucrative yield to their AUGUSTA, Ga., August 9., (49—01where were under water; crops were ficers here today said that a white rimed and farm families control and the control of the con ago promised a lucrative yield to their ruined and farm families facing desil

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#### **HUGHES TO LEAD** NEW YORK DRIVE

Republicans Pick Him To Head Fight Against Al Smith.

WASHINGTON, August 9,-Charles H. Hughes will be asked to lead the Republican speaking compaign li New York and other Eastern and New England states, Congressman Tilson of Connecticut, in charge of Eastern campaign speakers, said to-

The Republicans desire to use Hughes in New York state, believing that he would be more effective than anyone else in checking Smith. The fact that Smith is said to have opnosed the anti-racing legislation which Hughes urged while governor s regarded as making Hughes the nore valuable on the stump. Sonator James E. Watson, of In-

liana, one of Hoover's rivals for the nomination, will be an active speaker also. Tilson promised an intensive campaign reaching into every locality in

the East. He regards the East as the

decisive battleground. TORRID HEAT WAVE CAUSES 14 DEATHS

Temperature Reaches 92; 50 Illinois Guardsmen Are Prostrated.

IN CHICAGO DISTRICT

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.] CHICAGO, August 9. - Fourteen district tonight as the result of ex- near Beaumaris.

The thermometer stood at 90 degrees at 5 n. in. The sun scared tired the previous night.

vas/seen in a forecast of showers by last three are said to have suffered / Barnett Merlin, 45, proprietor of the eight men aboard. nightfall Soldiers of the Illinois national

guard in training at Camp Grant suftered at their drills. Fifty were piostrated but are said to be recuperatink, the temperature there was 82 degrees.

Reports from Nebraska told of temperatures about 3 degrees higher han ye terday, when the highest 3 p. m. O'Neill, Nebr., eported 102 degrees.
The crop crop is about two weeks reported 102 Year cos. ahend of its normal development due

## HICKMAN SENTENCED TO DIE OCTOBER 19

Judge Overrules Defense Object tions and Sets Date For Hanging Kidnaper.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.) ANGELES, August 0.-WIIam E. Hickman today was ordered

Judge Douglas Edmonds overruled nine defense objections before setting the second hanging date for the damage considerably in excess of Orlando, Lakeland, Kissimmee Win- youthful kidnaper who killed the 12.

Hickman first was sentenced to die the executtion last spring.

#### FINGERPRINT CLUE FOUND ON BOTTLE

Admirer of Woman Killed. LOS ANGELES, August 9. (A)-Deectives assembling evidence in the today declared their case against Leo society woman, who is charged with her killing last Sunday, had been olinched by the finding of Kelly's aster committee this morning by a finger prints on a whiskey bottle, fruit grower of that section. He re- with which it is believed Airs. Meiwith which it is believed also the Young Man Who Started North north of here between Sweastle, 12.

H. L. Barlow, police finger print expert, reported that finger prints

#### today received their first meal in RECOMMENDS PAROLE

FOR WILLIAM DWYER the national prohibition law, was Reports of loss of life in the area approved today by Attorney General vere unconfirmed, the relief workers Sargent. Dwyer is serving two years after he had paid a \$10,000 fine and ounted for.

The Red Cross expedition reported on recommendation of the prison. KNOXVILLE, Tenn, August 9.—
physician who reported that the Fred Neal was drouged here today

## MURDER SUSPECT ON

man serving on the Hampton county. South Carolina chain gang might be Miss Florence Ringgold, college-Water flowing out of Earman river E. L. Booth, of Lake City, Flat graduate and soo I worker and Episind the South river drainage cannol sought by Florida officials for al- copal minister's daughter, will wed and inundated hundreds of acres of leged murder of his wife's grand her former Sunday school and night father, G. W. Simmons, Steubenville, School pupil next Tuesday, He is H. Ohio,

# TWO KILLED,

## PIVE HURT, AS PLAND PALLS

Miamian, Pilot, Had Been Responsible For Police Reorganization.

CRAFT HITS ROCKS IN 500-FOOT CRASH

Charles Haynes and Pitts. burgh Youth Die In Ontario Tragedy.

Charles Haynes, 27, of Miami, who on February 3 shot and killed J. Frank Beckham, city detective, and vhose arrest on that charge led directly to the grand jury investigation of the police department and its reorganization, was killed in an airplane accident yesterday at Gravenhurst. Ontario, Associated Press disatches reported.

Robert Erving, 18, of Pittsburgh, a passenger in the airplane, also was killed and five other passengers were injured. The amphiblan plane piloted vere reported dead in the Chicago by Haynes fell 500 feet to the rocks

The injured, who are in Calydor sanitarium, Gravenhurst, are: Wallace Phillips of Pittsburgh residents who had been unable to said to be seriously hurt internally; sleep because of the sultry dir during Miss Lucy Hill of Boston, left arm caught between the radiator of a guard boat was believed to have been broken; James Reed, Pittsburgh; Miss fast moving automobile and the rear off Fort Pierce during the tropical Continued warm was the forecast Molly Spaulding Buffalo, N. Y., and of his trolley car on the county storm Tuesday. It was attriched to for tomorrow, although some hope Miss Betty Mackay, Pittsburgh. The causeway,

nospital.

minor injuries.

ummer resorters from the vicinity molished. which is operated for sightseeing

laughter in May for the death of struck him in the back. awaiting Irial on a first degree mur. above the knees were crushed.

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#### LIFE INSURANCE RECEIVER ASKED

Injunction Move Also Filed Bayahore court Against International Co.

ST. LOUIS, August 9, 06-suft for PMNSYLVANIA TRAIN tion to prevent reinsurance of its policies in the Missouri State Life Insurance Company, as proposed, was filed in Federal court late today by Massey Wilson, founder of International Life, and C. P. Long of Tupelo liss, both slockholders 🛴

They allege Roy C. Toombs of Chicago, president; is confederating with the Missouri State Life to reinsure. murder of Mrs. Myrtle Mellus, late the International Life policy holders. and they charge him with illegal op-P. Kelly, 29-year-old admirer of the erations in financing the company,

## TRAIN RIDER IS

found on the bottle were Kelly's. Bar-low reported he also found on the mond Williamson and his home as train hurtled into the washout with-FOOD FOR SUFFERERS bottle a finger print of Mrs. Mellus, Florida was convicted in a magic, out warning the report to the rail-WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., August but in a position indicating she had trate's coulrt here Saturday for train road offices here said riding and for resisting arrest, and is now serving a 60-day sentence on the county chain gang,

Williamson told police that he and his wife were trying to get fron money for only one train fare. Letting his wife, ride shead Will liamson said he tried to heat, his way north but was arrested at Yam-Assee.

TENNESSEE MAN DROWNED TRYING TO SAVE DINNER

trying to keep his dinner dry. He fell into the Holston river from skiff, and sank after a vain attempt GEORGIA CHAIN GANG to hold his dinner hall safe above his

> TEACHER TO WED PUPIL KNONVILLE, Tenn., August 9 Clay Lawless, city fireman.

#### WOMAN CAMPAIGNING FOR CONGRESS SEAT

Washington, August 9 A pleasant-faced, clear-eyed young woman, chauffeuring herself in a little motor car, has just started what promises to be one of the most interesting of the 1928 congressional campagins. Agnes Wilson, daughter of for-

mer Secretary of Labor William B. Wilson, is Democratic nominee for congress in the sixteenth Pennsylvania congressional district. She is beginning an active speaking and house to house campaign, in an effort to defeat Congressman Edgar R. Kless, Republican incumbent of the office

It was Miss Wilson's father who can for the senate two years ago against William S. Vare, in the contest which hasn't been settled yet. Vare won, but the senate refused to sent him, and charges of election corruption atill are pending.

Miss Wilson managed her father's campaign and went with him over every foot of the 14,000 miles he traveled back and forth over the state, campaigning. Nov she is traveling over four counties in her own behalf-and thought Pennsylvania is Republican and the sixteenth district has gone Republican for 15 years, there are those who think she may be elected.

## TROLLEY CAR OPERATOR IS KILLED ON CAUSEWAY

Car Driven By-Barnett Merlin.

Lonis Paul Reaves, 30, trolley car operator, was crushed to death shortly after 1 a. m. today when he was Capt, samuel T. Herbert. The coast

B. Merlin Produce Company, 815 N. W. Erving was dead when he was First avenue, driver of the automoaken from the wreckage, Haynes bile is at Jackson Memorial hospital ule, with 73, passengers including the soon after being admitted to the suffering possible tractures of the James A. Barry, general claim agent Officials, of Palsey Street, and ribs and lacerations for the face and of the Merchants & Miners Transpor-The passengers were cottagers and left knee. His automobile was de- lation Company, Mrs. Barry and their

bridge on the Allami saide of the which leaves at daylight this more audit had been made of the books around the lake by the International causeway. Reaves, was standing in ing. All ways. Ltd. had just taken of for Line religious the troit. Or Charles E. Cunninglam, of In order, In o quickly and the victims were re- section, There were no passingers about 15 passengers became affected

Beckham and was sentenced by Judge | Rushed to Jackson Memorial hos-A. J. Rose to three months and a pital in a Comba ambulance, Reaves number of days, the exact time that died in the emergency room of interhe had been in the county stockade nal injuries. His chest and both legs

Detective! Beckham was killed in membership card of the Harvey Seeds front of the Harves home after Haynes had a run in with hi-jackers who had attempted to take whiskey nabelled Day be notified at his rooming house, 520 S. W. Second street.

The Reaves pocket was found a ransportation company, and Afgs. Parker, T. H. Penn, Jr., and Miss kith ent Penn, son and daughter of T. H. Penn, Jr., and Miss kith ent Post, American Deglon and a card asking that in case of emergency Analysis and R. S. Merrill, West Palm Beach and R. S. Merrill, West Palm Beach agent and family. Forly passengers Reaves is single: He was born in who were making the all-expense Wilmington, N. C.

Merlin, who was ordered held pendng inquest, by George Bing, deputy senger agent, said: They were taken sheriff and special investigator of the state's attorney's office, lives at 1345

## IS WRECKED IN OHIO

Derailed Near Sebring and a Number of Passengers Re-

ported Injured. IN THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.] ALLIANCE, Ohlo, August 9.—Penn ayivania passenger train No. \$15, westbound was devalled helow Sebring, four miles from here, late

The Pennsylvania yardmaster here said he had received a report that a ON A CHAIN GANG number of passengers were injured but he could give no details.

From Florida Sentenced. and Sepring tonight and washed out HAMPTON, S. C. August 9. (F) A s. portion of the ratiroad tracks, the

#### GOOD GIRL

to Page 10 and read the open-

ing chapter today, then you

won't want to miss another

NANCY was shocked at the lard, 10. They lived at Colquet. easy familiarity of life in the models dressing room—but many things shocked Nancy when, inexperienced, blonds and attractive, she arrived from the quiet country and plunged into the life of studio parties, midnight rides and the discreet privacy of night clubs. Can a girl have too much

personality—too much feminine. DIRIGIBLE BIDS RECEIVED. appeal—too much +"it?" And what happens when she turns the head of every man she meets? This remarkable serial story by Roy L. Foley will grip your interest from first to last. Turn

#### COAST GUARD FIRST GEORGIA COTTON REACHES RASKOB TODAY

## SENDS AID TO PATROL BOAT

Berkshire, Bound For Miami, Relays Distress Message To Base.

ENGINES AND RADIO DISABLED IN STORM

Danish Freighter Sights Damaged Craft' Off Canaveral Light.

The United States coast guard parol hoat No. 188 which had not be in heard from since Monday was located with both engines disabled and its radio out of commission anchored 18 miles east northeast of Canavers Light off Titusville at 7:30 a. m. yes terday by the Danish freighter Nordkap. The patrol boat was disabled n the storm Tuesday.

A message sent by the Nordkan was licked up by the SS. Berkshire, which relayed it to Miami for trans Lonis P. Reaves Struck By Motor mission to the Coast Guard base at Fort Lauderdale, At 4 p. m. coast guard boats 197 and 194 started out to tow in the 188.

The SS. D kshire passed Cana eral Light at 2:30 a. m. but did not sight the coast guard culter according to base No. 20, Fernandina, and had The Berkshire arrived in Miami at

daughter, who came from Baltimore

tuickly and the victims were re- section. There were no passengers about 15 passengers became attention in the car which was stopped opporing by the pitch of the boat. The boat death it are light. The automobile did not roll from side to side but validates was convicted of man coming west from Mismi Beach, pitched forward on the sea's high billows, passengers reported.

> Among the passengers on the out bound trip of the Berkshire this morning are R. W. Parker, Miami agent of the Merchants & Minera In Reaves pocket was found a Transportation Company, and Mrs. round-trip tour, also are on the passenger list, L. B. Dawson. Mlami pason a bus sightseeing trip to Greater Miami last night.

#### THREE NEAR DEATH AS DREDGE BURNS

Huge Craft Explodes In Lake Worth.

their lives early today when the huge of Flores Island. double deck dredge, Villa Rica, caught fire and blew up off Cabbage Island in Lake Worth near the Palin Beach shore: Loss was placed at \$100,000 Insurance on it was said to have ex pired only a few days ago. The tolat- Disturbance Over Santo Domingo y wrecked hull had settled to the bottom of Lake Worth this afternoon and was still smouldering.

## FIVE DROWNED IN

Save Two Children.

SANDSTONE, Minn., August 9. (49)-Five persons were drowned in Grindstone lake near here in a pitch-off where the water is 185 feet deep. Mrs. Charles Lindeen and her fath. er, William Lundholm, and John Ness drowned while trying to save Mrs Lindeen's children, Irene, 14, and Hill

AMERICAN COMMANDER DIES. WASHINGTON, August 0, - The leath of Commander J. Luchsinger, it all urges for activity either at the neniber of the United States, naval summer White House of at the exmission in Paris, in Lima Wednesday ecutive offices. Although today was

WASHINGTON, August 6.—Seven of 6,000,000 cubic feet capacity each William S. Vare, who has been gravenent today. The bids will be opened INSPECTION TOUR PLANNED.

for West, he said today.

of the senson arrived at Hadley Field, New Jersey, this afternoor

The first bale of Georgia cotton

in a plane piloted by R. L. Stephens and consigned to the Democratic national committee. The bale will be delivered by automobile truck to the unifonal headquarters in the General Motors building at noon tomer. row and will be received by John J. Raskob, national chair-

man, Senator Pat Harrison of

Mianissippi, Howard S. Cullman,

member of the New York port

authority, and other campaign of-

FOURTEEN PAGES TODAY.

ficials who may be in the headquarters. It will be sold and the proceeds go into the Democrate' campaign fund. Arrangements are being made for diaposing of it in a lew days, an soon as arrangements for s public auction can be made. The cotton will be on display in the

tional headquarters. 14-STORY PLUNGE TO DEATH IS TAKEN

main reception room of the ma-

Based On Story Told By Secretary.

BY PHILADELPHIAN

[BY UNITED NEWS.] PHILADELPHIA, August 9 .-- Ar-

thur Hamilton Vall, prominent banker and clubman, plunged from the fourteenth story to the Packard building The possibility of suicide entered everywhere,

Francis L. Kiep, the banker's secre-7 p. m., seven hours later than sched tary rushed to grasp him, but Vail banks of the lake from overflooding. Company, investment brokers, of standing water in the towns and which Vall was local manager, said fields. daughter, who came the was no motive for suicide in and will return about the Berkshire his connections with the firm. An there was no motive for suicide in

firm that this was the cause of his

Vail left a wife and children.

## DEATH TOLL OF 1.000 IN VOLCANO ERUPTION

cluding Six Villages, Reported Destroyed (BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

August 4 and 5.

learly 1,000, with 600 injured by feet deep in the streets. fragments thrown from the crater. submersion of the whole seaboard or also was considerable wind at Okee-WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., August the island through an earthquake ac- chobee City. (A)-Three men, whose names have companying the eruption. The island

#### STORM WARNINGS FOR CUBA PORTS to go to Fort Myers by way of the

Moving Northwestward.

HAVANA Cuba August 9 (4)

Storm warnings to shipping have the water damage, if any, will be gone up at all Cuban central and negligible, eastern ports as well as in Haiti and MINNESOTA LAKE Santo Domingo. The national meteorological observatory this afternoon ties there are such that we would be Three Adults Perish Trying To sent warnings to that section of the able to clear it of water, had the island that the cyclonic disturbance rain been most severe there, in not now over Santo Domingo would strike Haiti during the night and moving northwestward, might con-

The observatory reported that the velone was moving with accumulated intensity toward Haiti.

CLOSER TO WISCONSIN SHADE SUPERIOR, Wis., August 9. (P)-Another day of great heat smothered

COOLIDGE CHOOSES TO STAY

vas announced here today. His no hotter than yesterday, President widow, Mrs. Suzinne, Luchsinger, Coolidge decided to stick closer to lives in Vallejo, Calif. Commander the shade than he did yesterday Luchsinger, was born in San Fran- when he spent many hours in the sun fishing on the Brule. VARE CONTINUES TO GAIN. ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., August 19

(A)-The condition, of Senator-elect

ly ill at his summer home, was te ported this morning as still further improved, MUSSOLINI RECEIVES NOBILE. WASHINGTON, August 9.- A two eeks inspection tour of rechimicion ROME, August 9. (P)-Premier Mus-

port of the Italia disaster,

projects in Montana and Wyoming is solini today received Gen. Umbert

planned soon by Secretary of Inter- Nobile to present to him his first re-

PRICE FIVE CENTS

## BRIGHT FINDS OKEECHOBEE WITHIN BANKS

Rains Flood Towns But Water Is Draining Rap. idly Into Lake.

BRIDGES CARRIED AWAY BY CURRENT

Sugar Cane Undamaged: Citrus Areas Reported Hurt Considerably.

Cities and towns along the south ind southeast banks of Lake Okeas chobee are not being inundated by the waters of the lake, James H. Bright, Hinleah developer and authority on he Lake Okeechobee section of Flore ida, said last night. He returned Banker Suicide Theory Is he made in an effort to reach Brighfrom a trip into that section which ton, his development northwest of Lake Okeechobee. Mr. Bright was able to drive about 25 miles beyond Canal Point, which is on the southeast bank of the lake.

"The cities and towns in that section," he said, "were drenched by heavy rain and had high winds, it is these rains that are flooding the here today. He was instantly killed, streets and causing the high waters investigation of the tragedy when

"The high winds were steadily from the southwest and these had a tentary, told Deputy Coroner Ward he dency to force the waters of the lake had turned to see Vall poised on the to the northeast bank, also eliminate window sill of his office: The secreting the possibilities of the south Officials of Balsey, Stuart and lake rapidly, reducing the amount of

"The rains carried out many bridges, and damaged the equipment audit had been made of the books of the Florida East Coast and Mea-last week and they were found to be board Air Line railreads. Conhors out. One of these was a quarter of a mile from its original resting place and standing upright in the lake indicating the force with which the rain water is being drained into the

lake. "It was impossible because of the ondition of the road to get to Okeechobes/City/ From what I was able to see I would say the storm did iot do any particular damage to the sugar cane in that section. The Island In Dutch East Indies, In- stalks were whipped, and bent, but

not damaged. "Persons who had come from points reported that there was no water BATAVIA, Java, August 9.-It is from the lake in any of the cities eported here that nearly the entire and not a severe wind. No water was island of Paloewen in Dutch East reported from Moore Haven. The Indies has been destroyed by the southwest wind had blown the shore eruption of the Rokatindo volcano on of the lake six miles from the town Clewiston was reported to be all Six villages were destroyed by fire right. La Belle reported an excep-

and the death toll is estimated at tionally heavy rain with water two "I was told that the damage in the Further casualties were caused by citrus areas was considerable. There

"The effects, as I saw them, indinot been learned, barely escaped with hes five miles off the north coast cated that the intensity of this storia did not nearly approach the hurricans of 1926 and the recovery will be very rapid." Mr. Bright left Hinlenh last night

Tamiami Trail. He hopes to be able

to make his way northward from there to Brighton. He said he has word that there was no wind damage at Brighton and he is satisfied that "Brighton stands 17 feet higher than the lake and our drainage facille

nore than 36 hours," GOVERNMENT BONDS. NEW YORK, August 9. (P)-United States government bonds close: Libe erty 31/4s., 99.25; first 41/4s, 100,10; third 4% s, 100,1; Yourth 4% s, 100.25;

treasury 3 %s, 103.11.

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Titusville.

blow tonight.