

Trade Carnival Week Is Expected to Attract Big Army of Thrifty Buyers

Begins Tomorrow And To Continue Until August 31st

Prices on Cotton Goods Will Advance First of Coming Month

PROCESS TAX IS CAUSE Merchants Here Arrange Big Event For Thrifty Buyers Of County

A big Trade Carnival Week is announced today by merchants of North Wilkesboro and a big army of thrifty buyers are expected here during the coming week.

Special mention is made in the announcements of the merchants of the fact that all cotton goods will take a sharp rise in price on September 1 due to the process tax which goes into effect on that date.

"Few people realize that the price on all cotton goods is bound to go up, as we are telling them," one merchant stated yesterday. "Yet it is a fact. We are endeavoring to convince our customers that this is no advertising scheme to get them to buy. If we succeed, Trade Carnival Week should result in a big saving to thousands of people who trade in North Wilkesboro."

A large number of the merchants are co-operating in this event and their buyers will receive the opportunity to carefully study their messages and hear in plain language the truth when they state that prices will increase sharply the first of the month.

Revival To Start Holiness Church

Will Begin Sunday, September 3; Spray Minister To Come Here

A series of revival services will begin at the Pentecost Holiness church here Sunday, September 3.

The pastor, Rev. C. W. Martin, will be assisted in the meeting by Rev. J. Shumate, of Spray, a well known evangelist, who will do the preaching.

An invitation was extended yesterday by Rev. Mr. Martin for members of all denominations to attend the services and assist in work for the Master.

Picnic of Fruit Growers Friday

Brushy Mountain Folks To Hear Snyder And H. R. Niswonger

J. W. Snyder, federal soil erosion expert of Statesville, and H. R. Niswonger, extension horticulturist of Raleigh, will be the principal speakers at the annual picnic of the Brushy Mountain Fruit Growers Association at Hollywood Lake tomorrow.

The annual picnic program will get under way about 11 o'clock. Following the addresses, a picnic dinner will be served. A large number of the growers and their families are expected to be present.

Sunday Schools To Play Today At 4:00

Presbyterians Will Engage Methodists This Afternoon At Fairgrounds

The Presbyterian and the Methodist Sunday schools will face each other this afternoon in a contest that will have an important bearing upon the baseball championship of the local school.

Victors over the Baptists in a three-game series, the Methodists are favored to defeat Dick Bass and his Presbyterians. Dr. Bass' team is in fine shape and will endeavor to clinch the championship.

Games will be played at 4 o'clock. Proceeds will be donated to the fair.

In Kansas Bond Case



Above, Tom Boyd, Kansas State treasurer, and below, Ronald Finney, bond broker and grain speculator of Emporia, Kas., central figures in the disclosure that forged bonds of the Kansas School Fund Commission had been deposited as security at several banks, to the amount of \$658,000.

McLaurine Will Speak To Kiwanis Club On The NRA

P. W. Eshelman Secures Charlotte Man To Deliver Address Tomorrow

W. M. McLaurine, secretary of the American Cotton Manufacturers' Association, will deliver an address on the NRA movement at tomorrow's luncheon of the Kiwanis Club.

P. W. Eshelman, president of the Wilkes Hosiery Mills, will be in charge of the program. The Charlotte man as secretary of the cotton group was on the inside of the negotiations incident to the adoption of the code of the textile industry and is familiar with the government's program. A large attendance is expected for the meeting tomorrow.

D. J. Brookshire Named Appraiser For Home Owners

Well Known Contractor To Serve As Appraiser In Wilkes County

HE ACCEPTS POSITION

Announcement was made yesterday that D. J. Brookshire, prominent building contractor, had accepted the appointment as appraiser for the Home Owners' Loan Bank of Salisbury. Mr. Brookshire was appointed several days ago, but the information was not released for publication until yesterday.

Mr. Brookshire will serve as appraiser in Wilkes county, furnishing complete information to the bank regarding property under consideration for a loan.

The Home Owners Loan Corporation was created by Congress at the recent session and is under government supervision.

Mr. Brookshire is eminently qualified to serve as appraiser and the announcement of his acceptance was enthusiastically received.

Country Stores May Enlist NRA

May Secure Blue Eagle By Applying At Their Local Post Office

Country stores may secure their Blue Eagle and enlist under the NRA without any restriction as to hours of labor, provided no clerks are employed, according to a letter received by the county welfare department from Dr. Roy Brown, technical advisor to the Governor's Office of Relief.

The letter reads: "Some question has arisen in regard to the status of the small country merchant under NRA. He may secure the Blue Eagle by applying to his postmaster. If he owns his own business and employs no clerks, his hours of labor are in no way restricted."

Florida Gets Relief Fund

Washington, Aug. 21.—An additional grant of \$576,000 to Florida for unemployment relief was announced tonight by Harry L. Hopkins, federal relief administrator, bringing that state's total up to \$2,347,032.

Mrs. Arolan Triplett and children, Robert and Ray, spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Foster, at Purlear.

Another Meeting Of NRA Club To Be Held Monday

Chairman Reins, R. E. Walters and E. M. Blackburn To Name Committee

BRIEF MEET TUESDAY

Further Instructions Expected From National Headquarters Soon

Another meeting of the North Wilkesboro NRA Club will be held at the city hall next Monday evening, it was announced at a brief meeting Tuesday evening. By that time full instructions regarding the functions of the club are expected from national headquarters and a complete explanation will be given.

J. C. Reins, chairman of the club, presided Tuesday evening and brief talks were made by the secretary, E. M. Blackburn, W. H. Clark, W. R. Absher, D. J. Carter and others.

Chairman Reins, Secretary Blackburn and Postmaster R. E. Walters were authorized by the club to proceed to name the necessary committee to carry on the work of the organization.

The general understanding was that the club would have as one of its functions the checking of any code violations. It was also understood that the committee would be called upon to make the house-to-house canvass for the purpose of enlisting every business, no matter how small, and every individual under the NRA banner.

W. T. Cranor Is Seriously Ill

W. T. Cranor, prominent local man, who suffered hemorrhages of the brain Tuesday night and was carried to the Wilkes Hospital, was described by attaches at the hospital this morning as "no better."

His condition is regarded as extremely critical. Mr. Cranor is a brother of Mr. F. T. Cranor, of this city, and Attorney Hugh A. Cranor, of Wilkesboro.

The W. C. T. U. will meet this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Lula Hubbard in Wilkesboro. Everyone interested is invited to attend.

Escaped Convicts Captured

Approximately 160 Cases Disposed of At 4-Weeks' Court

Seven Murder Cases Were In Number; Five Murder Cases To Jury

TWO TRIED FOR LIVES

Cases Against Grey Taylor and Dallas Moore, Eugene Haupe Not Pressed

Approximately 160 cases were disposed of during the four weeks of Superior court for the trial of criminal cases which ended Saturday.

Included in the list of cases removed from the docket were seven murder cases, two of which were not pressed and five tried before the jury.

In the five murder cases tried, two defendants were found guilty of murder in the second degree, two were acquitted and one found guilty of manslaughter.

Results of the murder cases were:

Glenn Walsh, 30 years in penitentiary; Herschel Richardson, 22 to 30 years in penitentiary; Partee Davis, six months on road; Foster Smith, acquitted; Squire Hutchison, acquitted.

A nol pros was taken in the case against Grey Taylor and also in the case against Eugene Haupe and Dallas Moore.

The trial of Walsh required five days, while the Richardson trial lasted three days. Two days each were required for the trial of Smith, Davis and Hutchison.

Following is a list of cases disposed of during the closing days (Continued on page four)

SCENE IN GERMAN FOREST



Mixed stand of shortleaf and Virginia pine at farm of Mr. J. M. German, of Boomer, this county. This field of 26-year-old pines gave a thinning harvest of 13.5 cords, with 341 choice trees, scaling 18.9 cords, left. These pines have paid taxes for the life of the trees and given a net annual income of 6.2 per cent simple interest on land valued at \$20 per acre.

Wilkes Officers Get Men Who Got Away In Davie

Arrest Was Made Tuesday In Longbottom Section Of County

ALL ARE LONG TERMERS

Ellis Bratton Was Among The Four; Officers Come Here For Them

Four escaped convicts from the Mocksville chaingang were rounded up in the Longbottom section of Wilkes county late Tuesday when Wilkes officers set a trap from which the criminals had no chance to escape.

The four men taken were Ellis Bratton, Ed Smith, Griffin and Bernard Allbrook, all of them long termers, who escaped from the Davie county camp last week.

A stolen automobile, which contained smoking tobacco, glass tumblers and a variety of merchandise, was also brought in by the officers.

The officers noticed an account of the escape of the convicts in the state dailies, and were on the lookout, suspecting that Bratton, who was arrested here about two weeks ago when he attempted to sell stolen wheat, would again head to the upper edge of Wilkes.

The officers went to the community and completely surrounded the home of Philo Candill, where they had learned that the men had arranged for supper. The convicts surrendered without resistance.

The capture was made by Sheriff W. B. Somers, Chief Deputy Old Wiles and Deputies H. C. Kibby, Elijah Sheets, S. M. Shumate and Luther Prevette.

Authorities came here yesterday from Mocksville to return the men to the prison camp.

Sentences of the four men range from 5 to 15 years, it was reported.

At the time of Bratton's arrest two weeks ago, an automobile owned by Clarence Rash, of this city, was recovered. He was taken to Mocksville to serve out his term, but escaped last week along with the three other men. His escape last week was his second within a period of a few weeks.

Judge Hayes Will Speak At Mt. Zion

Federal Jurist Is Secured For Morning Session Saturday At 11 o'Clock

Judge Johnson J. Hayes, of Greensboro, a native of Wilkes county, will deliver an address Saturday morning at Mt. Zion Baptist church at 11 o'clock.

The Brushy Mountain Baptist Association will be in session at the time and the federal jurist will speak to the assembled group. Judge Hayes will speak on law and order.

Colvards Secure Agency For Shell

Are Distributors In Alleghany, Watauga, Ashe And Wilkes

Mr. W. E. Colvard, of this city, and his son, Mr. R. W. Colvard, of West Jefferson, have appointed distributors of Shell Gasoline, motor oils and greases in Wilkes, Ashe, Alleghany and Watauga. It was announced yesterday.

The popular Shell products will be available in these four counties upon short notice, and prompt service will be given by the new agency. Shell stations will be located as rapidly as possible, it was stated.

Ice Cream Supper At Beaver Creek Church

The public is most cordially invited to attend an ice cream supper which is planned to be held on Saturday night, August 26th, at 7:30 o'clock at the Beaver Creek Baptist church. Proceeds will be used for the benefit of the church.

Thousands of Speakers Are Called In Blue Eagle Drive

Cabinet Members, Judges, Senators, Representatives, Ministers and Literary Lights to Assist in Campaign to Place Blue Eagle in Every Home, Factory and Store

Washington, Aug. 21.—In rising crescendo, starting next Monday, the rallying cry of the NRA blue eagle will be heard throughout the land.

Recovery headquarters hustled today with final preparations to make the blue eagle articulate in a summons to all remaining industries to code-compliance, all consumers to code-co-operation.

One thousand "national speakers" were being assigned to key-city platforms. Twenty-nine thousand local speakers were listed.

Louis Alber, head of the speakers' bureau, announced final

Ingle To Go To Lincolnton Soon

S. D. Moore, Of Charlotte, To Be New Patrolman In This Territory

Carlyle Ingle, popular state highway patrolman who has been located here for the past two years, has been transferred to Lincolnton, and S. D. Moore, who has been stationed at Charlotte, has been assigned to this territory.

Mr. Ingle will move to Lincolnton next week as soon as Patrolman Moore arrives here. Mr. Moore will work over the same territory formerly patrolled by Mr. Ingle.

Quits School For Pulpit

Lawrence, Kan., Aug. 21.—Dr. Samuel B. Braden, for 11 years dean of the school of religion of the University of Kansas, resigned today in order to accept the pastorate of the First Christian church of Paducah, Ky. Dr. Braden will assume his new duties September 3.

Oxford Orphanage Concert Class To Give Program Here Friday Evening

The Oxford Orphanage concert class will come to the city tomorrow to present their annual concert program at the North Wilkesboro high school auditorium.

The program begins at 8 p. m. The orphan children are always given intensive training for performance.

County Schools To Open September 6 Instead of Fourth

Two-Day Postponement Is Announced By Superintendent C. B. Eller

TEACHERS MEET ON 5TH

The opening date of the Wilkes county schools has been changed from September 4 to September 6, C. B. Eller, superintendent of the school system, announced yesterday.

The later date was arranged so that several matters preliminary to the opening could be worked out.

A general meeting of all the school teachers in the county will be held at Wilkesboro on September 5, Superintendent Eller said.

The two-day postponement is mandatory upon all schools, it being planned to start every school in the system on the same day.

Walsh Taken To Raleigh Monday

Glenn Walsh, convicted slayer of Policeman James R. Grayson, was carried to Raleigh Monday to begin serving his 30-year sentence in the state penitentiary. He was taken there by Sheriff's Deputies H. C. Kibby and Silas Shumate.

Carl Oakley, sentenced to from 4 to 6 years for an assault with a deadly weapon, was also taken to Raleigh by the officers.

Family Of 11 Sees Motion Picture For First Time

Mr. and Mrs. John Helton and their nine children, of Low Gap, Surry county, saw their first moving picture show last Friday night while in the city.

The Surry folks were making their way to Caldwell county and came here from Elkin on a truck. Without money or any place to stay they applied to the city welfare department and were given meals and rooms at the Central Hotel.

When it was learned that not a single member of the family of eleven had ever been to a motion picture house, the management of the Liberty Theatre gave passes to each of them.

Great Wilkes Fair Premium List To Be Mailed Out Within Few Days

Premium lists for the Great Wilkes Fair will probably be mailed out either the latter part of this week or the first of next week, W. A. Rousseau, secretary of the Great Wilkes Fair Association, stated yesterday.

Every effort is being made to get information about the fair in the hands of the prospective exhibitors in plenty of time. The catalogues will certainly be ready by the middle of next week, Mr. Rousseau said.