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## STATE HIGHWAY EMPLOYE STRICKEN

**MAT HALL IS IN SERIOUS CONDITION—DEMOCRATS OF KING EFFECT PRECINCT ORGANIZATION—OTHER NEWS ITEMS OF INTEREST.**

King, June 8.—Miss Ericie Pulliam, trained nurse of Winston-Salem, spent the week-end here the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. S. D. Pulliam. Mrs. Jack Webster and children, of Olivia, are spending a few days with relatives and friends here.

Relatives here have received a message from Hoyle Preston, who left here two weeks since stating that he has arrived in Oklahoma and has secured a position.

Jackie Gunter, of King, was given a preliminary hearing at Pinnacle Wednesday before Justice of the Peace on a charge of larceny of a bag of sugar. Probable cause was found and the defendant was bound over the July term Stokes Superior Court.

Kerner Allen, who left King 21 years ago, is spending some time with relatives here and at High Point. Mr. Allen, who is a son of the late Gaston M. Allen, states that since leaving King he has traveled practically all over the United States and now resides in Philadelphia. This is his first trip back to his native home.

Miss Flossie B. Caudle, of Bon Air, Winston-Salem, was a week-end visitor to relatives here.

Lester O. Pulliam and family, of Durham, formerly of King, spent the week-end here the guests of relatives.

The following births were registered here last week: To Mr. and Mrs. Marshall James, a son, and to Mr. and Mrs. William Hooker, a daughter.

Walter Mitchell, of Pilot Mountain, was among the visitors here Sunday.

Miss Leona Graham, of Farmington, was a week-end visitor to friends here.

Mrs. J. S. D. Pulliam, Miss Ericie Pulliam and Nannie C. Hooker have returned from Knoxville, Tenn., where they spent a few days the guests of Kennis Pulliam.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Collins spent Sunday with relatives and friends of Mount Airy.

J. C. Kreeger, assistant postmaster at Winston-Salem, was among the visitors here Sunday. Mr. Kreeger formerly resided here and held the position of secretary and treasurer of the Grabs Manufacturing Company. He has many warm friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Caudle, of Greensboro, spent Sunday with relatives in Walnut Hills.

E. H. Caudle, of Abington, Va., was a business visitor here Monday. Attorney Dalls C. Kirby and wife, of Winston-Salem, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mat Hall, aged about 45, who holds a position with the State Highway Commission, suffered a stroke of paralysis while out on the road at work near here Monday. His condition is regarded as serious.

Shelby Atwood left Monday for Sparta, where he goes on a business trip.

Brady Shusky, of Mount Airy, is spending a few days with relatives in Walnut Hills.

The Democrats of King precinct met Saturday with R. C. White presiding. Mr. White was elected chairman of the executive committee with the following working committee: Henry Brown, Joel Y. Southern, Herman Newsom, with E. M. Hauser secretary. The following were elected delegates to the county convention: H. H. Leake, S. W. Pulliam, W. T. Newsom, Henry Brown, Elmer Hauser and R. C. White. Alternates: Gabe Lawson, Gilbert Moser, W. E. Newsom, Joe Fulk and Pete Southern.

There is no improvement in the condition of Captain C. J. Kirby, who has been very sick at his home in Walnut Hills for some time.

## Card of Thanks From J. E. Thore

Walnut Cove, June 10, 1932.

To my friends:  
I take this method of extending to you, one and all, my sincere thanks for your support in the primary last Saturday, when I offered myself a candidate for the legislature from Stokes county. While I did not win out, I received a fine vote from hundreds of loyal friends and supporters, of which I am proud and very grateful. I am not an office-seeker, and my motives in seeking the nomination and election, were not selfish, but I honestly wanted to be of help to the people of Stokes county in these times of financial stress and when the burden of taxation is so heavy to bear. I considered that my platform to reduce county expenses by lowering the salaries of county officers was only fair and reasonable at this time when so many people have no jobs at all, and when plenty of efficient men and women are willing to work at almost nominal salaries. I think there is no question but that my nomination was assured until the latter part of last week when following a secret meeting of a few who opposed my nomination, a false report was spread which prejudiced the minds of many people who otherwise would have supported me in the primary.

Of this I shall have more to say later. It is sufficient to say now that the people are apprised of the double-barrelled influence which is controlling both the Democratic and Republican parties in Stokes county for selfish motives, and which is against the best interest of the people.

I have been asked by many friends to enter a second primary. I cannot consent to this, as I promised the people that I would abide their decision on the first primary. They have made this decision. I submit to it.

Again thanking you for your kind support and friendship.

Sincerely,

J. E. THORE.

Rev. and Mrs. Ellsworth Hartfield, Mrs. William Joyce and Miss Janie Martin have returned from a visit to Duke University.

Mrs. D. M. Pyrtle and little daughter, of Winston-Salem, visited the family of A. G. Sisk last week.

Dr. S. A. Moir, of Francisco, was here yesterday, returning from a trip to Winston-Salem. Dr. Moir is one of the county's greatest baseball enthusiasts, notwithstanding he is in his 70th year.

Quite a number of Danbury and Walnut Cove people attended the funeral of Mrs. John Bailey in Winston-Salem.

Children's Day was observed at the Baptist church here Sunday morning with an interesting program. The Union Sunday School members attended by special invitation.

Watch, clock and jewelry repairing. Typewriters and adding machines repaired. Lawn motors sharpened. E. P. NEWSUM, King, N. C.

## NEW PRESBYTERIAN PASTOR ARRIVES

**TO SERVE DANBURY AND OTHER POINTS IN STOKES—IMPROVEMENTS AT STEDMAN LAKE.**

"Uncle" Moses P. Bullin, one of the few surviving Confederate soldiers of this county, was in town today. Mr. Bullin is 91 years of age and is almost totally blind. He was a member of Co. F., 21st N. C. regiment. While Mr. Bullin is illiterate he has always been an interesting character throughout his section. A good number of years since when he first applied for a pension "Uncle" Moses appeared before the county pension board to establish his claim. There was evidently some question about the matter and he was asked if he ever deserted during the conflict. "Uncle" Moses replied: "Well, didn't 'actly desert, but seed me goin' be killed and just left." But he soon returned to the army voluntarily and served throughout the war. He is now receiving a pension of \$1.00 per day which helps him wonderfully.

Rev. O. M. Marshall, of Richmond, Va., who has been assigned to serve the Presbyterian churches here and at several other points in Stokes county, is this week moving to Danbury with his family. Mr. Marshall occupied the pulpit at the Presbyterian church here Sunday night last.

A very interesting report has just been received here from Mr. Graeber, of the State Extension Forestry, showing that Stokes county woodlands last year produced \$210,000 in lumber, etc., being divided up into 49,602 cords, pulpwood 45 cords, railway ties 2916, fence posts 2831, poles 300. The report for the present year will show a far greater number of railway ties as well as logs for producing veneering.

W. R. Young has had material placed at Stedman lake for the purpose of erecting a refreshment establishment.

One of the most interesting races in the recent primary here was that for township constable. Two brothers, Sand Dix Wood, opposed each other, while Raleigh Young was the third candidate. Sam got enough votes to defeat his opponents, but the race was a hot one.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Stuart, of Winston-Salem, were week-end visitors to the family of Mrs. J. Spot Taylor.

Mrs. Peter A. Gorrell and family, of Winston-Salem, are expected here this week to spend the summer at their cottage at Piedmont Springs.

Judge Harry H. Lewellyn, of the city court at Mount Airy, visited attorney S. Gilmer Sparger here this week.

Miss Isabell Clark, of Savannah, Ga., will arrive here tomorrow to spend some time with Miss Mattie Sue Taylor.

John Gorrell and party of Winston-Salem, and Lacy McAllister and friends of Greensboro, will spend the week-end at Piedmont Springs at the Gorrell and McAllister cottages.

## M. E. MISSIONARY WOMEN MEET

**ENJOYABLE OCCASION AT DANBURY—WINSTON-SALEM, MADISON, MT. AIRY AND OTHER POINTS REPRESENTED—BIG STILL CAPTURED—OTHER DANBURY NEWS.**

Danbury, June 1

Attended by near a hundred members the Woman's Missionary Society of the Mount Airy district of the Western North Carolina Conference met here Tuesday in the Methodist church in an all-day session. The members came from Mount Airy, Madison, Winston-Salem, Walnut Cove and other points. A most interesting program was carried out with J. L. Woltz, of Mount Airy, district secretary, acting as chairman of the meeting.

Mrs. C. C. Weaver, of Winston-Salem, the State president of the societies, was present and made a splendid address in which she outlined the plans of the societies and set a goal for the coming year.

Mrs. J. C. Sterling, secretary of the Winston-Salem district, also made an interesting talk, followed by Mrs. George Sparger, of Mt. Airy, whose remarks were enjoyed.

Reports were given from the several missionary societies represented and special music by children of Danbury and a solo by Mrs. N. E. Pepper added to the program.

A box luncheon, supplemented by the hostess society, was enjoyed during the noon hour.

Deputy Sheriff C. S. Lawson brought in a 100-gallon still today which was captured by him and Constable Rufus Mabe over in Peter's Creek township Monday night while the still was in operation. The officers found the place deserted when they arrived but whiskey was coming from the worm. Quite a lot of beer was found and poured out but no whiskey to amount to anything.

Constable S. M. Wood discovered a large "submarine" type still in the woods four miles east of Danbury on Monday. The odd looking outfit was brought here and stored at the county jail. The still had been hidden in a brush pile.

It was noted by citizens here today that Jim Boaze, who is alleged to have fired the shot that proved fatal to Baxter Shemwell, at Lexington, Tuesday, is a native Stokes county boy, being the son of Abe Boaze, now a resident of the Brim Grove section of the county. Mr. Boaze, who left Stokes after maturity, was an excellent young man. He was engaged in the automobile business in Lexington.

The most remarkable hen around here is the bantam belonging to Jesse Booth. She recently selected a nest in a knot hole in a locust tree about 12 feet from the ground and laid 16 eggs in it. The tree stands straight up and it was necessary for the hen to fly to her nest.

Dr. Alonzo J. Pringle, who holds a position with the State, working on school children's teeth, has returned to his home at Lawsonville for the summer.

## BILL PHILLIPS HELD UNDER BOND

**WINSTON-SALEM MAN CHARGED WITH TRANSPORTING—THINGS LOOKING UP A BIT AT WALNUT COVE—PERSONAIS.**

Walnut Cove, June 1.—Bill Phillips, Winston-Salem man, was given

a hearing here yesterday before Justice T. H. Gerry and held in a \$200 bond on a charge of transporting and possession of whiskey. State highway patrolmen noticed a car in front of them which was not being driven just as it should be and they gave chase. The car got over a knoll and out of sight and stopped quickly. When the patrolmen arrived a search was made and they found a small quantity of whiskey in the car and five gallons hidden in the brush nearby. There were three men in the car, two of whom made their escape. The capture was made just south of Walnut Cove on the Winston-Salem highway.

The Episcopal Sunday School here gave its members a wicker roast at Saura Lodge, just west of town, Monday afternoon.

As an indication that things are looking up a bit, it is noted that the veneering plant here is again shipping its product by truck to distant points, while the N. & W. railway is buying thousands of cross-ties and stacking them along their tracks.

Mrs. Ann Carter and little daughter have returned from an extensive visit with relatives in Mt. Airy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Hauser and children, of Detroit, are visiting relatives here. Mrs. Hauser was formerly Mrs. Lela Martin Bennett, of this place.

Misses Saxon and Gail Voss have returned to their home here after attending school at N. C. C. W. Greensboro.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Rierson and residents of Walnut Cove, are preparing to return here to reside.

## Raleigh Begins Night Air Mail Wednesday

Last night, June 1, was the first night air mail service thru Raleigh from New York to Miami was begun.

For the past week there have been several test flights over the route, but none of the planes carried any mail.

The schedule announced by airport officials is: First mail plane leaves Newark, N. J. Port at 4:00 o'clock, arrives in Raleigh at 8:30 and Miami at 5:50 Thursday morning. The northbound plane leaves Miami at 7:30 Wednesday night, arrives in Raleigh at 4:45 this morning, and in Newark at 10:05.

Thousands of people from Raleigh and the surrounding country witnessed the landing and take-off of the first mail plane at the airport last night. The pilot of the southbound plane was briefly welcomed by Mayor George Iseley.

Although Raleigh has had day air mail service for about a year over the Eastern Air Transport lines, this is its first night air service. The night planes will not carry passengers as do the day planes.

## OFFICIAL VOTE OF STOKES PRIMARY

**NO PROSPECT OF SECOND PRIMARY BETWEEN ANY OF THE CANDIDATES—SMALL DIFFERENCE BETWEEN TOTAL VOTES OF TWO PARTIES.**

The official count as declared by the Stokes county election board in session at Danbury on Monday on county and legislative candidates follows:

Democrats: S. G. Sparger, 907; N. S. Mullican, 723, for State Senate. For the House: A. R. Phillips, 559; J. E. Thore, 365; E. W. Carroll, 332; Jas. W. Young, 285; E. Carr Gann, 87; J. S. Garner, 39. For county commissioners: J. A. Joyce, 1377; H. H. Brown, 1197; F. P. Stone, 1018; Howard L. Gibson, 995.

Republicans: For the House: Dr. R. H. Morefield, 1280; M. O. Jones, 327. For Sheriff: Monroe J. Fagg, 1151; Hobart Browder, 210; J. R. Nunn, 210; Luther J. Fowler, 144. For Register of Deeds: Mrs. Sadie Fulton Lovin, 951; W. Riley Boles, 288; Herbert E. Carter, 254; James B. Joyce, 227. For county commissioners: Jacob Fulton, 1210; Dr. R. S. Hellsbeck, 852; Ernest Nelson, 766; Rufus O. Wood, 701; W. K. Sisk, 643; James W. Talley, 476.

The official count shows for Solicitor: Koontz, 877; Johnson, 769.

In the vote for U. S. Senator on the Republican ticket the official count shows that Newell received 395 votes and DePrest 291.

There were approximately 3227 votes cast in the primary in Stokes Saturday. Taking the vote of State Senator on the Democratic side, 1620 votes were cast. For the House on the Republican side 1607 citizens participated. This is a difference of 13 in favor of the Democrats.

The county election board and the registrars were busy all day on Monday tabulating the vote, with quite a large number of people anxiously awaiting the result.

The only chance for a second primary in Stokes, so far as county and legislative officials are concerned, is between A. R. Phillips and J. E. Thore, for the House. However, it is stated authoritatively that Mr. Thore will not ask for "run off", having stated before the primary that the high man won, so far as he was concerned.

For Solicitor H. L. Koontz led G. R. Johnson by probably 300 votes. Koontz defeated Johnson in the district by around 5,000 votes. Jake Newell took practically all the Republican votes for U. S. Senator.

Solicitor H. L. Koontz and U. S. Commissioner Wm. S. Lyon, of Greensboro, spent some time here last week. Mr. Koontz stated that his majority in the primary for Solicitor over G. A. Johnson, of High Point, was around 5,000. The Solicitor has recently been suffering with blood-poisoning in his arm but has about recovered.

Miss Ellen Prather Hall has returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sanders in Monroe.