

Bert Priest Dies as Result of Shooting

Young Lakeview Man Victim of Mishap With Gun Over Two Weeks Ago

Bert Priest, 22 years old, who resided on his father's farm outside of Lakeview, died last Friday in the Moore County Hospital as the result of a shooting accident two weeks before. While on a hunting trip with several other young men of that community something happened to cause Priest's gun to fire when he was emerging from the automobile in which they were riding, the bullet entering the young man's body.

He was a son of Elisha N. Priest. His mother is dead. He attended Vass-Lakeview School and leaves a large number of friends and schoolmates to mourn his tragic death. The funeral was held in Lakeview on Saturday morning.

THE WEEK IN VASS

Mrs. H. C. Callahan was hostess to the Methodist Auxiliary at its regular monthly meeting on Wednesday evening. Stewardship was the topic and the following program was given: Scripture reading, Mrs. G. W. Griffin; Reading, Mrs. W. D. Matthews; Poem, Mrs. W. H. Keith; Story, Mrs. S. R. Smith, Mrs. T. F. Cameron conducted the Bible study. During the business session the auxiliary fixed its pledge for the new year and voted to observe the World Day of Prayer. One new member, Mrs. L. H. Everett, was welcomed.

The Presbyterian Auxiliary observed its week of prayer and self-denial for home missions last week with a service at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hicks on Friday afternoon. Mrs. N. N. McLean was leader of the program, and a generous offering for home mission work was made. The meeting was marked by an unusually large attendance. Mrs. Hicks served delicious refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Morgan have announced the birth of a daughter on Friday, January 26.

A large congregation greeted the Rev. Frank Hare at the Baptist church Sunday morning when he preached his first sermon after having accepted a call to this church. A special musical selection was rendered by J. M. Tyson and W. C. Jackson. Services will be held at 11:00 o'clock each fourth Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Norton and children of Raeford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith on route 2.

Mrs. G. W. Brooks, Mrs. Bertie L. Matthews, Mrs. W. M. Moore and "Sonny" Moore attended a minstrel at the Greenwood school at Lemon Springs Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gice Allen, Gice, Jr., and Alex McNeill of Allen and Miss Grace McNeill of Raleigh spent last week-end with home folks here.

Mrs. W. J. Cameron, Mrs. C. L. Tyson and Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Smith visited Mrs. Kishie Cameron of Jonesboro route Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Klingenschmidt, Bobby Klingenschmidt, Paul Gschwind, Miss Nettie and Charlie Gschwind visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Aeschelman of Southern Pines Sunday afternoon.

Miss Esther Nell Cobb of Elon College spent Thursday night here with her sister, Miss Elizabeth Cobb, and they went to Lumber Bridge to spend the week-end at their home.

Misses Exie Beasley and Lois Buchanan and R. P. Beasley spent Sunday at the Beasley home in Apex.

Miss Lucy Cherry Crisp of Greensboro visited her sister, Mrs. Charles A. Lawrence, from Friday until Monday.

Edward Griffin and Gordon Womble of Sanford were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Griffin.

Mrs. Mary E. Edwards returned Sunday from a week's visit with Mrs. Seth Lassiter of Smithfield and Mrs. J. S. Bundy of Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Smith attended the funeral of Mrs. Smith's niece in Durham on Friday of last week.

Valentines for children from 3 years to 90 at Hayes.

New Deal Gives Impetus To Mineral Resources of State

Howard Butler Sees Future for Gold, Copper, Iron and Other Carolina Deposits

By Howard N. Butler
Considerable interest is awakening in the mineral resources of North Carolina. For years it has been known that this state has a wide variety of minerals, but with few exceptions little is known concerning quantity or values. The Fontana copper mine in the western part of the state has been for years mining a high grade ore, and reports say the production has of late been increasing. Feldspar mines of the state produce over half of the quantity mined in the United States. In the same section excellent kaolin or clay deposits are worked, the clay going to northern markets. Some of this material if properly prepared is said to equal the best English china clays that are imported to make our chinaware. A large tract has been drilled and a plant is expected to be built in the near future by some northern interests who have contracts from some of the users of English clays.

Near Charlotte a tin property is under way. The percentage of tin is rather low, but the clay and fine mica that carry the cassiterite or tin ore are both of marketable quality, so in concentrating the tin ores a product of clay and mica added to the resources of the operation. Recently a deposit of nickel has been found. I am told that it is of large tonnage and the assays are better than some of the ore being mined in Canada.

Some Anthracite Here
The coal deposits of the Triassic basin on Deep River are arousing interest. This deposit has been explored by the Federal geologists and private capital has drilled part of the property. It has been found that about eighty million tons of a high grade soft coal is available in this deposit, and a small bed of anthracite coal, the only true anthracite south of Pennsylvania.

The only known commercial deposits of pyrophyllite in the United States are found in this state. For over 75 years these deposits have been worked and as new uses for the product are found other interests are attracted towards this field until it looks as though this industry will be expanded in the near future. Olivine, mica, kyanite and beryllium are also being mined and shipped from this state. Kyanite is used in small quantities. Beryllium is one of the metals that little is known about, but we would revolutionize the iron and steel market if it could be produced in large quantities for it is lighter than aluminum and stronger than steel and makes a good alloy. Even copper can be hardened with a very small percent of beryllium. Beryllium was one of the three light metals discovered by Wohler about 100 years ago. About 60 years ago an Oberlin student brought aluminum out of hiding by finding an economical method of reducing the ore. In 20 more years we have magnesium and now beryllium is being aroused from its dormant state.

As the lake deposits of iron are being depleted the deposits of this state will come to the front. In the central part of the state peroxide of iron ores are found that equal the lake ores and in the western part of the state ores in large quantities are to be had. One deposit of magnetite iron has been worked for years and the softness and toughness of this iron is remarkable, also the tensile strength. Years ago the blooms from the Cranberry forges commanded a premium of \$15.00 per ton above the market in Baltimore for boiler iron.

The new deal is also changing the picture in gold mining. Gold was found in this state in 1790, and considerable was taken out. When richer deposits were found in the West interest was turned to the new fields with an exodus of miners from this state. After the richer deposits were worked out spasmodic attempts were made in this state with varying success. Some mines have taken out

Ground Hog Day

Marmota Monax May Emerge and Cast Its Shadow Today

Today, Friday, February 2nd, is "Ground Hog Day" and like this ancient foreteller of the probable duration of the winter you can come out and see if you can cast a shadow on his day. The only real Ground Hog (Marmota Monax) ever seen in Southern Pines made his habitat somewhere on New York avenue, and there on his day in 1927 he was rescued from a scorching sun burning his fur with a temperature of 80, and two years later nearly perished with the glass at 44. His is a hard life for in the past 12 years he has seen rain and cloudy weather but twice and in the meanwhile has encountered all temperatures between 44 and 80, though mostly they were above 60. However, the bluebirds are here and perhaps old man Monax may once more appear.

several millions of dollars worth of gold and paid well, while others have been a disappointment, but gold at \$34.00 an ounce instead of \$20.65 will change the picture with a lot of our low grade gold deposits. Mines that could break even will now show a profit.

North Carolina's building stone ranks second to none and as rich in variegated colors as the rainbow, from the limestone, marble, dolomite, quartzite, sandstone of the triassic both gray and brown, and all of the igneous rocks with their different hues and textures. The new memorial bridge at Washington was built of North Carolina granite as well as some of the other structures there.

Valentines from 2 cents to 50 cents at Hayes.

LEGAL NOTICES

SALE OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon us in a deed of trust executed by R. C. Hendren on the 15th day of August, 1930 and recorded in Book 54, Page 288-289, we will on Saturday the 24th day of February, 1934, 12 o'clock noon, at the Courthouse door in Moore County, Carthage, N. C., sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following land to-wit:

FIRST TRACT: Located in Moore County, about 3 miles West of the Village of West End. Beginning at a point in the center line of the Norfolk & Southern R. R., opposite Query's N. E. corner (same being an iron rail 41 ft. South-westerly from the middle of the R. R.) and running thence with the R. R. N. 60-28 W. 1987 ft. to the W. line of Kirtley Jones 216.05 acre tract; thence with it and the line of the Barrett property N. 709 ft. thence S. 74-10 E. 434 ft. thence S. 26-15 E. 246 ft. thence S. 59-20 E. 1750 ft. to the center line of the Co. Rd. leading to Carthage; thence with it S. 33-07 W. ft. thence with same S. 28-20 W. 143 ft. to the center line of the Norfolk & Southern R. R. thence with it N. 60-28 W. 38 ft. to the beginning, containing 29.5 acres, more or less, subject to the right of way of the Norfolk & Southern R. R. and that of North Carolina Highway Route No. 70.

SECOND TRACT: Located in Moore Co. about 3 miles West of the village of West End and beginning at an iron rail, which is 41 ft. from the middle of the Norfolk & Southern R. R. on the S. W. side thereof and just W. of a siding, Query's N. E. corner and running thence with his line S. 8-42 W. 1527.5 ft. thence S. 80-40 E. 656 ft. thence N. 8-50 E. 1334 ft. to the center line of the Norfolk & Southern R. R. thence with it N. 60-28 W. 677 ft. thence at right angles to the R. R. S. 29-32 W. 41 ft. to the beginning, containing 21.3 acres, more or less, subject to the right of way of the Norfolk & Southern R. R.

This sale is made by reason of the failure of R. C. Hendren to pay off and discharge the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust.

A deposit of 10 percent will be required from the purchaser at the sale.

This the 18th day of January, 1934.
J. S. PATTERSON, Trustee,
F2-23, Durham, N. C.

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONERS' RESALE

Under and by virtue of and in compliance with an Order of the Superior Court of Moore County, North Carolina, in an action pending therein entitled: Virginia Trust Company vs. Pinehurst Garage Company, Inc., E. D. Shamburger; H. A. Page, Jr.; Page Trust Company, Trustee, L. L. Biddle, II; Verner Z. Reed, Jr.; Reed - Hurd - Biddle Corporation; and The Oaks Club, Inc., the undersigned Commissioners did, after due and legal advertisement as provided by law, expose the lands hereinafter described for sale at Public outcry, before the Court House Door of

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Moore County, North Carolina, in the Town of Carthage, at 12 o'clock noon, on January 8, 1934, at which said sale Lura R. Seawell became the last and highest bidder at the price of \$4,775.00; and

Whereas within ten days thereafter the said bid was raised by the deposit with the Clerk of the Superior Court of the sum of \$238.75, being 5 per cent of the previous bid;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that a 12 o'clock noon, on February 3, 1934, before the Court House Door of Moore County, North Carolina, in the Town of Carthage, the undersigned will offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described piece, parcel tract or lot of land, with building thereon situate, described as follows, to-wit:

Being Lot 610 of the Village of Pinehurst, Moore County, North Carolina, as shown on the Map of Pinehurst, N. C., filed in the office of the Register of Deeds of Moore County, North Carolina, and being one of the two lots conveyed unto H. A. Page, Jr., by deed of William W. Buckley, surviving executor of the Last Will and Testament of the said Frederick Bruce, said deed being dated the 28th day of May, 1929; and being also the identical land conveyed to Frank D. Shamburger by deed of H. A. Page, Jr., and wife, Gertrude W. Page, dated June 12, 1929, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Moore County, North Carolina in Book 103 at page 512.

Being the lands conveyed to Pinehurst Garage Company, Inc., by deed of F. D. Shamburger and wife, Alice Page Shamburger, dated July 15, 1930. The above property being now known as The Oaks Club.

The title to the above described real estate is made subject to the reservations, conditions and restrictions in the deed conveying the above property from Leonard Tufts and wife to Frederick Bruce.

This 18th day of January, 1934.
R. E. DENNY and
FRANK W. COCLUER, JR.,
J26F2 Commissioners.

MOORE COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA.

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed by James W. Rogers and wife, Nonnie Rogers, of Moore County, North Carolina, to S. R. Smith, Trustee, of Moore County, North Carolina, which said deed of trust is dated May 4, 1928, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Moore County in Book 49, of Mortgages, Page 364, to which reference is hereby made, the debt secured by said deed of trust being past due and unpaid, and the powers of sale contained therein having become operative, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Courthouse door of Moore County, at Carthage, N. C., at the hour of Noon on the 19th day of February, 1934, the following described real estate being three tracts of land lying in Greenwood Township, Moore County, State of North Carolina and more particularly described and defined as follows:

FIRST TRACT: Beginning at a stake by the Clay Road and running thence, S. 49 W. 4.75 chains to another stake by said road; thence, S. 47 E. 329 chains to a cedar pointer; thence, North 62 1-3 E. 10.70 chains to a stake, 2 post oak, 2 red oak and hickory pointers; thence, S. 46 E. 24.10 chains to a stake by the S. A. L. Ry thence, as said R. R. N. 30 1-2 E. 9.80 chains to a stake by said R. R.; thence N. 31 W. 133 chains to a stake near said Railroad; thence, North 51 West 3.50 chains to a stake near the spring; thence, N. 66 W. 2.27 chains to a rock, maple and dog wood pointers; thence, N. 50 W. 6.20 chains to a stake in a gully; thence, N. 31 W. 1.76 chains to a stake; thence, S. 86 1-2 W. 19.75 chains to the beginning, containing 20 3-4 acres, more or less.

SECOND TRACT: Beginning at the sixth corner of the first tract, east side of the S. A. L. Ry. on the creek, and running thence up the creek, as its various courses to a corner of Hunter's land, at the mouth of an old ditch, ironwood and maple pointers on the west side and willow oak on east side of the creek; thence, N. 85 1-2 W. 10 chains to a stake in the east edge of the right of way on S. A. L. Railroad, South of a road, and about 70.28 feet South of a telegraph pole; thence, as said right of way South 30 1-2 W. about 17.25 chains to the beginning, containing 15 1-4 acres, more or less.

THIRD TRACT: Beginning at an iron stake on the east bank of Cat Tail Branch, sweet gum pointer, on the lower line of 132 acres conveyed to Wm. Rogers by C. G. Wadsworth; thence, with said line N. 64 East 756 feet, crossing the State Highway to a cedar tree, about 4 feet northwest from another cedar tree near the old Keith house, said cedar tree being the third corner of 20 3-4 acres conveyed to James W. Rogers by Wm. Rogers and wife, Sept. 1, 1917; thence N. 47 W. 217 feet to the second corner of said tract; thence, N. 49 E. 315 1-2 feet to an iron stake in the old road, the beginning corner of the said 20 3-4 acres; thence, N. 60 W. 300 feet to western concrete head wall of a drain pipe of the State Highway; thence, S. 69 W. 770 feet to an iron stake in Cat Tail Branch on the west side of a large poplar, white oak, holly, and ash pointers; thence, down the various courses of Cat Tail Branch about as follows: S. 10 E. 193 feet, S. 12 W. 115 feet, S. 33 1-4 E. 130 feet, S. 60 1-4 E. 155 feet; S. 5 1-5 W. 73 feet to the beginning. Containing 10 acres, exclusive of the road bed and right of way of State Highway No. 50.

S. R. SMITH, Trustee.
This 17th day of January, 1934.
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