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FIVE CENTS

McCASKILL, DRIVER OF TRUCK KILLING W. F. JUNGE, FREED

Was Driving Slowly and Tried
To Avoid Accident, Court
Evidence Showed

FRED CLARY IS HELD

No probable cause of guilt was found in the case of A. A. McCaskill, driver of the truck which struck W. F. Junge, prominent citizen of Southern Pines, fatally injuring him, and the case was dismissed. The original charge was assault with a deadly weapon, but the State's motion to amend the warrant so as to charge murder was allowed. There was evidence tending to show that McCaskill was driving at a slow rate of speed and that he swerved his truck in an effort to avoid the aged man who was crossing the street.

Fred Clary, white, driver of a trailer truck from which 14-year-old Preston Green, colored, fell to his death between Southern Pines and Aberdeen, on Wednesday morning of last week, was bound to Superior Court under bond of \$500 on a manslaughter charge. The truck was en route from Cochran, Va., to Atlanta with the boy, two of his uncles and a load of household effects.

A pistol and a mowing blade were weapons which were said to have figured in some trouble between H. W. (alias Bud) Phillips and B. L. Ritter, white men of the High Falls section. Ritter alleged that Phillips approached him as he was in the field cutting pea vines and after uttering curse words drew a pistol on him. Phillips claimed that Ritter went after him with the mowing blade. The court fined Phillips \$50 for carrying a concealed weapon and \$10 for an assault with said weapon, and Ritter \$25 on the assault with deadly weapon charge, suspended upon payment of one-half the costs each.

Sam Cooper, colored, pleaded guilty to forcible trespass and was sent to the roads for twelve months. Cooper, a colored traveler, forcibly entered a house in Aberdeen owned by Percy Ray with the intention of sleeping there. He was given 30 days for carrying a concealed weapon, this sentence to run concurrently with the other.

Other Cases

For chasing his wife with a razor and being drunk and disorderly, J. B. Pankey, white of Cole's Mill, was given four months, suspended upon payment of the costs and on condition that he remain of good behavior and not violate any laws of the state for two years.

In lieu of a six months' road sentence, Will Stroman, colored of Pinehurst, is to pay the hospital bill of Fletcher Neloms whom he cut severely with a knife, pay the costs of the case and not violate any laws for twelve months.

For violating the prohibition law and driving while intoxicated, June Price was given six months on the roads. Jane Ingram and Mandy Little, charged along with Price with liquor law violation, were given 60 days in jail, each to work at the county home, suspended upon payment of one-half the costs each.

AUTO ACCIDENT HERE SENDS DRIVER TO COUNTY HOSPITAL

A Rockingham Bakery truck crashed into a tree near Judge W. A. Way's tea house on the old Pee Dee road around 4:30 o'clock Monday afternoon with such force as to break the truck in two and send the driver unconscious to the Moore County Hospital. He did not regain consciousness until Wednesday morning and has been unable to explain what happened. He gave the name of Ellerbe to hospital officials, his residence as Rockingham.

U. L. SPENCE AND OTHERS SPEAKERS IN ABERDEEN

U. L. Spence, candidate for the State Senate; W. R. Clegg, nominee for the lower house; M. G. Boyette, Chairman of the Democratic county committee, and others spoke last night at a Democratic rally in the Community House at Aberdeen, with a large crowd in attendance.

Church Must Play Vital Part in Restoring Peace on Earth

War, Disease, Hatred, Poverty
Must Be Overcome by Gos-
pel of Christ

DR. RAYMOND'S ADDRESS

Dr. C. Rexford Raymond was installed as minister of the Church of Wide Fellowship in Southern Pines last Friday in the presence of a distinguished group of clergy, educators and laymen. Among those present were the Rev. Dr. H. Shelton Smith of Duke University, the Rev. Milo J. Sweet, superintendent of the Conference of Congregational Churches of the Carolinas, the Rev. Dr. Edwin C. Gillette, superintendent of the Florida Congregational Conference, the Rev. Dr. J. Edward Kirby of Raleigh, the Rev. Dr. L. R. Smith, president of Elon College, and the Rev. Dr. Fred P. Ensinger of Birmingham, Alabama, associate superintendent of the Southeast district of Congregational churches.

In a splendid and thoughtful address to the moderators and members of the Council, here for the installation ceremonies, Dr. Raymond recounted his religious experience and belief, discussed the present day problem of evil and his Christian belief about man; and of current problems of community, state and nation he had the following to say:

Not only do I affirm the Lordship of Jesus as the one who brings his disciples into right relations with God as individuals, but I believe that he takes away the sin of the world by his influence on the social order. He taught his disciples to pray that the Kingdom of God might come on earth. The Fatherhood of God means the Brotherhood of Man. Throughout the centuries this faith has found expression in missions to the ends of the earth. With a modified emphasis, due to our growing knowledge of what brotherhood means, this missionary program must go forward. Though as a Congregationalist I believe that each church is properly independent in its own community, I also believe that each Church is a part of the Universal Christian Church, and I therefore affirm the obligations of fellowship in the great world-wide enterprises of the Kingdom. I do not understand how any believer in Christ can refuse to share in his program for all the people of the earth.

Problems of the Day

But the modern sense of the meaning of the Brotherhood of Man makes us face new problems in the midst of our own community, our own state, our own nation; problems that are present in every civilized land under the sun. Our new social consciousness and our new means of communication make the old Roman saying that "we count nothing alien that is human" true in a sense that Terence never dreamed. The radio and the airship have scrapped all our old ideas about isolation. Chinese walls between nations are impossible. The problems of our common humanity are all our problems. War, disease, poverty, race hatred—such are the enemies of our common humanity which are to be overcome by the Gospel of Christ. Sin is today something more than individual impiety. The sociology of a Christian brotherhood is as much a part of the Gospel as the psychology of conversion. We must dedicate ourselves in a crusade for a Christlike control of society.

The clamor against social control in the name of liberty is futile. Complete individual liberty under the laissez-faire theory of government is as dead as the dodo. The freedom of the individual possible for Robinson Crusoe before the man Friday invaded the solitude of his lonely island is nowhere possible today. Every man for himself and unrestrained free competition would mean immediate chaos. Just as motoring in a congested city area is possible only when controlled and planned with traffic lights and officers to direct drivers, so business and industry in modern life will be safe for individuals and for society only when planned and controlled. The famous question of Cain, "Am I my brother's keeper?" is not possible for a Christian. The only question for us to ask about social control are as to the nature of our planned society.

It is the business of the followers of Jesus to insist that our social planning shall safeguard the freedom of the whole family. Are our brothers free? In this connection we recall the famous remark that my freedom to use my fist ends at another man's nose. Our world today is so complex that one man's unwise act may injure thousands. Our liberties depend upon and are limited by our social necessities. To safeguard the freedom of all of us means limiting the (Please turn to page 5)

Distinguished Guest

Eugene Meyer, Former Head
of Federal Reserve System,
at Aberdeen Tobacco Sale

Eugene Meyer, former chairman of the Federal Reserve Board and the new owner and publisher of the Washington Post in the national capital, headed a distinguished group which paid a visit to the Aberdeen tobacco market on Tuesday. With Mr. Meyer were Herbert Evans of Raleigh, director of Land Banks for North Carolina, and others. They were keenly interested in the operation of the local leaf market. Mr. Meyer is making a tour of this section of the South in the interest of his newspaper.

GOLF TOURNAMENT INNOVATION TO BE TRIED OUT HERE

Mid-South Open Next Month
Will Be Two-Ball Four-
some Event

PRIZES TO TOTAL \$2,300

Bringing something new to the fall and winter golf circuit, the Mid-South Open tournament at Pinehurst next month will be played at professional foursome match play, each pair playing alternate strokes with one ball.

Discussing the innovation this week Donald J. Ross, chairman of the tournament committee, said it would be the first time such an event has ever been held in this country.

Foursome play, or "Scotch Foursome" as it is generally called, is comparatively rare in the United States. About the only time it is seen in formal competition is in the international games with British teams, and then for only one round.

The Mid-South will be played November 13-16, inclusive, and will allow 64 pairs to compete. All professionals will be eligible to enter and will form their own pairs.

There will be two rounds of match play on each of the first two days, bringing the tournament to the semi-finals for the third day. The semi-final matches and the final match will be 36 holes and all earlier matches 18 holes.

The tournament will offer a total of \$2,300 prize money. The winning pair will get \$450 each, the runner-up pair will get \$300 each, and the losers in the semi-finals will get \$200 each.

MRS. J. A. WELDON DIES AT HOME IN ABERDEEN

Mrs. Elnora Weldon, widow of the late J. A. Weldon who died in the late spring, passed away at her home in Aberdeen yesterday morning at 7:30 o'clock, the cause being a throat infection and heart disease. Mrs. Weldon was 62 years old.

She is survived by one son, Elton, of Florence, S. C., two sisters, Mrs. I. M. Gunter of Jonesboro and Miss Louammie McFarland of San Diego, California and four brothers, A. T. McFarland of Aberdeen and T. C. McFarland, Doyle McFarland and J. A. McFarland, all of Jonesboro.

Mrs. Weldon has made her home in Aberdeen for many years and had a host of friends, both young and old who will mourn her passing. No funeral arrangements had been made yesterday.

FATHER OF H. T. MORGAN OF ABERDEEN DIES AT 80

Mark Allen Morgan, 80, one of the oldest and best-known citizens of the Tyra community, died at his home Thursday, October 11. He had been in declining health for the last few years, but had been confined to his bed for only the last few weeks. Among the survivors is a son, Hugh T. Morgan of Aberdeen.

7 CENSUS TAKERS TO BE APPOINTED IN MOORE COUNTY

Agricultural Enumerators Will
Be Paid \$4 to \$6 a Day
For 20 Days

LAMBETH TO RECOMMEND

While in Washington on Monday to sign vouchers for the Printing Committee of the House of Representatives, of which he is chairman, Congressman Walter Lambeth was informed that seven enumerators would be needed for the agricultural census soon to be taken in this county. Recommendations for the jobs, which will pay from \$4.00 to \$6.00 a day for 20 days, are to be made after November 15th, the men to go to work January 1st.

Taking a day off from the intensive campaign he is making for reelection to Congress from this, the 8th district of North Carolina, Representative Lambeth spent Monday in Washington on Printing Committee business and calling on Census Director Austin. He left that night to keep a speaking engagement at Mocksville, in Davie county. He also spoke at Gibson, Scotland county, Wednesday night and at Raeford last night.

"I have undertaken a campaign of 40 speeches in the 12 counties of the district," said Mr. Lambeth, who was two years ago re-elected to Congress by a majority of 33,324. "I am waging a vigorous and strenuous campaign explaining and defending the New Deal. I feel that it is my duty to do so, since the party has honored me by nomination. I find the people of the district, both Democrats and Republicans, greatly benefitted by the AAA in returns from their farms, and employment increased by the NRA."

"The Republicans are attacking the administration, and I am answering criticism, and the people are responsive and appreciative of the benefits received from Mr. Roosevelt's administration, and I am confident the district will record the same overwhelming majority November 6, as it did two and four years ago. I shall close my campaign in Charlotte at 6:45 p. m., Saturday, November 3."

\$25.64 Average Paid for September Tobacco

Aberdeen Warehouses Sell Total
of 837,336 Pounds Dur-
ing Month

The report of the Federal-State Crop Reporting Service for September tobacco sales in North Carolina is out and shows a total of 837,336 pounds sold in Aberdeen during the month. As the two warehouses there were open only about half the month the figure is satisfactory.

The average price paid during the month in Aberdeen was \$25.64 a hundred, about the average for the entire Old Bright belt.

Carthage sold 703,994 pounds during September at an average price of \$28.33 a hundred. Sanford sales totalled 1,245,146 pounds at \$26.14. The total sales for the 63 warehouses reporting in the belt were 23,787,849 pounds, the average price \$27.38.

PICQUET BUYS MAXWELL RESIDENCE ON MIDLAND RD.

L. L. Biddle, II of Pinehurst announced last week the sale of the attractive house on Midland Road formerly owned by Harry V. Maxwell of Spring Lake, N. J. to Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Picquet of Pinehurst, Mr. and Mrs. Picquet are making extensive improvements preparatory to moving in their new home in the near future. The house is situated on the south side of the double road midway between Pinehurst and Southern Pines.

D. A. R. CARD PARTY

There will be a D. A. R. card party at the home of Mrs. J. Talbot Johnson in Aberdeen on Tuesday afternoon, November 6th at 2:30 o'clock. A fee of twenty-five cents will be charged for the purpose of raising funds for the general expenses of the chapter. Everyone is cordially invited. A short business meeting will be held at 2:15 for the members.

Plans Golf Event



DR. L. M. DANIELS

Dr. Daniels of Southern Pines heads the Golf Tournament Committee for the annual convention of the Third District North Carolina Dental Society to be held here November 8th and 9th when 100 dentists from this section of the state will gather for a two-day session of meetings and fun. They will make their headquarters at the Park View Hotel and hold their golf tournament on the No. 1 course of the Southern Pines Country Club. Prominent speakers will address the banquet the night of the 8th, with Struthers Burt, local author, acting as toastmaster.

MANY FROM HERE TO ATTEND U. S. 1 ANNUAL MEETING

Local Officers and Others Will
Discuss Advertising Plans
at Raleigh Thursday

PETERSBURG OFFICE OPENS

A large delegation from Southern Pines is expected to attend the annual convention of the U. S. No. 1 Highway Association to be held next week, Thursday in Raleigh. Among the group will be Dr. L. B. McBrayer, vice president, and Shields Cameron, secretary of the association. Tourist and trade representatives from a number of towns and cities along the route will attend.

The gathering will discuss ways and means of increasing tourist travel over U. S. 1 through the winter season, plans for improving such sections of the road as may be in need of repair, and the raising of funds for advertising the route in the north.

For the purpose of directing traffic over No. 1 W. H. Cooper, representative of the Carolina-Virginia No. 1 Association went to Petersburg, Va., this week to open an office there. Much southbound traffic is diverted between Petersburg and Raleigh to other routes and the purpose of the new office will be to influence motorists to keep on No. 1, now an all-paved route from Maine to Miami.

ABERDEEN TO NAME TWO ON MONDAY FOR SCHOOL BOARD

A mass meeting has been called in Aberdeen for next Monday night, October 22nd at 7:30 o'clock in the High School building to nominate two new members for the Aberdeen School District Board. The terms of Frank Shamburger and H. W. Doub of Aberdeen expire this year. Members of the board are elected for six years, the board comprising four members from Aberdeen and two from Pinebluff.

CITY TAX COLLECTOR HERE ESTABLISHES OFFICE HOURS

The City Tax Collector, Mrs. Tilghman, has established office hours from 1:30 to 4 o'clock every business day afternoon at the City Clerk's office in the Municipal Building.

FOOTBALL SATURDAY

Duke vs. Davidson at Davidson. North Carolina vs. Kentucky at Chapel Hill. Wake Forest vs. Presbyterian at Wake Forest.

J. E. BERNSTEIN, 69, DIES AT SUMMER HOME IN JERSEY

Former Resident of Southern
Pines Prominent Business
Man in Jersey City

HEADED CITIZENS BANK

Joseph E. Bernstein, aged 69, former resident of Southern Pines, died in his summer home at Elberon, N. J., last Friday night. Funeral services were held in Temple Bethel, Jersey City at 11 o'clock Sunday morning. Surviving Mr. Bernstein are his widow, Mrs. Hattie Sylvester Bernstein; a son Joseph E. Sylvester, and a brother, Isaac, of Los Angeles.

A man of prominence in Jersey City Mr. Bernstein maintained a winter home in Southern Pines where he had extensive real estate holdings. He was at one time owner of the Carolina Theatre Building and The Pilot Building, and a heavy stockholder in and head of the Citizens Bank and Trust Company.

A native of Germany Mr. Bernstein settled in Jersey City in the early eighties, becoming head of several clothing concerns, realty companies, and the Journal Square National Bank. He was for many years president of the Board of Education, and was noted for his many philanthropies.

Plan Sports Program for Southern Pines

Bi-Weekly Equestrian Gymk-
hanas Among New Features
on Winter Card

The Sports Program for the winter season in Southern Pines is in the making, with a number of new features planned. The program committee, comprising Howard Burns, J. C. Barron, the Rev. J. Fred Stimson, Herbert Cameron and Nelson C. Hyde will meet early next week to put the finishing touches on the schedule of events.

Among the new features will be the equestrian gymkhana events to be held every other week at the new horse show ring near the baseball field. The ring is practically finished and in fine shape as a result of the efficient work of Messrs. Stimson and Cameron. There is some talk of an informal horse show this fall to inaugurate the local horse season.

Other events scheduled are a number of golf and tennis tournaments, roque and shuffle board contests and, in the spring, a baseball game between Duke University and Davidson College.

MORE HOUSES, APARTMENTS LEASED IN SOUTHERN PINES

Mrs. Verdie Wiley has leased through the Barnum agency her home on Massachusetts avenue to Edward E. Sturges of Falmouth Heights, Mass., who with his family will occupy the house through the winter season. Mrs. Wiley and her daughter, Miss Katherine, have leased an apartment in the Mudgett Building on Broad street for the winter.

Miss Birdella Bair has also leased an apartment in the Mudgett Building as Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence B. Smith of Millbrook, N. Y., are expected to occupy her Connecticut avenue home again this winter.

Shields Cameron has leased to A. T. Robertson, editor of The Pinehurst Outlook, the Witte house in the Piney Woods section.

PWA RESCINDS APPROVAL OF \$222,500 LOAN TO MOORE

The culmination of the issue on which the county overwhelmingly rendered an adverse decision last month, the proposal to borrow \$222,500 from the Public Works Administration for a school building program in Moore county, came this week with the rescinding at Washington of the loan and federal grant. The PWA had passed favorably on the loan and grant before hearing from the referendum here, and rescinded its action this week on request of the Board of Commissioners of Moore County.