

JAIL BREAKER STEALS ANOTHER AUTO; GETS AWAY

JIM CLAMPETT MAKES AWAY WITH CHEVROLET CAR AT WEST JEFFERSON SURROUND HOME

Police and Sheriffs Make Search But Find He Had Left Lone Hickory

Jim Clampett who made his escape from Elkin a week ago, is still at large and has stolen another automobile and shipped it and is still somewhere great out of doors.

Clampett was recognized as the man who stole a Chevrolet touring car at West Jefferson Saturday, brought it to near Yadkinville where he stripped it and went to the home of his parents near Lone Hickory for a brief visit.

Chief of Police Church and a force went to search for him at the parental home last Saturday night and while there were joined by Sheriff Movley, of Yadkin and the Sheriff of Ashe and Chief of Police of West Jefferson but it was found that he had left the place.

Clampett's father told Chief of Police Church he would bring the prisoner to Elkin where he is wanted for the theft of Dr. Hugh Parks car, if he returned to the parental roof.

BAILEY GREETED AND IS GREETED BY FRIENDS HERE

SENATORIAL CANDIDATE SEES VICTORY AHEAD; HANCOCK IS WELL RECEIVED

Josiah W. Bailey of Raleigh, candidate for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator against Senator Fournier Simmons, was an Elkin visitor last Friday and for several hours met friends at the Hotel Elkin. Mr. Bailey had come from Mt. Airy where he had made a brief visit after his address at Dobson Thursday night when he spoke to a crowded auditorium at the commencement exercises at the schools there.

Many Elkin persons were present at the address Thursday night and spoke in the highest terms of the speech which was entirely free from politics.

Mr. Bailey was highly enthusiastic over his prospects for the nomination and was assured by local persons that he would carry this county by two-to-one vote. The senatorial aspirant left late Friday for North Wilkesboro where he greeted friends.

Another political visitor in Elkin last week was Frank Hancock, of Oxford, a candidate for the Democratic nomination for congress from this district. Mr. Hancock, driving his Ford car and himself tacking up his political posters, drew the admiration of scores of people. He made a strong impression here and his friends freely predicted he would win the nomination by a big margin.

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Elkin-Roaring Gap Highway Be Known as 'Road of Roses' Bower of Verdure is Planted

The highway from Elkin to Roaring Gap soon will bloom into a bower of beauty and the mountain highway, already one of the most beautiful in the country, will become known as the "Road of the Roses." A group of persons headed by Highway Commissioner Alex Hanes is having 6000 rambler roses set out on the banks on the upper side of the road up the mountain which has just been widened while the banks on the lower side of the highway have already been planted in honeysuckle.

Combined with this, the Elkin Kiwanis Club and the Elkin Woman's Club has purchased millions of flower seeds and these will be distributed to every home between here and Doughton on the highway with the plea that they be planted along the roadside in front of every home. It is pointed out that the full measure of the aim to make a complete bower of beauty from Elkin to the top of the mountain resort cannot be fulfilled unless every person living along the road does his or her duty and plants the seeds.

The Kiwanis committee in charge of the movement to make a continuance highway of beauty consists of A. O. Bryan, chairman; Paul Gwyn, R. B. Harrell, and J. R. Poindexter, while the Woman's Club committee consists of Mesdames Rhous Pyron, Fred Colhard, W. W. Whitaker, and E. F. McNeer.

Over \$100.00 in flower seeds have arrived and are being distributed in small packages. The seeds consist of calendulas, cosmos, larkspur, double African marigolds, varied poppies, petunias, zinnias, calliopsis and cockscombs, and if planted at once, should be in full bloom by the first of July. It is planned to distribute pre-nials this fall to make the bower of beauty perpetual. The rosebushes and honeysuckle being planted along the mountain side are expected to be in bloom next year and it is predicted that this road will soon be such a verdure of beauty that people will drive miles to see it scenic attraction coupled with and soon became a nation-wide the unexcelled vistas seen from The improved road road to Roaring Gap which is one of the engineering feats of the South. The convict camp is being moved this week to West Jefferson where the prisoners will be worked on the new road leading from there to Grassy Creek.

Late News

MARTIAL LAWS Sherman Texas is quieting following the lynching of a negro who is alleged to have made a criminal assault of a white woman. Texas rangers kept the negro from the mob which then set fire to the court house. After the \$50,000 court house had been destroyed, the negro's body was taken from the cage and dragged through the streets and three blocks of houses in the negro section were destroyed. Governor Moody of Texas says he will bring the offenders to justice.

SOUTH GROWING Federal census returns show that the greatest growth is being shown in the South and West with California leading on the returns so far in cities doubling population. High Point now has a population of 36,708, a gain of 22,406 since the 1920 census.

COLEEN MOORE DIVORCED Coleen Moore, the movie actress, won a divorce from her husband, John McCormick, the director, when she brought out that he ordered her from home and was insulting to her and insulted her guests and ordered them to leave her home.

On account of rain storm the nance singers were compelled to postpone their engagement at Elkin Valley Baptist Church Sunday night May 11, but will be at the same place this Sunday night May 18, at 8 o'clock. Rain or shine.

Oldest Fireman



Tom Early, of Lakewood, N. J., who is 101 years old, claims, and probably correctly, that he is the oldest volunteer fireman in the world.

COOKING SCHOOL TO BE HELD HERE FROM MAY 27 TO 31

MISS VIOLA DECKER TO BE IN CHARGE OF COURSE UNDER S. P. U. AUSPICES

Elkin housewives will be given an opportunity to attend a cooking school which will be held in the Kiwanis room of the Hotel Elkin from May 27 to 31 under the auspices of the Southern Public Utilities Company. Miss Viola Decker, dietician of the S. P. U. will have charge of the course which will include every modern phase of cooking and menu making.

The school last year was a tremendous success and this year's course is expected to be even greater.

PRISON TERMS GIVEN 4 LOCAL PEOPLE BY HAYES

BOOZE CHARGES AILED AT FEDERAL COURT TERM AT WINSTON-SALEM

Federal Judge Johnson J. Hayes, meted out penal sentences to several local people during the term of the federal court at Winston-Salem last week.

Hugh Creed and Roscoe Spencer must serve eighteen month terms at the United States Reformatory at Chillicothe, Ohio, for "hijacking" 45 gallons of liquor from Mack Waddell of Wilkes county several months ago. It will be remembered that the pair went to Waddell's home in Wilkes county and bought the liquor then sent Waddell to his cache for more and while he was gone drove away with the whiskey. Waddell in the meantime, had been arrested by federal officers and then came to Elkin and swore out warrants for the local youths. They were slated to appear in Recorder's court but it was found the local court had no jurisdiction but while in the custody of local officers they were taken by U. S. Marshals and taken to the Yadkin county jail to wait trial in this charge.

Burdette Woodruff got an eighteen month sentence to the federal penitentiary at Atlanta for manufacturing while Decatur Gentry got fifteen months at the same place for possessing 75 gallons of liquor. Gentry was arrested by local officers several weeks ago when his home near here was searched and the liquor was found in an out building. As soon as the officers spied the whiskey, Gentry fled in an automobile and succeeded in eluding the officers after a wild chase, abandoning his auto near the Greenwood filling station on the Dobson road when he had a flat tire. Foy Shepherd was given a \$75.00 fine for transporting and possessing and his automobile confiscated and Dewey Hinson was put on probation for three years for the sale of whiskey. Attorney H. H. Barker and Frank H. Whitaker represented the defendants in Judge Hayes's court.

KIWANIANS OBSERVE MOTHER'S DAY HERE

Elkin Kiwanians observed Mother's Day last Friday night at the regular session of the club held at the Hotel Elkin. Mothers of the members were specially invited guests and each was given flowers in commemoration of the event. Mrs. Richard Chatham sang two beautiful songs in honor of the mother's and Rev. L. B. Abernethy made a brief talk on the event lauding the mothers of America and pleading for a living of the ideals they taught. Attorney Frank H. Whitaker had charge of the program.

Defying superstition and walking under a ladder, James Rordan of New York then saw a dollar bill on the sidewalk, stooped to pick it up, slipped and broke his leg.

FURTHER PLANS FOR THE MASONIC PICNIC JULY 4

BIG BOXING CARD TO BE PUT ON AT NIGHT BY AMERICAN LEGION

PLAN MANY EVENTS Speaker to be Known by Next Week; Noted Band May be Secured

Although tentative plans have been drawn up to make the annual Masonic Picnic this year the greatest in the long picnic series, no definite or complete arrangements have been made and will probably not be made until next week.

One of the features of the day this year will be a big boxing show which will be staged by the George Gray Post of the American Legion of this city and the war veterans plan to bring one of the finest boxing carnivals to be offered any place in the South on that date. Young Frisco, who knocked out some of the best fighters in the state, has tentatively agreed to come here for the main go that night and an able opponent will be secured for him besides some strong boxers for the semi-finals.

Boxing has become one of the major sporting events in the country and its popularity is increasing daily. A crowd of several thousand is expected to witness that feature of the picnic alone.

Although a speaker has been selected the committee in charge has not heard from him and his name cannot be announced until next week. It is also hoped to have the American Legion Band of Winston-Salem here to furnish the music for the event but this feature cannot be definitely decided until next week. The Lee Riding Devices will be here as usual and the picnic is to be advertised over the whole Western section of the State.

The following committees have been named for the picnic:

- Ground Committee, R. G. Franklin, chairman; G. P. Hampton; G. W. Masten; J. B. Johnson; R. C. Woodruff; H. G. Harris. Entertainment Committee, E. C. James, chairman, H. H. Barker; W. M. Allen; F. H. Whitaker; S. O. Maguire. Advertising committee, C. S. Foster, chairman, Paul Gwyn; A. O. Bryan; W. A. Finney; R. L. Church; Edworth Harris; Edwin Harris. Soliciting committee, R. J. Barker, chairman; W. A. Neaves; J. L. Powers; J. A. Somers; J. O. Bivans; J. L. Lillard; M. H. Royall; Sam Ray. Parking committee, H. D. Woodruff, chairman, J. O. Church; W. G. Church, J. L. Darnell. Ticket committee, W. S. Gough, chairman, F. H. Whitaker. Horse Shoe Pitching Contest; D. F. Gough, chairman, Thos. R. White. Ball committee; H. P. Graham, chairman, Dixie Graham; W. C. Cox. Special Soliciting committee; F. M. Norman, chairman, C. O. Hadley, Fred Colhard; Hugh Royall. Refreshment committee, J. G. Abernethy, chairman, George Royall, E. E. Brown; W. C. Cox. Special committee (speakers) W. S. Reich, chairman, S. O. Maguire; H. M. Foy. Special committee (Wilkes) F. H. Whitaker, chairman; W. M. Allen; H. M. Foy.

Tree In Elkin Measures 24 1-2 Feet in Circumference Covers Quarter Acre Space

One of the largest trees in the whole state is claimed for Elkin and is standing on Front Street near the creek in front of the J. S. Bell home. The tree is still young and growing rapidly and experts predict that the elm, when it reaches full growth, will be a record winner.

The tree measured twenty-four and a half feet in circumference one foot from the ground and its limbs spread over a quarter of an acre of ground, measuring 37 yards from the tip of the foliage to the other side east and west and 35 yards north and south. Many persons, who have never seen the tree before have visited the place and marveled at its great beauty and stature.

FATHER OF FIVE CHILDREN ENDS LIFE WITH PISTOL

BRYANT GRAY, 32, COMMITS SUICIDE AT HOME NEAR SWAN CREEK

Bryant Gray, 32, a farmer of the Swan Creek community of Yadkin county committed suicide late Wednesday evening by shooting himself through the temple with a pistol. No motive for the act is known, although he had not appeared to be mentally normal for the past several weeks.

Surviving are his widow, five small children and his parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gray.

Funeral services and interment were at Pleasant Home church, Wilkes county, Friday afternoon.

THESE PEOPLE WERE ALL 'CAUGHT SHORT'

The customary quiet of a big resort hotel was broken by the raucous cries of newbies crying extras.

A man leaped out of a barber-shop half shaved.

A chauffeur deserted his car in the middle of a traffic intersection.

A woman tore from a hair-dresser's shop, her coiffure done up in the funny pins that bring "permanent waves."

And that was the manner in which Chuck Reiser expressed in "Caught Short," his version of what happened on that fateful "October 23rd," when the bottom fell out of the stock market.

"Caught Short" is a Marie Dressler-Polly Moran talking comedy based on the famous security debacle. Other players include Anita Page, Charles Morton, T. Roy Barnes, Herbert Prior and Nancy Price.

Showing at the Lyric Theatre next Monday and Tuesday May 19 and 20.

VIRGINIA BARKER IS GIVEN HONOR

Greensboro, May 14.—At a recent election of the Mathematics club of North Carolina college, Miss Anne Fawcette, of Mount Airy, became president of the organization, and Miss Virginia Barker of Elkin, vice president.

Miss Pickett Henderson, of Wilmington, the mathematics made secretary and treasurer. (A Mount Airy girl, Miss Mary Kapp, has been president of the club during the past year.

YADKIN WILL NOT COMBINE SCHOOLS

There will be no consolidation of the schools in Yadkin county at this time because the board of commissioners in session last Monday voted down the proposal although the board of education had recommended it. The vote means there will be no central \$67,000 school built in the vicinity of Brooks Cross Roads as anticipated.

Dee Holcomb of Jonesville, L. J. Hompton, of Hamptonville and Henry Davis of East Bend compose the board of education. Testifying in a suit for damages, Mrs. Amy Clybourn of Chicago offered to take a double oath to tell the truth.

Soon to Wed



Miss Elizabeth Hughes, youngest child of Chief Justice Hughes, whose engagement to William Thomas Gosssett, young lawyer of New York, is announced.

NEW MAYOR SITS IN FIRST CASE IN JONESVILLE

GURNEY WAGONER GIVES BOYD SHEPHERD FINE ON DRUNK CHARGE

Mayor Gurney Wagoner, of Jonesville, held his first court Monday of this week when Boyd Shepherd appeared before him on a charge of being drunk. He was given a fine of \$5.00 and costs by the new mayor of the Yadkin county metropolis.

Shepherd was arrested last Saturday by Chief of Police Wilmoth. The new administration has set out on a strict law enforcement program.

MARVIN MAYBERRY TOSSSES HAT IN RING

Marvin M. Mayberry, of Jonesville has officially tossed his hat into the political ring with the announcement that he will seek the office of Register of Deeds subject to the Yadkin county Republican primary on June 7.

Mr. Mayberry, who has always lived in this vicinity all his life, is 35 years old and one of the best known young men in Yadkin county. He was born on the Irredell line but has resided in Jonesville for the past thirteen years and for the past four years has operated the Elkin-Winston-Salem bus. He was a member of the 82nd Division in the World War serving in the artillery brigade of that Division overseas. It is pointed out that no man for years from the Jonesville section of Yadkin county has been honored with a major political office.

JULIUS N. HARRIS CALLED BY DEATH

Funeral services were conducted from the Maple Springs Methodist church Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock for Julius Newton Harris, 80, a well known and highly respected citizen of the Maple Springs community, Wilkes County. Mr. Harris death followed an acute attack of kidney trouble about two weeks ago.

In recent years Mr. Harris had made his home with his son Clyde Harris of Miller's Creek, Wilkes county. Up to that time he had spent his entire life in the Maple Springs community, and it was during a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Leet Poplin, of Maple Springs, that he was taken fatally ill.

Surviving the deceased are four sons and three daughters, W. W. Harris of Roaring River, Clyde, Noah and Eph Harris of Miller's Creek, Mrs. J. M. Privette of Ronda, Mrs. Leet Poplin, Maple Spring and Mrs. Charles Moore of California; also the following brothers and sisters, R. L. Harris, E. D. Harris and Mrs. R. G. Franklin of Elkin; Mrs. E. V. Reeves of Roaring River and Mrs. Fletcher Bobbitt of Iverness Florida.

Interment was made in the family plot in the church cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to the Jonesville circuit at large and the many friends who had a part in making it possible for the preacher to purchase a new automobile. Rev. C. A. Morison.

NO TRACE OF AGED MAN MISSING AT MOUNTAIN PARK

CICERO WILLIAMS, ABOUT 80 YEARS OLD, DISAPPEARED LAST SATURDAY

BELIEVED DEAD Find His Belt Near Deep Well But Body Is Not Found There

Although searching parties are scouring mountain fastnesses and water pools, no trace has yet been found of Cicero Williams, who has been missing from his home near Mountain Park since last Saturday. Mr. Williams, an aged man, about 80 years old and whose appearance cannot be accounted for unless it is grief for the death of his wife, Mrs. Rebecca Walls, who died several weeks ago at whose home, he lived.

Williams was last seen Saturday morning at the Childress home on the Walls farm. He had remained there all night and arose early that morning and was told by Mr. Childress to stay in bed later and they would get up and prepare his breakfast.

The aged man however arose and wandered away from the place and later his belt was found near a deep well by the Childress house. A search failed to find his body and the boards on the well were not molested.

Searchers planned to drain the mill pond at the Lee Snow place today in an effort to find the man's body, if he took his life. It is said that he had become morbid since the death of his sister and became mentally unbalanced.

NINE GRADUATE AT JONESVILLE COMMENCEMENT

EXERCISES TO CLOSE SCHOOL YEAR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY THIS WEEK

The commencement exercises of the Jonesville High School will be Friday and Saturday evenings of this week in the school auditorium, Friday evening will be the graduation exercises and presentation of diplomas by Supt. Z. H. Dixon and on Saturday evening the Senior class will present a three act play "Family Affairs."

There are nine members of the graduating class this year: Carol Baker, Gladys Chappell, Amel Elbert, Thompson Greenwood, Fannie Nicholson, Mildred Reece, Mae Triplett, Waymouth Vestal and Eloise Greenwood.

R. L. LOVELACE LEGION SPEAKER

R. L. Lovelace was the principal speaker at the monthly meeting of the American Legion held last Thursday night at the Tribune office and lauded the Legion and the patriotism of the war veterans. Attorney E. C. James was in charge of the program. Mr. Lovelace, who had just returned from his now famous Washington trip in the interest of the confirmation of Judge Parker to a place on the supreme bench, did not mention the Parker incident at the meeting although the Legionaires had waiting ears to learn the "low-down" of the Parker defeat.

CAROLINA STORE TO MOVE TO NEWTON

The Carolina Store which has operated a grocery and meat market for the past several years is moving its stock this week to Newton where it will operate in the future.

The closing of the Elkin store comes as a surprise especially since it has been known that the legal branch has made a steady profit since H. F. Lyon became manager here. He will go with the new store at Newton.

TO SPEAK HERE

Miss Roena E. Shaner, National Woman's Christian Temperance Union Lecturer will speak at the Methodist Church 1 day afternoon May 16 at 4 o'clock. Miss Shaner is an eloquent speaker and the public is cordially invited to her here.