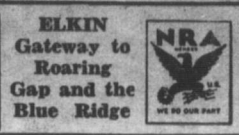


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Earl Holbrook Fatally Injured In Auto Crash; Drivers Are Arrested

MORGAN LEDBETTER AND J. L. COTHREN UNDER \$1,000 BOND

To Face Manslaughter Hearing Before Hall December 14

LAST RITES FRIDAY

As the result of an automobile collision which occurred about 7:30 o'clock Wednesday morning at the intersection of Market street and Gwyn Avenue, Earl Holbrook, about 40, of Jonesville, received an injury from which he died at 11:20 a. m. at Hugh Chatham Memorial hospital.

Following the accident, Morgan Ledbetter, of Yadkin county, driver of the car in which Holbrook was riding, and J. L. Cothren, driver of the other car involved in the accident, were placed under \$1,000 bond each to await a hearing December 14 before Magistrate J. L. Hall on charges of manslaughter.

Bruce Renegar, an occupant of the car in which Holbrook was a passenger, received a bad cut about the head, but was dismissed from the local hospital following medical attention. Ledbetter and Miles Shore, another occupant of the car, were uninjured with the exception of minor facial cuts. Cothren was also uninjured.

The accident occurred at the north end of the Hugh Chatham bridge, the right end of the bumper of Mr. Cothren's car striking the left rear wheel of the T model Ford touring car which Ledbetter was driving, causing it to skid completely around where it turned over on the left side, pinning Holbrook, who was in the rear seat, beneath it.

Immediately following the accident, the injured man was placed in a car driven by Graham Hanes, who aided by Paul Price and L. C. Murray rushed him to the hospital.

An examination at the hospital disclosed a hole in Holbrook's skull which was described as being about half the size of a baseball, and through which his brains were visible.

Although given no chance of life by medical attendants at the hospital, the dying man lingered on until 11:20, when he passed away without regaining consciousness.

Holbrook was the father of nine children, the youngest being only a few weeks old. In addition to the children, he is survived by his wife and two brothers and one sister, John and Sam Holbrook, and Mrs. Clay Crouse, all of High Point.

Although funeral arrangements have not been completed, the funeral will probably be held Friday.

AGED YADKIN WOMAN IS TAKEN BY DEATH

Mrs. Melinda Carter Long Dies At Ripe Old Age Of 91

Mrs. Melinda Carter Long, 91, passed away at her home in Longtown Friday following an illness of five years from rheumatism and general infirmities. Her condition had been grave since she sustained a paralytic stroke several days prior to her death.

Mrs. Long was perhaps the oldest woman in Yadkin county and her influence in the community where she had spent her long life had been vital. She was the last to pass of the family of the late James Carter and Mrs. Rhoda Pinnix Carter.

The deceased was the widow of the late J. Wilson Long, who died many years ago. She is survived by three daughters and one son: Mrs. Vance Anthony, Mrs. Alice Holcomb, Miss Mary Long and Virgil Long, all of Yadkin county. Several grandchildren and great-grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 12 o'clock at Longtown by Rev. W. J. S. Walker, a former pastor of the deceased and interment was in the Longtown cemetery.

Wings Across Pacific



LOS ANGELES . . . "Sorry I'm early," was the smiling welcome of Kingsford-Smith, noted Australian aviator, as he set his plane down here, completing a flying hour trip, Australia to Los Angeles in 54 hours, 49 minutes for a total of 7,365 miles.

ROYALL REUNION IS ATTENDED BY MANY

Dr. M. A. Royall One Of Speakers; Reunion Next Year In Sept.

The reunion of the Royall family on November 4 was well attended. Many interesting facts regarding the family were brought out by the speakers, Dr. M. A. Royall of this city, and J. A. J. Royall, of Thurmond.

At this meeting an organization was perfected to plan for the annual reunion. The 1935 reunion will be held on the first Sunday in September, at Center church in Yadkin county. J. A. J. Royall was elected secretary of the Surry, Wilkes and Alleghany members of the family and the Yadkin county secretary is Virge Swaim, of Boonville.

A bountiful dinner was served picnic style at noon. Rev. Frank Weatherman offered the invocation. A sermon by Rev. George W. Miles and special music by the Elkin Valley choir were features of the day's program.

STAGE PROGRAM FOR KIWANIS CLUB HERE

Lucy Hanes Chatham Club Uses Armistice Day Theme Friday

An impressive Armistice program, by members of the Lucy Hanes Chatham club was staged for the local Kiwanians Friday night during their meeting at Hotel Elkin.

The program was under the direction of Miss Juanita Billings, president of the local L. H. C. club, and was highly enjoyed by the Kiwanis club.

A highlight of the program was the enactment of three songs by a quartette made up of Misses Ruth Reece, Estelle Powers, Dorothy Penfield and Myrtle Young. Mrs. Charlie Young, Sonny Brewer, Sam Brannon, Collie Young, Collie Myers and Sam Atkinson transformed into a living picture each of the songs which were of nation-wide popularity during the World War.

In addition to the quartet, the program was as follows:

Song: "Tenting On the Old Camp Ground"; Invocation, Miss Mary Etta Laffoon; Reading, Miss Katherine Brannon; Solo, Miss Estelle Powers; "The Path of Peace", Miss Leona Darnell.

"Work faithfully eight hours a day and don't worry. Then in time you may become the boss and work twelve hours a day and do all the worrying."

ELKIN SADDENED BY UNEXPECTED DEATH OF MRS. J. B. BIVINS

Local Woman Passes Away Wednesday From Heart Attack

FINAL RITES TODAY

Mrs. Mary Lucy Bivins, 69, one of Elkin's most beloved women, passed away quietly Wednesday morning about 5 o'clock from an acute heart attack. Mrs. Bivins had been indisposed with a cold for several days but had not been confined to her bed, and her passing was a distinct shock.

The deceased was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Chatham, pioneer residents of Elkin, and the widow of the late James B. Bivins, who died about three years ago. Probably no woman in Elkin was more admired than Mrs. Bivins; her devotion to her family and her sweetness of disposition were her outstanding qualities. She was a devout member of the First Methodist church and a member of the Women's Missionary society. Since the death of her husband she had made her home with her only daughter, Mrs. J. A. Carpenter, at whose home her death occurred. She still maintained the family home on Surry Avenue, opening it only when her children who lived away came to visit her.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Marie Bivins Carpenter, Elkin; and four sons, Capt. H. A. Bivins, Dayton, Ohio; W. E. Bivins, Rutherford; Frank Bivins, Morganton, and Joe Bivins, Elkin, and the following sisters and brother: Misses Minnie and Annie Chatham, Elkin; Mrs. W. J. McNeely, Mooresville; Mrs. Jennie Gordon, Winston-Salem; Mrs. William Hubbard, Moravian Falls and Joseph Chatham, East Bend. Nine grandchildren also survive.

Tentative funeral arrangements are set for this afternoon (Thursday), at the home of Mrs. Carpenter on West Main street, pending the arrival of a son, Capt. H. A. Bivins, who is at present in Little Rock, Arkansas.

JACK GROCE, 67, IS CLAIMED BY DEATH

Yadkin County Man Passes Away Tuesday Evening At 7 o'clock

Jack Groce, aged 67, passed away at his home at Rena, between Brooks Cross Roads and Jonesville, at seven o'clock Tuesday evening. He had been in declining health for some time, suffering a stroke of paralysis about two months ago. He spent some time in the hospital, but had returned to his home.

Mr. Groce was born in Yadkin county and had spent all of his life in the county. He was one of the most prominent farmers of Yadkin and took an active part in the public affairs of the county. He is survived by his widow, who was Miss Callie Swaim, and by thirteen children. They are as follows: Dewey Groce, of near Yadkinville; Noah, Henry, Sol, Kennerly, Peter, Odell and Farmer Groce, of the home section; Misses Sallie and Vergie Swaim, of the home; Mrs. Pearl Campbell, Mrs. Onie Cheek and Mrs. Sudie Vestal. Thirty grandchildren also survive and one brother, Rich Groce.

Funeral services will be held at Swaim's Baptist church this morning at eleven o'clock, and will be in charge of Rev. V. M. Swaim, Rev. Joe Binkley, Rev. L. B. Murray and the pastor, Rev. Ellis Norman. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

Beautifying Grounds At Local Hospital

An extensive beautification program of the grounds at Hugh Chatham Memorial Hospital is being conducted by the Woman's Auxiliary of the hospital. A number of trees have been donated by Ruohs Pyron and several shrubs by Paul Gwyn. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Lindhurst, who are supervising the work, have given a number of tulip bulbs from their gardens. Private subscriptions have been solicited; the proceeds of which have been used for the purchase of boxwoods and other shrubs for the work.

Less than two pounds of radium are available for use in the world today.

Hauptmann Attorney



TRENTON, N. J. . . . Edward J. Reilly (above), noted criminal lawyer of Brooklyn, N. Y., has been called in to take charge of the Hauptmann defense in the Lindbergh kidnapping trial, scheduled for Jan. 2nd, 1935. Mrs. Hauptmann retained Reilly in a change of lawyers.

COMMUNITY TREE IS PLANNED FOR ELKIN

Hope To Load It With Gifts For Elkin's Unemployed

At a meeting of the Elkin Merchants association Tuesday night, plans were made for a gigantic community Christmas tree to be located on one of the vacant lots in the downtown section, from which will be distributed Christmas Eve baskets of food, clothing and supplies for Elkin's needy families and their children. It was learned Wednesday from Miss Edith Neaves, secretary.

The Merchants association is seeking to secure the aid of the town's civic organizations in this enterprise, namely, the Woman's club, Kiwanis club and the Associated Charities. It is their plan to have the tree beautifully decorated with colored lights.

During the meeting it was pointed out that in the efforts all citizens are now making to increase employment and restore prosperity and happiness in this community, nothing is of more vital importance than to see that all buying by local people be done here. Money spent elsewhere is of no benefit to the community but money spent here benefits everyone locally.

Further details regarding Christmas plans will be available later, and it is hoped that every civic organization and every citizen will join in with the Merchants association plan to instill the Christmas spirit and to see that Elkin's needy are fully cared for Christmas day.

ELKS WHITEWASH MOCKSVILLE 20-0

Local Gridsters To Face Wilkesboro Here Friday

Displaying powerful offensive thrusts and guarded by a line that warded off all scoring threats, the "Bucking Elks" of Elkin high school, drove to a one-sided 20 to 0 victory over a heavy and experienced Mocksville aggregation here last Friday afternoon.

Although handicapped by the absence of Joe Transou, star quarterback, the local boys launched a fast running attack about Foster and Howard to whitewash the team that held them to a 13-13 tie earlier in the season.

Poster and Howard each scored a touchdown in the first half on line bucks. Poster scored again in the third period.

Mocksville's only threat came in the last few minutes of play. Coach Hood used both his second and third teams in the last few minutes of the game. The line of the local team stopped Mocksville's running game at every turn and practically all of their passes were grounded by the alertness of the locals. They blocked several of Mocksville's kicks. McNeill and Blackburn were outstanding linemen.

Elkin plays Wilkesboro here Friday, November 16. According to comparative scores, the two teams are about equally matched.

Between three and four per cent of the human race is left-handed.

North Carolina Route For Scenic Highway Is Chosen By Sec'y. Ickes

LATE NEWS from the State and Nation

FIND BODY OF LITTLE GIRL

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 11.—Finding of the unclad body of a little girl in a shallow grave here late today led officers to move swiftly to determine if the body is that of missing Dorothy Ann Distelhurst.

In New York where Alfred E. Distelhurst, father of the missing six-year-old kindergarten pupil went last week in the hope of meeting persons who asked \$5,000 ransom, W. L. Hamilton, an uncle of the child said: "That's what I was afraid would happen all the time."

DAVIS IS ON TRIAL

Statesville, Nov. 13.—In today's evidence against Ralph Davis, 25, Davidson county outlaw, who is being tried in Iredell Superior court for the fatal shooting of Sheriff Godfrey C. Kimball on August 17, the state presented a number of witnesses to show that Ralph Davis shot the sheriff at close range and that he was not accidentally shot by a deputy, as was alleged by ballistic experts.

Judge A. M. Stack, of Monroe, is presiding and the jury is composed of 11 Mecklenburg county citizens and one Iredell man.

HUEY DENIES ITS "BALLYHOO"

Baton Rouge, La., Nov. 13.—Beaming with delight over acceleration given his dictatorial "Utopian" program today, Huey Long, the Louisiana "Kingfish," saw new possibilities in his plans to share wealth and help the poor through legislative action.

There came a scowl over his countenance, however, and he started a row with those who called his football trips with the Louisiana State university Tigers "ballyhoo."

53 STATE BANKS LIQUIDATED

Raleigh, Nov. 13.—The liquidation of 53 of the 183 banks which have closed in North Carolina since early in 1927 has been completed and in 26 of these banks depositors and creditors were paid in full. Gurney P. Hood, state banking commissioner, announced today.

On an average, Hood said, 81 per cent of all claims in the liquidated banks were paid in full.

WANT EMPLOYERS TO PAY INSURANCE

Washington, Nov. 13.—Labor leaders plan to urge that industry bear the full cost of unemployment insurance.

Across the plain oak desk of his office atop the American Federation Labor building, William Green made this clear today.

Education Week Is Observed In School

American Education Week was observed in the local school in a colorful manner. The opening program, based on the subject of "God and Country," was ably handled by Rev. E. W. Fox. "An Educational Program" followed on Thursday with high school pupils performing. The Armistice program on Friday consisted of appropriate songs, readings and pantomimes. The concluding program, "Enrichment of Life," dealt with many sides of life. The purpose of this program was to show that life may be made fuller through the school, through travel, through creative and natural art, through books, and through the right sort of recreation. The program was concluded by a glamorous sports parade by Coach Hood in which he had students represent the "greats" in the world of sports.

Preparation is being made for a full observance of Book Week and Good English Week.

PARK HIGHWAY WILL FOLLOW MOUNTAIN TOPS TO ASHEVILLE

On Into Park Along Mount Pisgah Range Near Waynesville

COST TO BE \$16,000,000

The North Carolina route for the southern section of the Shenandoah-Great Smoky Mountains National Park scenic highway has been chosen over the route suggested by Tennessee, it was announced Monday by Secretary Ickes.

The route selected runs from Blowing Rock south of Linville City along the Blue Ridge and the Mt. Mitchell and Craggy ranges near Asheville, thence into the Mt. Pisgah range, bending sharply northwest on a line along the range west of Waynesville, with an entrance into the park at a point where it will connect with the Newfound Gap highway near Cherokee.

Secretary Ickes, who made known his decision as to the two proposed routes in letters to Governor J. C. B. Ehringhaus, and Governor Hill McAlister, of Tennessee, said his selection was influenced by the fact there is now a well-established entrance to the Great Smoky Mountains National Park at Gatlinburg, Tenn. He added that there was little to choose between the North Carolina and Tennessee routes from the scenic standpoint, and that other things being equal it seemed "unfair" that Tennessee should have the sole entrances to the park from both the west and east.

The first section of the highway was selected in July, and will traverse the southern crest of the Blue Ridge mountains, touching Fancy Gap and Low Gap. As a result it will pass near Mount Airy and Roaring Gap and on to Blowing Rock.

The scenic highway, to cost more than \$16,000,000, will connect the Shenandoah National Park in Virginia and the Great Smoky Park, which lies within North Carolina and Tennessee. The road will be approximately 400 miles long.

In selecting the North Carolina route, Secretary Ickes overruled the finding of a board of three which recommended the route suggested by Tennessee.

HUNTING SEASON OPENS NOV. 20TH

Six Deputy Game Wardens Appointed To Enforce Laws

The hunting season in Surry and the remainder of the state goes into full swing November 20, when restrictions on quail and rabbits are lifted, it was announced Tuesday by Martin Bennett, Surry county game warden. Prior to that date it is unlawful to hunt either birds or the cottontail, Mr. Bennett said.

In order to more fully enforce the hunting laws during the season, six deputy wardens, whose identities were not revealed, have been appointed to work in this section of the county, and who will also have jurisdiction in Yadkin and Wilkes counties.

All hunters must procure a hunting license, the warden said, the county license to cost only 60 cents. A state-wide license may be obtained for \$2.10.

Speaking of hunting license, Mr. Bennett pointed out that for a Surry county hunter to hunt also in Wilkes and Yadkin, he must first secure a state license, as a license issued in Surry will not be good in any other county. A hunter cannot secure a Wilkes or Yadkin license if he is a native of Surry, he said. Thus the state license will have to be purchased if the hunter wishes to go outside his own county.

With the exception of squirrel, game is more plentiful this year than in the past 15 years, Mr. Bennett stated.

Both Surry county hunting license and the state license are on sale here at Surry Hardware company and at the E. & D. Metal company.