

MONDAY IS SET AS 7TH ANNUAL KLONDIKE SALE

More Than 500 Guernsey
Cattle Breeders Expected
SALE OPENS AT 12:30
Features Blood Of Lang-
water Foremost; Expect
38 Animals To Enter
YEARLY AVERAGE GIVEN

Klondike Farm will be host Monday to more than 500 Guernsey cattle breeders from eight states at the seventh consecutive annual Klondike Sale.

Thirty-eight animals are expected to go on the block to be auctioned to the leading breeders in the South and East. The sale is sponsored by Klondike Farm, featuring the blood of Langwater Foremost—an animal whose blood has been followed at Klondike for more than 30 years.

The sale will get underway at 12:30 p. m., with Mort Granger of Thompsonville, Conn., as auctioneer. George B. Salley of the Salley Sales Service, Orangeburg, S. C., will manage and operate the sale.

T. F. Cooley, manager of Klondike, explained yesterday that breeders who have the Langwater Foremost breeding would be allowed to consign animals in this sale, but the animals must be approved by the selection committee for both type and production. The herd from which the animal comes must be fully accredited and disease free, Mr. Cooley emphasized.

Since 1943, when Klondike's sales became an annual affair, an average of 40 head of cattle has been put on the block at each sale. Last year, McDonald Farms llamae sold at a top price of \$5,500. Average per animal of Klondike sales has been as follows: 1943—\$1019.45; 1944—\$1076.97; 1945—\$1063.67; 1946—\$1152.57; 1947—\$1133.33; 1948—\$1240.62.

Mr. Cooley emphasized that Klondike sales are sponsored purely for exchange of animals of breeding value.

Interested breeders from North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, Pennsylvania, New York, Rhode Island and Vermont are expected to attend and enter animals in the sale.

SCOUT DRIVE OPENS MONDAY

Funds For Girl Scouting In
Elkin Will Continue
Through Friday

MRS. DAVIS IN CHARGE

A drive for funds to finance Girl Scouting in Elkin and vicinity will begin Monday and continue through Friday, according to an announcement made this week.

Mrs. Hubert Parker will be chairman of the campaign in Elkin and Mrs. C. L. (Ta) Davis will be in charge of the drive in Jonesville.

The Girl Scouts program has been expanded considerably over previous years. This year there will be five troops which will consist of two Brownie Troops for girls between the ages of seven and nine; two intermediate Girl Scout troops for the girls between the ages of 10 to 15 years; and one Senior Girl Scout Troop designed for girls of High School age. Girls from Elkin and Jonesville have been invited to attend.

Girls interested in scouting and their mothers met at the Gilvin Roth YMCA Monday afternoon for an organizational meeting. At that time troop committees were formed.

The meeting places and times for troop meetings will be announced at a later date.

**Breeding Group Plans
Statesville Meeting**

A meeting of the Southeastern Artificial Breeding Association's Policy Committee will be held Tuesday at 11 a. m. in Statesville's Town Hall, it was announced this week.

A representative of the Surry County Artificial Breeding Association at Dobson will meet with the group to help formulate matters of policy and to vote upon them.

Invited guests will include I. O. Schaub, director of extension at North Carolina State College; Dr. D. W. Colvard; Professor J. A. Arey and Professor John Brown of the Dairy Extension Department, all of Raleigh.

Freedom Goes . . .



... Where Your Newspaper Goes

This is newspaper week . . . in Elkin and the nation over.

To some persons, newspaper week may be passed without much thought . . . without regard other than a remark or two that the newspaper is blowing its own horn.

But to the real reader, newspaper week will mean something more; the observance of freedom of thought among the several liberties that it embraces. In turn, the freedom

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CHATHAM IS ON EUROPEAN TRIP

Sails From New York To
Make Three-Weeks Study
Of ECA Effectiveness

RUBICOFF ACCOMPANIES

Representatives Thurmond Chatham of Elkin and Abraham A. Rubicoff of Connecticut sailed from New York Friday to make a special three-weeks study of the effectiveness of the Economic Cooperation Administration and the military assistance programs in Western Europe.

They will report to the House Foreign Affairs Committee, of which both are members.

Mr. Chatham said Wednesday that they will visit the Netherlands, Belgium, France, the United Kingdom and Germany.

One of their early conferences will be held with Robert M. Hanes, Winston-Salem banker and business executive on leave and serving as head of the ECA program in Germany.

"Both of us supported the ECA and the military assistance programs," Chatham said, "but the chairman of the Foreign Affairs Committee has asked us to observe the workings and general plans of these programs and report back to him."

"While I have supported appropriations for the full amount asked by the ECA, I have always felt that there were probably certain economies that could be made in this program. That is something I want to look into."

While in the United Kingdom, Chatham said, he will confer with Sir Stafford Cripps, Chancellor of the Exchequer, regarding the advisability of reducing Britain's drastic import duties on U. S. tobacco.

"I believe that they can help themselves enormously and help U. S. leaf growers, too, by cutting their import duty off tobacco, which runs to something like \$11 on a single pound of leaf," Chatham said. "And besides, our Government is in the process of working out a number of reciprocal trade agreements with the United Kingdom. There is no reason why tobacco farmers should not benefit from these agreements. I'll certainly work on it."

Alleghany Man Gets Long Term

John Frank McMillan, 35, was sentenced in Alleghany County Superior Court Tuesday to 17 to 21 years in prison for the August 5 slaying of his father, former Sheriff Bruce McMillan.

Judge Hoyle Sink pronounced sentence after McMillan had entered a plea of guilty to second degree murder with the provision that the judge hear the evidence and decide whether it should be second degree murder or manslaughter. Judge Sink decided it should be second degree.

Three witnesses were heard by Judge Sink. They included the defendant, his brother, Robert, 23, and his mother, Mrs. Maude McMillan.



HONORED — Dr. J. S. Hiatt, above, general superintendent of Hugg Chatham Memorial Hospital, has been named by the International Methodist Historical Society and the editorial board of "Who's Who in America" and the Marquis reference works to appear in "Who's Who in Methodism," a biographical reference work international in scope. Dr. Hiatt was chosen for this honor for outstanding services to his church and country.

FASHION SHOW TO BE TONIGHT

Elkin Junior Woman's Club
Sponsors Annual Affair In
Gilvin Roth YMCA

FEATURES FALL STYLES

Elkin Junior Woman's Club will stage its annual Fashion Show tonight (Thursday) at 8 p. m. in the auditorium of the Gilvin Roth YMCA.

Entertainment will be furnished during the evening by Miss Joyce Cochrane and Miss Sandra Gregory, soloists. The Intermediate and Brownie Scout troops, under the direction of Mrs. Seymour

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Mountain Park Community Fair Set For Tomorrow; First In 15 Years

Mountain Park will open its first community fair in 15 years tomorrow (Friday) at the Mountain Park School gymnasium.

The event will open with the judging of exhibits at 10 a. m., and at 12 noon until 3 o'clock the fair will be open to school children. At 2:30, Copeland and Mountain Park High School baseball teams will play to the free admission of visitors.

Then, at 6 p. m., the exhibit hall will be thrown open to the public as well as added attractions. The fair will remain in progress until 10 p. m. There will be no admission charge.

Features of the day include a baby contest, hog calling contest, livestock exhibits, string music, field crop exhibits, live-at-home

YADKIN COUNTY GUERNSEY SALE OPENS AT NOON

Twenty-Three Animals Entered
In Yadkinville Event

CONSIGNER LIST GIVEN

Yadkin Guernsey Breeders
Association To Sponsor
Their First Sale

GUERNSEY MEN INVITED

The first Yadkin County Guernsey Breeders Association sale will open today in Yadkinville.

The event will get underway at 12:30 p. m. at the school bus garage in Yadkinville. Twenty-three animals have been selected and consigned from breeders in Yadkin County.

D. D. Williamson, Yadkin County farm agent, said this week that all persons interested in purchasing good bred high quality Guernseys is invited to attend the sale and bid on the animals.

Five of the animals are open heifers; four of the cows will be fresh just before sale date and 14 of the heifers will freshen during October, November and December.

Ward Snarr, Siler City, will be auctioneer and R. A. McLaughlin, manager of Mago Farms, Lexington, will read pedigrees.

All animals are fully negative and will be sold and guaranteed to be breeders, Mr. Williamson declared.

Consigners include J. R. Allred, Allan Brooks, R. D. Campbell, H. W. Doub, Lucy Bell Matthews, Lester Miller, S. G. Miller, Lee Pinnix, Foy Reece, Wilson Reece, Ella Mae Shore, M. F. Shore, T. D. Smithearn, Henry Sofley and J. A. Williams.

JAYCEES BACK SPECIAL WEEK

Fire Prevention To Be Publicized
Here During Week
Of October 9-15

RAY COLLIE CHAIRMAN

Elkin will observe National Fire Prevention Week October 9-15, with the Elkin Junior Chamber of Commerce sponsoring observance here under the direction of Ray Collie as chairman.

The Jaycees are urging every citizen to cooperate in the event and do all in their power to prevent fires, both now and in the future. Mr. Collie has pointed out that special attention should be paid to stores, homes and other buildings with an eye to removing hazards which could result in a costly, disastrous blaze.

"Too many of us," the Jaycees

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White Cane Sale Nets \$200 Here

Approximately \$200 was raised in Elkin for the White Cane Drive for the blind, according to an announcement made by Clyde Carroll, chairman of the drive, at the Lion's Club meeting Monday evening at the Gilvin Roth YMCA.

Five new members, Dr. Lin Fin-cannon, Brannon Daye, Russell Transou, Vance Byrd and W. L. Elmore were inducted into the club by Claude Farrell, chairman of the education committee.

Following the dinner, a movie, "Navy Airman" was shown.

Dr. L. D. Pruette was a visitor at the meeting.

exhibits and exhibits for young people and school children.

Jim Dan Hemmings, vocational agriculture teacher and director of the event, said that all livestock exhibits should be in the exhibit hall by Thursday afternoon. Livestock should be in place and ready to judge by 9 a. m., Friday. Livestock exhibits will be held from 12 noon to 5 p. m.

The string music will be furnished by Ralph Hanes and his Ramblers. Side features will include bingo games, baseball throw, baby contests and hog calling contests. Pop corn, cold drinks and hot dogs will be sold.

As the exhibits will be shown in the gymnasium, the event will be held even in the event of bad weather.

Seventh Annual Fat Stock Show, Sale Opens Tuesday



SPEARHEAD ANNUAL SHOW AND SALE — Fred York, left, Neill M. Smith, center, and Col. Harry Hamilton, Jr., right, will lead activities of the seventh annual Elkin Fat Stock Show and Sale to be held here Tuesday and Wednesday.



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62 Animals Expected For Event

The seventh annual Elkin Fat Stock Show and Sale will be held at Elkin Memorial Park Tuesday and Wednesday under the sponsorship of the Elkin Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Sixty-two animals will be entered into the show which will take place Tuesday morning and Tuesday afternoon.

The show will be introduced when Richard Atkinson, mayor of Elkin, will deliver an address of welcome to exhibitors and visitors. Recognitions and introductions by County Agent Neill M. Smith will follow.

Garland Johnson, chairman of the Elkin Agricultural Council and vice-president of the Bank of Elkin, will officially open the show immediately afterward.

Weighing and entering the steers in the show will begin Monday at 10 a. m., and between 4 p. m. and 7 p. m., exhibitors will be placed in homes of Elkin and vicinity.

Tuesday's judging demonstration will be conducted by L. I. Case, in charge of Animal Husbandry Extension, N. C. State College.

Roger W. Murdoch and Howard M. Stamey, county agent and assistant county agent of Iredell County, will be judges.

Hugh Chatham, vice-president of Chatham Manufacturing Company, will open the sale Wednesday at 10 a. m. Introductions and recognitions by Fred York, chairman of the event, will follow.

Bill Stevenson, president of the Jaycees will introduce Mr. Chatham, Mr. York and sale officials.

Col. Harry Hamilton, Jr., of Boone, will be auctioneer.

Exhibitors of the fat stock show, who will come from several counties, will be honored with a banquet by the Jaycees at 6 p. m.

Animals in upper grades will be placed individually by the judge and the first and second will automatically be awarded the Grand and Reserve Championship ribbons. Prizes will also be awarded for showmanship.

CHATHAM FAIR BIG SUCCESS

Annual Event Ends Friday
Following One of Best Exhibitions In Its History

PRIZES ARE AWARDED

The ninth annual Chatham Fair ended in a hubbub of entertainment and bustling activity Friday night with one of the best exhibits in the fair's history.

Climaxing the two-day activities was an exhibition of both square dancing and folk dancing by the Varsouviana Club of Appalachian State Teachers College. This was followed by a general square dance for everyone.

In the exhibit hall, Mrs. Free Pardue collected the most first prizes of any entrant and was awarded the "sweepstakes" prize. Grand prizes were awarded to Mrs. Pardue for canning, Evelyn Howard for cooking, Mrs. Burrus Adams for farm and gardening, Maurice Gordon for handiwork and Ruth Haynes for house furnishings.

Departmental winners will be printed in the next issue of The Tribune.

Rites Held For Eugene B. Sydnor

Funeral service for Eugene B. Sydnor, 80, was conducted Friday at 2 p. m. at the First Baptist Church in Richmond, Va. Mr. Sydnor was president of the Richmond Dry Goods Company.

Mr. Sydnor was an uncle of Eugene S. Spainhour of this city. He is survived by his wife, a son, two daughters, two sisters and two grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Spainhour attended the funeral Friday. Sydnor-Spainhour Department store of this city closed from 2 until 3 o'clock in respect to Mr. Sydnor.

The number of registered voters in New York in 1948 was 7,043,575.

YOUTH CHOIR PLANS MAPPED

Object of Jonesville, Elkin
Group To Present Program
Of Christmas Music

OFFICERS ARE LISTED

Plans to organize a youth choir, composed of young people from Elkin and Jonesville, to present a program of familiar Christmas music, were made Monday evening at the bi-monthly meeting of the Inter-Denominational Youth Council which met at the Presbyterian Church.

The musical program will be entitled "Joy To The World" and is to be a project entirely for the youth of the two communities. It will be written, conducted and presented by the young people. The Elkin High School will also participate in the yuletide event. The program will be broadcast over radio station WJFM.

Mrs. Owen Gwyn was elected publicity chairman for the group's project; Carolyn Freeman, music chairman and the choir committee will be composed of Doris Long, Edna Reynolds and Virginia Blackburn.

At the meeting Monday evening, the devotional service was conducted by Gwen Dickson, president. A poem, "Youth" was read by Doris Long, delegate from the Jonesville Methodist Church.

COURT ENTERS FINAL SESSION

Most of 139 Cases On Docket
Disposed of By Monday
At Dobson

UNDER JUDGE CLEMENT

Surry County Superior Court entered its final week of session Monday, with most of its 139 cases disposed.

Sentences were handed down as follows from last Tuesday through Monday:

Amos Potts, reckless driving and improper license, operating car intoxicated; not guilty in each case.

Granville Glenn, assault with deadly weapon; four years county jail.

Homer Hawks, violation of prohibition laws; costs.

John Richard Meredith, violation of prohibition laws; four months.

Dewey Marshall, violation of prohibition law; not guilty.

Hubert Payne, operating car intoxicated; not guilty.

Willis S. Stewart, reckless driving; prayer for judgment continued.

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Sleepwalker Breaks Back, Both Feet

Sleep walking proved near
fatal for John Wesley Bryan, a
prominent citizen of the Trap-
hill community.

Mr. Bryan is a patient at the Wilkes Hospital this week-end, receiving treatment for a broken back and both feet broken.

Last week he took a stroll while asleep. He walked from his bed through a second story window and landed on the lawn.

He told his wife he was dreaming that he was going through the front door and that someone was pushing him. It was the first time in his life that he had ever been known to walk while asleep.

KIWANIANS TO ELECT Officers For 1950

Election of officers for 1950 will feature this evening's meeting (Thursday), of the Elkin Kiwanis Club. The meeting will be held at the Gilvin Roth YMCA and will begin at 6:30 o'clock.

A very interesting and entertaining program was presented at last Thursday's meeting of the club by Mrs. Joy Miller Kirchner and members of the Varsouviana Club from ASTC at Boone. Mrs. Kirchner made a very excellent talk on folk dancing and the dancers were perfect in dancing technique.

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YADKIN MAN SHOOTS SELF

A. C. Wood, 28, Dies of Self-
Inflicted Gunshot Wound
Friday Afternoon

FUNERAL HELD SUNDAY

Alvin C. Wood, 28, died Friday afternoon at the home of Rob Creed, near Smithtown, East Bend Route 1, as the result of a shotgun blast just under the heart, fired by his own hand, according to a verdict reached by Coroner Jake Brown and county officers who investigated. He used a 12-gauge single barrel shotgun, and pulled the trigger with a small heel of a lady's slipper.

Wood, who lived at Fairview, just north of Crutchfield, had been visiting at the Creed home a few days, since returning from Canada where he went to help cure the tobacco crop. Officers here stated he had apparently been drinking several days.

While in a room of the Creed home he told his wife he was going to kill himself, and she ran for help. While she was out she heard the gun and found him dead on the floor. He was married to Miss Verna Sizemore, a daughter of Rev. Harley Sizemore of that section.

Survivors include the widow; his mother, Mrs. J. R. Wood of Dobson; two brothers, Howard of Dobson and Omer of Winston-Salem, and one sister, Mrs. Paul Smitherman of East Bend.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at Fairview Baptist Church with Rev. T. S. Draughan in charge, and burial was in the church cemetery.

TREE SEEDLINGS TO BE DONATED

15,000 Plants To Be Distributed
To 4-H Club Members
And F.F.A. Boys

FOR MEMBERS OF SURRY

Surry County will get about 15,000 tree seedlings to be distributed to 4-H Club members and F.F.A. boys, it was announced this week by County Agent Neill M. Smith.

Mr. Smith explained that the North Carolina Pulp Company of Plymouth and the Champion Paper and Fibre Company of Canton have made available 1,500,000 tree seedlings to be distributed to members over North Carolina. He pointed out that the distribution was being made with an eye toward the possible future shortage of timber products and increasing demand for them.

It is important that applications be filled out with either the county agent or one of his assistants in case of 4-H members, F.F.A. members should file applications with agriculture teachers.

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