

R. F. D. Carriers From Here Will Not Leave Until 11 A. M. Now

Change in Hour of Departure from 9:30 Until 11 Will Allow Carriers to Distribute Mail Coming in on Morning Train.

County Commissioners Will Meet On July 5

Regular Monthly Meeting of Board Will Be Held Tuesday of Next Week Instead of Monday—County Pension Board Will Meet Same Day.

Tax Valuations Will Be Considered After Next Week

The county commissioners will hold their next regular meeting on Tuesday of next week, July 5, instead of the first Monday, which falls on July 4, when business will be practically suspended at the court house as well as among the business houses of Lumberton.

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Kiwanis Club Will Ask That Tar Heel Road Be Improved

At the regular weekly luncheon meeting of the Lumberton Kiwanis club at the Lorraine Tuesday night the condition of the road from Lumberton to Tar Heel was discussed.

County Boards Meet July 5

All county boards, including the board of county commissioners, about which there appears an item elsewhere in the board of education and the road board will meet next on Tuesday, July 5, instead of Monday, July 4.

ANNOUNCING The installation of a new Sandwich toaster. Now for that tired, all gone feeling a hot toasted, tasty sandwich of your own choice.

Byrd Expects To Sight Land This Afternoon

Sent Message Shortly After Noon Today That He Expected to Sight Land Within Hour and That Crew Was Feeling Fine After Strenuous Trip.

Byrd's Flight Across Atlantic To France Is Scientific Adventure

Conducting Technical Experiments Which Promise to Aid Advancement of Commercial Flying.

New York, June 29.—(AP)—Richard E. Byrd's flying test tube, the monoplane America, was on its way to France tonight on the first scientific adventure in non-stop ocean flight.

The America was south of the Newfoundland coast at 2:55 o'clock, Eastern daylight time, this afternoon, nine hours and 31 minutes after leaving Roosevelt Field at 5:24 this morning.

Reports on her speed were conflicting. The Associated Press log showed nearly 100 miles an hour. The flight over Nova Scotia was covered in one hour better time than that made by Charles A. Lindbergh, in the Spirit of St. Louis.

The scientist-aviators who manned the America were conducting, as they flew, technical experiments which promised to aid the advancement of commercial flying in the days to come and as they experimented, radioed to their friends ashore their progress, observations and greetings— an accomplishment in itself new to oceanic aviation.

That others may fly in safety later on, Byrd and his three companions faced the dangers of uncharted winds to wrest the secrets of the elements out of the region where storms are brewed.

The purpose of the flight, over an air trail already blazed by two planes formerly interested in speed and distance, was the study of atmospheric conditions over the ocean at different altitudes.

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MR. ELI BRYANT OF BARNESVILLE PASSES.

End Came While in Act of Consulting Physician. According to Report Brought Here—Funeral and Interment in South Carolina.

9 MEN INJURED AT WHITEVILLE BY COLLAPSE OF STEEL STRUCTURE

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Cotton Market

Middling cotton is selling on the local market today at 15 1-2 cents the pound.

WILL CLOSE JULY 4

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SHIPPING ROASTING EARS BY THE CAR LOAD.

The Green Valley Dairy farm shipped Tuesday a car load of roasting ears to Pittsburgh, this being the first such shipment ever made from Lumberton, it is believed. Mr. E. L. Hamilton, manager of the farm, says that he will ship four or five more cars and that the market calls for a car daily if he had them to ship.

BRIEF NEWS.

Miss Eva McLean of Red Springs has been commissioned a notary public by Governor McLean.

Lamb and kid will be offered on the curb market Saturday, July 2, it has been announced.

Mr. A. E. White has purchased the Townsend hotel in Elizabethton from Mr. L. C. Townsend. The deal was closed Monday.

Miss Flora Lee Carl requests all who expect to attend the short course in Raleigh to meet at the court house not later than 9 o'clock, Monday morning July 4th.

On July 1, a law will go into effect requiring all vehicles to carry a light at night. A person riding horseback will be considered a vehicle just the same as a person riding in a wagon or buggy and will have to carry a light.

J. J. Thompson, well-known colored man of the Marietta section, who was in Lumberton Wednesday says that his people are planning a big celebration for the Fourth of July.

Mr. Herbert Mercer reports cotton blossoms open on his farm in Howellsville township June 27. Mr. Mercer and Mr. Clifton Allen were visitors in town this morning.

Dr. H. M. Baker will conduct the revival service at Bethel Baptist church tonight and special music will be rendered. A large crowd is expected.

Judge and Mrs. L. R. Varner and daughter, Miss Lily Snead, returned this morning from Baltimore, Md., where several days ago Miss Lily Snead underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. T. C. Boswell, Cerro Gordo correspondent of The Robesonian, and Mrs. Boswell were Lumberton visitors this morning. Mr. Boswell was one of the biggest buyers of automobile license plates at the local branch of the Carolina Motor club, returning to Columbus county with 10.

The Lumberton branch of the Carolina Motor club which is in charge of the sale of automobile license tags has been doing a rushing business during the last few days. The garage of Mr. W. O. Thompson, local Buick dealer, has been crowded with applicants seeking the new license plates.

The lights in the local postoffice are not sufficient and one cannot see the combination to his box, is the complaining made by a prominent Lumberton citizen, who has asked the postoffice authorities to put some lights in the place," this man said.

Everybody is invited to attend the program which will be given at East Lumberton school auditorium Friday and Saturday nights, July 1 and 2, at 8 o'clock, by the Young Ladies' Aid society of East Lumberton Baptist church, with Miss Euphemia Tyson as leader. The admission will be 25 and 35 cents and will go to help pay for the new Baptist church building.

The program will consist of an operetta, tableaux, choruses, duets, etc. Miss Flora Lee Carl, home demonstration agent for Robeson county, is expected home Saturday from a hospital in Charlotte, where she underwent an operation Sunday. It was her original intention to return to Lumberton Wednesday, but she was hardly able to come home at that time and would have had to return to Charlotte Saturday for treatment. She is getting along nicely.

Miss Ruby Morrison of Maxton, formerly a correspondent to The Robesonian from that place, has accepted a position in the law office of Mr. George L. Grantham of Fairmont. Miss Morrison, Miss Sue McNair and Mr. H. C. McNair Jr. of Maxton were Lumberton visitors yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sharpe and son, Master Jack Sharpe Jr., and Miss Josephine Breece went yesterday to Myrtle Beach, S. C., in response to a message advising that Miss Courtney Sharpe, who is there with a party from Lumberton, was ill. They found Miss Courtney's condition somewhat improved but she was too ill to stand the trip home and Mrs. Sharpe remained with her. Miss Breece, Mr. Sharpe and Master Jack returning to Lumberton last evening. Mr. Sharpe and son, Master Jack and Albert, have gone to the beach this afternoon and will return tomorrow if Miss Courtney's condition is sufficiently improved.

DR. WILLIAM W. PARKER Optometrist—Eye Specialist BETTER SERVICE based on thorough college and university preparation, Office—Over Post Office

109 YEARS OLD



MISS MANTHA PRICE, 109 years old, oldest woman in Robeson county. She was born near Lake View, in South Carolina, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billie Price, later moving to the Oak Dale section, near Marietta. She was never married. She has been an inmate at the county home for several years. Her mind is now about all gone, and she can tell very little of her past life.

RURAL POLICEMAN C. A. COX GETS 5 STILLS THIS MONTH

3 Convictions and 2 More Operators Will Be Tried Saturday—Still in Wood Pile Is of Unique Construction.

Rural Policeman C. A. Cox of Rowland has captured 5 stills this month, has convicted 3 men in connection with the raids and will try 2 others who are now out under bond in Rowland recorder's court Saturday.

The best copper still he has ever seen was captured by Mr. Cox a few days ago on the W. H. McLellan estate. The operators ran, but one left his coat with a postcard in it addressed to him and a tobacco drag was traced to his house, both of which led to his arrest. The other was arrested after he was tracked to his house. The men are John Young, Indian, and Albert Suttany, colored.

A unique outfit was captured in the woodpile of Ernest Brumles on Mr. C. A. Eden's land a few days ago. Mr. Cox had a search-warrant for the premises and Brumles brought out a small amount of whiskey, which, he declared, was all he had in the house. The rural policeman was attracted to the woodpile by an old sack he saw lying there, and with Brumles' aid began clearing away the wood. Down beneath it all and in a hole approximately 3 1/2 by 7 feet and 4 feet deep was found a well-equipped copper outfit which had been in use for some time. Brumles had a smoke stack so constructed that it came up under his wash pot, and it appeared to people who passed by that it had a fire under the pot.

Another recent capture was on Mr. John Crawford's place, and two negroes were convicted on charges growing out of the raid.

LITTLE EVANGELISTIC PARTY BEGINS MEETING HERE TUESDAY, JULY 5

2-Weeks Revival Under Tent Will Be Conducted by Evangelist and Mrs. James B. Little and Others.

A 2-weeks revival will be conducted in Lumberton beginning Tuesday evening, July 5, by Evangelist and Mrs. James B. Little of Parland, S. C., and Misses Huetokah, Alice and Suddie Belle Palmer of Linwood.

These meetings will be conducted under their own gospel tent which will be pitched on the K. C. Lawrence lot near the Lumberton high school building, which is the same lot on which the Stephens tabernacle was located.

The evangelist and his tent man are already in town, and Mr. Little states that part of the tent is already here, but part of it has been delayed, and since it is being shipped from Dalton, Ga., there is some probability that it will not be ready by Tuesday evening.

Every effort possible will be made to have everything up and going at the appointed time, however.

Mrs. H. G. Mitchell went Tuesday to Fayetteville, where she will enter the Pittman hospital for treatment. Mrs. Mitchell's husband, a sister, Mrs. Fred Griffin, and Mrs. M. B. Cockeyman accompanied her to Fayetteville and returned Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. A. L. McDaniel of Wilmington spent the week-end with his family. Misses Aradel Byrne and Margaret Stotts students at Miss Hardberger's school in Raleigh spent the week-end in the city. A brother of Miss Byrne, Mr. Carson Byrne, accompanied them as far as Fayetteville but owing to an accident was unable to come over Saturday night. Mr. Clifford Stubbs went over to Fayetteville for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Henly and daughter, Miss Sadie, of Rowland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gray Henly.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Butler of near Dillon spent Saturday night with Mr. Butler's sister and mother, Mes-

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