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## Lovefeast Urged For New City Council EXPECT BEER STAMPEDE HERE MAY 1

### Ask United Front For The Future

#### 5 Strong Men Are Nominated

Holmes, Davis, Hedrick, Raney, McCannless Led Ticket

General Municipal Election Will Be Tuesday, May Second

U. Ray Miller Ran Sixth High In Primary

Looking to the best interests of the city, numerous citizens, following closely on the heels of the Democratic primary Monday, have expressed themselves as anticipating 100 per cent cooperation and harmonious action by and between the newly nominated council.

Declaring that all differences of opinions and controversies that might have existed in the past, should be placed in the discard and a united council should tackle the problems of the city in the future, one merchant urged the nominees to hold a "get-together" executive session and begin the new administration and fiscal year with a united front. Others expressed similar opinions.

The general municipal election will be held Tuesday, May 2. The nominees selected in the primary Monday are unopposed and the election Tuesday is considered more or less a matter of form. No opposition is anticipated.

Approximately 3,000 votes were cast Monday. Holmes, Davis, Hedrick, Raney and McCannless were nominated. U. Ray Miller ran sixth.

The vote follows:

Barker	610
Carter	666
Davis	1380
Hartman	231
Hedrick	1186
Hennessee	449
Herrington	443
Holmes	1468
Ingle	369
Jordan	79
Marsh	638
Martin	543
McCannless	887
Miller	698
Murdoch	446
Raney	1158
Rouzer	491
Rusher	340
Shaver	690
Taylor	306
Vogler	259

### Nine Months Term For East Spencer Schools

A nine months school term is assured the town of East Spencer, according to an announcement this week by Dr. T. W. Seay, chairman of the board.

This long term has been made possible, it is stated, by the full cooperation of the school board and the board of aldermen.

It is believed the East Spencer schools will be the only ones in the county to complete nine months this year.

**JIG SAW PUZZLES STOLEN**  
Kansas City.—Thieves stole 144 jig saw puzzles from an automobile belonging to Blanche Bullock, sales agent, here.

### NEWS BRIEFS

#### LIQUOR SMUGGLER CAUGHT

S. L. Stark, of Pittsburgh, Pa., is held in Wake county jail, as the alleged leader of a gang smuggling liquor into many Carolina towns. Stark is said to have recently jumped a \$10,000 bond at Florence, S. C., and also to be wanted in Wilmington in connection with smuggled liquor seized there recently.

#### COPS WATCH THIS SUICIDE

While two Raleigh policemen looked on powerless to stop the sudden action, S. F. Hoverstock fired a pistol ball through his head and died a few minutes later. His wife had called the officers after a domestic row. When he saw the police he at once fired the suicidal shot.

#### LONG AMBASSADOR TO ITALY

President Roosevelt has named Breckinridge Long, of Missouri, as United States ambassador to Italy. He was assistant secretary of state in the Wilson administration. Sumner Welles, of Maryland, was named as ambassador to Cuba. He had only recently been made assistant secretary of state.

#### \$900,000,000 IN GOLD HOARDS

It is estimated that \$900,000,000 in gold and gold certificates is still being hoarded in the United States although some \$50,000,000 per week is being returned. By presidential order all gold and certificates must be deposited with the government by May 1.

#### DIES IN CAR COLLISION

Two cars were in head-on collision a mile west of Cherryville. J. Walter Lindsey, 36, of Bostic, was instantly killed and seven men were injured, one critically.

#### SLAYS NEIGHBORS AND SELF

Apparently deranged over an old dispute about a farm boundary, C. Z. Putnam, 66, of near Lincoln-ton, grabbed his shotgun, went to a neighbor's house and there slew Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dellinger, returned home to get his pistol and with it blew out his own brains in a woodland near his home.

#### DROWNS IN AUTOMOBILE

Jess Wilkes, of near Maxton, was trapped in his car when it left a bridge over Lumber river near Pembroke last week and landed in deep water. A passenger swam out of an open window to safety but Wilkes was drowned.

#### 25 YEARS FOR MURDER

Clem Collins' plea of second degree murder was accepted in Anson county Superior court last week and Collins was sentenced to 25 years in state's prison for the unprovoked killing of Martin Dawkins, his brother-in-law, early in February.

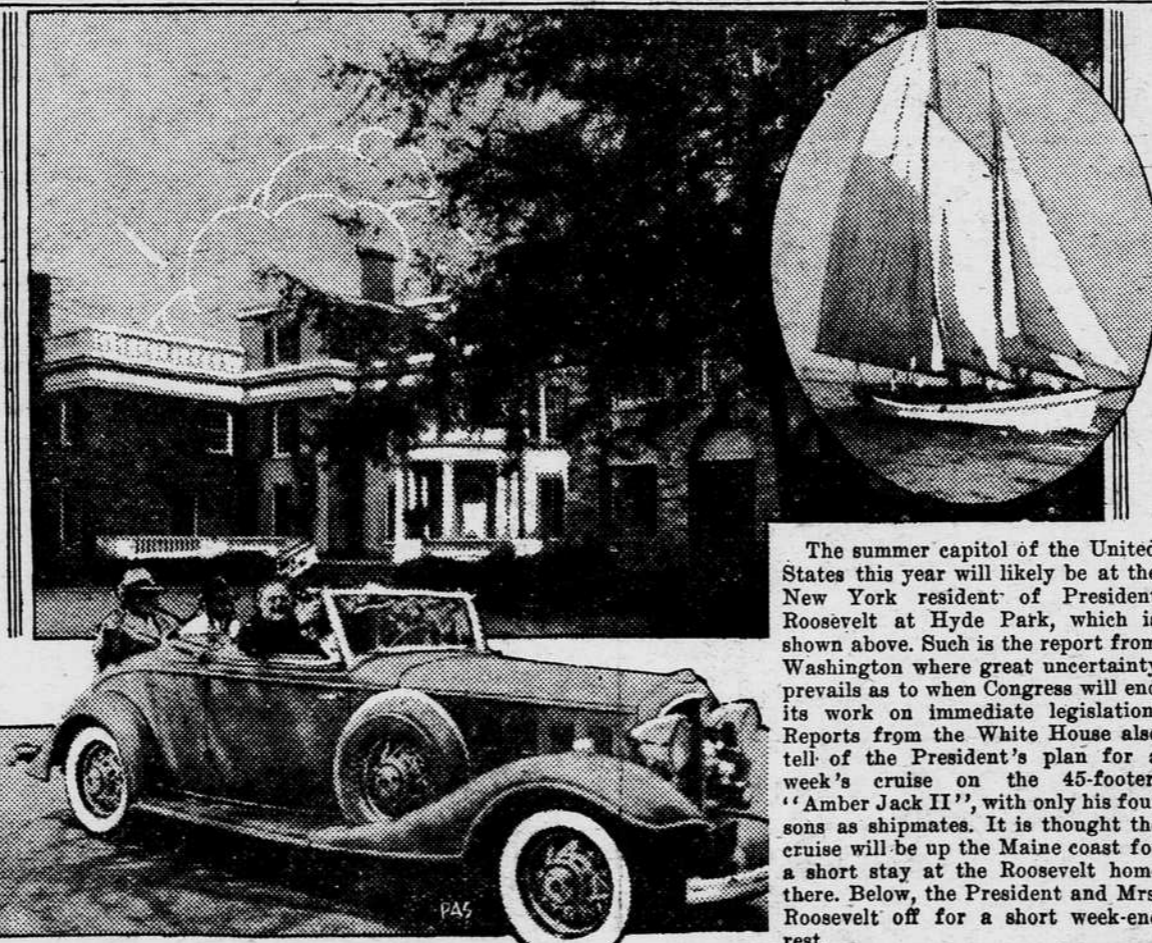
#### AIRSHIP MACON IS TESTED

The Macon, world's largest dirigible and sister to the ill-fated Akron, went on a 13-hour test flight from Akron, Ohio, and met preliminary requirement of naval authorities in convincing fashion.

#### SHOOT'S WIFE AND SELF

Mrs. J. L. Leonard returned to her Rocky Mount home from a trip to Baltimore. She was met at the door by her husband who accused her of traveling with another man, fired two shots into her body, and walked into the yard and killed himself with a bullet through the brain. She is given a scant chance to recover.

### Hyde Park Favored As The Summer Capitol



The summer capitol of the United States this year will likely be at the New York resident of President Roosevelt at Hyde Park, which is shown above. Such is the report from Washington where great uncertainty prevails as to when Congress will end its work on immediate legislation. Reports from the White House also tell of the President's plan for a week's cruise on the 45-footer, "Amber Jack II", with only his four sons as shipmates. It is thought the cruise will be up the Maine coast for a short stay at the Roosevelt home there. Below, the President and Mrs. Roosevelt off for a short week-end rest.

## N. C. Bank & Trust Company Directors Plan New Bank

#### In Salesgirl Ranks



Anna Curtis Dall, daughter of President and Mrs. Roosevelt, joined the ranks of sales girls last week, selling frocks in a N. Y. department store for the benefit of a children's charity.

Meeting in special session in Greensboro, the directors of the North Carolina Bank and Trust company adopted "a plan for reorganizing the North Carolina Bank and Trust by organizing a new bank," President N. S. Calhoun stated at the conclusion of the meeting.

"As previously stated," Mr. Calhoun remarked, "the common stock of the new bank will be purchased by the stockholders of the old bank, and the Reconstruction Finance corporation will be asked to take the preferred stock. "Since the last meeting of the directors discussions have been conducted with the Reconstruction Finance corporation and the state commissioner of banks, and the plan adopted today by the directors of the North Carolina Bank and Trust company will now be submitted for the approval of the commissioner of banks, and when so approved, will be immediately given in detail to all depositors and stockholders."

The plan has already been tentatively approved by Gurney P. Hood, state commissioner of banks.

#### Asks Kingfish Removal



Former Governor John M. Parker, of Louisiana heads a group of his state's citizens which has filed charges with the U. S. Senate asking the removal of Senator Huey (Kingfish) Long on the grounds of personal dishonesty, corruption etc. etc.

#### CANADA QUILTS GOLD STANDARD

Canada, the last important unit of the British empire to remain technically on the gold standard, April 24th, announced that it had "halted" the redemption of Dominion notes in gold.

## Seventy-One Seek Beer Licenses In Rowan County

Seventy-one formal applications for county license to retail beer and light wines had been filed with W. D. Kizziah, clerk for the board of county commissioners late Thursday, and the licenses are expected to be granted before May 1 when the sale becomes legal in North Carolina.

The list of applications follows:

- Salisbury
- J. S. Webster, Lunch Room; Pay Cash Grocery Company; Yadkin Soda Shop; L. A. Plyler, Filling Station; T. D. Green; Mike Thomas; Yadkin Hotel; Glover's Dutch Lunch; Sanitary Lunch; Nick P. Nicholas; Empire Hotel Coffee Shoppe; College Inn.

- New York Hotel and Cafe; Tom Vreneco, Cafe; Piedmont Cafe; The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company; Dry's Cash Market; G. Murray Smith Sandwich Shop; Pete Boulos; Five Point Cafe; K. George, Sandwich Shop and Cafe; Gus Erneston, Cafe; Poole Cigar Store; Bi-tha-Way Barbecue Stand; The Smoke Shop; Brookdale Golf Course; Tom Nassar's Place; Charles Lentz; Jack's Sandwich Shop; J. S. Blackwelder, Restaurant; Union Confectionary; Saleby Candy Company; Meadow Park; W. F. Coughenour, Lunch

- Stand; Ketter's Cash Market; Pender's Store No. 214; Pender's Store No. 181; H. K. Kopley, Barbecue and Cafe; Milford Service Station, No. 10 Highway; A. H. Peeler, Route No. 80; B. C. Sowers, Salisbury-China Grove Highway; Elliott's Store, Old Mocksville Road; R. M. Hall, Lunch Room, Highway No. 15; E. L. Lowery Grocery Co. Dix-onville; Spencer; The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company; Lee Ketchie, E. Spencer.

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### GOOD MORNING

#### RULES OF CONDUCT FOR DEFEATED CANDIDATES

1. As soon as you learn that the citizens have decided that they'd rather have the affairs of the town looked after by some of the other candidates, call up the florist and tell him to send around one of his prettiest corsages for the wife. Give the children a dollar apiece, and tell them that their old Dad never took any loss with a long face and with tightening fingers on his pocketbook.

2. Call up a brewer in one of the brewing states and tell him to ship down five barrels of beer on May 1st. Then go to bed and dream about the beer. You'll feel better by morning.

3. Get up early Sunday morning, take a hot bath, shave, put on that suit of clothes you had cleaned and pressed earlier in the week when you knew you would be elected, and go to church.

4. Write a check for your church pledge for the entire year and put it in the plate.

5. When your friends tell you they are certainly sorry you weren't elected, ask them point blank if they voted for you. Watch their faces and you'll know why you were defeated.

6. When your acquaintances begin to express sympathy, tell them that the people are not interested in electing men who are real executives, and for that reason you came out at the small end of the horn.

7. Keep smiling.

"The doctor told my wife she must take exercise," Simpson told his friend. "And is she following his advice?" asked the friend. Simpson grimaced. "Yes, if jumping to conclusions and running up bills can be called exercise."

Hubby—Did you have a pleasant day?

Wife—No. Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Brown both came—and then they left together. I had a lot of things I wanted to tell Mrs. Smith about Mrs. Brown and a lot of more I wanted to tell Mrs. Brown about Mrs. Smith—and of course I couldn't say a word.

A man was praising his wife, as all men ought to do on the proper occasions. "She's as womanly a woman as ever was," he said. "But she can hammer nails like lightning."

"That's remarkable," said a listener. "Yes, sir," said the first speaker, "you know lightning never strikes twice in the same place."

A Chicago man phoned to a theatre and asked: "Can you reserve me a box for two?"

A puzzled answer came back from the other end of the line: "We don't have any boxes for two."

"Isn't this the theatre?" he asked crossly.

"Why, no," responded the one: "You are talking to an undertaker."

Boston Man—I understand the two candidates carried on quite an epistolary bombardment.

Westerner—No, they didn't use no pistols; they just write letters back and forth.

"This deaf man was brought up for trial and the judge let him off."

"Why?" "Well, the law says that you can't convict a man without a hearing."

## Midnight Carnival Expected

### Thirsty Thousands Will Drink Again

Many Places To Dispense Stuff Here

Fear Delay In Licenses May Hold Up Sales

May Establish Brewery In Salisbury

Clamoring thousands—everywhere—with money to spend and willing to spend—are anxious and expectant for the end of the dry drouth effective since 1908 and are eagerly awaiting the return of that foamy, amber, and kick-providing-legal 3.2 beverage—BEER—which will be sold in this city and county beginning at 12.01 Monday morning, May 1.

Austere business folk—men and women—tired laborers and workmen—office employees, students—the rich and the poor, whose palates have been parched for a taste of real American-made beer these long 25 years since North Carolina went dry, are expected to join in the carnival spirit and participate in the beer-drinking parties at the break of May 1.

"As good as the old stuff, if not better" is the pre-arrival dope.

A real stampede is forecast. Scores have already applied for licenses to sell the beer in Salisbury and Rowan county. It is estimated over 100 will obtain licenses to sell the beverage in the city and county.

There has also been some talk of the possibility of establishing a brewery in Salisbury in the near future. Reports to this effect, however, could not be confirmed. Many midnight parties have been planned for midnight Sunday night. As the clock ticks off 12.01, the parties will begin to click and beer will again be a legal commodity in Salisbury and Rowan county.

There will be very little 5-cent beer. Ten cents a glass of 10 ounce will be the average price paid.

With the demand for beer will also be the demand for pretzels, cheese, boned herring, olives, cav-iar, black bread and liverwurst—the general fixings that go to make a beer party "as of the days of yore." Little demand for wine is anticipated at first.

Among those selling beer and wines will be: hotels, cafes, restaurants, sandwich shops, drug stores, grocery stores, beverage makers, etc.

Much confusion exists as to the exact regulations, state and national, that will govern the sale of the new beverage; also, as to the amount of the tax to be paid to the different political subdivisions.

Fear is felt as to possible delay on account of the difficulty in obtaining definite regulations.

Licenses will be issued, it is stated, by the city, state and nation. Each will also levy a tax.

#### START COVE CREEK SURVEY

Under presidential orders army engineers have started a survey of the thousands of acres required for the Cove creek dam on the Clinch river, which is a big unit in the proposed Tennessee river valley development centering about Muscle Shoals.