

CLYDE R. HOEY WINS NOMINATION FOR GOVERNOR

30 Home Owners In Wilkes Aided Through HOLC

No Foreclosures So Far Among Those Aided by HOLC Loans

THREE BILLION LOANED To Distressed Home Owners Throughout Nation, Report Shows

More than \$3,000,000,000 has been loaned to more than a million distressed home owners in the United States since June, 1933 by the Home Owners' Loan Corporation. Of that amount \$31,394,471.12 has been loaned in North Carolina to approximately 12,500 home owners. Of the total amount loaned in North Carolina \$80,508.43 has been loaned to 30 distressed home owners in Wilkes county.

Under the Home Loan Act a fifteen year loan at five per cent was granted distressed home owners while the holders of their defaulted mortgages received HOLC bonds backed by the Federal Treasury.

The work of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation has shifted from "lending" to "collecting" and the job is far from being completed, but the State Manager of this Agency reports that there has been no foreclosure out of the 30 loans made in Wilkes county. There have been some defaults by home owners in every part of the country and foreclosures have been started. However, officials state that collections have been unusually good over the entire country and that the percentage of delinquent accounts is relatively low and chiefly by "misguided" persons. Only 111 foreclosures have been made on HOLC loans in North Carolina as of June 30, 1934.

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Brewer Is Sent Back to Prison

Reported That Relatives Carried Escapee Back to Moore Prison Camp

Ulus Brewer, convicted last year in Wilkes court and sentenced to several years in prison for breaking and entering a number of establishments in Roaring River, escaped from the prison camp in Moore county on June 26 and it was reported here today that his relatives in Wilkes had carried him back to the camp.

Brewer was sentenced along with two others in the fall term of Wilkes court. Details of his return to camp could not be learned this morning but it was reported that his relatives had attended to his return to serve the remainder of his sentence.

PRECINCTS IN WILKES COUNTY—VOTE STATE OFFICES JULY 4TH

PRECINCTS	Hoey	McDonald	Horton	Grady	Eure	Wade
Antioch	67	10	67	4	60	8
Boomer	113	53	108	35	109	32
Beaver Creek	55	38	71	14	71	11
Brushy Mountain	65	65	101	16	109	14
Edwards No. 1	88	24	67	26	64	31
Edwards No. 2	95	17	103	5	99	8
Edwards No. 3	114	29	101	30	104	29
Elk No. 1	126	50	163	8	157	15
Elk No. 2	91	16	100	0	93	7
Jobs Cabin No. 1	62	4	62	4	57	9
Jobs Cabin No. 2	34	27	48	11	47	13
Lewis Fork	111	22	100	22	101	10
Lovelace	44	13	56	1	53	4
Moravian Falls	87	112	137	38	66	111
Mulberry No. 1	64	3	59	6	21	45
Mulberry No. 2	111	33	115	25	115	18
Newcastle	99	18	92	16	82	26
North Wilkesboro	712	271	760	77	580	890
Reddies River	195	140	213	77	228	59
Rock Creek	145	19	153	18	35	187
Somers	19	51	64	4	64	5
Stanton	123	34	119	23	123	17
Traphill No. 1	47	7	32	12	30	13
Traphill No. 2	26	12	31	6	29	8
Union	188	8	191	0	189	2
Walnut Grove No. 1	53	11	43	12	41	13
Wilkesboro No. 1	121	176	152	113	167	60
Wilkesboro No. 2	55	14	63	5	58	30
TOTALS	3181	1277	3361	608	2789	1262

Walnut Grove No. 2 not included in table.

WINNER IN 2ND PRIMARY



A characteristic photograph of Clyde R. Hoey, who was nominated for governor on the Democratic ticket Saturday in the run-off primary. His majority over Dr. Ralph W. McDonald was 1,692 votes.

Wilkes County Council Social Agencies Planning Many Major Civic Activities For the Year

Changes Made In Attorneys' Offices

Hackett Moves To Wilkesboro; Jennings Has Former Hackett Office Here

On Thursday changes were made in law offices of two Wilkes attorneys. Attorney F. D. Hackett moved his office from the Duncan building on Ninth street to the newly erected Ferguson building in Wilkesboro.

Attorney R. C. Jennings moved his office from the Taylor building on Ninth street to the office from which Attorney Hackett moved.

Slays Father-in-Law

Silas Wright, 22, is being held in jail at Hendersonville, charged with slaying his father-in-law, R. V. Melton, 55, following an argument Saturday night.

Public Library One of Foremost Projects; Also Recreation Park

The Wilkes County Council of Social Agencies, a central civic organization formed for the purpose of coordinating effort among various organizations and institutions, is planning a number of major activities, which were discussed in the July meeting held Friday night at the home of Mrs. W. R. Absher, chairman.

One of the major activities on which the council and allied organizations is now formulating plans is the establishment of a public library. The library committee of the council is expected to report progress on this project within a short time. Mrs. J. C. Reins, who was joint hostess to the council Friday night, heads the library committee.

A municipal playground for North Wilkesboro, recognized as sorely needed for a number of years, is the major project to be undertaken and several plans are now being given the once-over by the recreation committee headed by A. F. Kilby.

The meeting Friday night, second in the active history of the council, was well attended by representatives of 25 civic, welfare and public institutions. Quite much interest was shown in the discussion of needed projects.

A feature of the meeting Friday night was a lecture by W. D. Halfacre, superintendent of the city schools, on "Character Education" and was a first of a series which will feature the meetings of the council for the next several months. "Some Basic Concepts of Character" was his topic and the lecture was of a very high order and was deemed to be an inspiring message.

Mrs. Absher, chairman, named the following committees, which will play important parts in the program of the council in its various fields of endeavor: Program—T. E. Story, chairman, Miss Ila Holman and C. B. Eller.

Membership—Mrs. F. C. Forrester, chairman, Mrs. E. S. Call and Mrs. Dudley Hill.

Hospitality—Miss Toby Taylor, chairman, Mrs. Julius C. Hubbard and Mrs. A. F. Kilby. Publicity—Dwight Nichols, chairman, W. D. Halfacre, Rev. (Continued on page eight)

Company A of 105th Engineers In Summer Camp

Entrained Here Saturday for Two Weeks at Fort Moultrie

WILL RETURN JULY 19 Will Spend Time in Special Field Drills and General Training

Company A, of 105th engineers of the North Carolina national guard, entrained here Saturday afternoon for Fort Moultrie, S. C., where the company will engage in summer camp for two weeks.

This is the annual encampment for the company here and the two weeks will be consumed with a planned program of field training and recreation at Fort Moultrie, which is located near Charleston, S. C.

The company will have its full quota of 64 men, who are well trained in military tactics but who are expected to broaden their scope of training while in camp.

The commanding officers are Captain Ralph R. Reins, First Lieutenant E. P. Robinson, Second Lieutenant W. G. Staley, First Sergeant A. T. Lott and Staff Sergeant J. V. Billings.

The company will return to North Wilkesboro on Sunday, July 19.

WPA Recreation Projects Sets Up Art Center Here

Mrs. Ruby Pendley Will Give Art Lessons Free at Center Here

As a part of the Works Progress administration recreational project in Wilkes county an art center has been established in this city and the instructor, Mrs. Ruby Pendley, will begin tomorrow to give painting lessons free to any and all who desire such a course.

Mrs. Pendley has been in charge of the art division of the recreation project for some time and has given lessons in several communities. With the establishment of the art center in this city it can be expected that the scope of the work will be broadened to include more people.

The art center will be located in the small building adjacent to Reins Brothers firm and the use of the building was donated by J. C. Reins, local postmaster. Several business firms of the city donated materials for refurnishing the building into quite an attractive place and Mrs. Pendley has been working for several days to set the building in order.

The lessons in painting are to be given without charge, the cost of the instruction being paid by (Continued on page eight)

Horton and Eure Are Also Winners

EURE CHOSEN; HORTON LEADS IN CLOSE RACE



THAD EURE



W. P. HORTON

Here are pictured Thad Eure, top, who won over Stacey Wade for Democratic nomination for secretary of State in Saturday's run-off primary, and Senator W. P. Horton, below, who led Paul Grady in the race for Lieutenant governor.

Large Vote In Second Primary

Shelby Attorney Carries 66 of 100 Counties in State, McDonald 34

HORTON'S LEAD SLIM

Leads Grady by About 8,000; Thad Eure Wins Decisive Victory

Clyde R. Hoey, champion of the present and preceding state administrations, today clung to a better than 50,000 majority over Dr. Ralph W. McDonald, critic of the administration, as late returns were received from Saturday's run-off Democratic primary for governor.

Reports from 1,739 of 1,859 precincts gave the 58-year-old Shelby lawyer, brother-in-law of former Gov. O. Max Gardner, 260,522 votes. The same precincts showed for McDonald, 32-year-old political neophyte and bitter foe of the state sales tax, 208,267 votes.

Grady Is Trailing

Paul Grady, of Kenly, speaker pro tem of the senate, was trailing his fellow senator, Wilkins P. Horton, of Pittsboro, by around 8,000 votes for Lieutenant governor as 1,692 precincts were recorded.

The vote stood: Horton, 206,739; Grady 198,456.

In the race for secretary of state, the only other contest not held here, Dr. Ralph W. McDonald, clerk of the North Carolina house of representatives, piled up a commanding lead over the incumbent, Stacey W. Wade.

With 1,696 precincts tabulated, the vote was: Eure 222,242; Wade 183,395.

Neither Hoey nor McDonald had made a formal statement early tonight, but the winner, surrounded by his family and friends at his Shelby home, admitted to a questioner: "Of course, I'm highly pleased."

McDonald Gets 34 Counties

The incomplete returns showed McDonald leading in 34 of the state's 100 counties, all of them in the east except his native county, Forsyth and nearby Alleghany.

In the first primary, he ran only about 4,000 votes behind Hoey, with two other candidates in the race, Lieut. Gov. A. H. Graham and John A. McRee, Charlotte lawyer.

Hoey, hailed by his fellow townsmen as "governor" taught his Methodist Sunday school class at Shelby as usual. In the last 15 years he has missed this task only a few times, and although he made 90 speeches before the first primary, he was absent from his class on only one weekend.

From all parts of the state congratulatory messages showered upon him. So frequent were the telephone calls that an extension telephone was placed near the family table at luncheon today, and Hoey had to interrupt his eating almost continuously to converse with phone-callers.

Election Is Assured

Democratic nomination for a state office has been tantamount to election in North Carolina since the beginning of the century.

Hoey, picturesque figure with flowing gray locks and invariably dressed in cutaway coat with a red loutoniere matching a red necktie, served in Congress about 20 years ago. He retired voluntarily and had not again sought office until he announced for the governorship a few months ago. In every campaign, however, he was an active worker for the party.

Frog Food Bets Mayor

Ottawa, July 8.—Mayor Stanley Lewis got a package of fly-paper covered with flies in his mail today. Hard Irene, widow of Ericson, Tenn., who sent the parcel, wrote Mayor Lewis she had read a news-story about getting a barrel full of flies and wondered if he would like to see the flies to see

News Of State-Nation Told Briefly

Gov. E. B. Waide, Jr., of North Carolina, today declared he wanted to go to Washington "to protect the nation."

3 Murderers Paroled
Raleigh, July 4.—Three murderers, two of them sick men, got paroles Friday from Governor Ehringhaus. Twelve other prisoners also were freed. Clemency was denied to 44 petitioners.

Shoots Her Husband
Henderson, July 4.—Ruby Henderson, about 40, was shot in jail here without bond for the fatal shooting last night of her estranged husband, James Henderson, 33, in Stokes' cafe, opposite the woman's home, in North Henderson.

30 Are Poisoned
Manchester, N. H., July 5.—At least 30 persons were stricken with what doctors said was typhoid poisoning after attending a dinner meeting of Jehovah's Witnesses here tonight. Doctors said no one was seriously ill.

Landon Back Home
Topeka, Kans., July 5.—Tanned by sun and wind, Gov. Alf M. Landon came back from his Colorado vacation today to tackle a special legislative session on social security—and after that his campaign for the Presidency.

Tammany Praised F. D. I.
New York, July 4.—The Tammany wigwam, an anti-Roosevelt stronghold four years ago, today recounted with praise of the new deal as the society of Tammany celebrated its 150th anniversary. If Tammany still is cool toward President Roosevelt, as some observers have said, there was no evidence of it today.

Pray For Rain In Nebraska
Lincoln, Neb., July 5.—Thousands of Nebraska Catholics prayed today for rain for their drought-stricken state. As their prayers were answered, a special mass was held in special masses they hurriedly supplicated for relief from conditions which two of their bishops had officially recognized as "a most acute problem."

Killed In Plane
Manteo, July 5.—G. Hope Tomkin, 36-year-old Norfolk, Va., flier, was killed and two companions seriously injured in the crash of their privately-owned airplane at Nags Head today. Dick Sawyer, 26, of East Lake, was so severely hurt that physicians said he had no chance to recover.

Drought Farmers On WPA
Bismarck, N. D., July 5.—Thousands of farmers in the fertile northwest abandoned drought ruined fields tonight and turned to WPA jobs for a livelihood. While a scorching sun seared away all hope for drenching rains for at least three more days, hands that should have been harvesting reached for picks and shovels.

Drought Relief Planned
Washington, July 5.—Government relief officials prepared today to lay before President Roosevelt tomorrow or Tuesday a detailed report of the serious midwestern drought and measures they are ready to take to aid farmers. Out of this conference, it was indicated, will come a comprehensive Federal program for drought relief, co-ordinating the activities of all Federal agencies.

Good Swimmer at 72
High Point, July 4.—Three score years and 12 didn't cramp the style of J. H. Iddings, of Pomona, Greensboro, today in celebrating his 72nd birthday at the city lake. Mr. Iddings demonstrated his youthfulness by diving off a spring board and swimming across the lake twice, a distance of 50 yards, to the delight of his son, C. E. Iddings, of San Francisco, Calif., and the amusement of the crowd watching the performance.

Shoens In Lake James
Morganton, July 5.—The body of Alvin Whitaker, 30, of Belmont, was recovered at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon from the waters of Lake James near here after a twenty-four hour search following his death by drowning yesterday. Whitaker who could swim was walking in shallow water near the bank when he slipped off into deep water, and his body was recovered by the search party.