

NEWS CONDENSED OF State and Nation

STATE RECEIVES WORK FUND

Washington, D. C., July 17.—President Roosevelt allotted \$5,263,995 of work relief funds to the coast guard for 51 new patrol boats...

PARALYSIS IS ON DECLINE IN NORTH CAROLINA

Raleigh, July 17.—The latest reports of infantile paralysis cases in the state of North Carolina sets the total number of cases at 388.

Two Asheboro Men Form Partnership For New Business

Announcement is made this week that two Asheboro business men have formed a partnership and will open a new market on Depot street.

Walter Betts, who for many years has been a successful meat cutter, will with A. E. Gresson cut meats and wait on the public in this new place of business...

The equipment for the new market is entirely modern and sanitary. The counters and refrigeration equipment are of the latest types...

While the exact date for opening has not been announced, it is now the plan to open sometime during the last week in July.

HENRY JONES RETURNS NORTHERN MARKETS

Henry Jones has recently returned from a trip to New York and Philadelphia where he purchased additional stock for the eight Jones stores.

Opens New Station

A new Gulf service station has opened this week on West Salisbury street, near Bossong hosiery mill.

Baptist Churches To Hold Revivals During July In This County

During the week of July 21 to 27 more than twenty Baptist churches of the Randolph County Association will hold a Sunday school revival.

Perry Morgan, State Secretary of our Sunday school department has provided teachers for all of the churches. They will reach Asheboro on Saturday 20th by three o'clock...

Each church will have its delegation at this service and will be prepared to take the visitor back with them who will conduct the revival in the church on the following week.

Ramseur Singing Convention Draws Big Crowd Sunday

Route 64, Between Asheboro And Ramseur, Is Being Repaired This Week.

Detour Confusing

Woman's Missionary Society Of Ramseur Baptist Church Meets With Mrs. Brown.

Ramseur, July 17.—A squad of workers have been repairing route U. S. number 64 the past week, greatly improving the surface of this road.

Another correction that certainly should not be postponed another day is more sensible marking of the junction at Ramseur of U. S. route 64 and N. C. 64.

Randolph Superior Court Proceeds In Efficient Fashion

Two Weeks Term For Trial Of Civil Cases Makes Satisfactory Progress.

Considerable time was consumed on Monday, the opening day of Randolph county Superior court, with divorce cases. Judge John Clement, of Winston-Salem, presiding over the docket, for this two weeks term for the trial of civil cases...

The civil cases involved in this term of court are fairly uniform in importance as to property involved. There are none slated involving large sums of money or property value.

Plans Now Completed For Big Outdoor Amusement In Asheboro During Next Week

Plans for the Firemen's Festival to be given by the volunteer fire department of Asheboro during the week of July 22 are running along smoothly and Mr. Wilson, a veteran showman, who is in charge of the festival, states that it is going to be the cleanest and best show ever presented in this city.

As for rides there will be a Ferris wheel, a merry-go-round, a loop-the-loop, a century of progress ride and a chairplane.

As free attraction on the midway, "Daredevil" Oliver, nationally known stunt man, will dive from a tower 110 feet high into a pool with a depth of only four and one half feet.

Clarence Rush, popular fire chief, is chairman of the entertainment committee, assisted by J. L. Overman, of Asheboro. They urge everyone to come out and enjoy a big time.

Mrs. Mary Louise Hayes, widow of M. G. Hayes, died Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Valley Pugh, following a short illness.

Deaths

McAndless Tilley Funeral service was held at Neighbor's Grove church, Tuesday afternoon, for McAndless Tilley, 74, who died at his home in North Asheboro, Monday morning.

Valuable Citizen Passes Tuesday Evening Here After A Long, Useful Life

Romulus Rodolphus Ross Answers Summons After Lingering Illness.

Funeral Service At Home On Wednesday

Well Known Churchman, Politician, Leaves Enviably Record As Randolph Citizen.

Romulus Rodolphus Ross died at his home in Asheboro Tuesday evening about 7:00 o'clock. For the past two weeks his death had been anticipated despite the fact that he was conscious and rational until the last.

Mr. Ross moved to Asheboro in early manhood and has been a resident of the town since that time. He was born on November 30th, 1850 in Guilford county.

When quite a young man he was married to Miss Ellen McCulloch who was born and reared in the same community, near the Randolph-Guilford county lines.

Funeral service was held Wednesday afternoon at the Ross home, in accordance to the wishes of the deceased. Mr. Ross requested that three life-long friends and ministers conduct the service for him.

In politics, the Democratic party also relied upon Mr. Ross' judgment and assistance. He has since almost childhood been keenly interested in political matters although he has actually held few public offices.

He has also served as postmaster of Asheboro. As national committee-man and national delegates for his party, he has been a trusted servant. He was a member of the Asheboro school board for thirty-five years.

Ice Cream Supper

The ladies of the Cedar Falls Methodist Protestant church will hold an ice cream supper at O. M. Trogon's on highway 90 east of Asheboro on Saturday evening, July 20th.

Dr. Truesdale Tells Kiwanians Varied Types Human Mind

The Kiwanis club had as its guest speaker, Tuesday evening, Dr. Truesdale, pastor of the M. E. church, who discussed the different types of minds existing among our people and the causes for their variations.

The members decided to challenge the Rotary club to a game of baseball to be held at the Rotarians convenience. The committee for arrangement of a chicken dinner for the winning side announced that their plans were complete and that it would be held Tuesday evening at 6:00 o'clock, at the city pond.

A letter from the Kiwanis International headquarters, complimenting the local club on its progress, was read by the president, E. H. Morris. M. F. Trice, of Raleigh, a member of the Lions club, was introduced as the guest of Walter Yow.

Field Representative For Better Housing Work Coming To Asheboro Friday, July 19

The local Better Housing office announces that Ralph E. Hallock, field representative of the F.H.A., will be in Asheboro on Friday, July 19th to take applications for mortgage loans under the national housing act.



ROMULUS RODOLPHUS ROSS

ville. His love for horses and his interest in meeting people impelled Mr. Ross to make some of these trips personally. His stories of the Scotch Fairs held at Lumberton and of manners and customs of earlier days have been treats to many young people and explain, in part, the love of young people generally for this man.

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John Wesley Stand Will Hold Revival And Camp Meeting

At the John Wesley Stand, one of the oldest locations for a religious gathering, the annual camp meeting will be held between the dates of August 2nd and August 18th.

For thirty-two years a summer camp meeting and revival have been held by Rev. Mr. Burkhead. This time he will be assisted by Rev. Daniel G. Hodgins, of Brighton, Michigan.

The Stand is located on the famous old camp ground on the county-home-Randleman road. The place is familiar to most people in this section, but visitors will be welcome at the services of which more detailed announcement will be made later.

Mrs. Neal on Vacation Mrs. Irene Y. Neal, head case worker for Randolph county, is at Gastonia this week visiting friends. The local ERA office is not closed, however, and Miss Mary Lassiter will take care of any emergency in the absence of Mrs. Neal.

Efforts To Blow Safe Are Foiled At Franklinville

United State Postal Inspectors were called to Franklinville Sunday morning to investigate the attempted burglarizing of the Franklinville post-office safe Saturday night.

The intruders had shot nitroglycerine into a hole drilled in the safe and fired the charge, causing the outer door to be blown off. The inside door jammed and successfully resisted the explosive efforts of the intruders, who failed to get anything of value.

In a nearby store a negro was sleeping but the noise failed to arouse him. He slept until the store owner heard the blast and decided to investigate. Upon turning on the light in his store he discovered that the intruders were in the postoffice. They made a get away. The postal inspectors are making an investigation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cox spent Sunday at Farmer.

Highway 90 Is Now Under Repairs In This Neighborhood

Traffic Routed By Cedar Falls As Work Goes Forward With Good Results.

Attempted Robbery

Several Church Meetings Held; Visitors In And Out Of Community During Week.

Franklinville, July 16.—The state highway maintenance workers are now busy repairing 90 between Asheboro and Franklinville. The road is closed temporarily for patches which are being applied to the worst spots.

There was a reunion of the late George C. Cox family in honor of Fletcher H. Cox, who has been away for several years. They enjoyed a good dinner, served in the grove at the home of C. H. Julian.

Miss Lucy Buie spent the week end in the home of Charles Buie at Biscoe.

Franklinville and Coleridge ball teams played a good game on the local ground, Saturday afternoon with a score of 1 to 0 in favor of Coleridge.

P.O.S. Of A. Plans Big Meeting Sat. Eve At Siler City

The Piedmont district number one, of the P. O. S. of America, will hold quarterly meeting with Washington camp 45, at Siler City, Saturday.

Among the speakers of the one-day meet will be, Meares Harris, of Wilmington, on Club Service; Luther Hodges, of Spray, on Vocational Service; Roscoe D. McMillan, of Red Springs, on Community Service; John Weymouth, past district governor, 56th district, of Hampton, Va., on International Service. Dr. Sylvester Green, Richmond, Va., chief speaker at the inter-city dinner in the evening.

Miss Bobby Gene and Tom Truesdale, of Asheboro, will give a musical program at the dinner meeting, which will culminate the program.

Floyd Shields Conducts Sale Floyd Shields, well known sales promoter, is in Randolph county again. This time, Mr. Shields is staging a sale for Kay's department store. This is the first big clearance sale launched by this company since they opened for business in Asheboro several months ago.

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Randolph Commissioners Hold Adjourned Session Monday; Financial Meet

Notes Maturing In August Necessitate Attention Of County Board In Special Session.

Resolution Drawn & Adopted Monday

Welfare Cases Referred To Mr. Lloyd; County Road Machinery Is Transferred.

At the adjourned session of the Randolph county commissioners held Monday, July 15th considerable financial business of the county was transacted. The purpose of the meeting was to arrange to borrow some money to take care of the August first note maturities. A resolution was adopted as follows:

Whereas, there are now outstanding notes of the County of Randolph in the sum of \$40,000.00, said notes having been issued in renewal of other notes given to pay items allowed in the budget of said county for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1935, which said notes are tax anticipation notes and will become due and payable on the first day of August, 1935; and, whereas, it is necessary to borrow money in the aggregate sum of \$40,000.00 to pay off said notes, said borrowed money to be paid from the taxes to be collected for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1935; and,

Whereas, there will become due on the first day of August, 1935, an item of \$24,648.97 for bond interest and an additional item of \$5,217.27 for school bonds and interest; said items being included in the budget for the said County of Randolph for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1935; and, whereas, it is necessary to borrow money to meet the payment of said bonds and interest and said school bonds and interest maturities in anticipation of the revenue to be derived from the taxes levied and collected for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1936.

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the County Board of Commissioners of Randolph County that said county borrow and be authorized to borrow on the faith and credit of said county as provided by sections 4 and 5 of the County Finance Act the sum of \$70,000.00 for the purpose of paying off and discharging notes of the said county of Randolph and bond interest due and to become due on the said first day of August, 1935. Be it further resolved that the chairman of said board be and he is hereby authorized to execute a note or notes in the aggregate sum of \$70,000.00, payable to bearer on the day of ... 19... and bearing interest at the rate of ... per cent per annum, and that such note or notes be negotiable and negotiated and delivered by said chairman for the purpose aforesaid.

Some county welfare work was discussed and turned over to Robert Lloyd for decision. The disposition of some of the county's road machinery was also settled. A motion was made that the machinery now in possession of Mr. Whamm be delivered to Virgil Hill.

The board adjourned subject to a call session between now and the regular time for next meeting, which is the first Monday in August.

Poisonous Snakes Are Plentiful In Farmer Community

Farmer, July 16.—Farmer and Mechanic folks need to be very watchful for venomous snakes this summer, for rattlers and pilots are more numerous than ever before in this section. A large rattler was killed on Hal Bingham's farm last week, and S. M. Lewis reports that two rattlers and two pilots have been killed on his farm this year.

Clifford Loflin was bitten by a pilot about two weeks ago, it being hidden under a shock of wheat which he was hauling to a threshing machine.

But the snake bites do not appear to cause as much suffering as the black widow spider. Henry Harris, who lives in the Bombay section was bitten by one of these venomous little insects on Friday and suffered intensely for several hours. Two others in this section have been bitten by this spider this summer, Lloyd Elliott and Edna Surratt.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Byrd of Worthville visited in Washington, D. C., last week, going up through the Shenandoah Valley. They left their children, Jack, Clara Brent, Miriam, and Elizabeth with Mrs. Byrd's mother, Mrs. Flora Morgan. They returned to Farmer on Thursday and spent the rest of the week with Mrs. Morgan.

Attention Jr. O. U. A. M.

Some very important changes have been made by the state and national councils with regard to payment of dues, beneficiary insurance rates, age limits, initiation and reinstatement fees, etc. It would be well for you to attend your next council meeting and be informed as to these changes.

—C. F. Smith, F. S. Asheboro Council No. 199.