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N. C. SLOW IN CUTTING
DOWN DOLE

North Carolina is making very slow progress in removing the unemployed from relief-rolls and placing them on full time work projects, according to reports from Washington. This news came with the allotment of \$750,000 to the state for relief during the month of October. The FERA has allotted \$61,000,000 for direct relief during this month or about 40 per cent of what was being spent before work relief started. The state received \$1,000,000 in August compared with \$950,000 in September.

SHORTAGE OF FOOD IN
GERMANY

A serious shortage of fats, meats and fruits is existing in Germany with police patrolling the shops to prevent "smuggling" of foodstuffs and enforce rationing of increasingly scarce supplies. Housewives bought all the lard, fruit and meat they could get on Monday, fearing an acute shortage of these commodities. A deal has closed with Denmark for 4,000 hundredweight of butter, which is only a drop in the bucket. It is almost impossible to obtain pork and some restaurants are serving bread without butter. Vigorous efforts are being made to increase the production of hogs, which number about 22,500,000 compared with 25,000,000 last year at the same time.

DEATH TOLL IN CUBAN
STORM INCREASES

From Cienfuegos, Cuba comes report that an authentic estimate places the number of dead at more than fifty as the result of a severe storm. Medical authorities reported that they had treated 680 persons for injuries and had administered 1,500 anti-typhus inoculations. Relief agencies under Red Cross leadership were feeding 3,000 destitute. Many prominent citizens have underwritten the cost of 500 rations daily.

WINSTON-SALEM MARKET
REPORTS HEAVY SALES

Winston-Salem market reports that sales on their market totaled 1,460,012 pounds Tuesday, the opening day, at an average of \$21.70. The market showed a tendency to strengthen and growers seemed well pleased.

MRS. POST OFFERS THE
"WINNIE MAE" AS LOAN

From Oklahoma city comes news that the "Winnie Mae of Oklahoma," monoplane in which the late Wiley Post flew around the world, was offered Tuesday by Mrs. Post to the Smithsonian institution in Washington as a "loan." Congress voted to purchase the ship for \$25,000 but too late in the last session for an appropriation.

Miss Perkins To
Speak Asheville
Friday, Oct. 4th

Plans Interstate Agency To Carry Out Certain Discontinued NRA Provisions

Raleigh, Sept. 30.—Miss Frances Perkins, Secretary of Labor, will lay plans for a system of Interstate Compacts at the meeting of the International Association of Governmental Labor Officials in Asheville on October 4th. Major A. L. Fletcher, N. C. State Commissioner of Labor announced here today.

Miss Perkins hopes to set up, through these compacts, an inter-state agency for the purpose of carrying out certain provisions of the N. R. A. which were junked by the Schechter decision of the U. S. Supreme court during the spring of this year. The compacts, Major Fletcher states, are specifically concerned with minimum wage scales and child labor provisions as contained in the N. R. A. codes.

This conference on labor legislation, the second to be held under the Roosevelt administration, is called for the purpose of considering the various phases of state and national labor legislation. The agenda for the conference, consisting of a fourteen-point program, will make plans for legislation along the lines of workers' compensation; child labor laws; hours of labor on one day's rest in seven and daily and weekly hours limitation; minimum wage restrictions; wage collection and wage payment laws; regulation of home work; unemployment reserves legislation; old

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Demonstrators Coming

For the opening of Margaret's Beauty Shop Monday, October 7th, over the Service Barber Shop Miss Biddie Hill and Miss Catherine Beachum, of Craven's Beauty Shop, Winston-Salem, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Aiken, special permanent wave demonstrators of New York City, and I. H. Raff, of Charlotte, will be present all day. Miss Beachum is a sister of the Miss Margaret and Miss Belle Beachum, who are owners and operators of the new beauty shop in Asheville.

Ramsour Citizens Rejoice Approval Government Loan

Instructions Have Not Been Received But Plant Expected Within Year

Other Ramsour News

Mesdames York and Baldwin Are Hostesses At Dinner Party Saturday Evening

Ramsour, October 2.—A wire on Monday confirming the government loan which the citizens of Ramsour applied for sometime hence and which looked, for a time, impossible to secure, confirmed the loan. The treasurer of the town received the wire, but the good news traveled fast and the town, as a whole, rejoiced. The reason for prospects for obtaining the fund, looked so gloomy, were not sufficient numbers of workmen on relief to carry out the project. The troubles have apparently been ironed out, however, and the citizens hope within a year to have a modern water-works system. Definite instructions have not been received but it is the belief of the Ramsour people that the board of county commissioners will handle the project efficiently and as speedily as possible.

Rev. J. M. Barber and family spent Sunday afternoon at Duke University hearing the organ recital and the carillon program by Anton Brees.

R. C. White and family spent Sunday at Hawfield.

Dr. N. F. Marsh and family visited Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Phillips on Sunday.

Mrs. C. E. York and Mrs. C. E. Baldwin were hostesses at a dinner party Saturday evening, entertaining at the home of Mrs. York.

Upon arrival the guests were served a three course dinner at a beautifully appointed table which was centered with an arrangement of dainty cut flowers. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson, of Sanford, Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin and Mr. and Mrs. York.

After dinner two tables were arranged for rook against a background of colorful fall flowers. When scores were added, after several progressions, Mrs. Johnson received high score prize for ladies and Mr. Johnson received high score prize for men.

Long Reports On Child Work Done By Local Kiwanians

Four Appointed On Committee For Raising Funds For These Efforts

With Dr. George Salisbury in charge of the program, the Kiwanis club met Tuesday evening. An interesting feature of the evening was a talk by Reginald Turner, of the city schools, explaining the progress being made by the football team. He pointed out the aim of Coach Swing and urged that everyone support the team. Season tickets are on sale at the local drug stores and it is hoped that a large crowd will turn out for the opening game Friday afternoon when Asheville clashes with Liberty.

At the request of Dr. Harvey Griffin, W. S. Long made a report for the Under-Privileged Child Committee which held a meeting and discussed plans for continuing that work this school year. Supt. Turner and his teachers are being asked to survey the needs of the school and report to this committee and definite steps will be taken to meet those needs as far as possible.

Since considerable money will be needed to carry on the work begun last year in the school Bob Bunch, Tom Wiles, E. V. Hobbs and W. S. Long were appointed a committee to look into certain plans for raising the necessary funds for this important work.

Dr. H. T. Stevens explained how Kiwanis clubs throughout the country are being called upon to lend their aid in a movement for moral and religious activities of a helpful nature. Dr. Stevens explained the need for moral backing of such citizenship movements as are being launched to stamp out immoral practices.

Transfers Made In Several ERA Offices Throughout District

Throughout the twelve counties in the fifth district N. C. ERA changes and transfers have been made recently. The Asheville office came in for a share in the shake-up this week. Mrs. Bertha Cox Rochelle, for two years a case worker in the local office, was transferred to Troy, Montgomery county, to replace a transfer in that office. Mrs. Rochelle will do case work in that county.

Replacing Mrs. Rochelle in Randolph is Miss Vivian Clark of Albemarle who comes with good recommendations from her head case worker in Stanley county. Miss Clark began work in the local office on Tuesday of this week.

According to Mrs. Neal, head case worker in Randolph, things are moving along smoothly in the local office. While several W. P. A. projects have been approved, orders for work have not been given. Mrs. Neal hopes, however, that orders will come soon and that work will actually begin during October.

Site Committee Is Named For Proposed School Bldg. Informal Meeting Monday

Send News Items For Publication In This Newspaper

The Courier is anxious to print the news of Asheboro and Randolph county, as well as bits from here and there in the nation. When you have visitors, births, deaths, marriages, parties, fires, and the like, telephone us, if you live in town. If you live out of town, drop us a note, signing your name so we may know the source is authentic. We will not publish the name.

People away from Asheboro and Randolph county are interested in news from their home and the vicinity. No item is too small to be of interest to someone. The Courier is glad to publish the news and invites news tips and information for publication. The only requisite, however, is that items must be in the office before noon on Wednesdays—Tuesday is much better and insures publication.

First Meeting Of Asheboro P.-T. A. Is Held Monday Aft.

Membership Chairman, Mrs. Hedrick, Reports Total Membership Of 118

The Asheboro Parent Teacher Association met in the school auditorium Monday, Sept. 30 for the first meeting of the year. The meeting was presided over by the president, Mrs. I. C. Moser and there were present a wide awake enthusiastic group of teachers, parents, and friends of the school.

The chairman of the program committee, Mrs. Nat Harrison, had charge of the program.

Reginald Turner, the new superintendent of the Asheville city schools, gave an inspiring talk relating to those present the value of the Parent Teacher Association and heartily endorsing it. Mr. Turner also called attention to the growth of the student body and expressed the wish that the Parent Teacher Association would grow in proportion.

Splendid reports were given by the chairman of the various committees and two entertaining solos were sung by Lawrence Sowers.

The membership chairman, Mrs. E. L. Hedrick, reported 118 new members making a total of 115 members of the association. A membership drive will be conducted from October 15 to November 15.

The chairman of the ways and means committee, Mrs. Don Alexander, asked that all those who had old clothing to bring them to the Central Hotel before Saturday, October 12, for the rummage sale which will be held on the vacant lot near the Standard Drug store, October 12, to help pay for the new set of reference books that the Parent Teacher's Association had placed in the school library.

After the meeting the president invited all those present to attend a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Parks. The lovely home was made unusually attractive with cut flowers. The committee served ices to about 50 parents and teachers.

Asheboro High To Play Liberty Here Friday Afternoon

The first football game of the Asheboro high school season will be staged Friday afternoon here at Lindley park when the Asheboro eleven clashes with that of Liberty. This first game promises to be a good one, for Liberty has a very strong team, having recently beat the Greensboro reserves.

The local boys have a team that shows good weight in the line but the backs are light. The kickoff will be at 3:30 and all are urged to come and support the team. Season tickets are offered on sale at all drug stores and by students specially appointed for that service.

The United States consumes less than half of its great cotton crop.

Big Program Is Planned For Archdale Homecoming Day Sunday, October 6th

Sunday, October 6th, has been designated as dedication and home-coming day at the Archdale Friends church. An invitation committee headed by Cornelia Andrews and Ella Wilson are announcing that friends of this congregation will be welcome upon this happy occasion. The indebtedness of the church and parsonage have been paid in full and, in appreciation of this fact, the dedication service will be held.

At 11:00 o'clock the dedication service will start with Dr. Tom Alderman Sykes preaching the sermon. Special music by Mr. and Mrs. Herman Abels and John Abels will be a part of the morning program. At noon a picnic dinner will be served.

Many Proposals Are Discussed With Definite Sentiment To West Asheboro Location

No Part Fund May Be Used For Site Committee Plans To Make Definite Report To Commissioners On Oct. 7

An informal meeting of the board of town commissioners, the city school board and the Chamber of Commerce, went somewhat thoroughly into the matter of the location of Asheboro's proposed new school building. A short time ago the loan of \$45,000, P. W. A. funds, was approved by the government and the county commissioners, who will have the final word in the matter.

W. A. Bunch, mayor of the town, presided over the meeting and heard the discussion of the location of this new building. Several proposals were discussed with a very definite sentiment for the location in west Asheboro. Mr. Bunch appointed a committee of five representative citizens to see about the location of the building. C. C. Cranford was named chairman with W. J. Armfield, Jr., D. B. McCrary, Francis White and Carl Page members of the committee.

It will be recalled at the time the loan was made that it was made clear that no part of the fund could be used for a lot, therefore the lot must come from another source. The \$45,000 is specifically for a building and equipment. It is necessary for the committee to act quickly for the contract, according to the terms of the loan, must be let no later than December 15th. The committee plans to make a report to the board of county commissioners at their regular monthly meeting on Monday, October 7th.

This meeting and the appointment of this committee will doubtless meet with the approval of the majority of the citizens of Asheboro who have for many years, been concerned with this apparent need of the town. Due to crowded conditions for several years in the Asheboro school, there has been a general cry for a new building, which new appearance reality.

M. E. Revival Ends Successful Meet At Franklinville

P.-T. A. Of Franklinville To Hold First Meeting Of New Year, Tuesday

Prominent Man Dies

Allred Family To Hold Their Annual Reunion Sunday, October 6th

Franklinville, Sept. 30.—The revival meeting at the M. E. church came to a close Sunday morning at the eleven o'clock service. Much good was accomplished, seventeen giving their name for church membership. They will be received into church next Sunday morning.

Work is progressing very nicely on W. C. Craven's new residence in South Franklinville. T. T. Welch has commenced a six room bungalow on adjoining lot, south of Mr. Craven's home. B. F. Gray has been given the contract for building.

The P.-T. A. will hold their first meeting for this school year at the

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On Fishing Trip

H. K. Moore, E. H. Cranford, W. A. Coffin and S. B. Stedman are at Columbia this week on a fishing trip. They are expected to return to Asheboro Friday.

Legion Rummage Sale

The Ben Dixon Post American Legion Auxiliary plan for a rummage sale for Saturday, October 5th. Mrs. George Burkhead, president of the organization, announces that this will be an all-day affair, opening at 9:00 a. m. The money derived will go toward the general fund. The sale will be held on the vacant lot in front of the Norfolk and Southern depot.

Mrs. Ridge Resumes Work

Mrs. W. M. Ridge, who, since the opening of Lee's shop in Asheboro several years ago, has been connected with the place of business has resumed her position at the shop. Mrs. Ridge has been out during the summer on account of her health, but many friends will be pleased to resume business relations with her at Lee's.

Young People Of M. E. Church Meet Tuesday Evening

Miss Josie Mendenhall Receives Life Membership At Missionary Conference

News Of Trinity

Elon College Student Spends Week End In Trinity With Parents

Trinity, Oct. 1.—Members of the young peoples department of the M. E. church met with Miss Mary Bouldin for the regular monthly meeting, Tuesday evening. Many members were present and their time was spent on choir practice for church services.

The Woman's Missionary society had a large representation at the missionary conference held in High Point last week at Calvary church. The society has been highly honored by having a member, Miss Josie Mendenhall, who received her life member medal and certificate at this conference. "Miss Josie" is almost ninety and has been a faithful and loyal member of the Woman's Missionary Society all her life. She still is an active member and secretary and treasurer of the Trinity society.

Miss Louise Royals, a student at Elon College, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Royals.

Mrs. A. H. Flichum and daughter Joyce have returned to their home in Graham after a week's visit with relatives here.

Friends of M. V. Andrews will regret to learn that he is quite ill at his home here.

Many people from our little town attended the Asheboro Fair last week and report an excellent exhibit and an all-round good fair.

Miss Bertha Pritchard, a member of the school faculty spent last week end in High Point, the guest of friends.

Miss Faye Walker spent the week end with home folks in Asheboro.

Church Prepares Close Conference Year Sunday, 6th

Sunday, October 6th will mark the beginning of the last month of the conference year for the Asheboro Methodist Protestant church, as the annual conference meets on Nov. 6.

A full program, that will keep the pastor and congregation going in high gear, has been planned for the remaining four weeks.

Evangelistic services will begin Tuesday night, Oct. 8, and continue for several days. Bible study evangelism will characterize this special effort. The idea is not so much for large crowds as for interested groups.

The week following the first Sunday—Oct. 7-12—has been designated church-visitaton week.

October 20 will be "Joash Day." The fourth Sunday is to be "Go-to-Church and Membership Day." All members will be urged to be present on that day, and the doors of the church will be opened for the reception of new members.

November 3, the last Sunday in the conference year, will be "Dollar-Day and Pay-Up Day" for the year.

It is hoped that much spiritual enthusiasm may characterize the prosecution of these programs. A good closing of the year is fully expected by the pastor, Dr. S. W. Taylor, and by the congregation.

Returns To Sweet Briar

Miss Cornelia Romaine Armfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Armfield, Jr., of Asheboro, has returned to Sweet Briar College as a member of the sophomore class. Twenty-five other North Carolina girls are included in Sweet Briar's enrollment for 1935-36. Nine are from Charlotte, two from Durham, two from Rocky Mount, two from Raleigh, and one each from Asheville, High Point, Thomasville, Louisburg, Oxford, Wilmington, Graham, Winston-Salem, Forest City and Southern Pines.

Dr. Stevens Accepts Call Orcutt Ave. Baptist Church In Newport News, Virginia

To New Pastorate



DR. HERMAN T. STEVENS

Mrs. L. A. Frye Is Honored On 79th Birthday Sunday

On Sunday, Sept. 29th, relatives and friends gathered at the old home place of Mrs. L. A. Frye to celebrate her 79th birthday. Mrs. Frye has seven living children, fifty grandchildren and twenty great grandchildren. There were six children, twenty eight grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren present.

At noon a big dinner was spread picnic style under the large oaks in the yard. It was a very enjoyable occasion for the children and their mother to be together again at the old home. The day was spent in conversation, reviewing old scenes and making pictures. Mrs. Frye received many nice and useful presents.

LA FOLLETTE TO SPEAK IN GREENSBORO THIS EVENING

Greensboro, Oct. 3.—Sen. Robert M. La Follette, of Wisconsin, speaks at the Woman's College of the University of North Carolina tonight at 8:30 o'clock in Aycock auditorium. His topic will be "Current Economic Problems," a subject in which he is deeply versed.

The next number on the lecture course arranged at the college for the students is a dance recital on Oct. 22 by La Argentina, Spain's greatest dancer.

Lowdermilk Clan Reunion Largely Attended Sunday

Major Bruce Craven, Of Trinity, Is Principal Speaker; Officers Elected

A crowd estimated to number 300 persons attended the annual Lowdermilk reunion, which was held Sunday beginning at 10 o'clock in the morning at the Pleasant Hill Methodist Protestant church, located in Randolph county beyond Seagrave. Principal address of the day was delivered at 11 o'clock in the morning by Major Bruce Craven, of Trinity.

Highlight of the afternoon session was the presentation by J. A. Lowdermilk, president, of a historical chart giving the history of the Lowdermilk family from its migration out of Germany down to the present generation. The huge chart had been compiled by Carl Cox, of Rockingham, and Miss Iola Lowdermilk, of Asheboro.

In the afternoon at 1:40 o'clock memorials were given by Mrs. D. S. Coltrane, of Greensboro, and immediately following a business session was held and officers elected for the coming year.

J. A. Lowdermilk, of Greensboro, was re-elected president, and Herbert Howard, of Greensboro, was chosen vice president. Other officers are Mrs. E. E. Henley, of Asheboro, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. J. C. Pugh, of Greensboro, assistant secretary and treasurer; A. C. Lowdermilk, of Seagrave, historian; Walter Garner, of High Point, program chairman, and Mrs. D. S. Coltrane of Greensboro, chairman of publicity committee.

The prize for the oldest person present went to Mrs. Yancey L. Cox, of Greensboro, who is 87 years of age, and the prize for the youngest person went to Lester Allen, of Randolph, who is three months old.

Other features of the program included group singing, devotional by Rev. N. M. Harrison, of High Point; special music by the Thomas quartet, of Rockingham, and dinner on the grounds of the church.

District P.-T. A. Meet

On Friday, October 11, the Parent Teachers Association will hold a district meeting in the high school auditorium in Reidsville. Mrs. D. S. Coltrane, of Greensboro, former Asheboro girl, president of that organization for this district has perfected plans for this meeting. Fifteen counties comprising this district are: Alleghany, Ashe, Davidson, Davie, Caswell, Forsyth, Guilford, Randolph, Rockingham, Surry, Stokes, Watauga, Wilkes and Yadkin.

Church Supper

The missionary society of Bethlehem M. E. church will hold a supper on Saturday evening, October 5th at the home of Worth Fields on the Pleasant Garden-Climax highway. Brunswick stew and chicken stew will be a part of the menu for the occasion. The public is invited to attend.

Has Successfully Served Asheboro Baptist Church For Four Years

Leads Building Of Handsome Structure

Also Outstanding Is His Organization Of The Randolph Baptist Association

After serving the Asheboro Baptist church for the past four years, Dr. Herman Stevens has accepted a call to the Orcutt Avenue Baptist church in Newport News, Va. Announcement was made this week concerning Dr. Stevens' acceptance of this call and general regret is being expressed over the town over the prospects of losing Dr. and Mrs. Stevens.

The Stevens came to Asheboro four years ago when Dr. O. G. Tillman, pastor of the local church fell ill. At that time the congregation worshipped in a wooden church which burned to the ground in December 1933. Dr. Stevens, with practically one hundred per cent cooperation from his congregation, set about building a new church which was completed in September 1934. This handsome and quite modern church now stands as a monument to the persistent efforts of pastor and congregation during the period of depression. The present church is valued at \$35,000 and the congregation is now in good financial condition as the church year closes.

The work of Dr. Stevens during his four years in the town has not been limited to his own church. In civic matters also he has been unusually active in service. He is a member of the local Kiwanis club and his services as a speaker are often in demand.

Perhaps the most outstanding piece of work outside the walls of his own church and his own congregation is the organization of the Baptists, numbering between three and four thousand in Randolph, into a county association known as the Randolph County Baptist Association. Dr. Stevens was made the first moderator of this body and he has served tirelessly in this work. There are twenty-nine Baptist churches in the county at present.

During the spring Dr. Stevens assisted in a revival service at this church and when, a short time ago, the pastor resigned to accept another call, the congregation of Orcutt church lost no time in unanimously calling Dr. Stevens. The church has a membership of 1,400 and is considered one of the best charges in this section of the south.

Dr. and Mrs. Stevens plan to leave for their new work the first of November. A word must be spoken for Mrs. Stevens, as she leaves Asheboro where she has lent her musical talent and leadership in many phases of religious work in the town and county.

Several From Mt. Olivet Community Attend Rally Day

Erect, Oct. 12.—Several from this community attended the rally day and quarterly conference for this charge which was held at Coleridge last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tysor, Mr. Charles Phillips and children of Greensboro were visitors in the community Sunday.

Miss Ruby Tysor, who is a member of the Hemp school faculty, spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sugg and children and Miss Mamie Sugg, of High Point, and Mr. and Mrs. Gorrell Sugg and children, of Asheboro, visited relatives here Sunday.

Miss Francis Mitchell, a member of the Ramsour high school faculty, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Ruby Tysor.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wrenn and children, of High Point, spent Saturday night at M. F. Wrenn's.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stout and children of Washington, D. C., spent some time recently with Mr. Stout's mother, Mrs. T. H. Tysor and Mr. Tysor.

Mrs. Winingham III

Mrs. A. R. Winingham remains quite ill in Randolph Hospital, Inc. where she has been a patient for some time. Mrs. Winingham is suffering from a complication of diseases and her condition has been a source of anxiety to her family since late summer.

Former Teacher Advanced

Miss Elda Clark, of High Point, has recently been added to the faculty of the High Point college, and will be professor of typing and shorthand and secretary to the president. Miss Clark is a former teacher in the Asheboro High school, having been teacher of the commercial class.

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