

MOST PEOPLE IN ASHEBORO AND RANDOLPH COUNTY READ THE COURIER - IT LEADS

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Late News

National and International Happenings Briefly Told

IN VETOES PLAN WESTERN LEAGUE

Washington.—A proposal by three Latin-American countries (Colombia, Guatemala, and the Dominican Republic) for the establishment of a League of American Nations to promote peace among the republics of the western hemisphere was blocked by the refusal of Chile to have the matter discussed at the approaching Pan-American peace conference. Several other nations, alarmed by the possibility of the League of Nations in the case of Ethiopia, have resigned from that body, but the need of some alliance to counter Chile, still a staunch supporter of the League, fears that new formation would hurt the prestige of the Geneva assembly, which she has great influence over among South American neighbors.

FRANCE BLUM'S TERMS TO END FRENCH STRIKE

Paris.—The new French government led by Premier Blum has effected a settlement of the strikes, involving 1,000,000 workers, which he said up French industries for weeks. Minister of the Interior Maginot has obtained for the strikers a wage increase of 7 to 15 per cent, a recognition of the unions, and a reduction providing for a 40 hour week and vacation pay.

CHINA CONTINUES STRUGGLES AGAINST JAPAN

Hongkong.—The possibility of war between China and Japan continues to be imminent as warships from both the North China regime and Japan are reported on their way toward southern waters. The ruling regime in South China has already declared that it is prepared to fight alone if necessary, but has been negotiating with northern leaders since the death of Hu Hanmin, veteran southern nationalist. It is hoped that all China will be united again under the leadership of General Chiang Kai-Shek, famous for his Chinese military chief.

REPUBLICANS SPLIT BY DEBATE OVER PLATFORM

Cleveland.—As the G. O. P. was preparing for its 21st national convention in Cleveland Tuesday, delegates were split by conflicting views on various party planks. Chief points of difference were the opposite attitudes of Borah and Landon on foreign affairs, monopoly, and money, Borah having criticized Landon's expressed opinions on these questions but refusing to state his own platform. Landon still seems to be the leading candidate for the presidential nomination, numbering among other supporters the North Carolina delegation.

SEVELT LEAVES FOR NORTHERN SPEAKING TOUR

Washington.—President Roosevelt left Washington at 12:03 a. m. Tuesday, for his 4,000 mile, week-long speaking tour through Kansas, Texas and Indiana. He will speak Wednesday at Little Rock in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of Arkansas' statehood, Friday at Dallas in celebration of the centennial of Texan independence, and Sunday at Vincennes, Indiana, where a memorial to George Rogers Clark, northwest pioneer, will be dedicated. He is planning to speak on historical subjects only to avoid any suspicion of political rivalry with the Republican national convention which will be held at the same time.

Dr. Henley Opens Office

Dr. F. A. Henley, native of Randolph county and son of the late Dr. A. Henley, has opened a dental office at Liberty. Dr. Henley will be located over the Rexall Drug Store. Dr. Henley practiced in Charlotte for many years, but during the winter had an office in Jacksonville, Fla.

Mr. Brittain At Office

Mr. T. Brittain, dean of the Asheville bar, who has been ill for the few weeks was at his office Monday and early Monday morning visiting his friends and attending to business.

The Democrat Voters Randolph County

This is to remind you that you each and everyone elected delegates to go to the State convention to be held in Raleigh next Friday, June 12th at 12 o'clock. I hope that you will make special effort to get all the new voters in your precinct, or as early as possible, to attend this convention.

Yours for the success of the section in the fall,
ARTHUR BOSS,
Chairman of the Executive Committee.

Ramseur Citizens Vote Quietly For Choice Candidates

Hoey Holds Small Majority Over McDonald, According To Unofficial Reports

Celebrates Birthday

Several Matters Of Personal Interest Included In Local Items Of Ramseur Section

Ramseur, June 8.—Most of the people "pursued the tenor of their way", some stopping at the polls long enough to cast a vote for the candidates of their choice. Varied were the opinions of the fitness of the several candidates for the offices they were seeking. On Clyde R. Hoey had a small margin over Prof. Ralph W. McDonald. Willie Burns and Bailey seemed to be the most attractive to Columbia voters.

Mr. Marquette Stateville, one of the lecturers of Grand Lodge of North Carolina, is spending the week with Marietta Lodge 444, giving lectures on Masonry.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Riehm and Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Phillips attended a vesper musicale at the Asheboro Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Harrelson of Greensboro spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Tatum.

"Aunt" Ruth Kemp reached her eighty-fourth birthday Monday. Some of her friends remembered her on this occasion and presented her with tokens of love and friendship.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Highfill and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hobson attended a meeting of rural carriers at the home of C. E. Julian, near Millboro June 2. Several members of the association were present and an interesting meeting was held.

Mrs. C. A. Craven of Sanford is spending some time with her son, Aubrey C. Craven of Ramseur. Mrs. Craven is eighty-five years old and still full of life.

Mrs. Walter L. Hobson visited friends at Climax and Staley last week.

Mrs. D. M. Burgess spent some time with friends at Washington, D. C., last week.

Of interest to people of this community is an item recently noted in Associated Press dispatches when mention was made that the Hon. Pierre de Lagarde Boal has been appointed to fill the place of Ambassador Josephus Daniels to Mexico while he is absent attending matters in North Carolina and the national (Please turn to page 2)

J. T. King Will Replace W. A. Jones In Asheboro Store

Jones Will Assume Duties As District Manager Of Three N. C. Jones' Variety Stores

Wiley Jones, who has for the past five years managed the Asheboro branch of Jones' 1 cent to 5¢ stores, was promoted Monday to general manager for the Jones' variety stores in Asheboro, Liberty and Madison, which are a part of the group of eight Jones' stores in Piedmont North Carolina. Mr. Jones, a life-long resident of Asheboro, will continue to make his home here, though increased business activities of these popular stores will make it necessary for him to divide his time among the three towns.

His place in the Asheboro firm will be taken by J. T. King, who has had eight years experience as manager for various of Rose's 5-10-25 cent stores, four years of which were in Rose's store at Asheboro. He comes here now from Newberry, South Carolina, and will bring his family here in a short time.

Improvements will be made in the near future at the store to make room for a more complete line of variety merchandise.

The many friends whom Mr. King made during his previous stay in Asheboro will be glad to learn that he is back. Mr. King is himself very enthusiastic about returning to Asheboro, which he declares is one of the finest towns he has lived in among his many different locations.

Asheboro Colored Man Is Killed On Monday Night Late

Boyd Chricaco, young colored man of Asheboro is dead, as a result of a shooting scrape at the Harlem Times club. There was a dance known as a "cotton strut parade" staged by a club of the town and the shooting scrape followed the dance.

Police have been working on the case ever since it reached their attention about 1:00 o'clock Monday night—or Tuesday morning, to be exact. So far as Asheboro officers can learn, there was an argument between Boyd Chricaco and LeRoy LeGrand and LeGrand is said to have shot Chricaco. The police are somewhat discouraged with progress at present, due to the fact that all members of the club and attendants at the dance claim to have been at home in bed at the time of the shooting.

Bill Marley, Ramseur colored boy, admits he saw the affair and is being held as a material witness and the officers are making further and careful check of the affair which they expect to solve before they part.

Unofficial Tabulation Of Primary Vote Reveals Heavy Vote In Randolph

Due To Errors In Returns From Three Precincts, Official Tabulation Not Available

County Vote Heavy And Close Often

State Officers Will Require Second Primary For Governor And Other Offices

Due to errors in the reports coming in from three precincts, the canvassing board, in session in Asheboro since 10:00 o'clock Tuesday morning, had not completed their official count as this newspaper goes to press. The reports, therefore from the voting in Saturday's primary that we are able to publish, are subject to change. The Courier will give the official vote as reported from the canvassing board in Friday's edition. E. H. Cranford, chairman of the board for Randolph, will give his official report.

As best we can obtain, it would seem the Democratic vote for gubernatorial candidates follows: Hoey, 2,196; McDonald, 1,209; Graham, 434; McRae, 18. The senatorial candidates follow: Bailey, 1,577; Fountain, 1,480; Griffin, 169; Strain, 80. Candidates for lieutenant governor: Horton, 1914; Grady, 749; McNeil, 634; Secretary of state: Wade, 1,449; Eure, 1,248; Dunnagan, 417. For auditor: Poy, 1,974; Durham, 830; Dowell, 464; Miller, 169. Treasurer, Johnson, 2,246; Wohl, 828. Superintendent of public instruction: Erwin, 2,128; Craig, 605; Alderman, 468. Commissioner of agriculture: Graham, 1,165; Scott, 2,232. For congress for the fourth district: Cooley, 2,871; Bailey, 307. For the state legislature, house of representatives: Davis, 1,272; Burns, 1,260; Bulla, 788; Wall, 436.

The unofficial vote for the Republican candidates follows: sheriff: Ferree, 685; Kimrey, 413; Cox, 222. (Please turn to page 2)

Coach Chick Doak In Asheboro Ready Legion Coaching

Well Known Coach From State College Will Spend Month In Asheboro With Legion Team Experienced Player

Guilford College Alumnus; Has Played Many Types Of Sports As Well As Coaching

The Asheboro Junior American Legion baseball team, which has been showing such good form in its early exhibition games will have the assistance of Charles "Chick" Doak, head baseball coach at North Carolina college, in its campaign for the Legion championship. Rufus Routh, athletic manager for Ben Dixon post, announces that Doak has arrived in Asheboro.

Doak is expected to remain in Asheboro about a month, coaching the boys and helping Routh to select those best qualified for positions on the team. His presence will improve not only the playing ability of the team, but also its fighting spirit and sense of sportsmanship. At State he in-tills in his players an indomitable spirit that they display not only on the baseball diamond, but in their daily life.

Doak is not only a builder of baseball teams, but a builder of men. The public knows him, however, as a coach as he has taken boys with no baseball experience and has developed them into big league material. A good example is Stuart Flythe, a star pitcher of this year's team. Flythe never pitched ball before coming to State, but Doak took him in charge and today he is a member of the (Please turn to page 1)

MISS ALMA KEE ACCEPTS POSITION

Miss Alma Kee assumed her duties as county public health nurse on Monday, and is now busy assisting Dr. G. H. Sumner in his county-wide typhoid and diphtheria clinics. Miss Kee graduated this spring from the George Peabody Institute in Nashville, Tennessee.

Bonus Bonds Of World War Veterans Due At Asheboro Postoffice Shortly

During the following week or ten days the post office will be busy handling the bonus bonds coming to all veterans of the World War, according to a statement issued Monday by J. O. Redding, postmaster. The bonds were mailed out to veterans all over the country on June 15, and they should be received by ex-service men in Asheboro on June 16 or 17. The bonds must be certified and then returned to one of the twelve designated paying post offices, which will send out checks for the proper amount.

The process is complicated and will entail a great deal of extra work for the local post office force, as very careful records must be kept of such details as the serial numbers of the bonds and the receipts given veterans while the bonds are being cashed. What a task this may be can be guessed from the fact that R. L. Briles, commander of the Ben Dixon post of the American Legion, has registered nearly 400 men as being eligible for the bonus.

Mr. Briles also announced that local veterans are anxious to cooperate with local post office authorities to make the delivery and payment of the bonds as simple as possible. They are ready to assist in the identification of all veterans not known at the Asheboro post office, which will be a valuable service as there must be two witnesses to the identity of each bond holder.

Mr. Redding's statement follows: On the 15th of this month the adjustment settlement bonds for veterans will be mailed by registered letter, direct to each of them, exactly in accordance with the manner of application, from one of the twelve United States post offices, which have been designated by the department.

Veterans, who are patrons of the Asheboro, N. C. post office, and who have properly applied, should receive a registered letter containing their bonds, by the 17th of this month. Immediately upon the arrival of each register at the local post office the addressee in an official envelope, and will bear the identical address which was furnished the department in the application. This form must be returned before obtaining the register, and if the addressee is not known to some member of the post office personnel, identification will be necessary by two known witnesses. Bear in mind that this register is deliverable only at the address furnished the department in the original application. By this is meant that if the Asheboro, N. C. city delivery address was furnished the department in the application, the register must be delivered by the city carrier, and if rural route delivery was furnished, then by the rural carrier.

If by box or window delivery was furnished, then at the post office. None may be delivered by star route carriers. These registers will be kept entirely separate from the regular run of mail and will be handled from a room in the basement of the post office building, known as the inspector's room, and is approached by a descending stairway at the west side, from Church street.

Each of these registers will contain bonds, in denominations of \$50.00, representing the government's settlement with the veteran. It is desired by the government that the owner hold the bonds as an investment. They represent a government security of the first order and pay 3% interest. If, however, it be preferred otherwise, the treasury department has deputized the post office department as an intermediary agency in transferring and converting these bonds into cash, and the local post office will be organized to perform the necessary certification. The place of this certification will be in the hall of the American Legion, near the corner of Church and Sunset streets, and the time will be announced in the local papers at a later date.

The important thing in this certification transaction is perfect identification. (Please turn to page 2)

Randleman A Busy Town On Saturday With Primary Day

Interest Unusually High For Primary Election; Unofficial Vote Is Published

Considerable Building

Duke Power Company Will Open Store In Randleman At Early Date; Personal Mention

Randleman, June 8.—Randleman saw its busiest day Saturday for several moons. Cars and people were moving very fast in order to cast their desired ballots in probably the election that created more interest than any ever held here before, in so far as state and county candidates were concerned. The following is an unofficial account of the Republican votes cast here Saturday: (county offices) for sheriff, Ferree took the lead with 171. Kimrey next with 46 and Cox last with 10; for register of deeds, Phil Upton, local merchant received an overwhelming vote of 250 to his opponents, Pearce and Frazier, one each; for legislature White took the lead with 173 votes, Parker 36; for commissioners, Hammond received 174, Hockett next with 152, Stout next with 128 and Hinshaw last with 87.

The following is the Democratic vote for state and national offices: for governor, McDonald took the lead with 121, Hoey next with 102, Graham last with 44. For the United States Senate, Fountain leads with 106, Bailey next with 75, Griffin next with 17 and Strain last with 4. For legislature, Davis took the lead with 85 votes, "Dan" Burns second with 70, Bulla third with 40 and Wall last with 13.

Argus Barker, is having a small store erected on the southwest corner of his lot. The new business place is nearing completion and from present looks, it will be a very nice little store. Mr. Barker is an old Randleman merchant and was connected with the Randleman Bargain House for many years until a few months ago.

Plans are now being made for the erection of a modern filling station on the corner of Main and Coal Street street here. This corner has been occupied by a home belonging to O. C. Marsh, but this residence was moved over several yards during the past week, making an ideal location for this proposed filling station.

The Duke Power Company of High Point, who has opened a new store here, has announced that they will have their store completely stocked by the end of this week and that plans for a lawn display party will be made in a few weeks, and at which time free lessons on cooking will be given to the women of the town. This new store is truly a great asset to the betterment of both the civic and social life of the community.

Rain fell in Randleman Sunday afternoon. About an inch and a half of the precious water fell and every (Please turn to page 2)

DR. H. L. GRIFFIN ATTENDING LECTURE COURSE IN WINSTON

Dr. H. L. Griffin is attending the series of lectures held in Winston-Salem this week for doctors of the eighth district. The lectures are held under the auspices of the district medical society and the state medical society every afternoon this week. Dr. Franklin Snyder, associate professor of obstetrics and gynecology of Johns Hopkins is giving the lectures which a large number of physicians from this district are attending. Dr. Griffin is delighted with the practical topics discussed by the lecturer and with the unusually fine course offered so near home. The lectures are held in the afternoons so doctors may attend their practice in the mornings and get the lecture course in the afternoons.

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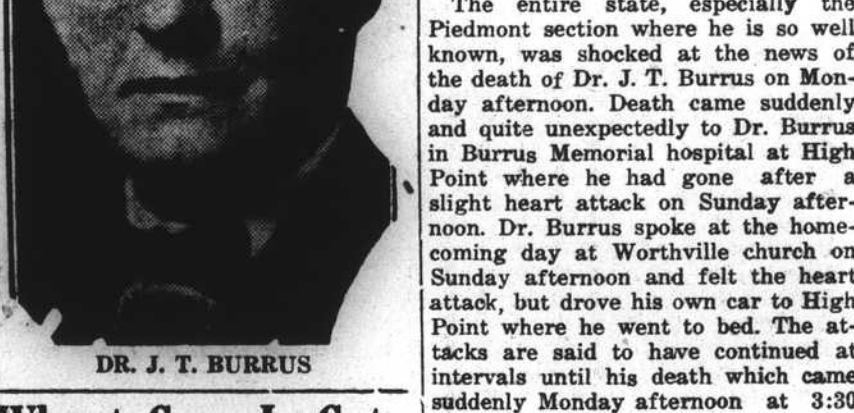
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Beloved Physician Dies Suddenly Following A Heart Attack Monday

Suffers Slight Heart Attack On Sunday While Attending Homecoming At Worthville

Chief Of Staff Of Memorial Hospital

Funeral Wednesday Afternoon At Burrus Home In High Point; Funeral At Oakwood



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Relief From Drought; Farmers' Hopes High

The drought, in the region of Asheboro at least, seems to be definitely broken. According to official figures taken by Walter Yow, superintendent of water works for Asheboro, Sunday's downpour resulted in a rainfall of 1.64 inches. This was the first rain of any worth since April 10, though a fall of .39 inches was recorded April 21.

Even more valuable in restoring parched crops to their normal growth was the steady rain which commenced late Monday night and continued during Tuesday with only short breaks.

With weather reports all over the South showing rain or cloudy skies, hopes are high for a general improvement in agricultural conditions, which has been so hurt by the dry weather that plans for federal aid were under way.

Unusual Case Comes Before Two Randolph Doctors On Monday

A most unusual occurrence in medicine was observed by Dr. Dempsey Barnes Monday when he was called on a case by Dr. Hembree, physician of the CCC camp, of Ramseur. Dr. Hembree was called to give first aid to Mrs. W. E. Johnson of Ramseur. Mrs. Johnson, who is 53 years old, had been suffering from a very severe pain in her hip. Mrs. Johnson said that she had suffered from this pain for fifteen or twenty years and that the pain moved down her intestinal tract until four years ago it subsided, but started again a year ago. Dr. Hembree and Dr. Barnes brought Mrs. Johnson to the Barnes clinic in Asheboro and started out to find the source of the trouble. After some time they were surprised to find that there was a needle in her hip two inches deep and it was very rusty. Dr. Hembree and Dr. Barnes said they had never seen Mrs. Johnson in such a condition before. Mrs. Johnson is feeling very comfortably at her home after the removal of the needle.

Dr. Burrus was 59 years old and has been for the past thirty-five years, an outstanding physician of the state. He has lived in High Point with his wife, who survives and daughter, Mrs. Iris Burrus Black, who died two years ago, for more than thirty years and become endeared to the people of this section of the state as few men have. Dr. Burrus has been head surgeon of the Randolph hospital at Asheboro since it opened two years ago.

He twice represented Guilford county in his state senate. In 1931 Dr. Burrus battled for a kilowatt hour tax on electricity in North Carolina and in 1935 he opposed the extension of the base of the general sales tax as a member of the senate. He had been recognized recently as one of the state's foremost opponents of the sales tax. He also fought for a bill which proposed the compulsory vaccination of all children against diphtheria but was defeated.