

## SPINDALE AND MARION TO PLAY TEXTILE SERIES

Marion, Winner of Second Half, to Play Spindale in Seven Game Series

Spindale, Sept. 10.—The first game of the championship series of the Carolina Textile League will be played here Wednesday between Spindale, winner of the first half and Marion, winner of the second half.

Spindale won the first half of the Carolina Textile League with a substantial lead over the nearest opponent. During the second half it was a fight from the start between Spindale, Marion and Cherryville, with Marion winning out in their last game. The series, which is likely to be seven games, promises to be a hard fought one and very close.

The winner of this series will be presented with a beautiful trophy silver cup engraved with the following "Championship, Carolina Textile League, 1928" with the name of the team engraved thereon.

The standing of the clubs in the final game which was played Saturday, is as follows:

Club	W	L	Pct.
Marion	15	5	.750
Spindale	14	6	.700
Cherryville	14	6	.700
Forest City	7	12	.368
Lincolnton	5	13	.278
Bessemer City	2	15	.117

A man in Chile who had been married fourteen times died the other day at the age of ninety. He should be laid to rest with military honors.

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## LIVE WIRE KILLS RUTHERFORDTON MAN AT LAWDALE

Ernest J. Denton, Employee of Blue Ridge Products Co., Electrocutted Thursday

Rutherfordton, Sept. 10.—Ernest J. Denton, service man for the Blue Ridge Products company, was instantly electrocuted at Lawndale, in Cleveland county, Thursday afternoon at 1:15 o'clock, while at work on a Frigidaire system at the Campbell store there.

Mr. Denton had been called from his headquarters at Rutherfordton to do some repair work on the cream Frigidaire in the Campbell store. At the time of his death it was said that he was testing a motor when the current ran through his body, presumably due to a short circuit.

Those nearby gave first aid and worked upon the body for nearly an hour hoping to revive him, but without avail. The body was taken to an undertaking parlor in Shelby and was later removed to Rutherfordton.

His left thumb was burned to the bone, the only scar on his body except a bruise on his side caused by the fall to the floor when he received the shock.

Denton had moved to Rutherfordton from Morganton about eight months ago to become service man for the Blue Ridge Products Company, which has branches in several towns in Cleveland, Rutherford, McDowell and Burke counties.

Mr. Denton is survived by his widow and two sons, Jack, age 8 and Bobbie, age 2 years, three brothers, Messrs. Eugene C. Denton, Morganton; Ira Denton, Columbia, S. C.; Daniel Denton at Marion, N. C., one sister, Miss Lucy Denton, Morganton and his father, Mr. D. F. Denton of Morganton. His mother died about 15 months ago.

The party left here with his body Friday morning. Funeral services were held in the First Baptist church of Morganton Saturday morning at ten o'clock with Dr. W. R. Bradshaw in charge, assisted by Rev. Sprinkle of Morganton and Rev. E. B. Jenkins, pastor of the First Baptist church, Rutherfordton. A large crowd attended. The floral offering was large and attractive. Employees of the Blue Ridge Products Co., acted as pall-bearers. Interment was in the family plot of the Morganton cemetery.

Mr. Denton was 30 years of age and was a member of the First Baptist church of Morganton. He has been making Rutherfordton his home for the past eight months. He is a native of Burke county and was a model young man. He was ambitious, honest and industrious.

## PROVIDENCE NEWS

Forest City, R-2, Sept. 10.—There will be preaching at 11 o'clock Sunday morning and quarterly meeting will be held at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, September 16, at Providence.

Mrs. J. W. Phillips sent a few days last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McDaniel, of Caroleen.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Allen, of Holly Springs, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. John McDaniel.

Mrs. D. L. Smith spent last week visiting friends and relatives in Norfolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Butler and family spent the week end at Mr. Will Lowery's, near Oak Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Grayson, Mrs. B. E. Price and Mrs. Ruth Honeycutt, of Shelby, spent Saturday night at Mr. John McDaniel's.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hardin, of Forest City spent Monday night with Mrs. Hardin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Harrill.

Several from this community attended the birthday dinner Sunday at Mr. Buff's near Caroleen.

Mr. and Mrs. John McGinnis, of High Shoals, spent Sunday night with Mr. Roy McDaniel and family.

Miss Ethel Phillips attended a picnic at Lake Lanier Friday afternoon.

Miss Louise Smith is visiting in Kannapolis this week.

Farm relief is still the most frequent subject of political discussion. It seems as if the nation's leaders are afraid to do anything about it, for fear the solution of the problem will leave them with nothing to talk about.

## BOILING SPRINGS COLLEGE ENJOYS WIDE PATRONAGE

Ten Counties And Six States Represented in Student Body. Faculty Record

Boiling Springs, Sept. 10.—The formal opening of the Boiling Springs Junior college on Wednesday morning, Sept. 6, was an occasion of peculiar significance. It marked a great hour in the history of the institution; it was the justification of the faith of those who have upheld the school and their compensation for a sacrificial donation of time and money through the twenty-four years of its existence.

A spirit of quiet satisfaction permeated the gathering of students and friends of the school not the exultation that comes from victory easily acquired, but rather the deep satisfaction that crowns attainment of a long sought goal.

Prof. J. D. Huggins presided at the opening exercises. He introduced Rev. J. L. Jenkins of the Boiling Springs Baptist church, who led the devotional services and welcomed the students on behalf of the church. Prof. Huggins then gave a short history of the school. Prof. Hamrick brought greetings from the community. Mr. J. H. Quinn represented the 35 men on the board of trustees and the 30,000 members of the associations who have supported the school. Mr. E. B. Hamrick, the treasurer of the school since its founding, was in-

roduced. Dr. Zeno Wall was the speaker of the hour. His talk on the "Hands of Jesus" was inspiring and appropriate. The music led by Mr. Horace Eason, of Shelby, added much to the program.

The registration to date shows 98 students registered for high school work and 62 matriculated for the college course. The following counties are represented in the student body Gaston, Rutherford, Lincoln, Polk, Cumberland, Mecklenburg, Jackson, Davidson, Burke, Cleveland. There are students from South Carolina, Virginia, Alabama, Massachusetts and Florida.

Dr. J. B. Davis, a native North Carolinian, has accepted the presidency. He is eminently qualified for this important position. He is a young man of striking personality and thorough scholarship. He was graduated from Mars Hill and Wake Forest college. He took his M. A. from the University of North Carolina and his degree of master of theology from Southwestern Seminary. The board of trustees feel justifiable gratification in having secured him as president of the junior college.

An ovation was given the following members of the faculty whose service has extended over a long period: Prof. J. D. Huggins, 21 years, Mrs. Huggins, 19 years, Miss Curtis 19 years, Prof. O. P. Hamrick 15 years and Mrs. Ritch 14 years. Prof. H. G. Hammett, Miss Eunice Kneese and Miss Lorene Woody of last years faculty have returned. The new teachers are Miss Martha Reece of the science department, Miss Goggans, directors of music, Miss Ruth McCowan, household arts, and Prof. H. L. Snuggs, modern languages.

## SMITH'S GROVE

Forest City, R-3, Sept. 10.—Miss Annie Bell Yelton entertained a few of her friends at a singing Sunday afternoon. Those present were, Misses Mary Elizabeth and Ruth Crowder, Gertrude Fortenberry, Mollie Yelton, Margaret Searcy, Annie Mae and Ethel Andrew, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crowder, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Fortenberry, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Crowder, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fortenberry. Messrs. Roy Hardin, Grady Bridges, Bill Martin, Willie Andrew, Howard Carter, and Paul Crowder.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Hardin and children were the dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Crowder.

Misses Mary Wilson Hardin, and Lucy Crowder spent Sunday with Misses Geneva and Lunette Newton.

Miss Alice Hardin spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Ruth Crowder.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Smith and Pinkie Fortenberry were visitors in Cane Creek Sunday.

Mr. Grady Bridges spent Sunday with Mr. Paul Crowder.

Miss Margaret Searcy spent Sunday with Miss Mollie Yelton.

Miss Gladys Fortenberry spent Sunday with Misses Annie Mae and Beatrice Newton.

Mr. Tom Philbeck, of Lattimore, spent one night last week with Mr. Paul Crowder.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Person spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Crowder.

Mr. Wilmer and Buford Humphries were the visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Roland Smith Saturday night. Miss Minnie Sue Keeter spent

## CHARLES C. SMITH DIED THURSDAY

Shingle Hollow Man Dies Here at Home of Son.

Mr. Chas. C. Smith died at the home of his son, Mr. Frank W. Smith in Forest City early last Thursday morning. He had been in declining health for about two years. He went to Forest City on a visit and to consult a physician when he became ill and died.

He lived in the Shingle Hollow section, Rutherfordton, R-3. Funeral services and burial were held at Piney Knob Baptist church, near his home Friday afternoon with Rev. E. P. White in charge, assisted by Rev. W. L. Haynes. A large crowd of sorrowing friends and relatives attended. His grave was covered with beautiful flowers.

Mr. Smith is survived by his widow and five children, as follows: Messrs. Bert Smith, Sandy Mugh section; Mrs. Mary Thomas, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Mrs. Emma Campbell, Greenville, S. C.; Frank W. Smith, Forest City and Fred Smith, in the West. Mr. Julius Smith of Shelby is the only surviving brother.

Mr. Smith was 69 years of age and was an active member of the Baptist church for many years. He was an honest and upright citizen and will be missed in the home, church and community.

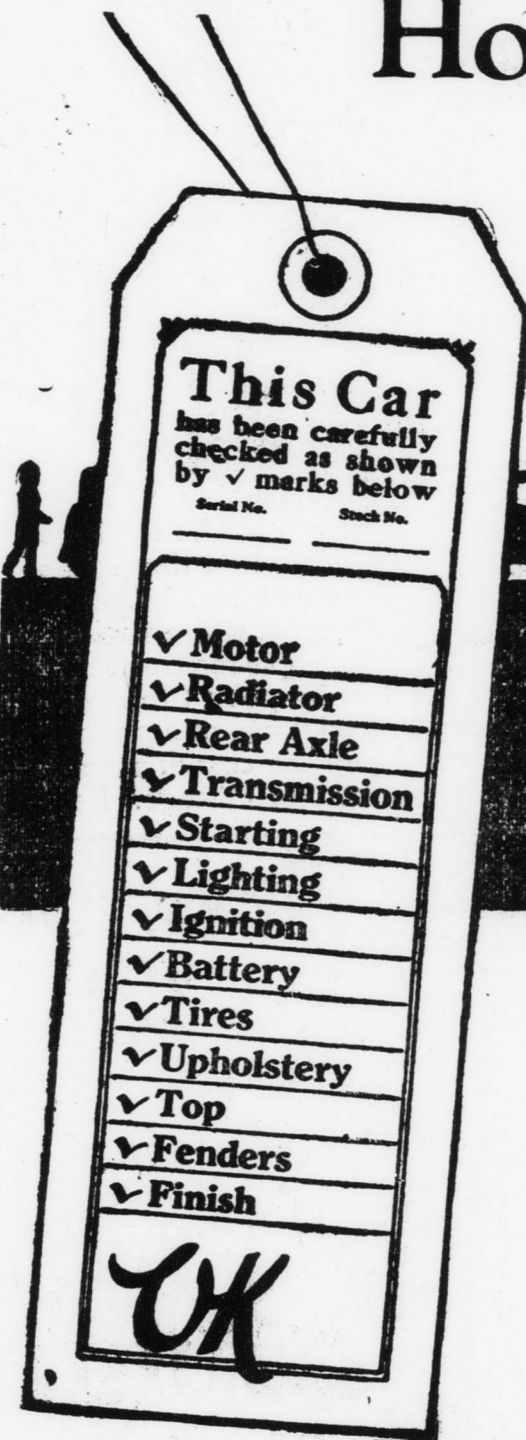
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