

LOCAL MENTION

The Flow's Community Club will meet Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Cotton plinned in Cabarrus county prior to November 1st was 10,385 bales.

B. W. Blackwelder, commissioner, has sold to C. M. Irwin for \$2,523, property in Ward One, this city.

Don't fail to read the reasons "Why Coke is Your Best Fuel" in the ads every day of the Concord and Kannapolis Gas Co.

Everything was quiet in police circles yesterday, officers reported this morning.

The weekly meeting of the Concord Kwanan Club will be held at Hotel Concord tomorrow at 12.30.

All members of the Silver Cross Circle of King's Daughters, who are going to hike over to Slippery Rock for the picnic and marshmallow roast.

John McInnis, member of the freshman class at Davidson, has been made a member of the Pyramid Club there.

Firemen this morning at 7 o'clock were called to the home of Patrolman George Sloop on Simpson street to extinguish a small blaze on the roof of the house.

Dr. J. C. Rowan, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, will conduct a special Armistice Day service at his church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Football fans are greatly interested in the Davidson-Duke game at Raleigh today and The Tribune has made arrangements to get the score by quarters.

Scores of local football fans have secured tickets for the Carolina-Davidson game to be played at Davidson Saturday afternoon.

The Concord Furniture Co. will have a big sale of lamps on Friday, Saturday and Monday.

STANLEY-FARMER POINTS THE WAY

Adam Mabry Always Shuns Credit and Achieves Independent Living.

Mr. Mabry, who lives in the forks of Pee Dee and Rocky rivers, has disclosed some interesting experiences in his farm life.

Mr. Mabry always looks prosperous and happy and possessing his story will help others.

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SHARPE LOSES POSITION AS DRY LAW OFFICIAL

New District Plans of Andrews Deprive Sharpe of Administrator's Job.

Jonathan Daniels in Raleigh News and Observer.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 9.—Ben C. Sharpe loses his job as prohibition administrator and Charlotte loses prohibition district headquarters as a result of a new geographical alignment of prohibition enforcement districts.

North Carolina and Virginia will form a new administrative district, with headquarters at Norfolk.

General Andrews stated that the change was made in the interest of "stronger administration."

With regard to the fate of Mr. Sharpe, who was here today attending a meeting of all administrators of Atlantic seaboard districts.

Changes in prohibition administration district announced today extend from northern New Jersey to Florida and from West Virginia to the Atlantic coast.

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MINISTER PLEADS GUILTY AND GETS LONG SENTENCE

Dr. G. S. Harmon Pleads Guilty to Seven Forgery Indictments.

Hattiesburg, Miss., Nov. 8.—Dr. W. S. Harmon, erstwhile newspaper publisher and minister, was sentenced in circuit court here today to serve ten years in prison after he had entered pleas of guilty on each of seven indictments charging forgery of notes totalling \$35,000.

Immediately after the sentence was imposed Dr. Harmon left for the state prison farm at Parchman to enter confinement.

The former minister occupied a seat between two women. He showed no signs of nervousness as he gave his case attention to the court procedure.

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IN AND ABOUT THE CITY

REPPERT PRAISES SOUTH AND ESPECIALLY CONCORD

Starter for Races at Cabarrus County Fair Loud in Praise for South and Its People.

C. A. Reppert, of Kenton, Ohio, starter for the horse races at the 1926 Cabarrus County Fair, was delighted with the South and its people.

"Because of the popularity of the local man and of the efficiency of his work, he has been secured to officiate over the entire Southwest race circuit events of North Carolina in 1927."

"Upon his return here, Mr. Reppert had only the highest praise and commendation for the successful fair held in that state, particularly the one at Concord. He lauded the courtesy of the Carolinians and expressed great pleasure over the wonderful treatment extended him."

"Dr. Spencer, secretary of the Concord fair, was declared by Mr. Reppert to be one of the liveliest, most efficient fair secretaries in the country. Thousands jammed the Concord fair grounds each day and night during the continuance of the exposition and displays and numbered into the thousands."

"The racing events were the largest in the history of the fair. One of the many events started by Mr. Reppert was the consolation race for a \$400 purse. Twenty-three horses, losers in other events, started, representing the largest field ever known over a half-mile course."

"Concerning the work of Mr. Reppert, the Concord Daily Tribune says: 'He is an experienced race official, handling his task well. It was his first appearance here and he made a fine impression.'"

ESCAPED PRISONER IS ARRESTED HERE

Dewey Furr Found at Home of Relatives and Carried Back to State Prison.

Dewey Furr, Concord white man, was carried back to the State prison yesterday by Sergeant Widenhouse and Patrolman Faggart of the Concord police department, after enjoying liberty since 1921 when he escaped from the prison.

Furr was arrested here Tuesday afternoon at the home of relatives, the arrest being made by the officers who escorted him back to Raleigh.

The escaped prisoner told the officers he had been living in Virginia, where he went after escaping from the prison. Since his get-away in 1921, he said, he had married and his wife and two-year old child are now in Virginia.

Furr was sentenced early in 1921, from Cabarrus Superior Court to serve twenty months in the State prison on a larceny charge. He had served about six months when he escaped, officers here were advised.

ROTARY MEETING

Dr. C. R. Harding, of Davidson College, Addresses Club on Languages.

Dr. C. R. Harding, of Davidson College, was the speaker at the weekly meeting of the Concord Rotary Club at Hotel Concord yesterday.

As the guest of W. G. Brown, who had charge of the program with R. E. Jones, Dr. Harding discussed the value of Greek and Latin. He advised fathers of the club who have boys to go to college to see that they study both of these languages.

The speaker pointed out that practically all of the words used in English are derived either from Latin or Greek.

HIGH OFFICIALS OF ODD FELLOWS COMING

State Grand Master, Grand Secretary and Grand Representative to Visit Local Lodge.

High dignitaries of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows in North Carolina will visit the local lodge here tonight when buttons of honor will be conferred on Concord and Kannapolis members.

State officers coming for the meeting will be Grand Master R. L. Spaulding, Grand Secretary L. B. McBrayer, and Grand Representative S. L. Witmore. In addition members from the lodges of Charlotte, Mooresville, Statesville and Wadesboro are expected to attend.

Members of the Kannapolis lodge have been invited to attend the meeting in a body. After the business session refreshments will be served.

While with the Concord lodge the State officers will confer 25-year service buttons on eight members of the Concord lodge and two members of the Kannapolis lodge. They will also confer the past master degree on eligible members of the Concord lodge.

Two members of the Concord lodge who were to receive the 25-year service buttons died within recent weeks. They were P. G. Cook and J. W. Collett.

The meeting promises to be the most important in many years in Odd Fellow circles.

COLD WAVE STRIKES ON CREST OF WINDS

Ice Reported in Various Parts of City and County This Morning—Warmer Weather Promised.

Riding the crest of high winds sent eastward from the Middle West were snow flurries and freezing temperatures prevailed, the cold wave struck Concord late yesterday afternoon and early last night. The mercury tumbled in the face of the driving winds, falling more than forty degrees from the high mark of Tuesday.

It was a typical winter night that greeted Concord persons who ventured out last night. There was not a cloud in the sky and the moon shone with glory stare it assumes when the mercury is on a downward trend.

Autumn leaves were whisked away by the rising winds and many trees which still were clothed in variegated raiment yesterday morning were bare and cold by nightfall.

Ice was reported in various parts of the city and county this morning, the heaviest freeze being in unprotected places. A large number of trees were damaged.

Warmer weather is promised for the end of the week, with the first noticeable increase due tomorrow.

Y. M. C. A. News.

The Sunday Gang will meet at the Y. M. C. A. building at 8.30 o'clock.

All persons interested in volleyball are requested to be out for practice tonight at 8.30.

There will be a meeting of the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. tonight at 7.30 at the Y.

SAYS 1927 TO BE A PROSPEROUS YEAR

Commissioner Grist Says Fifty Million Will Be Spent in State on Four Projects.

"North Carolina will be in as good, if not better, condition next year than any state in the union, with four big projects alone going on in the state which will total around fifty million dollars," Frank D. Grist, commissioner of labor and printing, stated yesterday.

"I look for it to be an extremely busy year, and one of the most prosperous years we have ever known," he added.

Two of the four projects to which Mr. Grist referred have already been launched, and the other two are expected to commence during the first part of the coming year.

The Carolina Power and Light Company plans to erect a big plant on Pigeon River in the extreme western part of the state, on which they expect to begin work soon after the first of the year, he stated.

The other projects which will be launched next year is the extension of the Piedmont and Northern Railroad from Gastonia to Spartanburg, and north from Charlotte via Winston-Salem, High Point and Greensboro, which will involve a total expenditure of about twenty million dollars.

The Tallahassee Power Company at Baden has already started construction on a ten million dollar project while the Carolina Power and Light Company is building a big dam at Norwood.

There is of course the possibility that the legislature will authorize some millions of dollars worth of roads, and a number of smaller projects are slated for the coming year.

The demand already exceeds the supply for day laborer, Mr. Grist stated, and while there are a few day laborers without jobs they are the kind that don't want jobs.

Mr. Grist admitted, but recalled a time in his youth when he turned to digging ditches when several thousand miles from home and broke.

WILKES COUNTY YOUTH SHOT IN COLD BLOOD

Reports Are That Monroe Curry Was Killed as Outcome of Plot.

North Wilkesboro, Nov. 10.—Monroe Curry, aged 18, is dead, George Shew, 19, is in jail and Glenn Gray, 22, is being hunted by officers as result of a shooting affair which occurred at the store of J. A. Foster at Call post office Tuesday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock.

Gray is alleged to have shot and instantly killed Curry. It is said that Shew and Gray made plans while at the store to kill Curry; that they went into a back room, Gray started if Shew would start a quarrel with Curry, he would kill him.

Whether this is true or not it is alleged that Gray fired a .45 Colt revolver at Curry, four bullets taking effect in the latter's back and leg. Gray fired from behind Curry. It is reported that Curry had not even spoken to ray but that he was quarreling with Shew when shot.

It is further reported that Gray and Shew were drinking but that Curry was not under the influence of whiskey.

Lawrence Call, J. A. Foster, Charlie Williams and others were in the store at the time of the murder.

Week End Specials In Our New Bargain Basement

OUTINGS AT 10c COTTON PRICES
Big Shipment of Outing Just Received
One Big Lot of Pink, Blue, White and Dark Color Outing Remnants, 27 inches wide yard. . . 5c

LADIES' COATS (BASEMENT)
Solid Checks and Plaids, some with fur collars and cuffs—others with heavy collars. All sizes, dark and light colors. Special auction price—

BOYS' OVERCOATS (BASEMENT)
Sizes 2 to 10 Years, some with fur trimmings. 500 Boys' Overcoats to be sold at these auction prices:

Men's Work Shirts, full cut and roomy 48c AND 59c
26-inch Window Shades, full line of colors, 75c values. Special price, each 45c
Men's Heavy Ribbed Union Suits, Winter Weight Special per Suit 79c
2 for \$1.50.
A.A. Sheeting, 36 inch three-yard Sheeting Special price, yard 10c
Men's Heavy Cotton Striped Hose, Rockford. Special Price, per pair 18c
2 for 35c.

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Ready-to-Wear and Millinery 138

PROFITS OF SOME OF THE AUTOMOBILE COMPANIES

General Motors Made \$140,317,553 Net in Nine Months—Studebaker Receipts Decline.

General Motors earned \$149,317,553 net in nine months. This is more than it has earned in any previous full year and represents \$17.77 per common share, after dividends are paid.

Chrysler increased its operating expenses enormously because of the new models it brought out this summer.

Studebaker made \$11,905,125 up to September 30th. This was a decline from last year's \$15,157,226.

Who Should Close the Phone Conversation?
By whom should a telephone conversation be ended?

er and if he or she were calling in person the host or hostess obviously would not be the ones to bring the call to an end.

When a woman is conversing over the telephone with a man, it matters not whether the woman or the man did the calling up, it is the woman who should bring the conversation to an end.

If a woman calls up another woman it should always be the woman who calls up who brings the conversation to a close.

All those who feel it a duty and a privilege to manifest their appreciation of the blessings which the Giver of all good has vouchsafed unto them by helping their less fortunate brothers and sisters, ought to be interested in the appeal of the North Carolina Orphan Association relative to assisting in the maintenance of the twenty-three orphan homes located in various sections of the state.

Can you think of any person who has a monetary assistance from an orphan home which are available to care for, educate and support so many of the little boys and girls from the highways and byways of the state?