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WILL KINGTON KILLED BY CAR

Sandy Ridge Citizen Was Enroute To Winston-Salem With Load of Tobacco When Car Turned Over On Him—Ernest Dodson Was Slightly Injured.

Will Kington, farmer and good citizen of the Sandy Ridge section, was instantly killed early Monday morning near Walkertown when the car he was driving turned over on him, the steering wheel and body of the car crushing him.

The unfortunate man, in company with his neighbor, Ernest Dodson, left home Sunday night at 12 o'clock with a load of tobacco on a Ford touring car, expecting to reach the Winston-Salem market in time for the sale Monday morning. When a point two miles north of Walkertown was reached another car was met and the lights from it blinded Mr. Kington so that his car left the road a few feet and ran up an embankment, turning it over. Mr. Dodson was thrown from the car and knocked unconscious but soon recovered. Upon investigating he found Mr. Kington under the car and life was already extinct. The car by whose lights Mr. Kington was blinded did not stop and the driver probably did not know of the wreck, as Mr. Dodson stated that the car had passed them before their car turned over.

Mr. Kington, who was about 32 years of age, is survived by his wife and three children. Interment will be made today in the family burying ground.

STOKES MEN ARE ARRESTED

Merchants Charged With Operating Slot Machines — Give Bond For Appearance In Superior Court.

D. H. Carter, of Pine Hall, and W. A. Manley, of Walnut Cove, both merchants, were arrested recently on warrants charging them with operating slot machines in their respective places of business.

The merchants were given hearings here before Justice of the Peace N. A. Martin, and each furnished bond for their appearance in Superior court next spring.

Walnut Cove Man In Auto Accident

Walnut Cove, Nov. 18.—A. T. Rothrock, local merchant, came near having a serious accident recently while on his way home from his store. A large lumber truck ran into him and knocked the Ford truck he was driving off into a ditch, damaging the truck considerably. Misslice Ayers, who makes her home with Mr. Rothrock, was in the Ford truck, and received a bad cut over her eye.

A large congregation was present at the Baptist Church Sunday and two new members were added. The Sunday school collection, which was for the building fund, amounted to \$127.00.

Mrs. F. G. Dunklee, of Winston-Salem, is building a new residence in South Walnut Cove. Thos Neal will occupy same on completion.

Musical Program At Flat Rock School

Pinnacle, Nov. 23.—On Friday evening, Nov. 19th, a 7:30 o'clock, a musical program was rendered at Flat Rock school, after which a number of pies were offered to the highest bidder. The proceeds of this party, which was \$73.86, will be used for the benefit of Flat Rock School.

James Bennett, of Danbury Route 1, was in town on business today.

OVERMAN HAD 76,043 MAJORITY

State Board of Elections Canvassed Vote Tuesday—State Candidates Had About Same Majority As Overman.

Raleigh, Nov. 23.—The State Board of Elections late today reported on official returns from the State of North Carolina for the election of November 2, the board having met this morning for the official canvass. Governor McLean is chairman of the Board.

The official vote as certified yesterday is as follows:

Constitutional amendment: For 47,618. Against, 24,800.

Veteran loan referendum: For, 65,951; against 26,084.

For United States Senator: Lee S. Overman, (D), 218,934. Johnson J. Hayes, (R), 142,891.

For Corporation Commissioner: A. J. Maxwell, (D), 218,840; J. J. Jenkins, (R), 142,314.

For Chief Justice North Carolina Supreme Court: W. P. Stacey, (D), 218,801; J. J. Britt, (R), 142,030.

For Associate Justice, North Carolina Supreme Court: Perry Clarkson, (D), 218,331; W. J. Brogden, (D), 217,952; W. J. Adams, (D), 217,915; H. F. Seawell, (R), 140,703; H. R. Starback, (R), 141,046.

NO TOBACCO SALES AFTER WEDNESDAY

Warehouses Will Close For Thanksgiving Wednesday Night—Open Again Monday.

Announcement is made that the Winston-Salem tobacco warehouses will close for Thanksgiving on Thursday night of this week, and will not open until Monday next.

The sales on the Winston-Salem market so far have been 25,116,521 pounds of tobacco.

License Plates To Worry Solons

One of the first questions which veteran and newly elected members of the next general assembly will have to wrestle with will be the question of whether the state will continue the use of only one automobile license plate, or whether it will adopt the double license plate system, now in use in virtually all of the states in the country, with the exception of North Carolina, South Carolina, and Texas. Up until 1917, this state used the double license plates but owing to the high cost of steel during the war, but one plate was used, and this system has been in use ever since. Now, however, owing to the increase in the number of automobiles in the state, and the confusion which results when motorists from North Carolina go into other states where the two-plate system is used. Serious consideration is being given to the return to the dual plate plan.

At present North Carolina is paying a little over four-and-a-half cents for its license plates, or to be exact \$0.457 each. More than 400,000 license plates will be used this year, and next year 515,000 plates are to be ordered. The only increase in cost would be not more than five cents for the extra plate, so that the two plates could be provided at a total cost of not more than \$25.750 for the entire state, and perhaps a slight increase in postage, which would be absorbed by other savings, in the opinion of Sprague Silver who is in favor of the double license plate system.

In another state, the farmers are finding that they receive from 70 to 198 percent more for their crops by feeding them to livestock than they would if they sold the harvested crop.

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KING ASSURED OF POWER AND LIGHTS

Power Company Secures Lot For Sub-Station—News and Personal Items.

King, Nov. 22.—Electric lights and power are now assured for King. A representative of the Southern Public Utilities Co. was here Friday and closed a deal with Mr. N. E. Preston, purchasing a site on South Depot street for the substation. Right-of-ways have all been signed up and this representative while here stated that actual work would be commenced in about two weeks. Already material is arriving for the project. This will mean much for the town in many ways, especially in securing suitable manufacturing enterprises. This town is high and dry, having an altitude of 1200 feet, it is very healthy here, and there is plenty of labor to be had at reasonable wages. The lack of power has been a hindrance to the progress of this town for many years, but in spite of all this, King is said to be the best little town in North Carolina, and since this obstacle has been overcome it is believed that the town will grow by leaps and bounds.

The first snow of the season made its appearance here yesterday.

Misses Rena and Ersie Kreeger have purchased from V. T. Grabs a residence lot on south Depot street, on which they will erect a new home. Work to be started at an early date.

W. T. Pulliam, of Thomasville, Ga., is spending several weeks with relatives here.

The 12-year-old son of Rufus Smith cut an ugly gash in his foot while cutting wood at the Oak Grove school last Wednesday. He was rushed to the King Drug Co. where Dr. R. S. Helsebeck sewed up and dressed the wound.

John Beasley has purchased from E. P. Newsom a dwelling and lot on east Main street.

J. E. Manning has just returned from a trip to Galax and Hillsville, Va. He states that the Hillsville court house in which the court was shot up several years ago, is being remodeled at a cost of \$25,000. It will be equipped with electric lights, steam heat and will have fire proof vaults in which to keep its records. Mr. Manning was accompanied on the trip by his wife and two sons.

Theodore Newsom, of Winston-Salem spent Sunday with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. John T. Love is spending several days with her son at Winston-Salem.

Leo Fowler, of High Point, was among the visitors here Sunday.

Rev. Paul H. Newsom, of this place, filled his regular appointment at Mt. Airy Sunday.

Waldo Flynn, who holds a position with The South Railway Co., is spending a few days with his family here.

Rev. Joseph Hall, of Westfield, delivered a very interesting sermon at the Baptist church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Caudle and daughter, Miss Flossie, of Winston-Salem, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives here.

News of King Route 2.

King Route 2, Nov. 22.—An exceptionally nice pie supper was given at Mt. Olive church last Friday night with a large crowd present with Rev. O. E. Ward, the pastor, also present. The Mt. Zion choir furnished the singing, while Mrs. Reid Jones played the piano. The pies brought from \$2.00 to \$8.00, which amounted to \$101.00, which went toward paying for the piano which was bought some time ago for the church. Mr. Reid Jones, of Winston-Salem, was the auctioneer.

SCRIBBLER.

Thanksgiving tomorrow.

TRAFFIC'S TOLL IN PAST WEEK 57 DEAD, 249 HURT

Grade Crossing Accidents Caused 14 Deaths; North Carolina's Record For Week Was 7 Deaths and 24 Injured; Mississippi Led South.

Grade crossing accidents took a toll of 14 dead and six injured in the South last week, while 57 persons were killed and 249 hurt in all forms of traffic mishaps in 11 Southern States, reports to the Southern press show.

Two crossing crashes in Mississippi Sunday cost four lives and four were injured, giving that State the lead for the week in traffic fatalities, with 11.

Georgia's grade crossing toll for the week was four dead and two hurt, while three were killed in North Carolina, and one each in Florida, Virginia and South Carolina in crashes between trains and automobiles.

A compilation of States follow:

State	Dead	Injured
Alabama	3	14
Arkansas	1	23
Florida	7	41
Georgia	8	16
Kentucky	5	11
Louisiana	6	32
Mississippi	11	22
North Carolina	7	24
South Carolina	2	3
Tennessee	2	33
Virginia	5	39
Totals	57	249

"I Will Bless Thee and Make Thee a Blessing"—God spoke these words to Abraham.

"In the beginning God created man." Created him for one and only one purpose, to glorify God, as men and nations have followed God, just so has God blessed them. A nation not much larger than Stokes county, and not more fertile, yet the Jews were lending money to other nations.

Russia's resources far exceed ours. Find the richest garden in the U. S. Russia can nearly cover the United States with land as rich in minerals, forests, petroleum, in resources of various kinds Russia excels, yet people are starving in Russia. It is the people, not resources that make a nation great—that makes nations prosperous.

The United States has 1-20 of the world's population, we have nearly 3-5 of the world's gold. God has blessed us as he has blessed no other nation, but with blessings come also opportunities. Yes and responsibilities too. We as a nation are giving less than one per cent of our income for all religious purposes. Two years ago, we spent \$1,000,000,000 for candy, \$2,000,000,000 for automobiles, \$2,110,000,000 for tobacco. Below is a table showing how we spend our dollar:

Living costs	24	1-2
Luxuries	22	
Waste	14	
Miscellaneous	13	1-2
Investments	11	
Crime	8	1-2
Government	4	1-2
Schools	1	1-2
Churches	3	1-2

Let us show our thankfulness to Almighty God for the great material blessings which are ours by giving this Thanksgiving week a liberal offering to the orphans Home. Hand your gift to Bro. or Sister N. E. Pepper, Bro. or Sister H. M. Joyce, or to the writer of this at Danbury.

"In-as-much as you did it unto one of these little ones you did it unto me."

REV. D. W. HUDSPETH.

Danbury, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stovall, of Peters Creek township, spent a short while here Tuesday.

FINEST ROAD IN NORTH CAROLINA

Cement Thirty Feet Wide Is Being Poured Between Greensboro and High Point.

High Point, Nov. 21.—The new Greensboro-High Point boulevard, designed to rank among the foremost highways of the south, when completed, is practically half finished and should be completed about the first of the year. Nearly 10 miles of concrete has been poured for the roadbed, from Greensboro to Jamestown, and the remaining five miles to High Point will be poured between now and Christmas.

WIDEN OLD ROAD.

The state highway commission is following out a plan to widen the old 16-mile road from Greensboro to High Point from a width of 16 feet to a width of 30 feet, with broad shoulders on either side in addition. It is stated that this boulevard will be one of the finest in the entire south and by far the finest in North Carolina.

This is the most heavily trafficked road in the state, with the single exception of a comparatively short stretch between Charlotte and Gastonia. It forms a popular gateway for tourists passing from the north to the south, and vice versa.

WHITE WAY.

The matter of installing an electric white way along the highway for the entire 16 miles has been considered by Greensboro and High Point citizens, but as yet no decision has been reached. The woman's club here has given some talk to the subject of planting trees and shrubbery on either side as a further enhancement of its beauty.

News Items Of the Smithtown Section

Lawsonville Route 1, Nov. 22.—H. T. Corn and daughter, Bessie, went to Danbury Sunday to see Dr. R. H. Morefield, who has been treating Bessie for tonsil trouble for the past two weeks.

Misses Lola Collins, Jessie Fralin, Emiley Woody and Bessie Corn and Willis Moore spent Saturday in Winston-Salem.

Early Handy has purchased a new Ford roadster.

Willis Moore, Ernest Hutcherson, Robert Martin, Frank Joyce and Miss Jessie Fralin were visitors at the home of H. T. Corn Sunday.

The Primitive Baptist preachers, Pruitt and Gilbert, held services Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Jesse Corn. Quite a large crowd was present.

J. C. Handy and daughter, Ila, were shoppers in Leaksville Saturday.

Misses Lola Collins, Jessie Fralin and Ernest Hutcherson spent Friday night in Winston-Salem at the home of Mr. Hutcherson's sister.

Tom Poore, Vance Hill and Homer Nelson were visitors at the home H. T. Corn Thursday afternoon.

Homer Wilson and Fred Vernon were visitors at the home of Cutler Hill during Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Emma Lawless and Moir Heath spent Saturday afternoon with Miss Margaret Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Handy have recently purchased a new cooking range. So if the Smithtown neighbors desire a well cooked meal go to Handy's.

Moir Heath and Miss Emma Lawless spent Sunday in Mt. Airy at the of Mrs. Gilmer Nelson.

Stokes Farms At Auction

The Charles Lasley Farm, near Walnut Cove, and a part of the J. G. Jones farm, near Pinnacle, will be sold at auction soon. Don't fail to read announcements elsewhere in this paper.

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THE NEW GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAKEUP

Will Have 16 Republicans In The House and Two In the Senate—130 New Faces Will Be There.

Raleigh, Nov. 19.—There will be 130 new faces in the Senate and House of Representatives when the General Assembly convenes here in January according to a compilation of returns from the November 2 election made by Henry H. London, legislative reference librarian.

The tabulation also showed that sixteen Republicans would sit in the House—a decrease of three from 1925, and that only two would mingle with the 48 Democrats in the senate. Last year there were three.

Not one of the Republican legislators will come from east of the Yadkin river. This is said to be the first time within a generation that this has occurred and was brought about by Republican defeats in Johnston, Sampson and Brunswick counties.

There will be two Everetts in the House. They are brothers but they hail from different sections of the state. R. O. Everett, is from Durham and has been in the assembly before; J. A. Everett, is from Martin county and is a newcomer.

The Senate also has its brothers. They are W. P. Horton, of Pittsboro, who comes up from the Thirteenth District, and W. B. Horton, of Yanceyville, from the Sixteenth district. Both are newcomers.

Angus D. McLean is coming to the House from Beaufort county for his term. Despite the similarity of names he is not closely related to governor.

D. S. Poole, Raeford editor who sponsored the Anti-Evolution bill in the last session will be back, as will Z. V. Tarlington, father of the state's dry act.

Walter Murphy, political genius of Rowan county and avowed opponent of the Salary and Wage Commission and the Executive budget will be on hand again, as well Harrison Yelverton, Wayne county statesman.

Other familiar faces will be present but one will be missing—Will Neal, the ambassador from McDowell, primary opponent and the original die-hard on woman suffrage, was beaten after years of service by a Republican. Mr. Neal made the fatal mistake of opposing the Pool anti-evolution bill and his Fundamentalist constituency never forgave him.

Among the luminaries who ran for the assembly and lost was Horace Kephart, chronicler of the Blue Ridge, who lost to a Republican in Wayne county.

The compilation showing that 16 Republicans would sit in the House upset early post-elections predictions of Democratic leaders which indicated that there would be only 12. Last session there were nineteen in the House and three in the Senate. This term there will be only 2 in the Senate, the upset coming with the result in the Thirty-third District, composed of five mountain counties, which apparently elected a Democratic Senator although each of the five counties returned Republican Representatives.

Preaching Dates For Presbyterian Churches

Pastor Hudspeth, of the Presbyterian church here, announces appointments for preaching until further notice, as follows:

Danbury, 1st and 3rd Sundays at 11 o'clock.

Pine Hall, 2nd and 4th Sundays at 11 o'clock.

Sandy Ridge, 4th Sunday night.

Yadkin School house, 5th Sundays.

Visitors and strangers are cordially welcome.