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WOMAN KILLED BY AUTOMOBILE

Mrs. Pete Tuttle Run Over By Car Driven By Ernest Ashburn—Other News of King.

King, Nov. 21.—James R. Caudle, a Spanish War veteran, who is taking treatment in the government hospital at Portsmouth, Va., is spending a short furlough with his family in Walnut Hills.

The state councilor of the Sons and Daughters of Liberty will deliver an address in the hall here Saturday night, Nov. 26th.

The following births were recorded here last week: Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fulp, a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Kiser, a son, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Watts, a son, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Adkins, a son, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Starbuck, a son, and Mr. and Mrs. Rural Adkins, a daughter.

Quite a number of business men from here are attending Guilford county court at Greensboro this week as witnesses in the case where Max Samet is suing the insurance companies for insurance which he claims is due him as a result of his store building and stock of merchandise being destroyed by fire on August 27, 1925.

Roy Fowler and family, of High Point, spent Sunday with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Byrd, of Winston-Salem, were among the visitors here Sunday.

Roy Gentry, of Winston-Salem, spent Sunday here as the guest of friends.

Mrs. Pete Tuttle, aged 67 years, was run over by an automobile being driven by Ernest Ashburn Saturday afternoon. The accident happened at her home. She had started to cross the highway and saw the car was too near for her to get across, so she turned back, and Mr. Ashburn thinking she was going on tried to dodge in back of her. She was knocked several feet and sustained a broken leg, fractured skull and her body was bruised practically all over. She died this morning at 6 o'clock. The interment will be conducted from Mount Olive church Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The deceased was one of the best women in her community and will be greatly missed.

Mrs. Annie I. Smith, of Boston, Mass., left Monday for her home after spending several days with relatives here.

In the 17th and early 18th centuries family Bibles were kept in oak boxes made especially for that purpose. Many of the boxes were elaborately carved.

Respect the strength of the dairy bull. Handle him with firmness and caution and prevent serious results.

Michigan State College, founded in 1857, is the oldest agricultural college in the country.

Pies, pastries and frankfurters have been banned from New York school lunches in an effort to encourage more balanced meals.

When Austen Chamberlain was installed as Lord Rector of Glasgow University, 2,000 of the students wore monocles in his honor.

RITCHIE PUTS AL SMITH FIRST

Maryland Governor, Himself a Candidate For Nomination, Lauds Opponent.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Governor Smith of New York, as "the foremost of the governors of the 48 states," is entitled to first consideration for the democratic nomination for president is the belief of Governor Ritchie of Maryland, himself a potential candidate for the nomination.

The Maryland executive expressed his view last night in addressing Catholic charity workers.

Mr. Ritchie thanked the chairman of the meeting for associating his name with that of Smith and remarked that the New York governor should receive first consideration when the time comes to select a party nominee.

Upon the close of Governor Ritchie's speech, Archbishop Curley, of Baltimore, paid a tribute to the Maryland governor, who is of another faith.

So valuable was the Mexican cocoa bean up to fifty years ago that the entire populace of Mexico used it as money. One bean passed for a cent.

School Faculty Is Entertained

Mrs. A. J. Fagg and Mrs. W. G. Petree were joint hostesses at quite a delightful party Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Fagg honoring the teachers of the school here. The hostesses graciously greeted their guests in the reception hall and directed them to the punch bowl where Miss Edith Fagg was dispensing the refreshing punch.

The rooms were beautifully decorated with potted plants and baskets of exquisite chrysanthemums.

A contest, "A Thanksgiving Story", was very much enjoyed. Mrs. W. J. Hackney and Mr. R. A. Smith tied for the prize, Mrs. Hackney being the winner of a miniature turkey filled with candy.

The men were then asked to write ten things a bachelor should be thankful for and the ladies ten things old maids should be thankful for. N. E. Pepper and M. O. Jones tied for this prize, Mr. Jones drawing the lucky straw, was awarded a dancing bear.

A delicious course of refreshments consisting of a congealed salad with whipped cream, cake and mints was attractively served.

About fifty guests were present to enjoy Mrs. Fagg's and Mrs. Petree's kind hospitality and do honor to the school faculty which is composed of Mr. Keener, principal, Misses Elizabeth Russell, Pruella Klutz, Ina Goldston and Lois Bramlet.

It is said that the human race came into existence about 16,000,000 years ago, and there is no good reason why in another 16,000,000 years it should not learn to act like a human race.—Louisville Times.

An aviator in a single-seater British Air Force plane flew upside down for four minutes and forty-five seconds, thus setting a new record.

Read Reporter Advertisements and buy at Home.

THE ELECTION IN PATRICK

Tom George Is Returned To the Legislature, Frank Mays Wins On Sheriff's Ticket and John Taylor Goes Back To Clerk's Office.

Returns from the recent election held over in our neighbor county of Patrick have just been received here.

Tom George, a native Stokes boy, who represented Patrick the past term in the House of Commons, was re-elected by a majority of 226.

Sheriff Frank Mays was re-elected to the office of Sheriff, his majority being 970.

John Taylor was re-elected to the office of Clerk of Court by a majority of 430 votes.

The three gentlemen mentioned above, are well known in Stokes and have many friends here.

Dr. Smith To Preach At Westfield

Westfield, N. C., November 14.—Dr. Tom Smith, of Westfield, has consented to favor us with one of his able sermons on Nov. 27th at 11 o'clock, it being his 50th anniversary and we congratulate ourselves that many of those who live at some of the churches near here that he once served can join us in meeting and shaking his hand on this birthday occasion. Dr. Smith was born here and has never moved his home but served the church along with medical practice. He served two years at Indian Grove, two years at Mt. Olive, Two years at Flat Rock, two years at Red Bank, two years at Antioch, two years at Pilot Mountain, three years at Woodville, and all his spare time at this church. It is due largely to his influence that there has been built up the best and largest Baptist country church in all this section of Surry and Stokes and we trust that all these former charges may avail themselves of the opportunity to send a few at least of their members to see what a splendid church can be built in a community dominated by good people and having a model christian living in their midst worthy of imitation. Dr. Smith often filled the former church which held about 500 and the new church will hold 1,000. Let everybody that can be with us come. It will do you good to be here. The celebrated Simmons choir will have charge of the music and this alone will amply pay you for your visit.

We presume the bootleggers are wondering why Chicago is making such a lot of fuss over a little water.

After a Soviet ambassador to Paris has presented his credentials what does he do till train time?—Detroit News.

A Czech composer is almost ready to give jazz funeral music to the world, according to a cable dispatch from Prague. We shall have to revise the text "O Death, where is thy sting?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

This week's unsunk hero is the fellow who walked into the city hall with an English tweed suit on.—Chicago Daily News.

The drivers of the G. O. P. Elephant wish Borah could appreciate the difference between a howdah and a hoodoo.—Boston Herald.

You notice nobody has had the nerve to pick out any one woman in America and call her an Average Woman.—Tampa Tribune.

AUTO VICTIMS GROW FAST

If Present Rate Continues 65,000 People Will Be Killed In Automobile Accidents in 1937.

Chicago, Nov. 15.—Within 10 years, at the present rate of increase, this country will have 40,000,000 automobiles on its highways, killing 65,000 persons a year. Even now, nearly 70 persons are dying each day from the auto accidents whose toll will approximate 25,000 this year.

It is this situation which serves as the chief worry for the National Safety council, now meeting here. And its delegates find that serious as this problem is, the public is showing a strange lack of concern in its solution.

Yet men whose business it is to discover ways to head off the growing slaughter, advise that vast improvement is possible through a little planning.

First, the national taxi owners, whose bread and butter is involved in holding down accidents, say that stringent driver licensing laws offer the principal hope for betterment. By requiring that drivers pass tests before being licensed to handle a car on the highways, a chief source of accidents would be removed in their studied opinion.

Then engineers, offering their bit of advice, say that highways should be widened, and that grades should be separated on busy thoroughfares, both at intersections with railroads and with other busy highways. Railroad engineers reply that it would cost twenty billions of dollars to separate all railroad crossings where highways intersect, but they join in urging separation where busy highways are involved.

Next to engineering and licensing problems, the safety people stress education. Safety training now is starting in kindergarten and it is going on through the eighth grade of elementary schools. It is being worked into the three R's reading, writing and arithmetic. Through this means, it is thought that people will be educated to become safety conscious.

Besides this, a great deal depends on the automobiles themselves. Thorough testing of breaks should be made periodically, the safety men advise. Headlights should be properly adjusted and cars kept in good mechanical condition.

Then uniform traffic laws, planned from experience to conform to the best practice for safety are urged. There should be laws governing pedestrians, the same as those governing cars.

When all safety methods have been put into effect, states should have compulsory accident compensation laws, so safety men say, providing that any person injured in an automobile accident will be cared for properly and any dependents provided for in case of death.

By systematic safety work and thorough study of the problem railroads in this country have cut down their accidental deaths sharply in the last 15 years, in spite of increased traffic and the 126 per cent increase in deaths at highway crossings.

TOBACCO SHORTAGE

Based On Last Year's Consumption 1927 Yield Will Be Short.

Washington, Nov. 10.—A serious shortage in the production of most types of tobacco compared with consumption during the past year is indicated said the department of agriculture today in the comment on preliminary forecast of 1,190,357,000 pounds of tobacco this year.

"The prospective production of burley is 36 per cent less than the amount actually consumed during the year ending October 1, said the crop reporting board.

Speaking of production the board said yields are turning out better than was anticipated in several states, notably North Carolina, where an average of 692 pounds per acre is reported.

Tobacco yield is reported at 745 pounds per acre compared with 787 in 1926 and 770 pounds, the five year average, said the report.

The average quality of crop is reported at 80.5 per cent compared with 80.1 in 1926 and 81.1, the 10 year average.

Thanksgiving.

There is an old legend that every morning two angels leave heaven for earth—one the Angel of Petition and the other the Angel of Thanksgiving, each carrying a basket; and that at night the Angel of Petition returns with her basket heaped full and running over with petitions to the Almighty for every human desire, while the Angel of Thanksgiving returns with her basket almost empty.

Though a legend only, how true to human nature the story is! Blessings almost without end are poured out upon us, individually and as a nation; and yet how few, comparatively, in a spirit of profound gratitude bow in humility and render heartfelt thanks to God for His infinite mercies and blessings. On Thanksgiving Day the golf fields are crowded with eager players, and the forests and the fields resound with the reverberations of the hunters' horns or the crack of the shotgun; but our churches are but scantily filled with those called by the President to attend their places of worship in a spirit of thanksgiving.

Surely as nation we have been the beneficiaries of God's great love, the recipients of His bounty, as no other nation in all the world.

Do we appreciate these facts, and as a nation and as individuals, in a true spirit of worship, render our thanksgiving to the Giver of every good and perfect gift, and joyfully sing.

"Praise God from whom all blessings flow."—Manufacturers Record.

Stokes Men Tried In Federal Court

Kelly and Georgie Sisk, of the Lawsonville community, were tried in Federal court at Winston-Salem last week on a charge of manufacturing whisky. Georgie was given a sentence of two months in the Stokes jail, while Kelly was fined \$100.

TRAPPING RABBITS IS WITHIN THE LAW

Old-Fashioned Rabbit Gum Will Be Used By Youngsters This Year.

Raleigh, Nov. 16.—The time honored sport of trapping rabbits with the old-fashioned box or gum, indulged in chiefly by young boys, is not prohibited under the new state-wide game law, says an announcement today by Wade H. Phillips, director of the department of conservation and development.

Allowance for the continuation of this sport, says the director, is made in the text of the law which allows trapping or hunting of the cottontail without gun at any time.

"While the open season for hunting rabbits with a gun, is from November 1 to March 1 and there is no bag limit, the law makes a special provision in favor of the boys in the country who want to catch rabbits with the old-fashioned box or gum at any time."

Director Phillips has received a number of inquiries from various parts of the State regarding the question of trapping rabbits and this explanation is made for the benefit of those who have a doubt in this respect. Reports from over the State are to the effect that the supply of the cottontail this year is plentiful and that numbers of hunters are indulging in the sport.

Ten Surry Prisoners Taken To Roads Of Durham County

Dobson, Nov. 17.—Sheriff Haynes and his deputies carried 10 prisoners to the Durham county roads immediately following the close of the October term of criminal court. One prisoner, Henry Galloway, negro, was carried to the state prison at Raleigh to begin serving 12 years for murdering a negro in Mount Airy.

Those carried to the county roads were: James Cyzort, negro, forgery, 15 months; Bart Cox, negro, four months; Bandy Jessup, negro, liquor, three months; Leonard Marshall, liquor, four months; Robert Montgomery, liquor, four months; Dewey Goins, larceny, six months; Harry Bowman, larceny, three months; Floyd Hodge, assault, three months; Price Atkins, prostitution, six months.

In addition to those sent to the roads by Judge Stack the following are serving a brief period of time in the Dobson jail: John McCraw, Howard Clement, Lloyd Wilson, Sam Senter and Clyde Alderman. Jailer J. C. Hutchens states there are at the present time 11 prisoners in the Surry county jail.

Mr. Prather To Wed Miss Floyd

Invitations have been received here to the marriage of Miss Sue Floyd, of Spartanburg, S. C., to Mr. John Prather of Mt. Airy, the marriage to take place Nov. 29 in the Presbyterian church in Spartanburg.

A British army regiment recently returned to England from Constantinople, having been absent for eighteen years and having done duty in eight different countries.