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## NEW STORE OPENS AT KING TOWN

IT IS A FURNITURE STORE, AND WILL SELL FOR THE CASH — MORE BUILDING AT KING — DEATH OF ERNEST GORDON — ELLIS HOOKER UNDERGOES MAJOR OPERATION.

King, Oct. 14. — The Cut Rate Furniture Company have opened up a new furniture store in the new two story brick building recently completed on north Depot street for O. L. Rains. This new concern will be personally managed by Frank E. Shore of Tobaccolville. He will have as his associate, W. Cleatus Allen, a Stokes county man, who has been associated with the Moffit Furniture Company, of High Point, for some time. This new concern will handle a full line and will sell strictly for cash.

Grover Pulliam has purchased from Mrs. C. F. White a lot on Broad street on which he will erect a new home.

Coy Preston, who cured tobacco in Canada this season, has returned to his home here. Mr. Preston states that about half the crop in Canada was killed by frost this season.

Ernest Gordon, age 59, died at his home near Tobaccolville Monday night. The deceased spent about thirty years in Washington where he held a government position about two years ago. Surviving are his mother and two sisters. The funeral service was conducted at Mount Pleasant Church Wednesday at 2:30 and burial followed in the Church cemetery.

Dr. and Mrs. Belmont Helsabeck are spending a two weeks vacation in New York City and Bermuda Islands.

Shelby U. Atwood is placing material on the site on South Depot street preparatory to erecting a new store building.

The following births were recorded here last week: To Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cox, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Boles, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Calloway, a son and to Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Smith, a daughter.

Mrs. William I. Rumley, who is suffering from an attack of influenza at her home on Dan River street, is quite sick.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Caudle and Edwin Caudle, of Winston-Salem, were visitors here Saturday.

S. W. Pulliam is quite sick at his home here, his friends will be sorry to learn.

Thomas Jessup, Eler Jessup and Ross Fulk were given a hearing in Justice J. Stedman Garner's court Saturday on a simple assault charge. Tom and Ross were let off with one third the cost but Eler did not get out quite so lucky, he was taxed with a one dollar fine and one third the cost.

L. S. Grabs is confined to his home by illness. Mr. Grabs has

## BOB REYNOLDS COMING MONDAY

WILL SPEAK AT THE DANBURY COURT HOUSE AT THE NOON HOUR, FIRST DAY OF COURT — BIG CROWD COMING.

A big crowd will doubtless greet Bob Reynolds at Stokes court, next Monday, October 19, the first day of court, at 1:30 in the afternoon.

Senator Reynolds, popularly called "Our Bob," is a speaker of attractive parts. He will tell the people of Stokes county his experience in Washington and his reactions to the New Deal of President Roosevelt and the Democratic administration.

This being the first day of court, naturally a large crowd will be here. Hundreds of others will gravitate to Danbury to listen to a campaign speech that will be entertaining, educational and patriotic.

Everybody is cordially invited, and grandstand seats will be reserved for the ladies.

## How You Get Your Reporter Free

With every dollar paid on subscriptions to the Reporter we give 20 green subscription tickets. You can use these tickets same as cash in buying from the following Stokes county concerns:

Stokes Lumber Co., Walnut Cove, N. C.

T. G. New, King.

Hauser & Bailey, Walnut Cove.

Jones Brothers, Walnut Cove.

Tuttle Motor Co., Walnut Cove.

J. M. Woods, Danbury.

Ray Brothers, Meadows.

E. M. Taylor, Walnut Cove.

Lawsonville Motor Co., Lawsonville.

J. W. Linville Filling Station, Walnut Cove.

## Prosperity On Snow Creek

T. H. Sheppard, one of the proprietors of Sheppard's mill on Snow creek, Sandy Ridge, was here Saturday. Mr. Sheppard says his mill is putting in a new milling equipment called a Pay-Tax Hammer Mill. It grinds corn, cobs, shucks, stalk, etc., making a fine feed.

been in declining health for some time.

Junior Stone, who is attending college at Chapel Hill, spent the week-end with his parents. Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Stone.

Ollie Pulliam, of Winston-Salem, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Nelia Pulliam on Main street.

Ellis Hooker, who resides near here underwent a major operation in the Baptist hospital, Winston-Salem Saturday.

Robert Wall, of Pinnacle, was among the visitors here Sunday.

## TOBACCO MARKETS LOOKS LIKE A FIGHT COMING

FARMERS WHO DO NOT KNOW THEIR TOBACCO, OFTEN AT THE MERCY OF MARKET SHARKS CALLED PIN-HOOKERS AND SPECULATORS — OPINION OF R. C. WHITE AND OTHERS.

The prices paid for tobacco on the open markets are curious, uncertain, erratic and unfair.

At least this is the opinion of R. C. White and other farmers who have recently marketed tobacco. Mr. White, who is one of the largest tobacco growers of the county, was here Tuesday. He gives an instance of the market's eccentricity as follows:

Last Thursday he sold a load of tobacco which did not realize a satisfactory average. Consequently he "called it in." That is, he stopped the sale of the offering, and held for re-sale on the day following.

Mr. White declares that three grades of his tobacco which at the first sale brought 5/4, 8 and 22, went for 25, 17 and 30 at the second day's sale with the same buyers.

He then decided to make a third sale of the pile which on the first sale brought 5/4 and on the second sale sold for 25. On the third sale, this pile commanded 11 cents. Disgusted, then, he offered the original 5/4 pile the fourth time, when it brought 27.

Mr. White further says that he saw a pile of tobacco "passed" by the buyers, who refused to bid on it. The farmer had it moved up in the rows, and the pile of tobacco sold for 5 cents.

Another witness testified to the Reporter this instance: A pile of tobacco sold for 5 cents, and later the owner through a spirit of fun, added a "2" on the sale card in front of the 5, making a showing of 25 cents. An "inspector" coming along, examined the pile of tobacco and summoned the buyer who had apparently bought it at 25, but really only at 5.

"What about this pile of tobacco?" the inspector asked.

The buyer examined it closely and then said:

"Well, I will give one more cent, making it 26, and that is all I will do."

Mr. White and others did not say that the situation shows one of two things:

1. That the buyers either are too careless or too ignorant to ascertain the real value of tobacco;

2. They are parties to a conspiracy to take the farmer's tobacco frequently at starvation prices.

They did not make this statement, but strongly intimated it, but they declared that the farmer who does not know his tobacco is at the mercy of pin-

## WALNUT COVE GOODWILL TOUR

BOOSTERS TO VISIT POINTS OF STOKES TODAY WITH AN IMPOSING CAVALCADE, ENLIVENED BY MUSIC, SPEECHES, DANCING AND SOUVENIRS.

Clear the track, the Walnut Cove boosters are coming. Circulars are out announcing that 35 automobiles and trucks, headed with Walnut Cove business men looking for business, are on the way and will visit 14 points in the county tomorrow, bringing good cheer, music, speeches and dancing, and distributing souvenirs.

The object of the trip is to advertise Walnut Cove's big booster campaign in which bigger and better prizes than last year will be given.

The itinerary of the boosters is scheduled as follows: Pine Hall, Dillard, Sandy Ridge, McHone garage, Lawsonville, Danbury, Francisco, Westfield, Reynolds, King, Mt. View, Ross Store, Germantown.

Lester Alley made a trip to the western part of the state last week-end. He was accompanied by V. C. Ramey and Claude. They visited Franklin, Mr. Ramey's home and many of the most interesting places of Western North Carolina.

Lester reports that he had "the time of his life" visiting, eating apples, chestnuts, and other good things. He says that the mountain scenery and southern hospitality of those people are unsurpassed.

His most interesting trip was the one to the far famed Whiteside mountain, which towers up straight one mile on one side but has a gradual ascent from the other.

Its elevation is 4930 feet above sea level. A few miles below is located the Bridal Veil Falls, where the national highway runs under them. Also, Lester had the privilege of walking under a larger river than the Dan. The Cullasaja river leaps out over a huge rock about twenty feet high forming what is known as "Dry Falls" or Cullasaja Falls.

On the way home, Lester saw and played with one of the largest black bears in captivity. However, it didn't talk any but the sign on the cage said, "The bear's name is Molly. If you will give her a pop, she will talk."

This was on the summit of the Black Mountain which is traversed by a road which is not only picturesque, but also dangerous.

"And I'm going again sometime," Lester said.

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## Big Carroll Reunion Sunday

The Carroll family reunion will be held next Sunday at the home of E. W. Carroll, Germantown, Route 1.

N. O. Petree, of Danbury and Col. W. A. Blair, of Winston-Salem, will deliver addresses. There will no doubt be a large crowd. Relatives and friends of the family bearing the well-filled basket are expected.

## World's Mightiest Circus Coming Soon

Great Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Combined, with Pigmy Elephants and Pongurs From Africa, Col. Tim McCoy And Hundreds of New Foreign Features, Offers Epochal Program.

With the most impressive and brilliant seven-ring-and-stage program in its history, the Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Combined Circus, which will exhibit in WINSTON-SALEM, TUESDAY, OCT. 27, offers this season, as a sensational super-feature, a herd of African pigmy elephants, the first ever to set foot on this continent. These tiny tuskers are not babies, but full-grown, middle-aged midget elephants, the rarest animals on the face of the earth. Accompanying them is a herd of miniature African pongurs, the world's smallest beasts of burden. The pigmy elephants have proven the greatest attraction the Big Show has ever placed before the public, not even excepting its presentations in the past of the disc-lipped Ubangis, the giraffe-necked women from Burma, the sacred white elephant of Siam, Jumbo, Tom Thumb and Goliath, the sea elephant.

Among the scores of new features, to say nothing of the new importations from Europe and Asia, including the incredible Matto troupe, the Royal Bokaru troupe, the Imperial Viennese equestrian troupe, the great Fratello and a free running horse, pony and elephant liberty act of sixty members, is Col. Tim McCoy, the screen's most outstanding western star, at the head of his congress of rough riders of the world—Cossacks, cowboys, cowgirls, vaqueros, Sioux and Blackfeet warriors and Australian bushrangers. Col. McCoy, plainsman, cavalry officer in the U. S. Army Reserve and friend of the Indian, is the idol of American boys and girls, and he will be seen in both the main performances and the wild west.

The Greatest Show on Earth heads into this territory on four long railroad trains of 100 cars, with 1600 people, 7 herds of full-sized elephant actors, 1009 menagerie animals and 700 horses. Its tented city covers 14 acres of ground. There are 31 large tents, including the world's largest big top, seating 16,000 persons.

This is the peak season for youth and beauty among the 800 world famous arenic artists with the show. In the air, in the three rings, on the four stakes and in the quarter-mile hippodrome tract will be seen hundreds of pretty girls. In the 60-girl aerial ballet, the most beautiful mid-air display ever produced, there are beauties that evoke columns of newspaper comment wherever the Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Combined Circus exhibits.

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## Maddogs

A maddog was on a rampage here last week and after biting several other dogs was killed, its head sent to the chemists and found with rabies.

Some of those whose dogs have been bitten have put up or tied their canines, willing to run the risk—one of the most horrible known to human annals.

The fact that your dog bites a person and you are sued for all you are worth, is one of the least dangers about preserving an infected beast.

bankers and speculators who often reap the profit which belongs to the farmer.