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ALLEGED KILLERS AWAIT COURT

DEFENDANTS IN THE GEO. W. TAYLOR MURDER CASE MUST FACE TRIAL APRIL 7 OR 8—HEARING HERE FRIDAY BEFORE JUSTICE JOHN L. CHRISTIAN.

Last Friday in the court house here, packed to capacity, a hearing was given the defendants in the murder affair of Geo. W. Taylor, who was found dead in his car on the Dry Hollow road near Walnut Cove March 16.

Justice John L. Christian of Pinnacle presided at the hearing, and bound over Clyde Byrd and the negro McDonald to court, which convenes April 4. Wednesday, April 7, will probably be the date of the trial.

No further evidence has been given out regarding this terrible affair, which is largely surrounded with mystery, though it is stated that damaging clues are in the possession of Sheriff John Taylor which will be divulged at the trial.

There is strong suspicion that the murder occurred at some place other than in the dead man's car, and that he was killed and brought to the place where the car and body were found.

\$19,000 Permanent Prison Camp To Be Directed Near Meadows

It is learned that the N. C. State highway department has decided to locate a permanent prison camp, near Meadows, and in the vicinity of the present convict camp, which will be scrapped. The new quarters will be modern in every respect. The buildings will be of brick, and the structures will be enclosed in a high iron fence. The cost of the project will be at least \$19,000. It is believed that the ridge east of the present camp will be the site of the new quarters, which will be located on the county home tract.

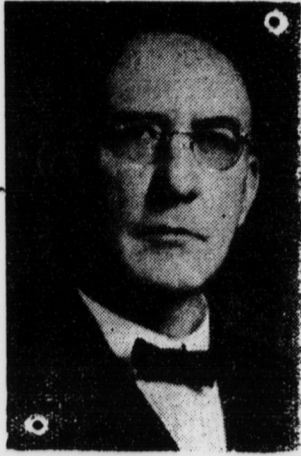
New Business For Danbury

Miss Mae Broun Smith of Greensboro and Danville, is reported to be engaging quarters here in connection with the Booth Cafe, to operate up-to-date beauty parlor and barber shop for men and women. Miss Smith is said to be an expert facial artist, manicurist and French hair dresser. J. J. Booth is this week having his headquarters considerably enlarged and beautified.

Tuberculin Tests.

The Stokes County Health Department administered the tuberculin test to every high school child who wished it and to every child in the lower grades who had some definite reason for taking it.

At a later date, it is hoped that plans can be worked out for an X-ray to each child that had a positive reaction.



W. R. Badgett,
Surry County Man,
For Solicitor

The Mount Airy News Says:

Political interest in the contest for Solicitor in this district was considerably increased this week with the announcement by Attorney W. R. Badgett of Pilot Mountain that he would enter the Democratic primary and become a candidate for the position.

Mr. Badgett is one of the most experienced lawyers of the county and has long been affiliated with the Democratic party in the county and state.

He has always aligned himself positively against the liquor forces and taken the lead in the county for the prohibition cause. (Political Advertising.)

Terracing Work To Begin

The terracing unit which has been idle since last November, due to wet weather, will begin work again in a day or so. The unit at the beginning of bad weather was on the farm of J. S. Lawson near King. Up to date there has been a large number of requests for terracing and road work and it is being planned to route the machine in such a way as to accommodate the largest number of farmers with the least amount of unnecessary travel. The present route under consideration is by way of Capella, Ross' Store, Walnut Cove and into Pine Hall community. Anyone along this route desiring the services of the unit, whether constructing terraces, road work or any other work the unit can perform, should make their requests known to the County Agent's office at an early date if they have not already done so.

Mrs. Dr. Butler Addresses Young People's Society

Rev. Mr. Cowan filled his regular appointment here at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening.

Prior to the evening service the Young People's Society met in the church and was delighted to have Mrs. Thelma Neal Butler of Walnut Cove, make an interesting talk on "The Life and Habits of the Japanese." Mrs. Butler has lived in Japan since her marriage to Dr. Butler and has become very familiar with the Japanese customs. Her address was highly enjoyed by the Society.

COURT APRIL 4



STOKES COUNTY COURT HOUSE, DANBURY, N. C.

The Stokes county Temple of Justice as shown above will be a busy place beginning Monday, April 4, when the spring term of criminal court convenes with a heavy docket. Two murder cases are on the docket, and a multiplicity of minor actions.

Judge Bivens will preside, with Allen Gwyn prosecuting for the State.

BEAUTY CONTESTS ARE POSTPONED

NO FURTHER SCHOOL SHOWS WILL BE PUT ON UNTIL EARLY FALL WHEN THE SCHOOLS REOPEN.

It has been decided by the Reporter management that owing to the lateness of the season, no additional beauty contests of the series being conducted at the high schools of the county by this paper, will be put on until the early fall opening of the schools, when they will be continued according to program.

Already several contests have been held which proved very successful, but as it takes two or three weeks to properly advertise a show, the full program could not be carried out before several of the schools will be closed.

The King show, which had been dated for the night of April 2, will not be held at this time, but it is planned to put on King first in the early fall.

Prenatal and Well Baby Clinic

There will be a prenatal and well baby clinic at Sandy Ridge Tuesday, March 29th, at 1:00 P. M., in the late Dr. Dowdy's office. The physician in charge will be Dr. J. L. Hanes of Pine Hall, assisted by the county health nurse.

The clinic will be open for well babies and pre-school children. Dr. Hanes will examine the children for physical defects and administer diphtheria vaccine to infants over 6 months of age. The conductors of the clinic hope for good attendance.

Colored patients are invited to the clinic.

Miss Bess E. Dalton, Supervisor of Forsyth, Stokes, Yadkin Nurses, called a meeting for the Stokes county midwives.

J. C. Wall Better.

Friends of J. C. Wall will be glad to know he is much better from a very serious attack of double pneumonia. His condition was considered critical a week ago. Today he is sitting up and on the way to early recovery.

COLLISION NEAR MEADOWS SCHOOL

T. H. SHEPPARD AND WIFE SUSTAIN INJURIES IN ACCIDENT WITH E. R. VOSS ON CURVE—BOTH CARS BADLY BATTERED—MR. VOSS UNHURT.

Today about 5:30 P. M., on a curve near Meadows school house, the automobiles of E. R. Voss of Walnut Cove and T. H. Sheppard of Sandy Ridge collided on a curve. Mr. and Mrs. Sheppard were quite severely battered and bruised, Mrs. Sheppard sustaining fractured ribs and other injuries. Mr. Sheppard received cuts about the head as well as other hurts. Mr. Voss was not injured. A lady, Mrs. Buck Bullin, riding with Mr. Voss with her baby, was hurt. Both cars were badly damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheppard were driving north, Mr. Voss south.

Mrs. N. E. Pepper Entertains Misses Page and Patterson

(Reported for the Reporter.)

Mrs. N. E. Pepper entertained at dinner Thursday evening honoring Misses Evelyn Page and Ruth Patterson of the local Welfare Department.

The table had as its central decoration lovely spring flowers and was lighted with tall green tapers, carrying out the St. Patrick's Day color scheme of yellow and green. Covers were laid for six and places were marked with shamrock place-cards and baskets filled with mints.

County Wide Midwife Meeting

There was a county wide midwife meeting at Danbury in the nurse's office Monday, 21st. Every midwife was required to attend this meeting if she wished to continue practicing midwifery, due to recent laws set up by the Stokes County Board of Health.

Tom Gray of Route 1 was in town Wednesday.

REPUBLICANS MEET AT DANBURY

T. G. NEW RESIGNS CHAIRMANSHIP — RESOLUTIONS AND CONDEMNATIONS — DELEGATES APPOINTED.

The Republican county convention in session here March 12, condemned the present county administration for failure to make closer tax collections, for raising land valuation, for increasing the tax rate, and for allowing county payrolls to increase, demanded a publication of the county's receipts and disbursements annually, condemned fraudulent election practices, the absentee ballot and crooked markers in elections, pledged itself to an annual reduction of county obligations and the reduction of taxes. The sales tax was condemned.

T. G. New, chairman, tendered his resignation.

Delegates to the Republican State Convention were elected.

Upon motion of C. M. Jones, T. G. New was asked to continue as chairman until April 20, when a new chairman and executive committee would be elected.

H. McGee was chairman of the meeting and N. E. Wall acted as secretary.

Miss Grace Taylor At High Point

A special from High Point of March 19 says a talk on the Constitution of the United States was heard by the Utopian Study Club of this city, when Miss Grace Taylor, of Danbury, was guest speaker.

Miss Taylor is president of the Young Democrats Club of Stokes county.

The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Rodney Snow. An arrangement of green and yellow flowers was used. Mrs. Snow presented the speaker who told of the framing of the Constitution in 1787. She spoke of amendments and statutes added since then.

Tea was served. Mrs. W. A. Hayes presided over the tea table.

SENATOR BAILEY ON THE JOB

HIS JOB IS TO TEAR DOWN THE NEW DEAL, AND DISCREDIT PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.

The following article comes in a dispatch from Washington, and is written by the editors of the Washington Merry-Go-Round, independent and non-partisan:

How close old guard Democrats and Republicans are working together against the new deal and how fierce is their vendetta was illustrated by a secret conversation which took place in the Senate lounge the other day.

The lounge is reserved for senators only and in it they read the papers, take catnaps, and while away their time during a dull debate. On this particular occasion Josiah Bailey, anti-Roosevelt Democrat from North Carolina was chatting with Walter E. Edge, staunch Republican and formerly Hoover's ambassador to France.

Edge was entitled to sit in the Senate lounge because he was once senator from New Jersey, and he effusively congratulated the Democratic senator on his anti-new deal speeches.

"You are doing a great job, senator, a great job," Edge told Bailey. "There is no one in the Republican party doing nearly as effective work as you are exposing the evils and dangers of this regime. You must get your speeches out to the people; they must be broadcast all over the country."

"That is already being done, senator," Bailey assured him. "More than a million and a half copies of my speeches have been ordered from the Government Printing Office by twenty organizations and are being distributed in every section of the land."

"Splendid, splendid!" exclaimed Edge. "That's the way to proceed."

"Yes, it is very encouraging," said Bailey, "but there is a great deal more to be done. The insurance companies ought to cooperate. They should be contacted by the proper persons and mailing lists obtained of their policy holders. There are millions of their policy holders who should be warned that their money and property are being jeopardized by the policies of this administration."

"That's an excellent suggestion, senator," declared Edge. "It should be acted on at once. That is the class of people we want to reach. And I want you to know that I am with you 100 per cent. My time is all my own now. I have nothing to do and I am ready to help you in any way I can. I am enlisted in your cause for the duration of the fight."

Note—The printing of 1,500,000 copies of one of Bailey's speeches, even at the cost-of-production prices of the Government Printing Office, would come to more than \$50,000, and their mailing, a free congressional frank, would cost the government \$45,000.