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MONDAY, JULY 25, 1921.

Judge Bryson in sentencing the various law violators last Friday took occasion to congratulate the citizenship of Lincoln County upon having efficient, vigilant officers of the law, who are fearlessly doing their duty in trying to free this county of the blockade whiskey evil, and a number of citizens were heard to return the compliment, by saying that his honor, and solicitor Huffman, and the juries had given the officers the kind of backing that will tend to greatly lessen law breaking.

**CITIZENS SHOULD HELP OFFICIALS**

The great number of crimes in which liquor figures should cause all good citizens to assist their officers in preventing these crimes by helping to break up the illegal liquor traffic. The officials of Lincoln County and city have made a wonderful effort in the past few months in this direction, and the court has given them backing.

Judge Bryson's charge to the grand jury in court here last week bearing on violations of liquor laws was very timely, and to the point; if he had been a preacher he could not have delivered a greater sermon. Then followed Solicitor Huffman, for the state in his fight for law enforcement; he is ever vigilant and searching in his examinations of witnesses to get at the bottom of the various liquor cases; with the evidence in and his speech in behalf of the state delivered to the jury there is slim chance for the guilty to escape conviction. The officials are having the support of good citizens and the courts, judging from the sentences imposed by Judge Bryson, and results may be expected to flow, and this section rid of the liquor traffic which is damning in its influence.

The tragedy in Burke county in which liquor is reported as figuring is one that should arouse all good citizens in that and adjoining counties to the evils of the illegal whiskey traffic.

The Morganton News Herald in discussing the Burke tragedy says:

"Again we have been brought face to face with the horror of the sacrifices exacted by demon rum. Another Burke county home has been ruined and the county faces another murder trial that has its cause traceable to blockade liquor. It seems terrible that a young woman who hated liquor with all the strength of her being should be the one to give her life because of it, but one of her close friends remarked the other day that if Lillie Kincaid could have thought that the sacrifice of her life would be the means of saving other homes the sorrow that liquor had brought to hers, if the shedding of her blood could arouse the people of Burke county to the necessity of rising en masse against blockade stills and blind tigers she would not have considered she was dying in vain.

This week's tragedy is horrible to contemplate and should be the means, as it doubtless will be, of arousing the county to continuous and relentless warfare against our greatest enemy. The good people of the county must show a willingness to cooperate with the officers and every effort must be bent to getting rid of the evil."

**RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT**

We, the members of the Woman's Auxilliary of Lincoln Presbyterian church desire to express our appreciation of the life of our beloved member, Miss Kate Michael, who was called home June 30, 1921.

For many years, she had been a faithful member of our Auxilliary, ever ready to serve with a generosity worthy of emulation.

In her death, our Auxilliary, our church and our community have suffered a great loss, but we bow in humble submission to the will of a loving Father.

We extend to her loved ones our tenderest sympathy, and commend them to Him, who alone can comfort.

We ask that a copy of this memorial be sent to the Presbyterian Standard. A copy to the Lincoln Times and the Lincoln News, a copy to the family, and a copy entered upon the records of our Auxilliary.

Mrs. R. M. Roseman, Sr.  
 Mrs. G. W. Cauble,  
 Mrs. J. W. Saine,  
 Committee.

**STANLEY ITEMS**

Stanley, July 22.—Rev. W. W. Rimmer has returned from Ridgecrest where he spent two weeks, and filled his appointment last Sunday.

The school board has given the contract to a builder, who is building enough new rooms to accommodate the growing needs of our school. These new rooms will be ready for use when the school opens in September.

On Saturday evening, July 10th, at the home of Mrs. Ella Welch her daughter, Miss Mildred, was united in matrimony to Mr. Douglas Bentley, Rev. Albert Sherrill, pastor of the

bride saying the ceremony.  
 On Saturday evening following July the 17th, another daughter of Mrs. Welch, Miss Mozelle, was married to Mr. George Watts, Rev. J. O. Irwin, of Dallas, saying the words that made the husband and wife.  
 Today July 22, Mr. Welch's home, where her uncle, William Mauney, lives, who today was 89 years old, a reunion was given in his honor. Quite a large number of relatives and friends were present to honor this fine old gentleman.

**ZION NEWS.**

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, from Portsmouth, Va., arrived at the home of D. S. Devine Saturday evening to spend a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Devine, accompanied by Mrs. Enoch Devine spent Sunday at the home of D. S. Devine.

Mr. Floyd Devine spent Monday night at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Devine.

Mr. R. L. Saine and family spent Sunday at the home of A. B. Saine.

Mrs. C. M. Houser spent Monday with Mrs. P. M. Houser.

Misses Bertha and Sallie Watts spent Saturday night with Miss May Roytser.

Mr. Mike Gilbert is very ill at his home with malaria fever.

Mrs. Will Saine is very ill at this writing.

Misses Stella, Mamie Evelyn and Lena Mae and Clyde and William Smith are spending a few weeks with their grandmother, Mrs. D. S. Devine.

Mrs. R. L. Saine and mother and Miss Tessie Carpenter, spent Tuesday evening with Mr. Will Saine.

Mrs. M. L. Saine is spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Crews, at Brookford.

Miss Jina Saine spent Tuesday with Gus Saine.

**Two Chums.**

**MR. FOX DOPED AND ROBBED**  
 Saturday night, Jailer Woodside was called to the home of Everett Fox, about five miles out the Cool Springs road. When he arrived he found Fox in a semi-conscious condition, claiming he had been robbed.

After Fox had been treated by a physician, who had been called, he told how he was robbed. Fox said he was walking along the road near his home when he was assaulted by six negroes who tied his hands behind his back, doped him and robbed him of what money he had in his pocket, which was about nine dollars. After laying unconscious for some time he regained his senses enough to crawl to his home.

The doctor who attended his said he had been drugged with chloroform or some other strong anaesthetic. As a heavy rain fell shortly after the incident the officers as yet have no clue as to who did it.—Statesville Landmark.

**A RINGING MESSAGE**

Congressman Claude Kitchin, Democratic leader of the House denied the health at this time to lead the fight

against the Fordney tariff bill, more accurately described as "the bill of abomination," in response to a request from his colleagues in Washington for it, straightforward and manly fashion.  
 "Let no Democrat," he urges, "yield to the tempting argument of protection of his home industry." He points out that all Republican tariffs are to give special privilege and that the Democratic duty is to vote against any favoritism, even if offered to favorites in his own district.—News and Observer.

**BOLD HIGHWAY ROBBERY IS COMMITTED BY TWO BLACKS**

Lexington, July 30.—City and county officers have been unable to secure any trace of the two negroes who are reported to have committed one of the boldest highway robberies ever recorded here, when they held up an automobile on the Central highway, five miles north of the city Monday afternoon, about 2 o'clock, and took \$25 at the point of pistols from a Stanley county young man named Smith.

According to the story Smith is said to have told Thomasville officers when he reached that city, while he was driving his car northward on the Central highway just beyond Rock Fork creek, two young negroes dressed in overalls dashed out of the woods, flourished pistols and called upon him to halt. He tried to speed up his car, but a shot brought down one of his rear tires and he was then covered with the guns and robbed of \$25, all the money he had on his person. The negroes then dodged back into the woods, Smith told the officers. This highway is one of the most traveled in the entire state, which adds to the boldness of the crime.

**KISER REUNION AUG 4.**  
 There will be a reunion of the Kisers of Cleveland, Gaston and Lincoln counties on Thursday, the fourth day of August at Sunnyside. We expect to have a sermon preached at 10 o'clock a. m. and a good basket picnic dinner at 12 o'clock.  
 Everybody is invited to come with filled baskets and enjoy the day.  
 J. Kiser

**WEEKLY MARKETGRAM**  
 (U. S. Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates.)

Washington, D. C., For the week ended July 21, 1921.—Fruits and Vegetables. Virginia Eastern Shore Irish Cobbler potatoes advanced \$1.25 to \$1.50 per bbl. in New York reaching \$4 to \$4.25. Other eastern markets mostly \$4 to \$4.50.

California Salmon Tint cantaloupes nearly steady in eastern markets, closing \$3 to \$4 per standard crate. Prices declined 25 to 50c per crate in the middle west, closing \$2.50 to \$3.25. Georgia Elberta peaches range 80c to \$1 higher per 5-basket carrier in eastern wholesale markets at \$3 to \$3.65. Texas Elberta peaches advanced \$1.25 to \$1.50 in Chicago, closing \$3.50 to \$3.75.

Georgia and South Carolina Tom Watson watermelons, medium sizes, slightly stronger in New York, at \$300 to \$550 per car. Haulings have been light at Georgia shipping points. Good demand advanced prices moderately, 26 to 38 lg. stock closing \$1.60 to \$2.60 per f. o. b. cash track.

**KILLING REPUBLICAN PARTY**  
 Hickory Record.

J. E. Burleson, a Republican of Spruce Pine contributes some spice to the variety of life in an open letter to President Harding, in which

**LUCKY STRIKE**  
 cigarette



the statement is made that the appointment of Henry Lincoln Johnson, negro committeeman from Georgia, as recorder of deeds in the district of Columbia means the death of the Republican party in the south. That may be true, but it helps the party mightily in those northern and western states where the negro vote is considerable. "Now, Mr. President," concludes Mr. Burleson, "suppose you had daughters working in the recorder's office, how would you like for your daughters to be bossed by a colored man? I know if I had a daughter there I would order her home when the negro came into the office."

Mr. Burleson, who says he is engaged in mining work in Georgia for several years, asserts that political equality for the negro would cause more trouble, more lynchings and result in more trouble all over the country.

In his statement before the Ernst committee, Mr. Linney expressed his conviction that giving the negro the ballot in mass was bad for the Republican party, the negro and the state. That is a view shared by southern people generally but unfortunately it does not prevail in other sections of the country.

The Record agrees that the Linney incident followed by the appointment of Johnson, was a hard blow at Republicanism of the south. And the worst of it is that there seems no way of making northern people see the hard conditions until they have lived on this section a year or two.

Winton-Salem, July 22.—A message was received here this afternoon by the family announcing the death of John L. Casper this morning in Mexico, following an attack of heart disease. His age was 55. Deceased went to Mexico last January and was having a large whiskey manufacturing plant constructed at Villa de Acuna, Coahuila. He expected to put it in operation within the next few weeks.

The Johnston Ice and Fuel Co., are running an interesting serial in the advertising columns. Don't miss a single installment.

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 PHONE 32

**Seaboard Air Line Railway ANNOUNCES**

WEEK-END EXCURSION FARES TO WILMINGTON AND RETURN, AS FOLLOWS:

From	Fare	Tax	Total
Rutherfordton, N. C.	\$8.06	.64	\$8.70
Bostic, N. C.	7.87	.63	8.50
Shelby, N. C.	7.27	.58	7.85
Lincolnton, N. C.	6.62	.53	7.15
Charlotte, N. C.	6.02	.48	6.50
Monroe, N. C.	5.00	.40	5.40

Children five years of age and under twelve will be charged one-half of the fares shown above, sufficient to be added when necessary to make fares end in "0" or "5".

Tickets will be sold each Saturday, June 11th, to September 3rd, inclusive.

Tickets will be limited to reach original starting point prior to midnight of Monday following date of sale.

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This is the lowest price ever quoted on the Titan, considering the equipment now included (formerly sold extra). Up to March of this year the price was \$1,200—today it is \$900. At this figure the Titan 3-plow tractor is the best value in the farm power field.

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**Lowesville, N. C. Saturday, July 30th**

HONORABLE THADDEUS A. ADAMS WILL MAKE AN ADDRESS

AT 10:30 A. M.

MR. JAMES L. LOCKHART WILL MAKE AN ADDRESS AT 2:30

P. M.

THERE WILL BE A GAME OF BASE BALL, FOOT RACES AND OTHER AMUSEMENTS IN THE AFTERNOON.

REFRESHMENTS AND LUNCHES WILL BE SOLD ON THE GROUNDS.

MUSIC WILL BE FURNISHED BY THE MAYWORTH BRASS BAND.

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