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A Tip for Coolidge



President Doumergue of France greeted one of the girls who welcomed him on his visit to Metz.

T. S. FRANKLIN DIES SUDDENLY AT CHARLOTTE

Prominent Business Man and Civic Leader of Charlotte Dead.

Charlotte, June 5.—Thomas S. Franklin, 62, former Mayor, died here today following a cerebral hemorrhage, which occurred while he was in a barber's chair at the Central Hotel barber shop.

Six weeks ago Captain Franklin suffered an attack of vertigo, but recovered and a day or so ago returned from a business trip to Asheville. Saturday he stopped at the barber shop and while there a second attack came causing his death.

Captain Franklin was interested in business, political, religious and civic enterprises. He was superintendent of the First Baptist Sunday school for 35 years, also deacon in the church. Largely through his efforts, Andrew Carnegie gave the city \$25,000 for the erection of a library building and Mr. Franklin handled the transactions that resulted in the city's appropriation for maintenance and upkeep.

Jackson to Hold to His Job as Marshal

Charlotte, June 5.—High officials of the national administration have agreed to a proposal that Brownlow Jackson, of Hendersonville, United States marshal for the western North Carolina district, will continue in that capacity, despite his recent election as chairman of the North Carolina executive committee of the Republican party at Washington according to private reports received here Saturday from Washington and Asheville. It was understood that Mr. Jackson and Johnson Hayes, of North Wilkesboro, Republican national committee-man, recently held a conference with officials of the Republican party at Washington on this subject. An additional deputy marshal for the Western North Carolina district probably will be appointed soon, according to private reports.

And the Bandits Got Away.

An excited man rushed out of a Bank.

"Bandits! A holdup! Police!" he shouted—but not a single policeman was in sight.

A pedestrian ran north to find a policeman.

A messenger boy on a bicycle dashed south to find a policeman.

A driver of a deliver truck sped east to find a policeman.

A lady in a Buick went west to find a policeman.

A man in a Ford muttered: "Fools! I'll get half-a-dozen policemen"—and he parked his car beside a hydrant.

As if by magic six policemen appeared.

But while he explained, the bandits got away.

MRS. ANNET HARRIS.

Salisbury Post.

Wade H. Harris was honored Wednesday at Davidson College, receiving the degree of L.L.D. in accordance with the unanimous vote of the trustees some weeks ago. Of course we extend congratulations. Mr. Harris, the dean of the editorial craft in North Carolina, well merits the honor.

The thing about this that appeals to us is that the old mother sat there and saw this first born stand covered with respect and honor by and before his fellow men. A Davidson visitor remarked that this was a most pleasing sight to those who sat in the auditorium when the Observer editor was decorated by Davidson. And if the presence of the noble mother of Concord, now ninety years of age, so appealed to an observing stranger, how much more so to those who have been so extremely fortunate as to enjoy the rich friendship of this dear, good woman.

Some of the earliest recollections here is that of lying on a sick bed and seeing the kindly neighbor, gentle, sweet and good, come in to bring a tasty morsel, and above all a neighborly greeting. Mrs. Harris is one of the choicest spirits of earth. One of the fondest recollections of childhood and young manhood has been this association, and later in life to know that one has the confidence, the respect and the established faith of such a fine, Christian soul is of itself sufficient to urge a fellow on to something well worth while.

Every worth while man loves and respects his mother and looking back over the years gives her first place always. It seems to us that about the next brightest spot in a fellow's life is the friendship of some other fellow's fine mother, who was good and by precept and example helped him.

This exceptionally fine woman, woman of intellect and character and noble sentiments, was a mother first and we lived close enough to her for many years to see and appreciate the full meaning of the statement.

No Davidson college honored and pleased a fine southern woman and Christian mother when it gowned Wade Harris and decorated him with a degree he deserves and will honor; but it did more than that, it brought to the mother that which no doubt cheered her mightily, and the brightest spot in that auditorium for many of us would have been where sat the radiant faced Annet Harris beaming in joy and suppressing as best she might the jumping heart within her.

Wade has our congratulations and very best wishes, but here it is that we wish to speak to the honor of that exceptionally fine Christian woman, his mother who sat and looked on through the tears that a happy heart forced to the pallid cheeks. May the God who made good women keep her now and hereafter.

Catawba College Will Get Financial Aid From Synod.

Salisbury, June 4.—Dr. E. M. Hoke, president of Catawba college, and Dean Shuford Peeler, have returned from Philadelphia where they attended the triennial session of the general synod of the Reformed church in the United States, and they bring good news for Catawba college. The institution was placed on a budget of the synod for the next three years and will receive from the synod \$20,000 a year to be used in running the school.

The Woman's Missionary society of the general synod pledged an additional gift of \$18,000 to be used towards paying the debt on the girl's dormitory. This is in addition to the \$28,000 already pledged for the building of the dormitory. The college is now closing a fine year with prospects for a larger student body and added features and departments for next year.

What Are You Doing For Your Puny Child?

For weak, frail, under-developed children—and especially those that have rickets, and need a sure builder that promotes the growth of teeth and bones; cod liver oil is the one medicine supreme—nothing helps like it. But it is nasty and repulsive and evil smelling and nearly always upset children's stomachs—so now up-to-date chemists advise McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets.

Children love them as they do candy, because they are sugar coated and easy to take. One boy gained 11.2 pounds in seven weeks, and is now healthy and happy—thousands of other children have grown strong and robust.

Sixty tablets for 60 cents at Pearl Drug Company and all druggists—but be sure and ask for McCoy's—the original and genuine.

Give them to the sickly, frail child for 30 days, and if they don't help—wonderfully, your druggist is authorized to hand you back the money you paid for them.

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CHAIRMAN'S RULINGS BRING MUCH COMMENT

Gallatin Roberts at Asheville Appoints Persons to Mark Ballots.

Asheville, June 5.—Ballots by Gallatin Roberts, chairman of the board of elections, which barred newspapermen and electors from the canvass of the vote and which took the right of ballot marking from the two factions and left it in the hands of persons appointed by him, are causing much comment here today.

The rulings are held to be illegal, and talk is heard on the streets of the necessity of another primary in Buncombe. At one of the polling places a deputy sheriff walked in, drew his gun and ordered two regular markers to do the work, declaring the voting there would be halted unless his order was complied with.

Newspaper men, reaching the scene, found varying reports of the affair, but it seemed that the orders of the armed man had been complied with.

Girl Expelled For Intoxication.

Springfield, Ohio, June 7.—Four Wittenberg College co-eds and one male student have been expelled from college for being intoxicated, according to an official announcement made by college authorities. One of the students was a member of this year's graduating class. The names of the five were not made public.

She (Out driving): I'd hate to be walking tonight.

He: That's what I thought.

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The 500 Mile Speed Classic at Indianapolis has always been a Battle of Tires. In 1911, Firestone won with fabric tires at 74.59 miles per hour. In 1920, Firestone won with cord tires at 88.55 miles per hour. In 1925, Firestone won with Full-Size Gum-Dipped Balloons at the record breaking average speed of 101.13 miles per hour.

In 1926, Firestone again won with Full-Size Gum-Dipped Balloons. The ten cars to finish "in the money" were all Firestone-equipped. They went the distance without a single blowout and with but two tire failures—one due to a puncture and the other to a leaky valve.

The Firestone Record in Battle of Tires at Indianapolis

Year	Driver	Car	Tires	Miles Per Hour
1911	Harvorn	Marmon	Firestone	74.59
1912	Dawson	National	Michelin	78.70
1913	Coon	Puggott	Firestone	76.52
1914	Thomas	DeLage	Palmes	82.47
1915	DePalma	Mercedes	Goodrich	89.84
1916	Rohr	Peugeot	Goodrich	83.26
1917	(No Race)			
1918	World War			
1919	Wilson	Peugeot	Goodyear	88.05
1920	Chevrolet	Monroe	Firestone	88.55
1921	Milken	Frontenac	Firestone	89.62
1922	Murphy	Mercury Sp.	Firestone	94.48
1923	Milken	HCS Spec.	Firestone	90.95
1924	Corum	Duesenberg	Firestone	98.23
	Boyer	Special	Firestone	98.23
1925	DePalma	Duesenberg	Full-Size Balloons	101.13
1926	Lockhart	Miller Spec.	Full-Size Balloons	95.88

This performance is even more remarkable when you consider the terrific speeds at which the cars traveled over this fifteen-year-old, rough brick track.

Experienced race drivers will not risk their lives or chances of victory on any other tires. And in the commercial field, large truck, motorbus and taxicab fleet operators, who keep careful cost records are among the big users of Firestone Gum-Dipped Tires.

The City Transportation Co., of Tacoma, Wash., writes: "One of our 12 buses on Firestone Gum-Dipped Tires has gone over 40,600 miles and still looks good for many miles of extra service. For all around tire safety and mileage, Firestone cannot be beat."

From Calumet Motor Coach Co., Hammond, Ind., the following: "We operate 40 buses all equipped with Gum-Dipped Tires. The very low cost per mile on which these tires operate is considerably less than that of any other make." Hayes Bus Lines, Columbia, S. C., say: "We operate 19 buses equipped with Firestone Gum-Dipped Tires. A number of these tires have run over 45,000 miles without ever having been removed from the rims."

The largest taxicab companies in the world standardize on Firestone Gum-Dipped Tires. W. R. Rothwell, taxicab operator, Detroit, Mich., writes: "Two of my Firestone Gum-Dipped Tires have run 76,000 miles."

Hundreds of thousands of car owners voluntarily testify to the safety, comfort and economy of Full-Size Gum-Dipped Balloons. W. H. Peacor, Birmingham, Ala., testifies: "I have had Firestone Balloons for thirteen months and they have delivered in that time 24,469 miles." H. C. Staehle, Minneapolis, Minn., says: "My Firestone Balloons have gone 49,900 miles and are still in good condition."

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