

News As Reported In The Enterprise Forty Years Ago

FEBRUARY 24, 1911

Cupid had a hurry call on Tuesday night and responded on time before the Court of Hymen, when Miss Hattie Dickens, of Halifax County, and Mr. C. A. Lilley, of Martin County, appeared to have the sanction of the Court on the formation of their partnership to engage in the business of life under the firm name of Lilley. This agreement was entered into in the office of Attorney A. R. Dunning, and the vows were given by Rev. George J. Dowell, pastor of the Baptist Church. The young couple arrived on the evening train, having skipped from under the eyes of the bride's parents. The friends of the young pair wish for them a long and happy life. Miss Mary Worsley was in Oak City Friday.

Miss Hannah Long returned Friday to her home in Oak City after visiting in Bethel.

W. O. Council, of Oak City, went to Scotland Neck Monday on business.

The many friends of H. K. Harrel, of Oak City, are glad to see him out again.

Tommy Johnson, of Hassell, spent Sunday in Oak City with relatives.

Misses Mary Johnson, Ida and Daisy Council were in Oak City Monday.

Clifton Williams, of Oak City, left for Aulander Saturday.

Misses Charlotte Casper and Olivia Early of Oak City, made a flying trip to Parmele Friday.

John House, of Scotland Neck, was the guest of Mr. J. J. Long in Oak City Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Everett and daughter, Mrs. Alicia Rawls, of Robersonville spent the week-end in Oak City with relatives.

While playing near the fire on Thursday, Julia, the little four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Price, of Oak City, caught on fire and was painfully burned before the flames could be extinguished.

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tinguished. Early Sunday morning, W. H. Everett, Jr. and Miss Myrna Hight, of Robersonville, were seen going to the depot to await the arrival of the train—two tickets were called for to Bethel. Two minutes later a young gentleman, commonly known as Pete, advanced to the ticket office and called for one ticket to Bethel.

Miss Dottie Burroughs, of Bethel who has been visiting friends and relatives in Robersonville, returned home Monday.

J. C. Smith, Misses Susie and Margarette Chandler, of Robersonville, spent Sunday with Miss Alma Fleming near Hassell.

Mrs. Robert Nelson and son, of Robersonville, spent several days with Mrs. A. R. Dunning this week.

M. G. Warren, of near Robersonville, was married to Miss Sadie Edmondson of Spring Green Sunday.

Miss Alice Edwards, of Raleigh, visited her sister, Mrs. J. W. Hight in Robersonville last week.

Miss Selma Everett, of near Gold Point, visited Miss Bettie Roberson at Robersonville last week.

Mrs. R. L. Smith and children, of Robersonville, are visiting here this week.

Lester Edmondson, of Gold Point, spent Wednesday in Robersonville.

Arthur Burnett, of Hobgood, is visiting in Robersonville for a few days.

Miss Ora Taylor, of Oak Grove, spent Sunday in Robersonville.

Will Hurst, of Oak City, spent Wednesday in Robersonville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rogerson, of Everetts, returned home Saturday from Augusta, Georgia, where they made an extended visit.

Messrs. R. A. Bailey and Charlie Vick, of Robersonville, were in town Monday.

Messrs. J. D. Biggs and J. Hassell were in Everetts on business Friday.

Henry Johnson, of Hamilton, was in Everetts Wednesday.

The office of the A. C. L. R. R. has the appearance now of a town lock-up, for every piece of glass in the doors and windows has had grates placed over it to afford protection against those who have given themselves over to the purloining "old booze."

Mrs. Louis C. Harrison who spent the week end with her sister, Miss Will Shearer at Fremont, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. Martha Hardison left for Rocky Mount Thursday, after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. A. Anderson.

Mrs. R. L. Smith and children of Robersonville have been the guests of Mrs. A. R. Dunning this week.

Harrell Everett went to Raleigh Tuesday to visit his brother at the A. and M. College.

Mrs. Frank Boyle, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. H. Saunders on Smithwick Street.

Arthur Anderson and little daughter went to Jamesville Thursday.

Mrs. S. R. Biggs has returned from a visit to Washington.



"SURRENDER", Republic picture playing Wednesday at the Vets Theatre, tells a story of greed and violence. Fascinating Vera-Ralston uses her charm to get what she wants and Francis Lederer is one of her unfortunate foils.

Miss Delha Lanier has been in Hamilton this week. C. A. Askew, of Jamesville, was here Monday.

The dollar does not go as far as it used to; but what it lacks in distance, it makes up for in speed.

DIES BESIDE CASKET Netherlands, Texas. — As she leaned over the casket containing the body of her husband, Henry Robin, 77, in a funeral parlor, Mrs. Elvin Robin, 66, died of a heart attack. The couple had been married 48 years.

"Highway 301" Stars Cochran

Bold and provocative as the robberies which netted them over two million dollars, is the film story of the Tri-State Gang, a notorious band of hoodlums, who met their Waterloo on "Highway 301," Warner Bros.' revealing crime drama, based on actual police reports. The picture is now playing at the Viccar Theatre. Steve Cochran, rising young "menace" on the Warner lot, plays the infamous George Legenza, robber-chief whose activities in plunder and murder forced even the F. B. I. to join in his apprehension.

"Highway 301," paved with spreading terror and sudden death details the events including the wanton, daylight robbery of a branch of the Bank of America, the murderous reward of the double-crossing moll and the mob's unavailing stand against law and order.

Andrew Stone, who both wrote and directed the screenplay, took on the job of a one-man research team in interviewing people, police and newsmen connected with the deeds of the Tri-State Gang, incorporating into the script only what he deemed highly authentic.

Gaby Andre, brought from France for her role, and Virginia Grey share the female leads in "Highway 301," which features Edmon Ryan, Robert Webber, Wally Cassell and Richard Egan.

Preston Foster 'Tomahawk' Star

Preston Foster, who plays the important role of Col. Carrington in Universal International's historical outdoor adventure-epic, the Technicolor "Tomahawk," at the Watts Theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, has been a top actor on the screen for 18 years. And the most surprised person about the amazing success of his long career is Preston Foster, himself.

Van Heflin and Yvonne De Carlo are starred in "Tomahawk" with a strong supporting cast which also includes Foster, Jack Oakie, Alex Nicol and Susan Cabot.

"I came out to Hollywood to do

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a single picture," says Foster. "Now it won't be long before I'll be passing the century mark in movie roles." Actually, Foster's original ambition was to become an opera star. Music was the career he had chosen. Today he is rekindling that ambition, combining his screen assignments with public appearances as a guitar-strumming singer of folk songs. In this latter endeavor he is accompanied by his pretty wife, Shelia Darcy, whom he married in 1946. "Tomahawk" was filmed entirely in the Badlands of South Dakota.

Generosity, to many people, consists merely in giving free advice to others.

Cortland, N. Y. — For the second year, Mayor Robert H. Kerr has kept only \$1 of his salary as mayor, returning \$3,399 to the city. The mayor, a surgeon and a bachelor, explains, "It helps the city — and makes my income tax that much less."

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