

RIDES HIGHWAY OF ROMANCE AND AT END IS DEATH

Would Take Expert Auditor Week To Total Out Number Of People At Lindy Reception

Some Folks Paid 25 Cents Each for Orange Crates to Stand on: Most All Lost Hats; Seventy-Two Fainted; One Recovered Hearing; Close-Ups of the Celebration by Correspondent.

(By JOHN D. HANSTON, Jr.) Staff Correspondent Well, folks I saw Lindy, and while I didn't get a chance to speak to him, I wasn't exactly by my self. "Slim" looked just like he did the first time I saw him which was Saturday morning. Right here while I'm thinking about it I want to argue with someone. In the last few days, just oodles of folks have said, "why Lindbergh looks just like any other person," and this is a mistake which should be corrected. While it's true that his features are not so out of the ordinary, yet Lindy has an appearance and a personality that's all his own. Clean cut, with clear and healthy skin, a straight and slender body, he's sure a striking figure anywhere—as all Washington would tell you.

Say, folks, those people up there in Washington simply raised Hell when they saw Lindy from the Navy yard Saturday morning sitting on the back seat of that big car with his mother. Lindy looked rather dazed and startled when the "big fuz" started, and you can't much blame him, because it really did sound like a revolution and an earthquake all thrown in together.

One aged woman, who had been seething in the key of 'C' sharp for about a half hour before Lindy and his party came out through the big gates of the Navy yard, gave one last fud yell when she saw him and promptly fainted. Everyone was excited and they didn't miss showing it. An old man, who claimed he had been deaf for twenty odd years, was all beams and smiles after the parade had passed by and the crowds were surging on up the street. No, he wasn't the proud father of a new born son—it was just that all the noise and loud commotion had restored his hearing.

Bought Perches It would take an expert auditor a week or more to figure out an approximation of how many people were in and around the Navy yard Saturday morning between the hours of 5 to 12:30, and it was a crowd that never lost its enthusiasm from the wee small hours of the early morning until the heat of the mid-day sun was heating fiercely down overhead. Standing on each others feet, some sitting on orange crates which they bought for two-bits apiece, while countless others perched in tree tops and up-stairs windows, this mob of happy Americans waited patiently for their hero to come into view. The throng standing tensed and waiting, was suddenly startled by the loud crash and tinkle of breaking glass and upon looking around in the direction of this new diversion, they saw on the sidewalk with the remains of a broken window sash hanging around his neck looking for all the world, like one of the old courtiers in the days of Queen Elizabeth. Now here's what happened to him in connection with the window, frame and all, and in falling it had landed on the old man, who happened to be standing directly underneath.

While the cruiser, Memphis, with Lindbergh on board, was sliding into its berth inside the Navy yard at about 11:15, aeroplanes in battle formation, numbering as high as thirty-six at a time were flying over the head of the crowd, while two or three more, flying at a greater altitude performed hair raising stunts—loops that made you catch your breath—and then a downward rush, in a spiral, twisting and gyrating toward

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SIXTEEN CASES COUNTY COURT

Dudley Mechanic Found Guilty of Having Manufactured Whiskey Still

Sixteen defendants were in county court yesterday with automobiles and whiskey the basis for the majority of the charges. Frank Evans, young negro, was found guilty of stealing a Buick automobile from Z. L. Thompson, grocer. The automobile was stolen Thursday afternoon and recovered by Deputy Sheriff Carl Smith within thirty minutes of being stolen. Tracy Mitchell and Willie Williams, young negroes found with Evans at the time Deputy Smith came upon him changing tires on the stolen machine, were declared not guilty of implication in the stealing.

Floyd Taylor was declared not guilty of operating an automobile in a reckless and careless manner. Woodard Winn was freed of a charge of larceny.

One of the most unique cases heard by Judge Bland in months was that in which V. M. Simmons, negro mechanic of Dudley, was arraigned for manufacturing and having in his possession a 75 gallon copper still. He was fined \$50 for the offense. O. E. Flanagan was declared not guilty of having materials for making a still in his possession. Jesse Newsome will serve the county on the roads for a total of four months, three months for larceny and one month for vagrancy.

Jim Brigford was found guilty of larceny and sentenced to serve six months on the road. Charged with vagrancy and with receiving goods knowing them to have been stolen, Lillie Stevens was declared not guilty under both counts.

Matt McKinnis was found guilty of having whiskey in his possession for the purpose of sale and fined \$25 and sentenced to serve four months on the roads, the road sentence to be held in abeyance during good behavior.

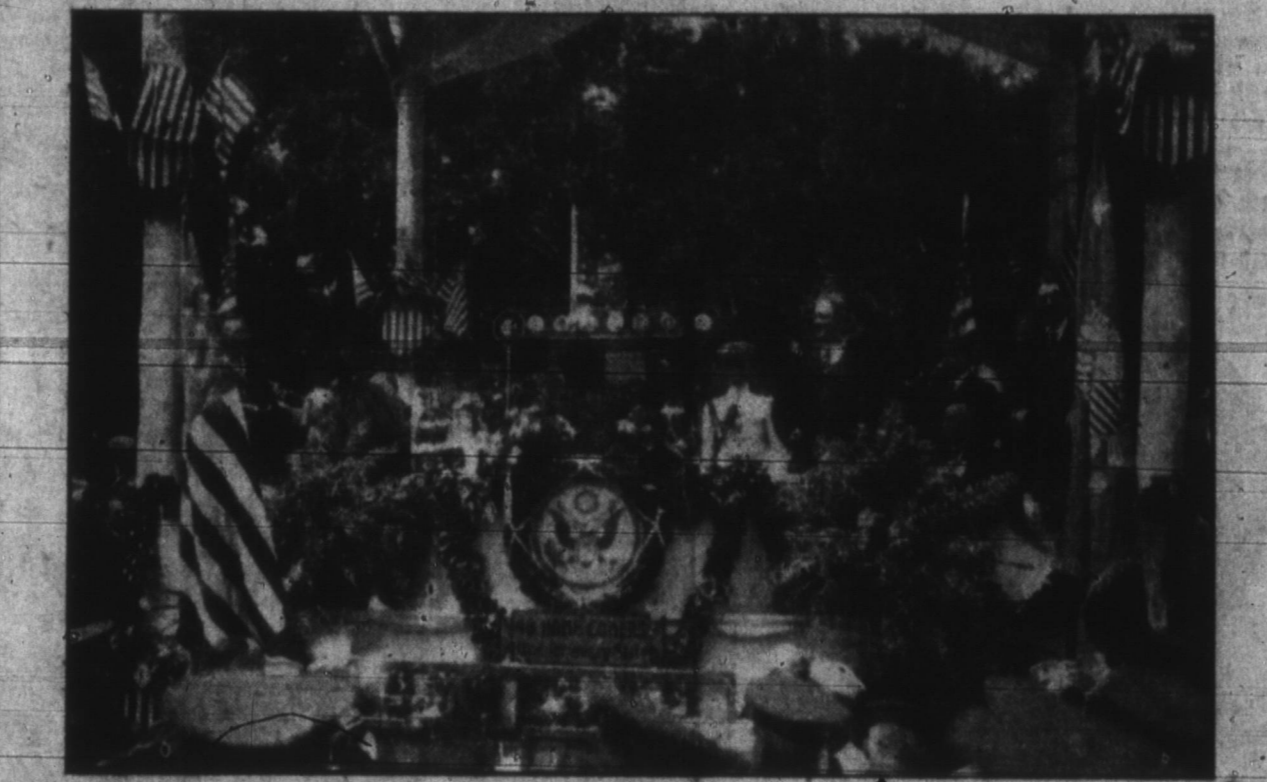
Tim Jones was fined \$50 and costs for operating an automobile while drunk, to which charge he submitted, and taxed with the costs for transporting whiskey.

Sentence in the latter case was suspended during good behaviour for two years. Joe Austin was fined \$50 and the costs for operating an automobile while drunk, the costs to include \$35 for injury done the automobile of Dr. D. J. Rose in an accident.

Cost You \$5.75 For North State Government In 1926

RALEIGH, June 13.—(AP)—Payments for maintenance and operation of the general departments of North Carolina amounted to \$5.75 per capita for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1926, the department of commerce of the federal government finds. The payments totaled \$16,259,822. This includes \$1,923,579, apportionments for education to the minor civil divisions of the state, in 1925, the comparative per capita for maintenance and operation of general departments was \$4.99 and in 1917, \$1.96. The expenses of public service enterprises amounted to \$16,635, interest on debt \$5,214,374; and outlays for permanent improvements, \$24,280,205. The total payments, therefore, for expenses of general departments and public service enterprises, interest and outlays were \$45,804,036. The

LINDY SETTING NEW RECORD HE'S MAKING 124 WORD SPEECH



This picture shows Lindbergh at the Washington celebration at the moment when he was delivering his 124 word speech to the peoples of the earth, a speech broadcast by a huge radio hook-up. Picture was furnished News Staff Correspondent by courtesy of The Washington, D. C. Times. (Other Pictures on Page 2.)

Good Chance Eastern Carolina Exposition Coming Goldsboro Develops At Conference

WM. H. HARRIS DIED MONDAY

Wake Forest Man Father of Mrs. S. G. Scott and Ransom Harris

William H. Harris, 70, of Wake Forest, father of Mrs. Sam G. Scott and of Ransom Harris of Goldsboro, died at his home yesterday afternoon following a long illness with Bright's Disease. Mr. Harris was one of a family of ten children and his in the first death in the family.

Mrs. Scott and Mr. Harris of Goldsboro were with their father at the time death came. Mr. Scott left last evening with the children for Wake Forest.

Funeral services will be held today, but final arrangements had not been completed last evening.

Mr. Harris is survived by his wife and the following sons and daughters: Mrs. Harry Stubb of Williams

ton, Mrs. Robert Clark of South Boston, Va., Mrs. E. C. Oakley of Greensboro, Mrs. Chester Wilkinson of Wake Forest, Jack Harris of Kinston, W. M. Harris Jr., of Douglas, Ariz., Ransom Harris of Goldsboro, Lawrence Harris of Wake Forest and Fred Harris of Strowdsburg, Pa.

The deceased had been prominently identified with the Wake Forest community for many years.

MONEY GOES UP

BERLIN, June 13.—(AP)—The Reichsbank today raised its discount rate from 5 to 6 percent.

Strong possibility that the next Eastern Carolina Exposition will be staged in Goldsboro developed at a conference here yesterday afternoon between the officers of the Goldsboro Chamber of Commerce, a number of local business men and President Turnage of the Eastern organization, and Secretary Bartlett.

Goldsboro can get the next Exposition if she will underwrite the Exposition for about \$1200 of a \$2500 guarantee to be required from over Eastern North Carolina as a whole. Goldsboro men would be asked to guarantee about \$1200 in case the Exposition prove a financial success the underwriters would not be asked to contribute anything.

It was recalled at the meeting here yesterday that several years ago Goldsboro business men, at least a number of them, underwrote a portion of the expense when the Exposition was staged in Wilson. That year the guarantors were called upon for about 20 percent of the amount they had stogd good for.

The Exposition, however, has made much improvement and draws many more thousands now than on that year, and officials of the Eastern Carolina chamber believe that the Exposition could be made not only to break even but to clear a profit in Goldsboro.

President Turnage and Secretary Bartlett made it quite plain that the Eastern Chamber was anxious for the next Exposition to come to the city if the people here will support it. The central location of the city would make the Exposition here easier to reach from any point in Eastern Carolina than has been the case in any other city of the section where it has been staged.

Those attending the conference yesterday declared that if the business men generally show the spirit which was shown at the meeting that the Exposition would most assuredly come to Goldsboro. Those of those at the conference at once signed agreements obligating themselves for the sum of \$100 each as a guarantee of the financial success of the Exposition.

ARRANGEMENTS MADE TO HAVE THE BUSINESS MEN OF THE CITY APPROACH

Official consideration of the matter of Wayne county and the City of Goldsboro setting for the purpose of building a jail will be given by the county commissioners and by the city council.

Under the plans now talked the city police department would be given headquarters in the proposed jail and the city lock-up at the municipal building would be discontinued. Prisoners of the city and of the county would alike be confined in the jail built cooperatively by the two government divisions.

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FIRST BAPTIST PICNIC JUNE 16

Bulletin From Church Outlines Day's Program and Urges Attendance

On Thursday will be held the Annual Sunday school picnic of the First Baptist church at the New Country club on the Goldsboro-Mt. Olive highway.

Each person is asked to bring a well-filled basket. Tables will be provided for the dinner. We will have plenty of lemonade to drink. J. B. Crawford will make it. Nut said.

The water will be fine. Everybody bring a bathing suit. David Liles, registered Scout Life Saver, will be on hand and act as life saver. The playground in the water for children will be roped off.

J. C. Pate will have charge of transportation. Everybody who has a car meet at the church at 10:30 a. m. and take a load out. Boy Scouts will have charge of parking cars at the lake. O. C. Liles will have charge of providing tables and other equipment.

Let every church member arrange to be away from home of work that day and meet together and have a fine social time. It will do us all good you need to get out with the children and renew your youth.

NEW MANAGER

KINSTON, June 13.—(AP)—Michael Konick, manager of the Kinston club, was named to take his place. Earles, resigned here today and Arthur Hauger, right fielder with the

City And County May Join In Erecting Common Jail

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Young Clayton Man Is Killed When Car Strikes Lightless Auto Stalled On Highway 10

M'PHAIL IS NOT ALLOWED BOND

Will Be Given Preliminary Hearing Before Judge Bland Next Monday

Jervis McPhail, negro, charged with assault with a deadly weapon upon Robert Price, white man, on the Saturday night of June 4th, waived a preliminary hearing in police court, here yesterday morning at the regular Monday morning session, and was bound over to county court for trial, June 20. McPhail was remanded to jail without privilege of bond, pending the outcome of Price's injuries, who is said to be in a critical condition.

Joe Austin, colored, charged with driving an automobile while under the influence of liquor, was bound over to county court.

Earl Saunders, for being drunk, was let off with the payment of costs. Sam Scott, on a charge of disorderly conduct, was assessed with the payment of the costs.

Olivia Mack, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was sentenced to thirty days in jail.

Will Parker, white, on a charge of drunkenness was let off with the payment of the costs.

A. B. Parker, white, speeding, payment of the costs.

Glenn Hignaut, white, also charged with speeding was fined five dollars and the costs in the case.

H. P. Liss, white, speeding an automobile, had to pay the costs in his case.

Carrie Bridgford, and John H. Williams, colored, charged with being disorderly, were assessed with the payment of the costs.

Robert Carr, Robert Winn, Elie Ross, and J. C. Freeman, charged with unlawful assembly, were each fined five dollars and the costs.

Kills Brother and Turns Gun on Self

BRANDTOWN, Wis., June 12.—(AP)—Believed to have been mentally affected at the time, Mary Tibout yesterday shot and killed her brother and then turned the gun on herself. She died a short time later in a hospital.

From the location of the bodies when found, police believed that the man was shot while asleep on a cot. He had a bullet wound in the head and two other wounds in the abdomen.

The woman fired one bullet through her head.

MARKETS CLOSED

NEW YORK, June 13.—(AP)—New York Stock Exchange and the New York curb market are closed today.

Will Sasser Was Returning From Visit to Girl Friend Near Goldsboro When He So Instantly Killed in Automobile Accident; Was Native of Wayne County.

Will Sasser, 26, young white man of Clayton route 2, rode the road of romance Sunday afternoon, and at the end of the road he met death's scythe in a crushing blow. Through no fault of his own, but because a car stalled upon the road, had been left without lights on the highway. The accident occurred on highway number 10 between Smithfield and Selma Sunday evening.

Sasser, a son of Milton Sasser, native of Wayne county, drove with in the county of his father and he home not far from Goldsboro when a wooing. The afternoon passed pleasantly and early in the evening in his Ford roadster, Sasser started back to his home near Clayton. He never reached there.

Three more hours of darkness had gained their hour's duty in a steadily blackening sky for several days. All afternoon they rained over the country, and about 8 o'clock in the evening their gas gave out while the car was a short distance between Selma and Smithfield on number 10. One of the boys, bringing by name, got out and started in search of gasoline. The two others got into the seat and were soon slumbering by a terrific crash. In the terror, they leaped from their automobile, now several feet from where it had been, and there Sasser was a Ford roadster turned bottom side up. They stayed but upon the order of their going, but without stopping to investigate ran with all speed to Smithfield. They found the police.

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"Somebody run into our car and yonder a piece," they reported. "Did they get hurt?" the Smithfield police asked.

"We ain't seen nobody," they replied, eyes wide, their chattering with fright, sweat pouring from their bodies.

The police accompanied the negroes back to the scene of the accident. They righted the overturned roadster. There under it was Will Sasser, the young man who that afternoon had gone a-wooing. He was dead. Hadly cringed about the head and chest, he must have died instantly.

The negroes were taken back to Smithfield and sometime today a coroner's jury will sit upon the case. After that, Sasser will complete his journey back home, but in a coffin. The young woman of near Goldsboro to whom he spoke of love Sunday afternoon will be one of the mourners at the funeral.

Mrs. Millard Sasser, mother of the dead man, who also was a native of Wayne, she was a Miss Sasser before marriage.

Kinston Woman Hurt In Auto Accident

D. C. Turner of Kinston is under bond to appear in Wayne county court, June 20 to answer to a charge of driving an automobile while intoxicated. Turner was arrested Sunday afternoon by Deputy J. G. Korman after he had turned his automobile over to the side of the road. Turner was on his way from Kinston to Wilson and was accompanied by his wife and the latter's only brother. Mrs. Turner was badly bruised, but her injuries were not of such a nature as to require special treatment. Dr. Benton of Fremont rendered first aid. The automobile, a Ford roadster was demolished.