

CANDIDATES FILE FOR PRIMARY APRIL 26th ST. JOHN'S CHURCH GOES OVER TOP IN LENOIR RHYNE CAMPAIGN

\$26,104.00 Given To Date

Rev. Leroy C. Trexler, pastor of St. John's Church, Cherryville and William Fitzhugh, Church Chairman for the Lenoir-Rhyne College Campaign to raise \$1,500, 000 for new buildings and endowment for the college at Hickory, report that as a result of congregational solicitation, St. John's has exceeded its "fair share" of the funds need and has now raised \$26,104.00.

Community Sunrise Service At Cemetery

A community-wide Sunrise Service will be held Sunday morning at 7:00 o'clock at the New Memorial Cemetery. All the churches of the town will participate. The Rev. E. S. Elliott will bring the Easter Sunrise message. Music will be furnished by the High School Band under the direction of Frances Dale Grabill. They will begin playing at 6:45 A. M.

Permits To Burn Brush Canceled

State Forester F. H. Claridge has canceled all brush burning permits due to hazard fire conditions in North Carolina. The law prohibits the starting of any fires in any wooded lands protected by the State Fire Service or within 500 feet of any such protected areas. Any person, firm or corporation, violating this law will be guilty of a misdemeanor and will be subject to a fine, or imprisonment, or both.

Easter Services For Crouse Parish

Easter Services for the Crouse Lutheran Parish has been announced by the pastor, the Rev. L. Summie Miller as follows: Service Good Friday, 7:30 P. M., at Bethel. Early Easter Sunrise Service at 6:30 A. M., at Bethel. Easter Service at St. Mark's at 11:00 A. M.

Woman's Club To Meet Thursday

The Cherryville Woman's Club will meet Thursday, April 7th at St. John's Lutheran Church. The Fine Arts Department will have charge of the program. The program will begin promptly at 3:40 P. M.

W M S Of Wesleyan To Present Program

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Wesleyan Methodist Church will present a program Sunday night, April 10th. The subject of the presentation is, "The Challenge of the Cross." You are invited to attend and worship the Risen Christ with the congregation of the Wesleyan church. The hour of the service is 7:30 o'clock.

Final Rites For A. B. Homesley

Funeral services and final rites for Albert Benjamin Homesley, 84, were held last Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Baptist Church. Rev. E. S. Elliott, pastor, officiated, assisted by Rev. George L. Riddle, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. The church choir sang "Have Faith In God" and Mrs. Russell T. McGinnis sang a solo: "Sunrise Tomorrow."

A. B. HOMESLEY

Active Pallbearers were: Messrs. Marcus Hoyle, Charlie Black, James Parker, Perry Carpenter, Marvin Mitchem and James Homesley. Honorary Pallbearers were: Messrs. J. T. Allen, Joe R. Nixon, Lawson Cabiness, M. Webb, E. V. Moss, Adolph Hayman, Sid Carpenter, Craig Neill, David P. Dellinger and M. L. Leonard.

Miss Judy Ford Wins Oratorical Contest

Hickory, April 1 - Miss Judy Ford of Cherryville, and a freshman at Lenoir Rhyne college has been announced the winner of the Women's Oratorical contest held at Lenoir Rhyne. Dr. Albert Keiser, head of the English department, who served as chairman of the contest made the announcement today.

Scout Training Course For Leaders

Miss Martha Lee Lucas, Field Director of the Pioneer Girl Scout Area, is conducting for the Cherryville area, a sixteen hour course in training for troop leaders, assistant leaders, troop committee members, and troop committee members. Classes will be held at the First Presbyterian Church from nine until eleven o'clock A. M., on Tuesday and Thursday mornings during the month of April.

Revival To Begin At Oak Grove Sunday

A Revival meeting will begin at Oak Grove Baptist church, 1-2 miles North of Cherryville, Sunday, April 10th through the 17th. The Rev. Harold Parker, originally from Danville, Va., but now pastor of the Antioch Baptist church of Lenoir will bring the inspiring messages each evening. Services will begin at 7:30 o'clock. Special singing each evening.

Anthony Grove Sunrise Service At 5:30

The Anthony Grove Baptist Church will have a Sunrise Service Sunday morning at the church at 5:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to this Sunrise Service.

Three Hours Good Friday Services At St. John's Church

A Good Friday Service as a Memorial of the three hours on the Cross of Jesus will be held at St. John's Lutheran Church from 12:00 o'clock noon through 3:00 o'clock. The program has been planned around the Seven Words of the Cross and will be presented in order by seven of our local ministers under the leadership of the pastor, the Rev. Leroy C. Trexler.

The Arthur Lee Russ Fund Is Open For Contributions

Arthur Lee (Dock) Russ, Cherryville boy, appeared on Warren Hull's "Strike It Rich" Program Monday morning at 11:30 o'clock and won. He answered all his questions correctly, however, he did not win the entire \$500.00 due to the fact he always kept himself a nest egg of \$10.00 each time. Arthur Lee, or better known here as (Dock) was on the program to "Strike It Rich" in order that he might be able to open up a news stand of his own here in Cherryville and help support his wife and two children.

Bess' Chapel And Bethlehem Church

Holy Week and Easter service at the Bess' Chapel and Bethlehem Methodist Churches will begin Thursday night, April 7th at 7:30 o'clock with the Lord's Supper at Bess' Chapel Church. Good Friday night at 7:30, services will be held at Bethlehem Methodist Church. Easter Sunday morning an early Sunrise Service will be held at Bethlehem Cemetery at 5:30 o'clock.

Man Electrocuted 5 Miles East Of Here

A Lincoln county father of four was electrocuted shortly before 9 o'clock Tuesday morning when a 7,200-volt line accidentally made contact with his body about five miles east of Cherryville. Floyd Carpenter, about 35, was atop a 40-foot pole as part of a six-man crew rebuilding a three-phase line of the Rutherford Electric Membership Cooperative when a new line being drawn to position touched the hot line already in existence.

Revival At Second Baptist

Starting on Wednesday evening, April 13th, the Second Baptist Church will be engaged in a special revival effort. Rev. Wendell Mullen, the pastor's brother, and pastor of the New Testament Baptist Church in Augusta, Ga., will be his special speaker. These services will start each evening at 7:30 and will continue through April 24th. The public is cordially urged to attend.

Sunrise Service At Lutheran Church

The annual Easter Sunrise Service will be held at St. John's Lutheran Church Sunday morning at 6:00 o'clock. The pastor, the Rev. Leroy C. Trexler has announced for his sermon, "Light From The Open Tomb". Everyone is cordially invited and urged to attend this beautiful and inspiring celebration of our Lord's resurrection.

Three Ring Circus Coming April 12th

The Von Brothers big three Ring Circus is coming to town Tuesday, April 12th. This is one of the largest circuses ever to visit this town. It will be located on the old baseball ground at the Carlton Yarn Mills, Inc., on East Main Street. The circus is being sponsored by Tryon Post No. 100 American Legion. Make your plans now to attend this big three ring circus.

Sarah Styers Wilson Claimed By Death This Morning At 5

Mrs. Sarah Frances Styers Wilson, 50, died this morning at 5 o'clock in the Gaston Memorial Hospital, Gastonia, where she had been a patient for the past ten days, suffering from heart ailment. She was born and reared in Cherryville, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. J. T. Styers, and widely known in this community where she spent most of her life. She was born July 16, 1904.

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Thirty New Members Added To The First Methodist Church

As a result of the very fine revival, which saw a full house on six nights; and a six week pastor's training class for boys and girls, thirty new members joined the First Methodist Church last Sunday morning as 325 persons assembled for the eleven o'clock worship. Those joining by Baptism and vows were: William James Allan, 3rd; Drenda Alexander, Frances Ballard, Judy Ellen Beam, Brenda Kay Beangrand, Margaret Ann Boyd, Douglas Camp, Tommy Houser, Billy Ann Kelly, James Peeler, Linda Gail Peeler, Thomas Michael Quinn, Steve Quinn, Mr. J. O. Heavner, R. B. Robbs, Sandra Dalton and Billy Eaker. Those joining by transfer and reinstatement were: Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Baxter Feimster, and Mrs. J. O. Heavner.

Red Cross Drive Coming To Close

The American Red Cross Drive is almost completed, but still a little short of the goal. However, several contributions are yet to be turned in. Next week a final report will be made to the County Chairman. Accordingly donations are still being solicited and hopes are to reach the goal before the report is made. If you have not had an opportunity to contribute, do so at once. The following contributions this week are:

Easter Services At Hephzibah Church

The Easter services at Hephzibah Presbyterian Church will begin on Good Friday, April 8th. Services at 7:50 Good Friday night. Easter Sunrise service at 6:30 A. M. Sunday School, 9:45 A. M., Easter Sunday. Morning worship at 11:00 A. M., Easter Sunday. Services Easter Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock with the Rev. J. Edward Craig as guest speaker. The public is invited to attend all the services. Rev. H. W. Bale is the pastor.

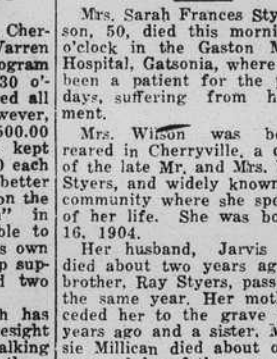
Three Out For Town Recorder

Politics are beginning to warm up as candidates are filing with the City Clerk for Recorder and Commissioners from Wards two and four. Three have filed for Recorder: Bennett VanDyke and Hobson P. Hendricks are seeking election to the bench while Judge D. Ray Ballard is seeking re-election for the office. T. Carlyle Sumner from Ward two and W. D. Browne from Ward four are seeking re-election. They have no opposition as yet. No one has filed for Mayor as yet, but they have plenty of time.

Charlie McGinnis Passes Suddenly

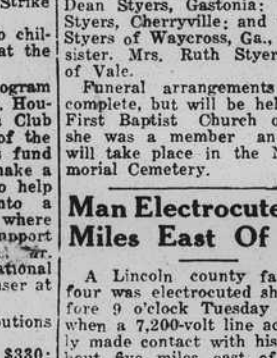
Mr. Charlie McGinnis died Tuesday afternoon about 1 o'clock enroute to the Gordon Crowell Memorial Hospital in Lincolnton. Mr. McGinnis, 66, was operating a Drill being drawn by two mules out in the field near his home. He was seen by members of his family, to fall from the Drill and they rushed to his aid and immediately summoned an ambulance and rushed him to the Hospital, where he was pronounced dead.

For Commissioner



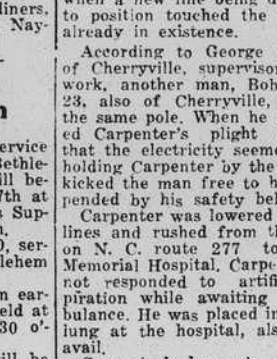
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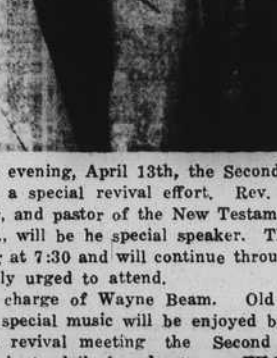
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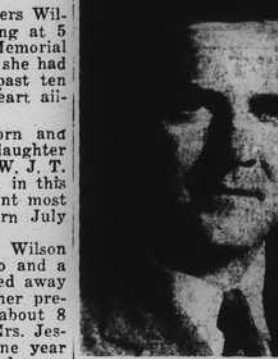
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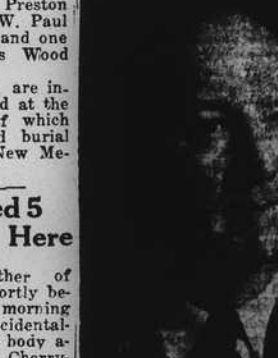
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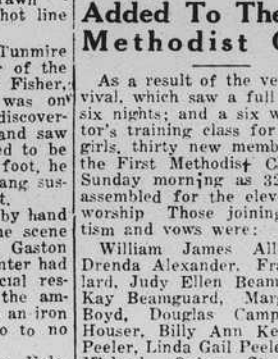
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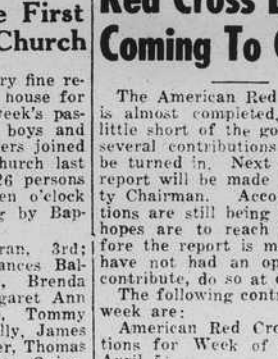
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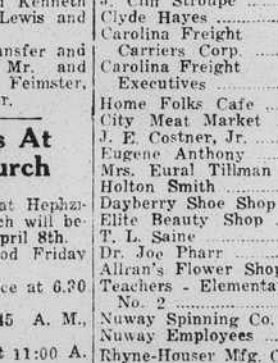
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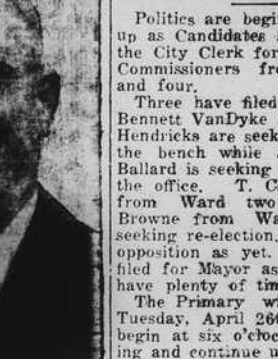
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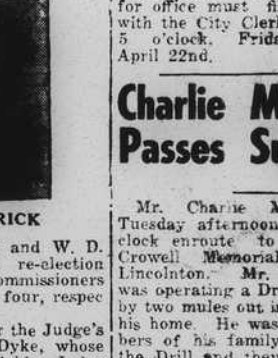
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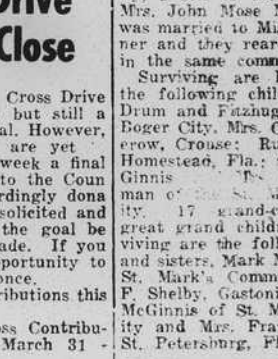
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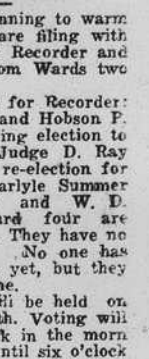
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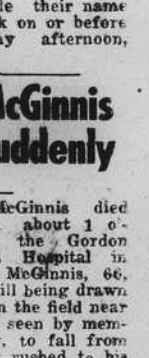
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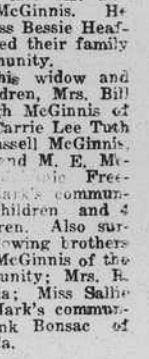
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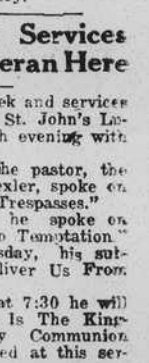
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