

STATE NEWS

Items in Brief Form For Busy Readers

Raleigh, Aug. 20.—County school authorities must furnish extra school facilities in districts where these facilities have been provided for by special acts of the general assembly, the State Supreme court ruled today in reversing lower court actions in two Buncombe county school cases. The Buncombe board of education was refused authority by the high court to discontinue a kindergarten school operated heretofore in the Asheville school district and was upheld in the operation of junior college in the same district. Previous decisions by Superior Court Judge Johnson was reversed.

Raleigh, Aug. 20.—Governor O. Max Gardner today offered a \$400 reward, the maximum allowed under the law, for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons, implicated in the lynching of Oliver Moore, in Wilson county Monday night. The negro, charged with attacking two small daughters of a farmer, was taken by the mob from the Edgecombe county jail, carried a short distance into Wilson county, hanged to a tree and shot to death.

Raleigh, Aug. 21.—Stating that trucks and automobiles had ruined its business the Dover and South-bound railroad, operating in eastern North Carolina, has petitioned the Interstate Commerce commission for authority to discontinue operations, it was learned here today. The road, a 25-mile line, runs from Dover to Highland in Craven, Jones and Onslow counties. It was chartered in 1905. In its petition a copy of which was sent to the state corporation commission, the railway sets forth that its revenue "has not paid operating expenses in several years and will not in the future," because of competition of trucks and automobiles.

North Wilkesboro.—Elisha Bell, of the Dellaplane section, was arrested by Deputy Marshall J. M. Bumgarner Monday on a charge of manufacturing. He was arraigned before United States Commissioner J. W. Dula in Wilkesboro and placed under \$1,000 bond for appearance at Federal Court.

North Wilkesboro, Aug. 21.—The store of M. G. Parsons, at Boomer, was robbed late Saturday night, making the fourth time that the store has been broken into and robbed during the past twelve months. Clyde and Doughton Livingstone, who live near Boomer, have been arrested and placed in jail on de-

fault of bond for the robbery. They were under suspicion, it is said, and Wade Gilbert, constable of Elk township, searched their premises and found the goods that were stolen. One of the boys was arrested near the home and the other was taken in Lenoir. A hearing will be held this week before Magistrate W. E. Horton, of Ferguson.

North Wilkesboro.—Dr. J. W. White, Wilkes County health officer, was taken quite ill Tuesday morning. Throughout the day and night very little improvement was noted in his condition. Wednesday morning he was carried to the Wilkes Hospital, where he will undergo treatment.

North Wilkesboro.—It was learned yesterday from officials of the Great Wilkes Fair Association that it is practically assured that the Fort Bragg Army Band will come here for the fair, which will be next month.

Charlotte, Aug. 21.—Three hundred members of the North Carolina Association of the Deaf were welcomed to Charlotte today upon the opening of the 11th biennial convention.

Washington, N. C., Aug. 21.—Fear that wild animals, possibly bears, have killed and dragged away a 9-year-old girl who has been missing since early Tuesday was expressed here tonight by searchers. The child, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Marion Jones, of Blounts Creek, has been crippled since birth. It was said by relatives that she could not have gone far enough from home by herself to have become lost. A number of bears and several wildcats have been reported seen within the last few weeks in the vicinity of the Jones farm. This led to the theory that the child might have fallen victim of these animals. Approximately 100 per-

sons are engaged in an intensive search for the missing child.

Kinston, Aug. 20.—Mrs. Sarah B. Robinson, mother of Mrs. John A. Weiser, of Kinston, was among the passengers on the setamer Tahiti, which sank in the south Pacific recently, information had here today revealed. She was enroute from Christ Church, New Zealand, to her home at Newton, Mass.

Raleigh, Aug. 20.—Swinging the Aderholt case as far from the incidental and auxiliary questions of religion as constitution and statute, not to mention the facts, could take it, the Supreme court this morning handed down the momentous opinion which will send Fred Erwin Beal, W. M. McGinnis, Louis McLaughlin, George Carter, Joseph Harrison, K. Y. Hendricks and Clarence Miller to the state's prison for long terms, given them for slaying Chief O. F. Aderholt, of Gastonia, June 7, 1929. Religion had so overshadowed all other issues in the public mind that the indictments for murder, felonious secret assault on T. A. Gilbert, A. J. Roach and C. M. Ferguson had a slim chance of interesting people who read. The convicted men undoubtedly have constructed their hope of a higher hearing on these points of faith alone. The men who got these long sentences, the highest possible, being 20 years and the lowest 17 for the men convicted of slaying Mr. Aderholt, rest their hope on reversal in the United States courts.

Bessemer City, Aug. 20.—Having laid down the conditions under which they will return to work, striking operatives of the two textile plants here of the American Mills, Inc., today awaited developments. To the demands for lower house rent and maintenance of their present wage scale the strikers today asked the removal of George A.

Spencer, general superintendent of the mills. The strikers blame Spencer for the wage cut which precipitated the walkout Monday. The demand for his removal was presented to Frank Goldberg, of Gastonia, president of the mills.

MIGHTY HAAG SHOWS TO EXHIBIT IN CITY TOMORROW

Tomorrow, August 29, the Mighty Haag Shows will exhibit here. There will be two performances during the day. One in the afternoon and another in the evening. These will be preceded by a mammoth street parade at one o'clock.

This season marks the 47th anniversary for The MIGHTY HAAG SHOWS. Forty seven years is a long time, but in that period never once has the show missed a season. Into every town in the U. S. A. it has carried its plethora of good things, which for one day, at least drive dull care away.

To-day, of course, shows are tremendous things that people often wish were smaller, so they could see it all. THE MIGHTY HAAG

SHOWS have kept this very thing in mind and are just large enough so that anyone sitting anywhere beneath the big tent can see and enjoy everything.

This season's program opens with a spectacular pageant titled "A Night In Asia." Over 100 people take part in this unusual display which brings into view gorgeous gown creations from all four corners of the globe. Another note-worthy feature of the two and one-half hour program this season is the equestrian acts; introducing trained horses that do all latest ballroom steps. And of course clowns. In all there are 32 displays, each different from the one that precedes it, and among which is featured Sy Kitchie from Japan and Evelyn McGuyre, America's original whitetop prima donna.

A hail storm covering an area two miles wide and ten miles long caused great destruction of crops in Lincoln County early in August. Damage to crops from 50 to 100 percent, reports county agent J. G. Morrison.

Mrs. Herbert Stevens spent the week-end in Charlotte, the guest of Mrs. Ed Nicoll.

His brother had been spurned in love and killed himself, so Giles set out to get revenge — but found love.

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