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MUST SELL GRADE A MILK HERE; ELKIN HAS PROUD RATING

Ask Town To Appropriate \$300 For Health Work

PUT OFF TAX SALE

At the meeting of the town board of commissioners held Monday night, a milk ordinance was passed which requires that only Grade A milk may be sold in Elkin.

It was pointed out that each of the dairies now serving the town produce grade A milk and that the town stands high in state rating in this respect, holding its own with cities such as Charlotte, Greensboro Durham, etc.

The local tax sale, supposed to be staged on June 1, was ordered post-poned until July 1, at which time will in all probability be postponed, it was learned.

Dr. Britt, county health officer appeared before the board and asked that the town appropriate the sum of \$300 for health work in the county, stating that unless this is done county health work may be discon-Action on this matter was deferred until next month's meeting.

JONESVILLE BIBLE SCHOOL TO BEGIN

Will Get Under Way At **Baptist Church** Monday

An interdenominational summer vacation Bible school will begin at the Jonesville Baptist church Monday afternoon, June 12, at 2 o'clock and will continue for two weeks, it was learned from Rev. J. L. Martin pastor, Monday.

The Bible classes will be under the direction of experienced Bible teachers and will be open to anyone four years of age and older.

Classes will begin each afternoon at 2 o'clock and continue until 5 Mr. Martin said.

LIGHTING EXPERT **ADDRESSES KIWANIS**

Explain Advantages of Adequate Lighting Facilities

interesting program "Light", staged under the direction of Kiwanian H. T. Brown, program chairman, was presented during the meeting of the local Kiwanis club at Hotel Elkin Friday night.

Roy A. Palmer, lighting expert of the S. P. U. Co., put on the program explaining the importance of adequate lighting facilities and showing by way of apparatus just why good lights are essential The speaker also gave a very interesting demon-stration of the possibilities of decorative lighting.

Mayor M. A. Royall, guest of the club, introduced Mr. Palmer.

Hold Funeral For Slain N. Wilkesboro Officer

A large concourse of people at tended the funeral Friday of James R. Grayson, member of the North Wilkesboro police force, who was killed on the streets of that city Wednesday. Services were held at the North Wilkesboro Methodist church and were in charge of Rev. J. H. Armbrust, assisted by Rev. C. W. Robinson.

The policeman was shot and fatally wounded about 9 o'clock Wednesday night, a week ago, when he attempted to arrest a man alleged to be carrying a pistol. Glenn Walsh, 25, of Summit, is under arrest and is alleged to be the man who did the shooting.

Kiwanians To Stage Outing Friday Night

A picnic supper to take place at Williams' Park, on Mitchell's river has been planned for tomorrow night by local Kiwanians, who have also designated the event as ladies' night. The outing will take the place of the

The Morgans at Washington



An interesting photographic study of J. Pierpont Morgan, as he con ferred with his counsel, John W. Davis, during his days before the Senate Investigating Committee at Washington. Insert is of Junis S. Morgan son of the famous banker, also a member of the firm and at the Washington hearing with his father.

State and Nation

To Dish Out Jobs

Washington, June 6.-Following the adjournment of Congress it is understood the administration will move promptly to put Democrats in many federal positions now held by Republicans. Now that Guy T. Helvering has been confirmed by the senate as commissioner of internal revenue a number of collectors of internal revenue will be named. C. H. Robertson, of Hillsboro, will be appointed collector in the North Carolina division.

Award Degrees

Chapel Hill, June 6 .- The University of North Carolina awarded approximately 400 degrees at its 138th commencement exercises which were held in Kenan stadium Tuesday evening at an impressive sunset ceremony before a crowd of several thousand people.

President Frank P. Graham, presided, and he and Gov. J. C. B. Ehringhaus delivered farewell addresses to the graduates.

10 Hours Behind

Omsk, Siberia, June 7.—(Wednesday)—Jimmie Mattern, American round-the-world flier, took off toward Chita, Siberia, 1,700 miles east of here, at 1:10 a. m. Moscow time (5:10 p. m. Tuesday, eastern standard time.)

The Texas pilot was 10 hours, 41 minutes behind the pace set by Wiley Post and Harold Gatty when they set the world-girdling record of eight days, 15 hours and 51 minutes in 1931.

Attempt Assassinaton

Athens, Greece, June 6. - An attempt to assassinate Eleutherios Vanizelos, several times premier of Greece and a leading European statesman for many years, failed late tonight. Shots fired by an assailant wounded his wife and chauffeur. Mme. Venizelos suffered four

bullet wounds.

An assassin fired upon while they were motoring from Kiphissia to Athens.

Attacks Woodin

Washington, June 6 .- A demand for the resignation or, if not tendered, the impeachment of Secretary Woodin, was made in the senate today by Robinson, Republican, Indiana, as a result of the disclosures that several years before Woodin became sec retary of the treasury he received stock from J. P. Morgan and company at reduced prices.

May Help Miners

Washington, June 6.—A pro posal that the government permit gold producers to export gold mined in this country to take advantage of higher prices abroad has been presented to the administration and is being given careful consideration.

ILLINOIS GOES WET Illinois Monday voted to repeal the 18th amendment. On the basis of one-third of the ballots from over regular Kiwanis meeting at Hotel the state the vote stood: For repeal 497,465; against 78,556.

PLANS COMPLETED

Registration Day Saturday, June 10, From 9 Until 1

Plans for the Catawba College Summer School Division at Elkin have received their finishing touches according to Walter R. Schaff, local director, who was in conference with Dr. John C. Hadley, of Catawba College, Tuesday afternoon. Dr. Hadley, who spent the afternoon in Elkin, made favorable comment on the plans that have been made.

Registration day is Saturday, June 10, from nine to one o'clock. Dr Hadley will be present to confer with students about their courses.

In regard to the expenses of the summer school, Dr. Hadley issues the following statement:

"The tentative tuition fee will be \$20.00 a term as is charged at Catawba College Summer School. But in view of the prevailing financial conditions, if the enrollment is more than enough to meet all expenses of the summer school division at Elkin, Catawba College will en deavor to refund a portion of registration fee to all students who complete the term's work." The summer school division here must be self-supporting, it has been pointed out.

The college will send Miss Meta Liles, who has had wide experience in public school work and who has been connected with Catawba College Summer School on numerous occasions, to assist Superintendent Schaff in the instruction. More instructors will depend wholly upon the number of students.

Teachers and other persons terested in Elkin and surrounding territory have an excellent opportunity to further their professional and college work. All work done will carry both college and professional credit.

William L. Hanes

William Lineberry Hanes, died at his home in the Fall Creek community of Yadkin county early Wednesday morning. Funeral services will be held this morning at 10 o'clock from Fall Creek church and interment will be in the church

County Tax Sale Is Postponed 60 Days By Commissioners

The Surry county board of commissioners, meeting Monday Dobson, postponed the county tax sale of real estate for a period of 60 days, it was learned Wednes-

day morning.
Originally scheduled to take place on June 1, the county has been authorized by an act of the last legislature to postpone the sale until December if the commissioners deem it necessary.

Other matters coming before the board were of a routine nature, it was said.

BOARD IN DEADLOCK ON SUPERINTENDENT

Buck Freeman and E. P. **McLeod Draw Three Votes Each**

At the meeting of the newly appointed Surry county board of education, held Monday in Dobson, a deadlock resulted when the business of electing a superintendent of education was reached and as the result the board will again meet next Monday and fight the matter out all ov er again.

The voting stood at 3-3 for Buck Freeman, of Elkin, and E. P. Mc-Leod, of Franklin school. Professor E. S. Hendren, up for re-election, was eliminated as a candidate.

A number of delegations appeared before the board in the interest of quired under the new school laws passed by the recent legislature However, no action will be taken on this matter until next Monday at which time the new school boundar ies will be determined.

SELECT DATE FOR

Convention To Be Held At State College July 24th-29th

The thirty-first annual gathering of the North Carolina State Farmers' convention will be held at State College, Raleigh, during Farm and Home week, July 24 to 29, inclusive, according to an announcement made by Charles A. Sheffield, secretary.

The meeting this year will likely be one of the most notable gatherings in the thirty years of the organization. Through the efforts of President E. C. Brooks, the Ameri- Mrs. Effie Harding, Mrs. I. A. Kilcan Institute of Co-operation will gore and Miss Pauline Kelly, all of hold its short course and public Yadkinville. Only one child, Mrs. meetings at the college this summer. The meeting will take place during the same time as the farmers' convention. Dean I. O. Schaub has said that the annual conference of home and farm demonstration agents will be held during the week, and Director T. E. Brown has announced that the vocational teachers of the state will meet for their annual

short course during the same period. L. H. McCay, of Henderson county, is president of the convention this year and Mrs. Dewey Bennett, of Forsyth county is president of the state federation

The beer tax is the closest we have come to a tax with its own anesthetic .- San Francisco Chronicle.

Civil War Veteran 100 Years of Age Yesterday

of Elkin but now making his home in Jonesville, was 100 years of age yesterday, June 7.

Born near Rockford, on Fish ris of a stroke of paralysis which has kept him confined to his bed since the 25th of February.

of his many thrilling experiences while wearing the gray of the Confederacy, but from members of his immediate family a number of interesting stories, as related by the veteran before sickness overpowered were gleaned.

If he could have talked upon the occasion of reaching the century mark of life, what stories would have been forthcoming of war and

J. J. Jenkins, for 30 years a citizen strife in those bloodthirsty days of the sixties! Perhaps he would have told over again the stories that he has related many times over to his friends and family-of the battle er in 1833, Mr. Jenkins' one-hund- of Bull Run—of the winter in which of establishing the camps, upkeep, reth birthday found him the victim many men of his own regiment, the wages and other expenses. Propor-21st of Company 11, froze to death in the snow for lack of adequate clothing. He would have told of the A veteran of the Civil War Mr. fierce hand to hand fighting with Jenkins was in no condition to tell the better equipped Yanks-of the suffering and pain-the bloody footprints left in the snow by his comrades as they bitterly defended the rights of the Confederacy!

And too, he would have no doubt related other tales of hardship and privation when army rations sisted of potato peels and the only water supply came from a small of the state will see service in the

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Attempt Is Being Made To Secure Additional Outgoing Mail Service

On Fourth Lap



Jimmie Mattern hopped off from Omsk, Siberia, early Wednesday morning on the fourth lap of his attempted solo flight around the world. A broken strut has thrown him approximately 10 hours behind the time of the Post-Gatty record.

FORMER SHERIFF OF YADKIN CO. PASSES

the re-districting of the county, re- Lee W. Kelly, Aged 78, Dies In Statesville Hospital

Yadkinville, N. C., June 7 .-Ex-Sheriff Lee W. Kelly, aged nearly 78 years, passed away at a Statesville hospital late Friday afternoon, following an illness of only a few days. He was out at his farm Monday morning, returning home and saying he was ill. He did not leave the house again but did not become serious until Thursday when he was removed to Dr. Long's hospital at Statesville. Dr. Long expressed the opinion that his ailments would be fatal and he died Friday afternoon. Members of his family were at his bedside when he expired.

Sheriff Kelly was born in Yadkinville and had spent his entire life here. He was the oldest living person here who was born here and is the last man of the old school of men who had lived here and been a part of the town's life for many years. He is survived by one brother, L. D. Kelly, and three sisters: Hemans Kelly Shermer, of Yadkin ville, survives him.

Mr. Kelly was sheriff of Yadkin county from 1893 to 1897. He has also served as county commissioner

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TO SPEND NEARLY \$1,200,000 IN N. C

Money For Operation of Eleven Camps of C. C. C.

Raleigh, June 3.—Approximately \$1,200,000 will be spent in Piedmont and Eastern North Carolina during the next six months in the operation of the 11 camps of the Civilian Conservation Corps under the direction of the state, it is estimated by Director J. Harrelson, of Conservation and Develpoment.

The estimate is based on preliminary figures of the cost of more than \$3 a day for each man in camp which includes transporation, cost tionate expenditures will be involved in the operation of other such camps under federal supervision on park and national forest lands in Western North Carolina and other sections of the state, Director Harrelson said.

While the immediate purpose of the program is to relieve unemployment, a permanent result will be the far-reaching effect on the life of the state and nation, the director states. In the next six months, 6,500 youths

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PETITION ASKING MESSENGER ROUTE **BEING CIRCULATED**

Present Mail Service Is **Entirely Inade**quate

1 MAIL EAST DAILY

Attempts to secure an additional mail service here were begun Tuesday with the circulation of a petition requesting postoffice authorities to make arrangements for an early outgoing mail to Winston-Salem via milk route.

Since the Southern Railway took off one of its trains a number of weeks ago Elkin has had only two incoming and outgoing mails each Under the new and inadequate schedule, this has meant that the local postoffice has had only one important outbound mail inasmuch as the other outgoing mail goes only to North Wilkesboro and towns en-

As the matters now stand a letter mailed after four o'clock in the af-ternoon does not leave the postoffice until the following day at that time. It is then a matter of chance whether it reaches Winston-Salem in time to make mail connections due to the fact that the local train, of mixed variety, must need stop at each station enroute for the purpose of shifting freight.

Under the plan as outlined in the petition, which has been signed by a majority of the husiness firms here, all first class matter mailed up until 10 p. m. the previous night would leave Elkin the next morning at 5 o'clock, reaching Winston-Salem by 7 or 7:30 a.m., in ample time to connect with outgoing mails and would give Elkin a morning as well as afternoon mail service.

The mail would be carried on the Klondike Farm milk truck, the management of the farm having expressed willingness to co-operate in every way possible.

MRS. W. C. PARSONS CLAIMED BY DEATH

Mountain Park Woman Dies After Long Illness

Mrs. Mollie Bray Parsons, 63. passed away at her home at Mountain Park Thursday from a lengthy illness. Funeral services were held Saturday from Mountain Park Bantist church and interment was in the church cemetery.

The deceased was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Bray and a sister of the late J. L. Bray of this city.

Surviving are the husband, W. C. Parsons; one daughter, two sisters, Mrs. T. M. Isaacs, of Mountain Park and Mrs. H. Mosley, of Crutchfield, and one brother, Richard Bray, of Mountain Park.

"FULL STEAM AHEAD"

Contending efforts were being made to "hamstring" the senate's investigation of J. P. Morgan and Company, Senator Robinson, Republican, Indiana, demanded in the senate Tuesday that the inquiry be allowed to go "full steam ahead and bring. out all the rottenness.'

No Definite Information As To **Opening Of Bank**

No definite information as to the date of the opening of The Bank of Elkin was forthcoming up until the time The Tribune went to press. However, in a telephone conversation with Edwin Duncan, of Sparta, late Wednesday aftergoon. The Tribune was informed that information would be given following a meeting tonight (Thursday). Mr. Duncan failed to disclose where the meeting would be held or who would participate. Bank of Elkin was forthcomin