

## The Bank of Elkin Opens Tuesday With Deposits Exceeding \$40,000 and Withdrawals Less Than \$200

### CITIZENS SHOW CONFIDENCE IN NEW INSTITUTION

Board of Directors And Officials Are Elected

### NAME COMMITTEES

Deposits exceeding \$40,000 as against withdrawals of less than \$200 marked the opening here of The Bank of Elkin Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock.

R. C. Lewellyn, president and cashier, announced that the opening exceeded his fondest hopes and expectations, and expressed his sincere appreciation to the citizens of Elkin and vicinity for their cooperation and confidence.

It was pointed out that withdrawals, which totaled \$174, represented only two accounts, one of which amounted to \$167 and the other to \$7.00.

From the time of the opening a steady stream of depositors filed by the tellers' windows, making big deposits and small as an expression of their confidence in the bank and faith in its officials.

At a meeting of the stockholders held late Monday afternoon, the following men were elected as directors: J. R. Poindexter, chairman, Avery Neaves, C. S. Foster, R. C. Freeman, Thomas M. Roth, W. S. Gough and R. C. Lewellyn.

Immediately following the stockholder's meeting, the newly elected directors met and confirmed the selection of R. C. Lewellyn as president and cashier; W. S. Gough as vice-president, and Garland Johnson as assistant cashier.

The directors also elected the executive, or loan committee, whose duty it will be to pass on all loans made by the bank; an examining committee, and a depositors committee. The depositors committee will give information about the bank to those thinking of opening an account, and will also solicit new accounts for the institution. All committees will be accountable to the board of directors.

Those named upon the committees were:

Loan committee: J. R. Poindexter, C. S. Foster, R. C. Freeman and J. D. Brendle.

Examining committee: Mason Lillard, Thomas M. Roth and L. P. Somers, Jr.

Depositors committee: H. F. Laffoon, W. S. Gough, Mattie Brendle, F. M. Norman, Carl Myers, W. A. Graham, R. L. Harris, W. J. Harmon, C. A. McNeill, J. F. Moseley and A. M. Smith.

Mr. Lewellyn pointed out that Mr. Johnson, assistant cashier, in addition to having 10 years actual banking experience has also completed a four year course in modern banking and graduated with honors. He expressed himself as being very highly impressed with Mr. Johnson as an efficient and highly capable man for the job.

In discussing the fact that he insisted upon the bank opening Tuesday, August 15, Mr. Lewellyn pointed out that 28 years ago Tuesday, on August 15, 1905, at 9 o'clock, he opened the bank with which he is connected at Dobson, and for sentimental reasons preferred the local bank open on the 28th anniversary of that date.

The Bank of Elkin was organized with a working capital of \$25,000 and an authorized capital of \$100,000. Paid in surplus amounts to \$12,500. The stock is owned by the people of Elkin and vicinity and the bank is in every sense a home bank. Banking hours are from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m.

### Mrs. Mitchell Dies

Mrs. W. L. Mitchell, mother of James Mitchell, of this city, passed away at her home in North Irredell county Monday morning. She was 60 years of age.

Funeral services and interment were held Tuesday morning from Grassy Knob church.

### Is Open



The Bank of Elkin, which opened Tuesday morning to give Elkin her first banking facilities since the bank holidays of March.

## LATE NEWS from the State and Nation

### Eight Meet Death

Havana, Aug. 15.—Eight more persons met violent deaths here today in post-Machado disorders as the new government of President Carlos Manuel de Cespedes labored to set its political and economic house in order.

### Vote Down Tax

Greensboro voters yesterday stayed away from the polls to defeat the proposed 19-cent supplemental school tax, the count being 1,257 for to 3,907 against.

### Gallows Looms

Dallas, Tex., Aug. 15.—The gallows loomed ahead tonight for Harvey Bailey, one of the chief "public enemies" of the nation, as federal and state officials moved swiftly on numerous fronts to bring to justice the perpetrators of the Union station massacre in Kansas City and the kidnapping of Charles F. Urschel, Oklahoma City oil man.

### Will Pay Farmers

Washington, Aug. 15.—Millions of dollars in benefit payments to cotton and wheat farmers for agreements to curtail their production will be freed under a policy made public today by Henry Morgenthau, Jr., governor of the farm credit administration, after approval by President Roosevelt.

### Court Attack Fails

Washington, Aug. 15.—The first court attack against the constitutionality of the National Recovery Act failed today in District of Columbia supreme court when an application for an injunction to set aside operation of the law as it affected Texas oil refiners was denied by Justice Joseph Cox.

### School Tax Defeated

Charlotte, Aug. 15.—A proposal for a 20 cents school tax in the city of Charlotte was defeated today when only 5,674 voters cast their ballots in favor of it. The total registration was 12,042.

A heated campaign preceded the election.

### Lawrence Re-elected

Charlotte, Aug. 15.—Roy R. Lawrence, of Winston-Salem, was re-elected president of the North Carolina Federation of Labor by acclamation this afternoon at the closing of the 25th annual convention held here. E. L. Sandefur, of Winston-Salem, was re-elected secretary.

## ADDITIONAL MAIL IS ADDED HERE TO IMPROVE SERVICE

Will Leave Local Post-office At 6 a. m. Each Day

### BY MOTOR EXPRESS

Effective yesterday morning (Wednesday) an additional daily outgoing mail was made a part of local postal service, giving Elkin two outgoing and two incoming mails each day.

The mail leaves the postoffice at 6 a. m., being carried to Winston-Salem via Elkin-Winston Motor Express, and includes only first class matter, parcel post excluded. Under the schedule it should reach Winston-Salem about 7:30 o'clock, in time to make outgoing connections there.

Although not the mail service the town needs, the addition of this mail gives Elkin better service than it has had since the Southern Railway discontinued two of its trains. Under the schedule which became effective immediately after the trains were discontinued, only one outgoing mail daily was available, which worked a decided hardship upon the town as a whole.

## CROXTON CARTER KILLED IN WRECK

His Brother, Wilbur Carter, Seriously Hurt; Both Known Here

A message was received here Tuesday of the death of Croxton Carter, 29, at Liberty, New York. Mr. Carter was instantly killed in an automobile accident and his brother Wilbur Carter, was seriously injured. A message from Ed R. Carter, father of the young men, to relatives here Wednesday afternoon, stated that Wilbur Carter showed slight improvement.

Both young men are well-known here, having resided here with their parents for four years, from 1914 until 1918.

The body of Mr. Carter will be brought to Elkin the latter part of the week presumably Saturday, for funeral services and interment. He will be buried in the family plot in Hollywood cemetery beside his mother, Mrs. Margaret Johnson Carter, who died several years ago.

He is survived by his father, Ed R. Carter and his stepmother, of Justice Florida, and the following brothers and sisters, Mrs. Edwina Carter Reeves, Miss Margaret Carter, Jack Wilbur and Roger Carter.

The deceased is a nephew of Mrs. W. M. Evans and J. Frank Carter of this city.

## FARMERS URGED TO ATTEND FIELD DAY

Annual Event To Be Held In Statesville August 24

The twenty-ninth annual field day will be held at the Piedmont station of the North Carolina Department of Agriculture, at Statesville on Thursday, August 24, 1933, in charge of J. W. Hendrix. The meeting will feature diversification in farming and agricultural research. An all-day program has been planned and valuable information for farmers may be obtained by attending the meeting. Experimental plots will be open for inspection and the farmers are invited to inspect the experiments under way.

J. W. Crawford, Surry county agent, urges all Surry farmers to attend this meeting if they possibly can.

## TEACHERS NAMED FOR ELKIN AND N. ELKIN SCHOOLS

N. Elkin Is Included In The Elkin School District

### ELECTED MONDAY

The redistricting program of the State School Commission has placed the North Elkin school with Elkin. The commission allotted twenty-five teachers to the Elkin school district, as it will be known in the future. Five teachers were allowed the high school while twenty were allotted to the elementary departments.

The Board of Education of the Elkin school district met Monday night and elected teachers. The Elkin high school has the following teachers: Walter R. Schaff, superintendent; Miss Elizabeth Anderson, Arthur Clifton Hood, Mary Virginia Barker and Miss Sarah Ismay McCracken. The junior-high department, which is departmentalized with the high school department, will include Miss Josephine Ring Paul and Miss Emma Ellen Cooke.

The Elkin elementary department will have the following teachers: Miss Bettie Allen, Mrs. Mary Smith Allred, Miss Ola Angell, Miss Ruth Eads, Miss Blanche Dixon, Miss Elizabeth Harris, Mrs. Vena Harris, Miss Mary Elizabeth Hendren, Miss Margaret Lillard, Mrs. Flora H. Martin and Mrs. Bertelle Lineberry Price.

The following teachers were elected to the North Elkin division: R. B. Blackwelder, principal; Mrs. T. C. Douglas, T. C. Douglas, Mrs. Fred Eldson, Fred T. Hart, Miss Elizabeth Joyce, and Miss Mary Thompson.

Other school information will be announced within the next week.

## C. S. CURRIER QUILTS AS HIGHWAY HEAD

T. A. Leeper Appointed Temporary District Engineer

C. S. Currier, who since 1917 has been district engineer, state highway division D, first district, has resigned, and T. A. Leeper, of Elkin, has been appointed temporary engineer to fill his place.

Mr. Currier, whose resignation became effective Wednesday, Aug. 9, will continue here with the local highway office until September 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Currier will continue to make Elkin their home.

## J. S. ATKINSON GETS NICE FEDERAL POST

Is Appointed Deputy Collector of Revenue Under Robertson

J. S. Atkinson, prominent local man, was notified Wednesday morning by Charles H. Robertson, federal collector of revenue for North Carolina, of his appointment as deputy collector.

Mr. Atkinson, who will take office probably about the first of September, will make his headquarters in Winston-Salem, he stated Wednesday.

Coming within his jurisdiction are the following counties: Surry, Yadkin, Stokes, Rockingham, Caswell, Alamance and Randolph.

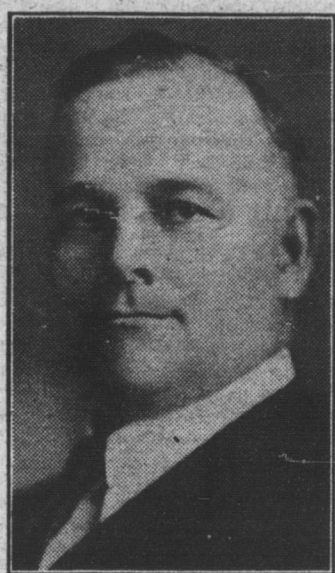
## Wilkes Is Without Federal Dry Agents

For the first time since the 18th amendment was ratified, Wilkes county is without a federal prohibition officer, it was learned Wednesday, following indefinite furloughs given R. E. Prevette and J. R. Brandon, who were stationed at North Wilkesboro.

The furloughs amount to a permanent discontinuance of their connection with the department.

## Surry-Yadkin-Wilkes Masonic Picnic To Be Held Here Thursday

### Main Speaker



Honorable Tam C. Bowie, of West Jefferson, who will be the principal speaker at the Surry-Yadkin-Wilkes Masonic picnic to be held here next Thursday.

## ELKIN ORGANIZES UNDER THE N. R. A.

C. G. Armfield Elected To Head Campaign Here

Elkin business men and representative citizens who have pledged their support to President Roosevelt's NRA campaign to shorten hours, raise wages and put men to work, assembled at Hotel Elkin last Friday night and perfected an organization to head the NRA drive here.

The main purpose of the organization is to educate the people of the importance of doing their duty in co-operating with the national emergency re-employment campaign; to endeavor to line up all employers who have not signed the agreement, and to clear up puzzling points not thoroughly understood.

The organization was formed with the election of C. G. Armfield as General; Mrs. H. L. Johnson, lieutenant-general; Walter R. Schaff, colonel of the division of public speaking; Alan Browning, Jr., colonel of the publicity brigade, and A. O. Bryan, colonel of the manpower brigade.

Further instructions are being awaited from Washington before the active start of the local campaign.

Mrs. John Parks, Mrs. D. F. Gough and Miss Lillie Cockerham spent Tuesday in Winston-Salem.

## Judge Who Supported N. R. A. Has Visited In Elkin Frequently

"Washington, Aug. 15.—The first court attack against the constitutionality of the National Recovery Act failed today in District of Columbia supreme court when an application for an injunction to set aside operation of the law as it affected Texas oil refiners was denied by Justice Joseph Cox.

"Forty-nine Texas refiners had sought to have set aside the Interior Department's recent restrictions on inter-state shipment of oil.

"Congress has declared," Cox's opinion said, "that there is a national emergency and has granted the President broad powers to meet this emergency."

"He held that Congress had the constitutional authority to delegate these powers."

The above from Washington, D. C., will be of particular interest to friends of Judge Cox here. He has frequently visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Neaves and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cox.

## HON. TAM C. BOWIE TO BE PRINCIPAL SPEAKER OF EVENT

Concert By Oxford Orphanage Singing Class Is Feature

### EXPECT BIG CROWD

Next Thursday, August 24, will mark the annual Surry-Yadkin-Wilkes Masonic picnic here, and hundreds of people from neighboring counties are expected to attend.

Hon. Tam C. Bowie, representative to the state legislature from Ashe county, will deliver the main address of the day at 11 o'clock, after which will come the picnic dinner.

Among other features planned for the picnic this year is a concert by the Oxford orphanage singing class, justly famous for years for the quality of their concerts, and a band concert by a 30-piece Mount Airy band.

In the afternoon, beginning at 3 o'clock at Riverside Park, a baseball game will be played between two picked Yadkin county teams, which will play for the championship of that county.

Another popular feature of the day will be a battle royal between seven Negro boys, this feature to also be staged at Riverside Park.

As in years past, Lee's riding devices will be here for the amusement of those attending, and will feature hobby horses, ferris wheel and chair-o-swing. These attractions will be here during the entire week.

Local stores and business houses, with the exception of drug stores, will be closed from 10 o'clock a. m. until 2 p. m.

No efforts have been spared by Chairman Joe E. Bivins and his corps of assistants in arranging for a gala event. It is pointed out that those in charge feel especially fortunate in securing Mr. Bowie as principal speaker, he having been frequently mentioned of late as possible governmental timber come another election.

Everyone is urged to make a special effort to attend and all are assured of an enjoyable day.

## FORMER RESIDENT OF SURRY PASSES

Mrs. J. W. Hancock Dies At Cameron Home Friday

Mrs. J. W. Hancock, 57, a former resident of Surry county, passed away at her home at Cameron Friday afternoon. The deceased had been an active member of the Christian church for forty years and was beloved by a host of friends.

Funeral services were held from the Rocky Fork church in Lee county, in charge of Rev. Farris, of Raleigh and Rev. Southard, of Stokesdale, and were attended by a throng of friends.

Funeralbearers were: A. B. Todd, Galax, Va.; T. B. McArthur, Raleigh; Edgar Simpson, W. E. Neuse, E. F. Badgett and W. I. Blakely, all of Cameron.

She is survived by her husband, J. W. Hancock; three daughters: Mrs. A. J. Edwards, Raleigh; Mrs. E. I. Edman, Winston-Salem and Mrs. E. Escue, Raleigh; two sons: Rufus Hancock, High Point and A. G. Hancock, Cameron. Her mother, Mrs. T. E. Snow, Rockford; one sister, Mrs. John Cox, White Plains; four brothers: T. W. Snow, Dobson; J. Royer Snow, Raleigh; W. R. and Z. V. Snow, Rockford and several grandchildren, also survive.

### Mid-Week Service

There will be a mid-week service at the Jonesville Methodist church this evening (Thursday) featuring a study of the great hymns of the church. The public is invited.