

PROMINENT ELKIN MAN IS TAKEN BY DEATH THURSDAY

Julius Lee Hall, 60, Succumbs to Attack of Pneumonia

ILL SEVERAL YEARS

Solemn funeral rites were held from the First Methodist church Saturday morning at 10 o'clock for Julius Lee Hall, 60, prominent Elkin citizen, who died at his home on West Main street late Thursday evening. Mr. Hall had been a sufferer from rheumatism for the past several years and for sixteen months prior to his death he had been confined to his room. However, he developed bronchial pneumonia a short time before his passing, which was the immediate cause of his death.

The deceased had been a resident of Elkin for the past twenty years and during that time was identified with the civic, business and church affairs of the town. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church. Mr. Hall retired from active business four years ago, due to his decline in health, but prior to that he was market buyer for the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco company for 33 years. He was affiliated with the first tobacco market in Elkin and had resided here since that time.

Mr. Hall was a native of Alamance county, where he was born on September 8, 1873. On July 31, 1901 he was married to Miss Mary Ethel Hardbarger, who survives him, with the following sons and daughters: Julius Hall, Jr., Miss Janie Hall, Clyde, Bernard, Moir and Eugene Hall and Miss Catherine Hall; one little granddaughter, Bonnie Jane Hall, all of Elkin. Two sisters, Mrs. J. L. King and Mrs. J. W. Johnson, and three brothers: John A. Hall, H.

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300 UNEMPLOYED ARE GIVEN WORK

Surry County CCC Quota Is Announced As Twenty-Four

More than three hundred unemployed Surry county citizens have been placed on four work projects now being completed under the Emergency Relief Administration, according to a statement from Mrs. Emma Reece Mock Thursday. These projects were originally started under the CWA program and include the Mount Airy street improvements, the Elkin sewer system, the Beulah school sanitary plant and the Cope land high school gymnasium.

Mrs. Mock also stated that the Surry county quota for enlistment in the CCC camps would be twenty-four young men, a notice having been received to that effect Thursday morning. The candidates must be single boys and men between the

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High School Principals To Hold Convention

A conference of all high school superintendents in the county will be held this morning (Thursday) in the high school building at Dobson, according to an announcement made by John W. Comer, head of the Surry school system. The meeting will convene at 10 o'clock.

Dr. J. Henry Highsmith, state inspector of high schools, will be present to explain to the teachers the new course of study to be taught in the public schools in the 1934-35 term.

About thirty principals, in addition to other instructors, are expected to attend.

"Meanest Man" Kills Little Fish At Watauga Hatchery

Another "meanest man in the world" has been discovered in Watauga county in the form of an unknown person who drained the breeding pool at the Watauga fish hatchery and caused the untimely death of several hundred of the finest trout obtainable.

Whoever perpetrated the crime left no clue whatever, according to C. B. Smathers, who is in charge of the state hatchery.

May Be Bride



OBERRAMMERGAU, Bavaria. Miss Clara Mayr (above), the Mary Magdalene of this year's Passion Play, is to be a bride and live in the U. S. if the commission will grant permission. She will wed Anton Lang, Jr., now of Georgetown University faculty.

LATE NEWS from the State and Nation

MANY FEARED DEAD IN SHIP COLLISION

Lorient, France, June 27.—(Wednesday)—A passenger boat carrying 100 arsenal workers was rammed from the rear last night by another vessel and sunk with her human cargo. The loss of life was still unchecked early today.

At least a score were feared to have been carried out to sea by a treacherous current flowing past the mouth of Lorient harbor. The official toll stood at six dead and six injured.

Quick work by heroic divers diminished the death toll, which at first was feared to be high. Dockworkers and sailors plunged into the waters over the sinking vessel and rescued all the passengers trapped in the ship's cabin. Early today the boat was raised and towed to port at low tide.

PRESIDENT TO SPEAK OVER RADIO TONIGHT

Washington, June 26.—The people of North Carolina will have an opportunity Thursday night to hear President Roosevelt give an accounting of the progress thus far made under the new deal program, a speech which will probably be of 20 minutes duration. The President is to leave Washington Saturday for his vacation, which will include a visit to Hawaii, returning via the northwest in five or six weeks.

In the talk Thursday night, which is to be one of the famous fireside chats, the President is expected to present a digest of the work of the administration since the beginning of the year, and the hope is entertained that the President's utterances will afford an intimation of what his fellow countrymen may expect during the remainder of the year, and from the next session of Congress.

REVENUE OFFICE TO BE MOVED TO GREENSBORO

Washington, June 26.—The office of collector of internal revenue for North Carolina, the largest in point of collections in the country, is to be moved from Raleigh to Greensboro without further delay. What is believed to be the final word on this subject was spoken by Secretary Morgenthau, of the treasury, this afternoon, and it is now understood that the office records, equipment and personnel will be transferred to Greensboro—the home prepared for these things in the new federal building there—not later than July 15.

GILL GIVEN LIST TO CHECK IN PAROLE RACKET PROBE

Raleigh, June 26.—I. M. Bailey, president of the North Carolina state bar, today furnished Edwin M. Gill, parole commissioner, with a list of names of attorneys and prisoners for checking in connection with the investigation of the alleged "parole racket" in the state.

Mr. Bailey declined to comment, stating that "so far as I am concerned it is not public yet." Mr. Gill also refused to discuss the matter. He is compiling his report and probably will submit it to Governor Ehringhaus this week.

The Wake county grand jury is also continuing its investigation of the parole fraud reports.

BURKE CALLS FOR A SECOND PRIMARY IN 17TH DISTRICT

Trailing Rousseau By Approximately 500 Votes

CONTEST SATURDAY

Candidate for judge in the seventh judicial district, J. Hayden Burke, of Taylorsville, announced Monday night that he has called for a second primary with Julius A. Rousseau, of North Wilkesboro, following primary investigations in Alexander and Wilkes counties which reduced Mr. Burke's lead of several hundred votes over Rousseau to a figure where he was trailing the North Wilkesboro mayor.

The investigation resulted in throwing out numerous votes in Alexander and a few in Wilkes county, which placed the standing of the three contestants as follows: Rousseau 4,718; Burke 4,184 and John W. Ragland, the third candidate, 1,024. The close count between the two high men makes a second primary necessary in the event it is called for.

In the statement issued Monday, Mr. Burke stated:

"After what I believe to be due consideration, I have decided to call for a second primary to determine the nomination of a candidate for Judge of the Superior Court of the 17th Judicial District, which I am informed will be held on next Saturday, June 30th.

"I wish to tender to my supporters throughout the district my heartfelt thanks for their loyal support, and

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UNUSUAL DISEASE TAKES ONE VICTIM

George Tilley, Surry Man, Dies Monday of Spotted Fever

George Tilley, farmer, of near Pilot Mountain, one of a family afflicted with an unusual disease believed to be Rocky Mountain spotted fever, died at 7 o'clock Monday morning. His wife and child also afflicted with the disease, are said to be improving.

The malady is said to be an infectious disease transmitted by the bite of a wood tick and has usually been confined to the western mountain range. It is said to be found in its worst form in the Bitter Root

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Machinery Arriving For Furniture Plant

Two truck loads of machinery arrived yesterday from Morristown, Tenn., and more trucks are expected today, with machinery for the Morristown Manufacturing Company, which has leased the Biltmore Furniture company plant in this city. It is expected that the plant will begin operation just as soon as the machinery is installed, possibly within the next ten days.

Young Surry Man Badly Injured In Auto Wreck

Floyd Mooney, 23, of near Dobson, is a patient at Hugh Chatham Memorial hospital, suffering from severe facial injuries received in an automobile accident Sunday afternoon on the Elkin-Dobson highway. The young man lost control of his car and failed to make a sharp curve and tumbled over an embankment. Mooney is expected to recover, despite the severity of his wounds.

Install Machinery For Operation of Gold Mine

With over \$1,000 worth of mining machinery already installed, active operation of a gold mine located six miles north of Elkin on the south prong of Mitchell's River is to get under way Monday morning, it was learned Wednesday from W. M. Dickerson, who with his partner, J. W. Brookshire, have leased the land upon which the mine is located and who will operate it.

According to Mr. Dickerson, ore from the mine has assayed from

Dreaded Disease, Anthrax, Breaks Out In Yadkin County; Medicine Is Rushed By Airplane To Victim

Three Charming Smiles in Beauty Finals



CHICAGO . . . More than 25,000 beautiful American girls strived for the honors won by these three young ladies. Now the three are coming here to compete for the honor of being the "Queen of Dental Charm." They were picked by McClelland Barclay and committee of beauty experts. They are, (left to right) Miss Mary Elizabeth Bort of Long Beach, Calif., Miss George Berry of Richmond, Va., and Miss Mildred M. Smith of Wilbur, Wash.

SAFE FOUND IN THE YADKIN IDENTIFIED

Was the Property of McNeer's Here Whose Home Was Robbed

The safe located in the waters of the Yadkin river by a swimming party on the evening of June 18, has been positively identified as the safe which was stolen from the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. McNeer of this city on the evening of March 14, 1933.

The McNeer home was entered and the safe and its contents, totaling stocks, monies and valuables in the amount of approximately \$12,000 were stolen, while the family was attending the local theatre.

The contents of the safe, with the exception of about \$400 worth of building and loan stock, about \$200 in money and a fraternity pin were returned about two weeks after the robbery. The loot was placed in a flour sack and put on the McNeer porch, early in the evening.

Positive identification of the safe was made through discovery of the fraternity pin which was found in a small compartment of the safe. The pin was the property of Mrs. McNeer, and was inscribed with her maiden name, "Maude Fields".

It is believed that the thieves looted the safe, took the money and the stocks, hid the remainder and later returned it to the McNeer home, and threw the safe over the bridge. No definite clues to the robbery were ever ascertained.

Local 5 And 10-Cent Store Changes Hands

A business deal of considerable importance was transacted here early part of the week when Claude H. Farrell purchased the stock of French W. Graham, of the Graham and Click 5 and 10 Cent store. Mr. Graham, who has been the active partner in the business for the past several years will devote his time to his official duties as postmaster. Mr. Farrell will be in charge of the store, which will continue to operate under the name of Graham and Click.

If you go to sleep in church you are not qualified to criticize the sermon.

Health Department Asks Cooperation In Mosquito Fight

Numerous complaints have been made by the local citizenry to the county Health Department because of the mosquito menace here this summer. In this connection the Health Department issues the following statement: "In order to control the situation of the mosquitoes here, citizens are requested by the Health Department to make a thorough inspection of their premises for cans and barrels of standing and stagnant water. Also to be sure to clean roof gutters, as they often become clogged with leaves, thereby causing the water to pond and form a breeding place for mosquitoes. This is one of the most frequently found breeding places of the insects. The mosquito is not only a disease carrying insect but a household pest, and every effort is urged for their extermination."

The health Department is having all ponds and pools in and near the town properly sprayed.

RAY AND HUFFMAN ARE BOUND OVER

Participants In Affray Are Placed Under \$300 Bond Each

Ransom Ray and W. O. Huffman, both of East Elkin, were bound over to the next term of Surry county superior court Monday afternoon following a hearing before Magistrate J. L. Hall, on charges of forcible trespass and assault as to Ray and assault with a deadly weapon as to Huffman. Bond was set at \$300 each.

The hearing was the outcome of a fight which took place between the two men on the night of May 12 at the Huffman home, in which Ray was badly beaten about the head

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CHARLES W. RAY, 79, IS TAKEN BY DEATH

Respected Farmer Had Been In Ill Health For About Two Months; Funeral Held Friday

Charles Wesley Ray, 79, passed away at his home five miles north of this city on Thursday of last week, from an illness of about two months duration. The deceased was a prosperous farmer and was well known in his community.

Funeral services were held Friday morning from Poplar Springs church, in charge of Rev. Eli Jordan and Rev. Mr. Reece, and interment was in the church cemetery.

He is survived by his wife and seven children: Mrs. A. L. Gentry, Mrs. Spencer Mooney, Mrs. Raymond Carter and K. F. Key, all of Elkin; W. L. Ray, W. A. Ray and Mrs. Paul Nixon, all of Winston-Salem.

SITUATION SAID TO BE ALARMING; SEVEN COWS ARE VICTIMS

Every Precaution Being Taken To Head Off Disease

CANNOT SELL MILK

By W. E. RUTLEDGE
Yadkinville.—(Special to The Tribune).—Following an investigation of the serious illness of Clarence Howell, 12-year-old Yadkinville boy, it has been learned that the dreaded disease anthrax is prevalent to almost an alarming extent in the Yadkinville section. Up to noon yesterday seven head of cattle had died, all in one section of the town of Yadkinville. All cases where a definite test was made were shown to be anthrax.

One week ago Monday the Howell boy was bitten on the lower part of the cheek by a fly. A sore soon developed and his mother, Mrs. Howell, painted it with iodine. Next day the place was examined more thoroughly. Late in the afternoon he was sent to Dr. Mackie, local physician, who observed considerable swelling and hastened him to the Hugh Chatham hospital at Elkin, where a blood test was made for blood poison. When this failed, a smear was taken from the sore which showed the germ of anthrax plainly. Dr. H. L. Johnson, of the Elkin hospital, hastened to Yadkinville to inform Dr. Mackie and the parents of his findings and tell them of the seriousness of the case.

Medicine by Airplane
Dr. Mackie returned to Elkin with him and they ordered the proper medicine by telegraph at midnight and it was sent from Baltimore, Md., by airplane next morning. The condition of the patient had grown more serious all the time, but upon arrival of the medicine, which cost

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WELFARE SURVEY IS SHOWING PROGRESS

Asks Cooperation of Citizens For Complete Survey of County

The work of the child welfare survey, which is being conducted by the American Legion and Auxiliary, is progressing favorably, according to Mrs. Fred McNeely, county worker, but during the remaining two weeks of the campaign Mrs. McNeely requests the co-operation of citizens in general for a complete survey of the county. Records are sought of all children who are deaf, blind, physically weak from disease and undernourishment, both of World War veterans and citizens generally.

The combination funds, which included the income from a five million dollar endowment of the legion, and the facilities of the Warm Springs Foundation and other agencies, make it possible for a liberal sum to be donated to each county for the care of underprivileged and undernourished children. In this connection a nation-wide survey is being made of all needy children. Headquarters for the county are established here and communications may be addressed to Mrs. McNeely personally or to the Auxiliary of the American Legion.

The co-operation of citizens generally is not only desired but is essential to the success of this survey.

Merchants Assn. Announces Stores Will Close July 4th

Local stores and business houses will be closed Wednesday, July 4, in celebration of Independence Day, according to Miss Edith Neaves, secretary of the Elkin Merchants association. No special plans have been made for the observance of the day here.