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LATE NEWS from the State and Nation

SAYS NEW DEAL HAS BRED STRIKES

New York, Sept. 18.—The NRA has been diverted into a monopolistic tendency instead of a self-governing plan for industry and its labor aspects have been strikes and led to bloodshed, Prof. Irving Fisher, Yale economist, said tonight.

Fisher, in two separate speeches criticized the trend of the new deal and proposed a revision of the American financial system to separate monetary and banking functions.

TO CALL ALLIED WORKERS FROM JOBS?

Washington, Sept. 18.—The executive council of the United Textile workers tonight authorized the strike committee to call all allied workers from their jobs if such drastic action is necessary to win the nationwide walkout.

The decision was made after an all-day meeting of the council. Francis J. Gorman, strike leader, said an additional 120,000 textile workers likely would be ordered to leave their jobs by the end of the week unless industry agrees to arbitrate the dispute.

TEAR GAS BUSINESS PICKS UP

Washington, Sept. 18.—The textile strike has increased the tear gas business of Federal Laboratories, Inc., Pittsburgh, from five to ten per cent. Senate munitions investigators learned today.

John W. Young, president of the concern testified he had shipped tear gas to national guard units "all over the country," but added "I don't know whether it was all used."

He said an airplane carrying 400 pounds of gas to the national guard in Rhode Island—scene of strike riots—was forced down and guardsmen were compelled to use rifles.

RUSH AID TO ALASKAN CITY

Nome, Alaska, Sept. 18.—In the wake of the devastating fire that left this once famed gold metropolis a city of smoldering ruins, the agencies of humanitarian service tonight rushed the task of lifting the burden of suffering from its populace.

Every building that survived yesterday's disastrous conflagration was converted into a relief headquarters to provide shelter for more than 400 homeless persons.

RUSSIA IS IN LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Geneva, Sept. 18.—A stern warning to the world that war is "the threatening danger of tomorrow" was voiced by Maxim Litvinoff, tonight, at a historic session of the League of Nations Assembly which elected the Communist Russian republic to membership.

Litvinoff indirectly denounced the activities of Germany and Japan in his maiden address as foreign commissar of the newly admitted Soviet Union in league circles.

To Make Study of Local Group Hospitalization

Prof. L. C. Smith, of the department of Sociology in Nanking Union College, Nanking, China, will arrive here Friday to make a study of the group hospitalization plan which is in effect at the Hugh Chatham Memorial hospital. The unusual features and protection offered members of the local mutual aid association has attracted international attention and many of the larger hospitals throughout the country are making a special study of its methods.

Accepts Pastorate of Presbyterian Church

Rev. Pat Boyle, of Wagram, has accepted the pastorate of the Presbyterian church in this city and has arrived here to take up his duties.

Morning and evening services will be held at the church each Sunday. Sunday school will precede the morning service.

DECISION AS TO ROUTE OF SCENIC HIGHWAY WITHHELD

Ickes Intimates That He Will Drive Over Proposed Routes

HEARING TUESDAY

Washington, Sept. 18.—The bitter quarrel between North Carolina and Tennessee over location of the Great Smoky Mountain National Parkway south of Blowing Rock, was aired in Washington for three hours this afternoon at a public hearing before Secretary of Interior Ickes.

With the large auditorium in the Interior Department packed to capacity and more than a hundred people in the corridors, spokesmen for North Carolina contended that if the parkway is to be located on a basis of scenery then the route proposed by the North Carolina Highway Department should be approved.

Spokesmen for Tennessee with equal vigor and enthusiasm, contended that the route they proposed is just as rich in scenery as any other proposed route and by any rule of reason and fair play one-half of the parkway from the Virginia line to the park should be located in Tennessee.

Feeling reached a high pitch as speakers for Tennessee charged North Carolina was trying to "hog" all the parkway and Tar Heel spokesmen compared the amount of money Tennessee already has received from the nation's treasury.

After listening to all speakers with intent interest, Secretary Ickes brought the hearing to a close around 5 o'clock with the statement that the question involved was of such tremendous moment to both states that he would not render a hasty decision but would weigh carefully the arguments made by both sides.

"I will try to decide it strictly on its merits and may the best cause win," he asserted.

As he was leaving the platform, Ickes stated that he would possibly drive over both proposed routes before making a decision on the location of the parkway. The secretary will go to Atlanta on September 29 to dedicate a housing project and those in the know at the Interior Department said it is altogether probable that in returning to Washington he will spend two or three days checking over the routes.

North Carolinians are confident that if the secretary will personally inspect the route their case will win.

LENTZ ARRESTS MAN FOR THEFT OF AUTO

Had Previously Arrested Same Person For Reckless Driving

Jack Webster, of Winston-Salem, was bound over to Forsyth county superior court Monday morning under \$500 bond for the theft of an automobile belonging to Dr. J. P. Rousseau, of that city. He was placed in jail in default of bond.

Webster was arrested in Jonesville a number of weeks ago by Sergeant W. B. Lentz, of this city, and was charged with reckless driving. A companion, Thurmond Billings, was given the keys of the car and told to take it back to Winston. However, Billings was arrested later the same night, when, drunk, he ran the machine into the front yard of the home of J. S. Atkinson, on West Main street here.

Billings, at the time, was taken to Dobson jail while Webster was jailed at Yadkinville and later sentenced to 90 days on the roads, being later released.

That the car the two young men were driving on the night of their arrest was stolen was disclosed last week by Sergeant Lentz, who arrested Webster for the theft. Billings, it is understood, had no part in the theft of the machine.

Mrs. Liza Jane Hudson

Mrs. Liza Jane Hudson, 89, wife of J. M. D. Hudson, near Mount Airy, died Tuesday afternoon at her home from a lengthy illness due to the general infirmities of her advanced age.

Funeral services and interment were from Union church Wednesday afternoon.

All of China hasn't as many telephones as there are in the state of Connecticut.

Smouldering Remains of Ill-Fated Morro Castle After Great Death Toll



NEW YORK . . . The intense interest in the Federal investigation of the burning of the S. S. Morro Castle with great loss of life was reflected by the manner in which all evidence was eagerly scanned by persons in all walks of life. . . . Acting Captain Wm. F. Warme (insert) testified that he believed the fire that swept the ill-fated ship "was set by someone." Photo above is close-up of the death ship as it went aground off Aabury Park, N. J. The list of dead and missing was between 172 to 186.

KIWANIANS OUTLINE PROGRAMS TO COME

Marion Allen Makes Fine Talk At Meeting Friday Night

The Kiwanis Club held its regular meeting at Hotel Elkin last Friday night. The new series of programs for the next three months was opened by an inspiring address by Attorney Marion Allen on "Current Trends". Kiwanian Carl C. Poindecker introduced T. B. Hayward, Riverside, New Jersey, Kiwanian, who entertained the club for a few minutes with excellent wit and humor. Garland Johnson introduced his guest, Charles Weston, of Greensboro, who spoke for a few minutes.

The meeting this week has been designated as ladies' night and will be held at Williams' Farm, a short distance from Mountain Park. The music committee has charge of the program.

The series of programs for the next three months, according to Walter R. Schaff, chairman of the

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FOOTBALL SQUAD IS GETTING IN SHAPE

Coach Hood States That Team Will Be Light But Speedy

Any one of the 25 candidates for the Elkin high football squad will tell you that King Football is just around the corner. Coach "Brodie" Hood has been working his squad regularly for the past ten days, and the boys are whipping themselves into excellent condition for the opening game with Harmony which is only three days away.

Coach Hood reports that only five letter men of last year's squad are back, Clyde Cothren, halfback; Joe Transou, quarterback; Charles Harris, tackle; Claude McNeill, guard; and Hugh Chatham, halfback. Harvey Blackburn, who played on the team two years ago, has returned to school. Two new boys, John Foster and Pressly Howard, have joined the Elkin squad and are showing up well. The work of Barney Rhodes, George Grier, Bryson McKee, Dan Eldridge,

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Health Officer Urges Diphtheria Vaccination

Three positive cases of diphtheria have been reported in this vicinity by the county health department and one death, east of town, has been attributed to this deadly disease. Parents of children who have not been immunized to the disease are urged to take every precaution to prevent further spread of the contagion, as this is the time of year when diphtheria is most prevalent.

Dr. Ennett, county health officer, is in his office here every Thursday afternoon from two until four o'clock and will give free protection to those who are unable to pay for the services of a physician.

Battle Front Scenes in Great Textile Strike



WASHINGTON . . . Above is a photo of President Roosevelt's Textile Mediation Board at headquarters here in the effort to end the Cotton Textile Strike . . . Left to right, Marion Smith of Atlanta, Ga., Chairman John S. Winant of Vermont, and Raymond V. Ingersoll of New York. Below: National Guardsmen employing tear gas to scatter strikers at a textile mill at Greenville, S. C.

Unemployed Should Register At Office Of Merchants Assn.

All unemployed who desire work should register without delay at the office of the Elkin Merchants Association.

It is thought that a certain local project will be approved by the FERA and when this goes through labor will be much in demand. All FERA funds are to be spent for labor alone.

Anyone wishing to register will find someone at the Merchants Association office at all times during the day. A regular case worker is expected here either this week or the first of next week to aid the unemployment problem.

OLD BELT MARKET TO OPEN TUESDAY

Growers Are Anticipating Highly Satisfactory Prices

With tobacco soaring to new heights on eastern markets, tobacco growers of this section are looking forward with satisfaction to the opening of the Old Belt markets next Tuesday.

Seven warehouses will be operated in Winston-Salem this year and three at Mount Airy.

Tobacco prices on the Wilson market were reported Tuesday as averaging \$29.25 per hundred, with a slightly lower average of \$26.04 at Oxford. The average on the Greenville market was given as \$31.23.

Miss Ned Ball left last week for a vacation trip of several days to relatives and friends in St. Louis and Kansas City.

CHATHAM FACES 3 STRONG CLUBS

Horse-Shoe Match With Hamptonville Also On Schedule

Three baseball games and a horse-shoe match are scheduled for this week-end by the Chatham Blanketeers and the Chatham horse-shoe teams.

Chatham will meet Hanes Spinners here this afternoon at 4 o'clock and Friday will go up before the widely known Rube Eldridge, who will take the mound for Southern Chair company of High Point, at 3:30 o'clock.

Saturday at 3:30 the Blanketeers will meet Pickett Cotton Mills, of High Point, the game with that team having been rained out here the past Saturday. Rain checks issued for last Saturday's game will be honored this coming Saturday only, inasmuch as the teams are playing on a percentage basis. In other games hereafter, rain checks will also be honored only when the same two clubs are playing that the checks were issued for.

The horse-shoe match will be staged Friday morning at 9 o'clock on the mill tennis court with Hamptonville, a team that has beaten almost everything in Winston-Salem. Six single games with 50 points per game, and three double matches are scheduled. Admission is free.

In last week's ball games Chatham defeated Southside, Winston-Salem, 9-5, Thursday, and Friday ran completely away with City Upholstery, High Point, to the tune of 28-4. A feature of the merry-go-round was when the Chatham bat boy, Avery Hanes, 8-year-old, replaced Charlie Gough at second base in the last inning. Although missing a hot grounder, Avery redeemed himself by throwing a runner out at first.

U. S. District Attorney Carlisle Higgins was a business visitor in Elkin Monday.

SCHOOL OFFICIALLY OPENS 24TH; MANY STUDENTS EXPECTED

Housing Space Will Be Taxed To More Than Capacity

19 TEACHERS HERE

School officially opens Monday morning, September 24, at 8:30, according to Walter R. Schaff, superintendent of the Elkin public school district which includes Elkin, North Elkin, and Oak Grove, colored. An enrollment of approximately eleven hundred is expected in all schools and housing space will be taxed to more than its capacity, Mr. Schaff said. The State School commission allotted the district 28 teachers, two more than last year's allotment, 19 in Elkin, seven at North Elkin and two at Oak Grove, colored.

Superintendent Schaff will hold the initial meeting with his personnel September 21, at 2 o'clock, in the Elkin high school building at which time final preparation for the opening of school will be made. County Superintendent John C. Comer has called a county-wide meeting of teachers at Dobson, Saturday, September 22. All teachers are expected to attend this meeting.

Pupils in grades one to six inclusive will report for registration and classification at eight-thirty on the opening day. Junior-high and high school students will be assigned to their classes at one-thirty on the opening day. The formal opening exercise of the school will take place about one week after the official opening date.

In order that the junior-high and high school students may be ready to begin work on the opening day of school, Superintendent Schaff is following the policy of registering the students in these departments before the opening day of school. Junior-high students, freshmen and sophomores, were asked to come to the superintendent's office Wednesday to arrange their courses, and the juniors and seniors are to come today. All new students are urged to register this week and bring with them their record of work from the schools they attended last year.

The new teachers in this year's personnel are Miss Flora Holcomb Royall, Elkin; Miss Norma Noel Cawthon, Jackson, Tennessee; and Miss Lucile Young, Troutman.

The Board of Education and Superintendent Schaff see no reason why this year's work should not be more effective than that of last year despite unsettled conditions.

VICTIM OF HIT-RUN DRIVER IS BURIED

Father of Gaynell Phillips Is Laid To Rest Saturday

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 2:30 from Bethel church, in Ashe county for James P. Phillips, 59, who was killed by a hit-and-run driver in Charlotte Wednesday night.

Mr. Phillips was a prominent farmer and former merchant of the Oval community. The rites were in charge of Rev. George Trivette, pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. J. M. Hayes, of Beckley, West Va., and Judge Johnson J. Hayes, of Greensboro, brothers-in-law of the deceased.

Mr. Phillips is survived by his widow, Mrs. Minnie Hayes Phillips, and the following sons and daughters: Miss Gaynell Phillips and Wayne Phillips, of this city; Mrs. Leuna Suracy, of Washington, D. C.; Miss Lucille Phillips, Winston-Salem; Athel, Hazel and Clyde Phillips, of Oval. Two brothers, Will R. Phillips, of Oval, and Wiley Phillips, of Cleveland, Tenn., also survive.

Niece of G. C. Wallace Dies Suddenly Tuesday

Miss Cora Elnor Cannon, 21, died suddenly Tuesday morning at the home of her uncle, Guy C. Wallace, near Devotion. Miss Cannon had suffered from diabetes for several years, but her health had seemed somewhat improved lately, and she arrived here only a week ago for an extended visit to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace. The deceased was a native of Seaford, Delaware, and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lee Cannon. The remains, accompanied by Mr. Wallace, were carried to Delaware for funeral and interment.