

May Queen



Miss Linda Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Averette N. Mitchell, of Fairmont, will preside over traditional May Day exercises at the Woman's College of the University of North Carolina May 1. Parents of all students at the Woman's College have been invited to spend that day at the college, attend classes with their daughters if they like in the morning and witness the beautiful May Day festival in the afternoon.

Miss Mitchell, who is chief marshal at the Woman's College this year, was "Miss North Carolina" at the Rhododendron festival in Asheville two years ago.

HUNDREDS HERE FOR VALUE DAYS

Weather Man is Unkind, But Many Come to Town for Annual Event

MANY CONTESTS HELD

Although the weather man presented rain and chilly weather, hundreds of people from throughout this section attended Elkin Bargain Days here last Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

SPARTA MAN OFFICIAL OF N. WIKLESBORO BANK

Edwin Duncan, of Sparta, was elected executive vice-president of the Northwestern Bank, of North Wilkesboro, Saturday by the board of directors.

TO HOLD CRIPPLE CLINIC APRIL 23

According to an announcement by Dr. Ralph J. Sykes, Surry county health officer, the regular county Cripple Clinic will be held in the Mount Airy office of the county health department April 23, beginning at 9 a. m. Dr. R. A. Moore, orthopedic surgeon, of Winston-Salem, will be in charge as usual.

F. D. R. ORDERS SHARP SLASH IN GOVT. SPENDING

Is Disappointed Over Revenue Collections TO AVERT BIG DEFICIT Says Collections May be Materially Less Than First Anticipated TO CUT DOWN PAYROLLS

Washington, April 13. — President Roosevelt reported disappointing tax collections today and ordered economies in all government agencies to prevent this year's deficit from being "far greater than was anticipated."

MRS. R. F. JESTER PASSES SATURDAY

Prominent Jonesville Woman Succumbs Following Serious Illness

FUNERAL HELD MONDAY

Mrs. R. Frank Jester, 83, died at her home in Jonesville Saturday night about 8:30, following a serious illness of a week.

MAYOR ISSUES PROCLAMATION

Sunday to Be Observed as "Safety Sabbath" Throughout Entire Nation

WOULD REDUCE WRECKS

The following proclamation concerning an effort to prevent if not eliminate death upon the highways has been issued by Mayor J. R. Poindexter, of this city, in cooperation with a statewide "Safety Sabbath" program sponsored by the Carolina Motor Club:

PROCLAMATION "The appalling number of preventable accidents and deaths upon the highways of our community, State and Nation has become a menace of major concern to all the people. Our beautiful

Foils Skeeters



CHICAGO . . . Miss Betty Barrie displays transparent shield, gaudy but effective protection against marauding mosquitoes.

TO HOLD COOKING SCHOOL TUESDAY

Annual Event, in Charge of Miss Malone, Sponsored By Woman's Club

TO BE AT HOTEL ELKIN

The annual Elkin cooking school, sponsored here for the past two years by The Elkin Tribune, in cooperation with the Duke Power company, will be staged in the Kiwanis room of Hotel Elkin next Tuesday afternoon, beginning at 2:30 o'clock, under the sponsorship of the Elkin Woman's Club.

Miss Addie Malone, home service specialist of the Duke Power company, will again be in charge of the school. Miss Malone, known to practically all housewives of this section, may be depended upon to make the cooking school beneficial to all who attend.

VIRGINIA MAN DIES IN HOSPITAL HERE

Vesser Halsey, 69, of Mouth-of-Wilson, Va., died in the hospital here Wednesday morning, only a few hours after he was admitted. He had been in ill health for some time but had been seriously ill for about a week.

Elmer Simpson

Elmer Simpson, 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Simpson died at the local hospital Wednesday, following a brief critical illness from a ruptured appendix and peritonitis.

Clean-Up Week To Be Observed Here April 16th-24th

Annual Clean-Up Week will be observed in Elkin April 16-24, under the auspices of the Elkin Woman's Club and the Boy Scout troops. Trucks will be furnished by the town to haul away trash piled conveniently on the streets.

All property owners are urged to clean their premises and owners of vacant property are asked to clean this property as well as developed property. All business houses are asked to pay special attention to back streets as some of them are very unsightly.

J. R. Poindexter, mayor of Elkin, Mrs. J. G. Abernethy, chairman of the garden department of the Elkin Woman's Club, and Dr. C. E. Nicks of the Boy Scout troop are leaders in the movement and urge the cooperation of all citizens of the town.

LATENEWS from the State and Nation

DOBSON BOY IS SUICIDE

Mt. Airy, April 13.—Bernard Hutchens, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hutchens, of Dobson, was instantly killed this morning when he propped a shotgun on a post in the yard of his home and pulled the trigger, sending a load of buckshot into his chest. His health was blamed for his act.

Dr. R. E. Smith, county coroner, who conducted an investigation, said an inquest would not be necessary, as it was a clear case of suicide.

Funeral will be conducted Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from Salem Baptist church, near Dobson, by Rev. Will Crispen. Interment will be in the church cemetery. The youth is survived by his parents and a sister, Laura, of the home.

SALE AND COST FIGURES DISCLOSED

Washington, April 13. — Securities commission reports disclosed tonight that each of the big three tobacco companies sold slightly more than \$200,000,000 worth of products in both 1934 and 1935.

Chairman James M. Landis, termed the figures one of the deepest trade secrets in American business, made public the reports of five major tobacco companies after four of them agreed to withdraw suits to prevent publication of the figures. The data had been included in statements filed in connection with their securities.

MISSISSIPPI NEGROES LYNCHED

Winona, Miss., April 13. — Two negroes were tortured and lynched by a mob of over 100 white men near Duck Hill, Miss. this afternoon within two hours after they had pleaded innocent in Montgomery county circuit court to a charge of murdering a white man.

A third negro suspected by the mob of complicity in the slaying of George Windham, a country storekeeper, was severely whipped and run out of the county after narrowly escaping the fate of the other two negroes.

DAYLIGHT TIME PROVING POPULAR

New York, April 13. — The merchants' association of New York announced today results of its annual survey on daylight saving, showing that "fast time" will be ordered this year in 15 states and six Canadian provinces, in addition to 10 foreign countries.

New York and most of the country's daylight saving centers will turn the clocks ahead one hour on Sunday, April 25, and turn them back on Sunday, September 26.

DISCOVERY TO PREVENT CATARACTS

Chapel Hill, April 13.—Experiments showing that lactoflavin, a special form of vitamin B, will prevent cataract and will also stop this eye disease after it has started were reported to the American Chemical society here today.

SARAH FOSTER DIES SUDDENLY

Aged Colored Woman, Familiar Figure Here, Passes Away Sunday; Funeral Wednesday

Sarah Foster, well known colored woman of Jonesville and a familiar figure here for the last half-century died suddenly Sunday night at her home near Jonesville. The exact age of "Aunt Sarah," as she was known to countless friends, both black and white, is not known, although it is well beyond the three score and ten mark.

She is survived by her husband, "Uncle" Jeff Foster, who is several years her senior, and a number of children. Funeral services were held Wednesday.

Back Home After the Flood



EAST PRAIRIE, Mo. . . This family returned to their farm after the winter flood and set up tents amid the wreckage of their former home. Flood rehabilitation work is now being undertaken in areas of southeast Missouri that were affected.

Many Seek Place On State Highway Commission

With a new state highway commission to be appointed, a number of candidates are in the field for a seat on the commission from this district, which includes Surry, Yadkin, Wilkes and other neighboring counties.

Friends of Grover Williams, prominent Boonville man, are busy on his behalf, while John Folger, of Mount Airy, Gordon Hackett, of North Wilkesboro, and numerous others are seeking the post.

Appointment to the commission will be made by Governor Hoey today.

PHILLIPS GUEST OF KIWANIS CLUB

Speaks on "What of Tomorrow for Our Young Folks;" Excellent Talk

CLUB TO ATTEND MEET

Charlie Phillips, formerly superintendent of the Greensboro City Schools, and now public relations director of Women's College, University of North Carolina, was speaker at the meeting of the Elkin Kiwanis club at Hotel Elkin last Thursday evening.

Mr. Phillips spoke on the subject: "What of tomorrow for our young folks?" stating that in the opinion of some people there is no field of opportunity for young people today. However, in his own opinion, he stated, the surface of opportunity has hardly been scratched. "I can think of no line of endeavor," he said, "but what offers plenty of opportunity for those who really make an effort and who show ability to make good."

This evening's meeting will be held in the Robert E. Lee hotel in Winston-Salem, where local Kiwanians will attend the district meeting of Kiwanis, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Those attending will leave Hotel Elkin this afternoon about 6:00 p. m.

JOHN ROBERTS, 49, CLAIMED BY DEATH

Esteemed Citizen of Maple Springs Community Dies Friday

FINAL RITES SUNDAY

John Roberts, 49, of the Maple Springs community, west of Elkin, passed away Friday in the local hospital following an illness of a month from a complication of diseases. Mr. Roberts was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Roberts and was an esteemed citizen of the community. He was twice married, first to Miss Joyce Spicer and after her death to Miss Della Sale, who survives him.

Surviving children of the first marriage are Grant, Charles and Harvey Roberts, Mrs. Monroe Sparks, of Ronda, and Miss Mabelle Roberts. Three children of the second marriage are Miss Ru-

LABOR ACT RULING WILL NOT CHANGE FIGHT ON S. COURT

Leaders Divided in Opinions On Decisions ROOSEVELT DETERMINED

Statements by Senator Robinson Leads to Belief of Further Fight

TO OUST CONSERVATIVES

Washington, April 13. — While the Supreme court, in its Wagner labor relations act rulings yesterday vouchsafed to the new deal a new deal, thus favoring Mr. Roosevelt with that "enlightened interpretation" or the organic law which he has long sought, it has nevertheless been decreed that the warfare over the bill for a reorganization of the judiciary is to continue to the bitter end, whatever the cost in confusion and demoralization.

Reports emanating from the White House, together with utterances by Chairman Farley in a speech tonight at Philadelphia, and in a statement given to the press by Senator Robinson—all inspired utterances—left no doubt that President Roosevelt is still determined to drive the conservatives from the court or nullify their decisions with new appointments, and thus establish a court whose devotion to the new deal may be relied upon under any and all circumstances. One explanation of this no compromise, and give no quarter attitude is seen in the claim by intimate friends of the President of a requisite number of "pledged" votes to insure senate approval of the bill any time a vote can be obtained.

Senator Robinson asserted that the necessity for a reorganization of the court cannot be suspended by the variability of a single justice, while other supporters of the court bill said that while the new deal had been permitted to occupy the no man's land, as a result of the rulings of the court yesterday, there remained the uncertain Robert's land. This, of course, has reference to the attitude of Mr. Justice Roberts, who joined the chief justice in making certain a five-four decision in the Wagner cases.

According to a statement by F. T. Levellyn, clerk of court, Wednesday, there are approximately 75 cases on the docket for hearing, with no murder case to be heard, and with only one case each of rape and manslaughter. The criminal court docket is now in the best shape it has been in some time.

EXAMINATIONS TO START NEXT WEEK

Schools of County to Begin Closing on May 10th, Comer States

NEW SCHOOL BUS BURNS

According to a statement Wednesday by John W. Comer, county superintendent of schools, the seventh grade and high school examinations will be given in the county schools next week. There will be approximately 500 students taking the seventh grade examination, with approximately 125 taking the high school examinations.

Mr. Comer further stated that the schools of the county will begin closing on May 10th, with the last school closing on May 25th. The wide variation in closing dates is caused by weather conditions of the past winter, which kept some schools closed more than others.

One of the county's new 19-foot school buses was burned near Thurmond Saturday night when thieves attempted to steal gas from it. No clues had been found as to who the thieves were, Mr. Comer stated Wednesday morning. The chassis of the bus was sent to a shop to have a new body built on it.

W. C. T. U. LEADERS TO BE HERE SUNDAY

Mrs. W. A. Lindsay, president of the state W. C. T. U., and Mrs. C. H. Clemmons, vice-president, both of Charlotte, will be here Sunday for a temperance rally. One of the ladies will speak at the close of the Sunday school at the First Baptist church and the other will speak at the same time at the Methodist church.

In the afternoon at 3 o'clock there will be a mass meeting of the women of the community at the First Baptist church. All women of the community are invited to attend and a special invitation is extended to the women of nearby churches.



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