THE ELKIN TRIBUNE Dikin Elkin Gateway to Roaring Gap The Best Little Town and the Blue Ridge In North Carolina' PUBLISHED WEEKLY ELKIN, N. C., THURSDAY, MARCH 17, 1938 VOL. No. XXVII. No. 18 **SURRY VOTES FOR** HITLER RATIFIES **HIGHWAY ENGINEER Home Economics Class Entertains Civic Heads** ATENEWC SUDDEN CONQUEST **CROP CONTROL IN** TELLS KIWANIANS from the **COUNTY ELECTION OF NATIVE LAND OF ACCIDENT TOLL** State and Nation | Only 211 Votes Are Cast Leeper Talks on "Safety of Austria Becomes Province of **Against Program** Highways" Germany SPAIN APPEALS TOTAL OF 5,596 VOTE NEW GOVERNOR NAMED STATISTICS ARE GIVEN TO FRENCH FOR AID Paris, March 15. — Premier Juan Negrin, of Spain, was learned tonight to have told North Carolina Returns Over-Faulty Brakes Are Said to Be **Claims Creation of an Extend**whelming Majority As Do ed Germany His Greatest One of the Main Causes France in a flying visit the of Wrecks **Other States** Achievement Spanish government was un-able to hold out against the TOWNSHIP VOTE GIVEN THOUSANDS DIE YEARLY **DEPRIVE JEWS OF VOTE** insurgent drive unless immediate aid was forthcoming. Surry county joined in with A talk on "Safety on the High-Vienna, March 15.-Adolf Hit-The Spanish premier's hurother tobacco and cotton growways," by T. A. Leeper, of Elkin, er today personally ratified his ried visit to Paris was kept se-cret until he had returned by ing counties Saturday to vote ovhighway district engineer, was a feature of the weekly meeting of bloodless conquest of his native erwhelmingly in favor of crop land which formally became a plane to Barcelona, Spanish quotas. the Elkin Kiwanis club at Hotel German province under a governgovernment capital now threat-Incomplete returns from 59 of Elkin last Thursday evening. or. ened by advancing insurgents. 66 counties showed 123,248 grow-Mr. Leeper, who has much first The new governor, ers favoring control of production hand information on the trage- NEWELL MAY Seysz-Inquart, announced Seysz-Inquart, announced legal completion of Austria's union of flue-cured tobacco, and 13,534 dies of the highway, gave a numagainst. In each of the counties HEAD STATE G. O. P. ber of appalling statistics tending with the German fatherland as reporting, control forces obtained Charlotte, March 15. - Jake to show that in comparison with the reichsfuehrer faced frenzied a better than two-thirds majorthe automobile and man's care-lessness, the World War was Newell, Charlotte attorney, thousands in the Heroes' square will be the next state chairman outside the imperial palace of the ity. was In Surry there was a total of 5,596 votes cast, with a total of 5,373 for crop control and with child's play compared with the rate of killing that goes on over the state and nation daily and of the Republican party, unless Hapsburg's. all signs of an eventful eve of The first year home economics class of Elkin high school last Thursday entertained several of the Hitler proclaimed the creation of an expanded Germany as "the a convention fail. officials of local civic organizations at a luncheon at the high school building, as one of a series of only 211 votes cast against it, He will lead a party dedicat-ed in North Carolina to a statewide referendum on the which is apparently taken as a greatest acheivement of my life" luncheons by the home economics department. Pictured above are, left to right, front row: Mrs. this being 96 per cent for crop control and only a bare 4 per cent and ended his four days of trimatter of course. Beatrice Phillips, vice-president of the American Legion auxiliary; Mrs. Paul Gwyn, president of the umph in Austria by flying back to Elkin Woman's Club, and Mrs. C. H. Brewer, vice-president of the Parent-Teacher association. Back

More people were killed on North Carolina highways during the past year than there were North Carolinians killed during the entire World War, Mr Leeper pointed out. Of the accidents responsible for this dreadful loss of life, 75 per cent happened out-side city limits of towns.

Faulty brakes, the highway official said, are the chief cause of a large part of highway acci-TVA INVESTIGATION whereas only 10 per cent APPEARS LIKELY dents of the accidents are caused by condition of the roads. Pedestrians are responsible for 27 per cent, he said, with 75 per cent of the pedestrians meeting death because they failed to watch out for cars while crossing intersections

Statistics also show, Mr. Leeper stated, that only 4.7 per cent of the past year's accidents occurred during wet weather, while 80 per cent took place during good weather. Drivers were the real cause of 72 per cent of the accidents, bearing out the truth of the statement that "it takes 1,000 nuts to hold an automobile together and only one nut to wreck it."

L. G. Meed was program chairman of the evening.

## **COUPLE CELEBRATE 55TH ANNIVERSARY**

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Hundreds Extend Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Greenwood

DINNER ON THE LAWN



and Democratic critics of 1 v.a. as well. Only Senator Norris, Independent, Nebraska, the principal defender of the au-thority and author of the law which established it, had yet to express approval. He was not expected to stand in the way. NO LIMIT TO STEEL MARKET against control 445, leaving a ma- her candidate, eventually won the Cleveland, March 15 .- There jority for control of 2079. Every nomination. "almost literally no limit" to township in the county except steel's future markets, Tom Gordler, Republic Steel corpor-Buck Shoals voted a majority for ation chairman, said tonight. ing 214 for and 221 against. "Entirely aside from the au-tomobile field," he declared, "there is the potential demand The vote in the county, townships, was as follows: Boonville Township .... .556 for strip steel for products such 289 .214

the measure, that township votby For Against 28 49 221 72

against control. Only 11 votes

were challenged, and two were

The voting by townships was

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Franklin

Long Hill

Rockford

Westfield

control.

Mount Airy

Pilot Mountain

Stewart's Creek ....

YADKIN GIVES LARGE

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of what Col. Frank Knox. pub-

lisher of the Chicago Daily

News, called in an interview

given to newspapermen imme-diately after his arrival in

Washington, March 15. -

An investigation of TVA by a joint congressional committee,

including representatives of

both house and senate, seemed today to be the most likely

product of the current agitation

about the agency. Such action had the approval

of Democratic leaders of both branches and of Republican and Democratic critics of TVA

Charlotte this afternoon, "new deal extravagances."

as refrigerators, containers, air Knobs Township .... conditioning and building—just Buck Shoals to mention a few major mar- Deep Creek Liberty 303 109

as follows, with every township giving a large majority for con-**TWO MAY SEEK** For Against 6 19 176 969

-Tribune Photo.

SEAT IN SENATE 34 3 Fred A. Kirkman and R. P. 16 Jones, Both of Surry, May **Announce** Candidacy 30

BOTH ARE CAPABLE MEN Traphill, her parents, one sister

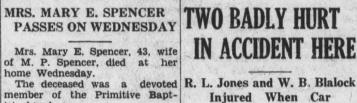
Fred A. Kirkman, of Mount Airy, stated while visiting The Farmers of other Southern Tribune office a few days ago that he may be a candidate for the Crouse states also voted in favor of crop Democratic nomination for state

senator from the Surry-Stokes district, thus renewing a candidacy that was denied him in 1936 MAJORITY FOR CONTROL by the state board of elections Yadkin county farmers voting due to the fact of an "agreement" in the county Saturday cast an between Surry and Stokes that overwhelming vote in favor to- the two counties alternate in putbacco control, under the 1938 act. ting up candidates for the office. A total of 2969 votes were cast. 1936 was Stokes' years for the The vote for control was 2524 and candidacy and S. Gilmer Sparger,

> Although not stating definitely that he will make the race this year, Mr. Kirkman stated that he was seriously thinking of doing so

and that an announcement to this effect may be forthcoming within the near future. Also of interest to voters of this

county is the news that R. Posey Jones, also of Mount Airy, may be a candidate for the state sen-



row: Wilbur Carter, president of the Elkin Kiwanis club: Miss Louise Laftoon, class hostess: Miss

Frances Alexander, class waitress, and J. R. Poindexter, mayor of Elkin and president of the Elkin Fair.

st church. She is survived by her husband one son. Garland Spencer of

and two brothers, all of Brim, Va Funeral services were held Fri-

day at Roaring River. The rites were in charge of Elder

**JAMES GRAY BADLY** HURT BY BASEBALL

Local High School Student in Hospital as Result of **Blow** in **Temple** 

HURT MONDAY P. M.

school student and a son of Mrs. Annie Gray, of Elkin, was seriously injured here Monday afternoon while practicing baseball the right leg and a fractured colschool baseball squad.

Young Gray was struck on the in the Hayes & Speas ambulance.

Although his condition remains critical, R. L. Jones, 35, of Rouda, M. injured here Monday afternoon when a railroad motor car jumped the track, was said to

Injured When Car

**Jumps Track** 

ARE IN LOCAL HOSPITAL

Jones suffered a three-inch skull fracture, a crushed temple.

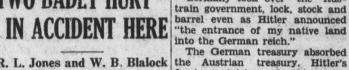
Yadkin county sheriff's officers took a swing around Saturday and scooped up about all the tax James Gray, popular high and a practically severed right ear when the heavy machine and scooped up about all the tax passed over his head. Blalock paid liquor in the county, it is be-sustained a compound fracture of lieved. Beginning at Yadkinville Satwith other members of the high school baseball squad. Hugh Chatham Memorial hospital had received reports the officers urday afternoon after the sheriff visited C. O. Pardue's place on



Jumped the track, was said to have spent a more comfortable night Tuesday and has shown some slight improvement some slight improvement.

injured as they were returning to Elkin. The motor car jumped the track near the Federal Furniture Co. plant, formerly known as the Biltrite plant.

Jones and W. B. Blalock, 41, section foreman of the Southern Railway here, were both badly Two Raids Saturday Net



Munich.

The German treasury absorbed the Austrian treasury. Hitler's foreign minister, Joachim von Ribbentrop, took over direction of Austria's foreign affairs. The war department, the interior minisary and other parts of the Austrian government were placed in

But he will be back soon-to

carry on the campaign for the

public's ratification of union with

Germany in the plebiscite called for April 10.

Germany took over the Aus-

Arthur

charge of German officials. The new government announc-

ed the jews no longer could vote



Several Pints of Tax

**Paid Fluid** 

**TWO MEN ARE ARRESTED**