



SCENES FROM LIONS CLUB HORSE SHOW — Above are four pictures which were taken during the Horse Show staged in Memorial Park last week end. At the upper left Mrs. Russell Burcham is shown handing Link Spainhour of North Wilkesboro a trophy won by his mount, Midnight, in the local walking horse event. The magnificent black animal, owned by Gene Spainhour of Elkin, also won first place in the pleasure horse class. The grand champion of the show, Red Bird Star, is shown in the upper right photo after Ringmaster H. Glenn York had placed the winning wreath around his neck. George Kapp is mounted on the horse, which was entered by Red Bird Farm of Lexington. Red Bird Star also won top honors in the five-gaited championship stake and the five-gaited stallions and geldings class. The action shot at the lower left shows Chuck Haywood of Turnersburg taking a hurdle on his mount Starwood. The horse was selected as champion jumper of the show after winning the jumper stake, open jumpers class and the knock-down-and-out events. At the lower right are four young ladies who served as ribbon marshals for the event as they posed with Russell Burcham and H. Glenn York. From left to right are Mrs. Russell Burcham, Russell Burcham, Mrs. W. W. Holcomb, Mrs. Phillip Poats, H. Glenn York and Mrs. C. E. Grigg.

REP. DEANE TO SPEAK AT SHOW AND SALE HERE

To Address 4-H And FFA Young People In YMCA

4-H LEADER ON PROGRAM

D. B. Brower, Jr., of VPI., To Judge Stock In Jaycee-Sponsored Event

MANAGERS ARE NAMED

Representative C. B. Deane, of North Carolina's eighth congressional district, will be the principal speaker at Elkin's fifth annual Fat Stock Show and Sale September 16 and 17.

He will be introduced by fifth district Representative John H. Folger and will address 4-H and FFA boys and girls in the YMCA at 10 a. m. on September 16.

L. H. Harrill, State 4-H leader, has also accepted an invitation to appear on the program and will address the young people during the morning session.

D. B. Brower, Jr., of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute's animal husbandry department, will judge the stock entered in the event.

County Agent Neill M. Smith and Sam Atkinson, Jaycee vice-president, are co-managers of the event, which is sponsored annually by the Elkin Junior Chamber of Commerce.



TO SPEAK AT FAT STOCK SHOW AND SALE — Congressman C. B. Deane, above left, and State 4-H Leader L. R. Harrill have accepted invitations to speak at the Jaycee-sponsored Fat Stock Show and Sale to be staged here next month. Mr. Deane will be introduced by Congressman John H. Folger and will speak on the morning program at the YMCA September 16.

MAY CASH BOND AT LOCAL BANK

Effective September 2 Terminal Leave Bonds May Be Converted Into Cash

ARE URGED TO HOLD

Effective September 2, veterans holding terminal leave bonds may convert them to cash by signing and presenting them, with their discharge certificates, at their nearest bank. Interest which has accrued on the securities will also be paid.

Officials of the local bank said they would require original discharge certificates from veterans wishing to cash their bonds unless the individuals were personally known at the bank.

Ex-service men have the option of cashing their bonds now or holding them until they mature and drawing two and one-half per cent interest per year from the date of issue. In signing Public Law 254, which provides for converting the special paper, President Truman urged veterans to hold their bonds until the maturity date (five years from initial date) if possible.

"If... veterans choose the wise course, hold their bonds and continue to draw two and one-half per cent interest, their dollars will buy more when they cash their bonds after inflationary conditions have eased. I urge veterans not to cash their bonds unless they are in urgent need of the money now," he said.

ASK INCREASE IN PHONE RATES

Files Application With North Carolina Utilities Commission This Week

SERVES THIS SECTION

The Central Telephone Company this week filed an application with the North Carolina Utilities Commission asking a general increase in telephone rates.

In its application, the Company cited increased operating costs and the lowest earnings in its history.

W. E. Sparger of Mount Airy, North Carolina Manager of the Company, said the Company's operating costs are the highest in its history, resulting in a low return on its investment and asked that increased rates be made effective at an early date.

The requested increases in rates, which the Company said would vary with localities, generally range from 25c to \$1.25 per month for Business Service and 15c to 75c per month for Residence Service, depending upon classification.

"In line with our long established policy, we would like to keep rates down," Sparger said. "They have remained generally the same for the past 20 years, but 1927 rates are not enough for 1947 costs. It is only as a last resort that we are asking for relief now."

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ELKIN WOMAN PASSES AWAY

Mrs. T. Millard Darnell Dies Wednesday At Hugh Chatham Memorial Hospital

FUNERAL RITES FRIDAY

Funeral for Mrs. T. Millard Darnell, 73, who died yesterday morning, (Wednesday) at 11:30 in the Hugh Chatham Memorial Hospital, will be held Friday at 2 p. m. at Pleasant Hill Baptist Church, of which she was a member.

Mrs. Darnell was the former Miss Harriet Walls, a daughter of the late Eli Walls and Eliza Norman Walls.

She had been a patient in the local hospital since Friday of last week when she slipped and fell on the kitchen floor in her home on North Bridge Street, fracturing a hip.

Surviving in addition to her husband, T. M. Darnell, are one daughter and two sons, Mrs. Lee Lawrence of the home; Noah and Robert Darnell, both of this city; one brother and four sisters, John Walls, Arlington; Mrs. Will Gilliam, Mrs. C. C. Couch, Mrs. Willie Tucker, all of Elkin, and Mrs. S. C. Byrd, Pineville, West Virginia.

Rev. David W. Day, pastor, will be in charge of the rites. Rev. J. E. Adams, of Winston-Salem, will assist and interment will be made in the church cemetery.

SCHOOL STARTS 8:45, SEPT. 4

Summer Vacation For Elkin School Children Draws To Close On That Date

ISSUES INSTRUCTIONS

Summer vacations for Elkin school children will end at 8:45 a. m. Thursday, September 4, when all students will report to their first classes of the 1947-48 term.

According to instructions issued by N. H. Carpenter, superintendent of city schools, first year high school students will report to the library for room assignments on the opening day. Children entering the elementary school for the first time should report to the auditorium, and all children who attended Elkin schools last year will report to their old classrooms.

All classes will be dismissed at noon on the opening day and on Friday, Monday, September 8 will be the first full day of school.

WILL SPONSOR FASHION SHOW

Junior Woman's Club To Stage Event At State Theatre September 4th

BENEFIT OF SCHOOL

The Junior Woman's Club will sponsor a Talent and Fashion Show Thursday night, September 4 at 8 o'clock in the State Theatre. The latest Fall fashions displayed by Elkin Merchants will be shown.

In the afternoon, a benefit bridge and rook party will be given at the Gilvin Roth Y.M.C.A. at 2:30 o'clock followed by a fashion show at 4 o'clock. Those desiring reservations for the benefit party are requested to call Mrs. Hugh Salmons at 506-J or Mrs. Jim Dan Hemmings at the Tribune office. The admission will be 50c. The proceeds from the party and fashion show will be used to help furnish proper lighting facilities in the Elkin Elementary School.

The local merchants are cooperating in every way possible by furnishing the latest Fall styles to be modeled in the two showings. This is the second year the Junior Woman's Club has sponsored a Fashion Show.

Lexington Horse Is Top Winner In Show

Rain Cuts Down Crowd At Lions Horse Show Here

Red Bird Star, a late entry from the Red Bird Farm of Lexington, was awarded top honors in the Elkin Lions Club Horse Show here Sunday afternoon before a scattered crowd of some 300 persons who sat through showers of rain to witness final performances in the event.

Champions in 12 classes were named in the Sunday show after weather had forced postponement of the performances Saturday night. Entries in the first 11 events were shown Friday night, and the second performance was held Saturday afternoon.

In addition to winning the award as grand champion horse of the show, Red Bird Star took first place honors in the five-gaited championship stake and the five gaited stallions and geldings events.

Two horses owned and ridden by Chuck Haywood of Turnersburg won top honors in the jumping and hunter classes. They were Starwood, who was named champion jumper of the show after winning the jumer stake, open jumpers and knock-down-and-out classes, and Norwood, who won the conformation hunter championship on a point basis.

Midnight, owned by Gene Spainhour of Elkin, won first place in the pleasure horse and local walking horse events, while Wilson Merry Boy, owned by Dr. Moir S. Martin of Mount Airy, captured the amateurs' championship walking horse stake.

Here I Am, owned by Roy Skillman of High Point, won first place in the championship fine harness stake, the junior fine harness and open fine harness classes.

Claim Agent, owned by Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Henkle, Jr., of Turnersburg, copied first place honors in the hunter stake and open hunter class.

First prizes in the three-gaited championship stake, the amateurs' championship three-gaited stake and the three-gaited under 15.2 events went to Artistic Man, owned by Cam Cridebaugh, Jr., of High Point.

Phinn Horton III, owned by

YADKIN COURT DOCKET HEAVY

Session Begins Monday With Traffic Violations Being In The Majority

ONE MURDER CASE SET

One of the largest dockets in history is made up for trial when the Yadkin County Superior Court convenes next Monday morning with Judge J. H. Clement, of Walkertown, presiding.

The number of cases ready for trial totals 234, according to Clerk of Court Lon H. West yesterday. The majority of the cases are defendants charged with operating an automobile intoxicated and other traffic violations, with a few cases set which are expected to take a considerable length of time.

Six ladies have been selected to serve on the jury during the week.

One of the outstanding cases scheduled for trial is that of Leroy Pardue, young Knobs Township boy, charged with the murder of Walter Holcomb in May of this year.

Another case expected to take considerable time is that of Burton Key, Glenn and Millard Bell, charged with Highway Robbery. The cases against the two Bell brothers in Wilkes County have also been transferred to Yadkin court and all counts against them will come to trial at the same time.

Also scheduled for trial is Buck Nicks, Yadkinville man, charged with assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill, the plaintiffs in the two cases being Carl Boggs and Eva Mae Boggs, of Yadkinville.

Forty-six of the cases on the docket are those which have been continued from previous dockets.

West Coast Folks Visit Relatives

Mrs. Lelan Dunham, granddaughter of A. S. Cockerham of Mtn. Park, and her husband left Saturday for their home in Garden Grove, California, after a visit of several days with relatives in this section.

Mrs. Dunham is the daughter of Jim Cockerham, who moved from Surry County to California about 42 years ago. She visited her uncles, Groves and Alex Cockerham, and her cousin, Police Chief Corbett Wall on her trip.

WILL AUCTION PULLETS HERE

60 New Hampshire Chicks, Grown By Surry 4-H Club Members, To Be Sold

AT LIVESTOCK MARKET

An auction sale of 60 New Hampshire pullets, grown by Surry 4-H Club members, will be held at the Livestock Auction Market here Thursday, September 11, at 1 p. m., it was announced today by Luther G. Sink, Jr., assistant county agent in charge of 4-H work.

Proceeds from the sale will be used to purchase new chicks in the annual poultry co-operative project sponsored by Elkin Hatchery and Farmers Supply Company for 4-H members in the county. The firm is offering prizes for the best birds shown in the show.

C. F. Parrish, poultry extension specialist of N. C. State College, will judge the poultry.

Automobiles do not run down so many people as does gossip.

LEAF PRICES SHOW DECLINE EASTERN BELT

However, Quality Of Tobacco Is Reported Lower

GREEN LEAF STRONGER

Gross Sales Opening Day Totaled 6,534,961 Pounds For Average of \$45.32

LUGS AVERAGE IS \$56.00

Prices on the Eastern North Carolina flue-cured tobacco market Tuesday showed drops from opening-day averages from 25 cents to \$5, the federal-state departments of agriculture reported.

Sole gains over Monday's prices came for fair orange and low orange lugs, with jumps of \$3 and \$4, respectively.

The market showed a slightly stronger demand for green leaf and the lower quality of lugs. Averages on fair cutters and top lugs were \$1 to \$2 under the Commodity Credit Corporation support prices.

The market reporting service said that quality was slightly lower, on the whole, than on opening day. It was estimated that the Flue-Cured Stabilization Corporation received 15 per cent of Monday's sales.

Gross sales opening day totaled 6,534,961 pounds for an average of \$45.32 for the lightest opening-day volume in many years. The average was \$8.89 below the 1946 opening day sales.

Average prices per hundred pounds on a limited number of representative United States grades Tuesday, with changes from Monday.

Leaf—Good lemon \$54, down \$1; fair lemon, \$51, unchanged; good orange \$46, down \$4; fair orange \$44, down \$2; low orange \$36, down \$4.

Cutters—Fair lemon \$57, down \$1; low lemon \$54, down \$2; low orange \$51, down \$2.

Lugs—Choice lemon \$56, down \$1; fine lemon \$54, down \$2; good lemon \$51, down \$1; fair lemon \$39, down \$5; good orange \$48, down \$1; fair orange \$42, up \$3; low orange \$34, up \$4.

Nondescript—best thin \$12.75, down 25 cents.

Irregular prices continued yesterday for the flue-cured Border Belt in South Carolina and North Carolina, with most averages showing fluctuations of from \$1 to \$3 over Monday's sales.

Greatest declines were in inferior quality marketing with small volume. Some grades now are selling at the lowest level of the season, the marketing report said.

There were more common and fair qualities and nondescript and less good to choice offerings. Leaf replaced lugs as the predominant offerings for the first time, with the bulk being low to good leaf and lugs and low and fair cutters.

Sales were fairly heavy on most markets, but several reported volume not as heavy as expected. This was partially due to heavy rains in some sections that delayed farmers from getting their crops to the warehouse floors.

Battery park, in New York City, comprises twenty-one acres. In the early days of the city the section was a select residential district.

Contributions Sought From Individuals, Too

Contributions from individuals as well as from merchants are being accepted for the fund that will be presented to Chatham, Elkin and Jonesville players at the "Players Appreciation Night" baseball game in Memorial Park Saturday, it was announced today by Claude Farrell, chairman of the Merchants Association committee in charge of arrangements for the contest.

Local merchants are donating cash prizes that will be divided among the three teams, and all gate receipts at the game will go to the players participating. The Elkin All-Stars and Jonesville's Hornets are combining their forces against the Chatham Blanketeers in the appreciation night contest which is being sponsored by the local Merchants Association.

Individuals who wish to contribute to the fund should contact Mr. Farrell or any one of the following committee members: George Royall, Charlie N. Myers, George Isenhour or Joe Bivins.

WILL OPEN ON SEPTEMBER 9

Jonesville Schools Delay Until This Date Due To Lateness of Leaf Harvest

FACULTY IS COMPLETE

Jonesville Schools will open Tuesday, September 9 at 9 a. m. instead of Thursday, September 4, as previously announced, according to Watt Deal, principal. All Yadkin County schools have delayed their opening dates to September 9 due to the lateness in harvesting the tobacco crop.

A complete teaching staff has been secured for the 1947-48 term. A commercial department has been added making a course in typing and possibly shorthand available to the students desiring them. Miss Virginia Smith has

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\$1,700 PRIZES MT. AIRY FAIR

Surry Event To Be Staged At Veterans Memorial Park September 1-6

PLAN CATTLE EXHIBITS

More than \$1,700 in cash prizes will be awarded for exhibits at the Mount Airy Fair to be held at Veterans Memorial Park September 1-6.

Home demonstration clubs of White Plains, Franklin, Banner-town, Pilot Mountain and Westfield will sponsor educational booths with exhibits on clothing, foods, interior decoration and other home demonstration work. Mrs. Addie Malone, home economist specialist for Duke Power Company, and Mrs. Elizabeth Tuttle, home agent for Forsyth County, will judge the home exhibits.

More than 40 registered cattle are expected to be entered in the Junior Dairy Show, which will be judged by Ray Morrow, president of the North Carolina Jersey Cattle Club. Jack Kelley, extension swine specialist of N. C. State College, will judge the swine show, which is open to 4-H and FFA club members in the county.

Other judges in the fair will be E. S. Stokes, county agent for Stokes, and Fred O. Olinger, assistant county agent for Patrick County.

The Yellowstone river is about 1100 miles in length.