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1948 High School Enrollment Hits 235 For New High

Enrollment in Elkin High School on Wednesday, the opening day of school, was 235 and in Elkin Elementary School 545. Enrollment figures from North Elkin Elementary School and Oak Grove Negro school were unavailable at Tribune Press time.

The high school enrollment is the largest in the history of the school. Superintendent N. H. Carpenter said, "We got off to a good start, and we sincerely appreciate the cooperation of the parents."

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POLIO CHAPTER RECEIVES LOAN

National Foundation Supplies \$5,486 To Cover September Expenses

TEN NOW HOSPITALIZED

As Surry county marked the passing of another week without a new case of infantile paralysis, officials of the county chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis announced that a loan of \$5,486 had been granted by the national organization for the care and treatment of Surry county polio victims.

These funds are expected to be sufficient to cover the expenses during September of the ten Surry county patients currently hospitalized.

Another loan will be requested October 1 for care and treatment from that date.

In August a loan of \$7,600 was secured from the National Foundation, making a total of \$13,086 which has been borrowed this year.

This organization provides funds to cover all expenses incurred through infantile paralysis.

NAZARENES TO FORM CHURCH

New Group To Be Organized Sunday Night At Gospel Tent On Highway 21

Next Sunday night at the large Gospel tent located on the vacant lot opposite the Ford place on Highway No. 21, a Church of the Nazarene will be organized.

This information is furnished by the Rev. C. E. Shumate, of High Point, who is the District Superintendent of the Church of the Nazarene in the Carolina District.

Rev. Shumate will be present at the meeting to preside and to assist in the new organization.

Rev. O. C. Rushing will be pastor of this new church, and will be assisted by his singing family, who are sometimes referred to as "ten singing Rushings," and better known as the "Rushing Family."

Rev. Rushing and his family hail from Tennessee, and he has pastored churches in Nebraska and West Virginia as well as Tennessee. He and his family have done extensive radio work and expect to be broadcasting in North Carolina in the near future.

At the present time they are making their home in East Jonesville, but Rev. Rushing states that they plan to build a church parsonage as soon as possible.

Rev. Rushing attended the high schools of Lawrence County, Tennessee, and is an ordained minister. He also holds a teacher's certificate from the Vaughn's School of Music, of Lawrenceburg, Tenn.

The Church of the Nazarene has

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LEAF PRICES REMAIN HIGH AT AUCTIONS

Some Good Grades Bring As High As \$70.00

NEAR RECORD PEAK

Both Mount Airy and Winston-Salem Markets Paying Out Huge Sums

AVERAGES ARE HIGH

Prices on the Winston-Salem Tobacco Market remained slightly less than record breaking Tuesday when the entire sale averaged \$53.26 per hundred pounds.

This was only 60 cents a hundred less than Monday's average of \$53.86, which was considered the second highest average in the market's history.

Sales at Mount Airy Tuesday totaled 201,274 pounds for \$110,106.71, an average of \$54.71 a hundred. Sales Supervisor Marshall C. Fowler reported.

Mr. Fowler said that some best smoking grades sold as high as \$70 a hundred.

Winston-Salem Sales Supervisor Joe R. Williams said he believed Tuesday's average was even higher than Monday's, considering the types of tobacco sold on the two days. There was a considerably higher percentage of tips and heavy leaf on the floors yesterday than on the day before, he said.

The day's sales added up to 1,257,008 pounds, going for a total of \$669,489.63.

The Stabilization Corporation purchased slightly more tobacco than on the day before. Purchases totaled 149,088 pounds, or 11.9 per cent of the day's sales. On Monday the Corporation purchased 10.5 per cent of sales.

Elsewhere in the State, flue-cured tobacco prices were reported to have strengthened to the Middle Belt markets yesterday while irregularly developed on the Old and Eastern North Carolina belts.

Prices for the majority of leaf and smoking leaf grades on the Middle Belt gained \$1 to \$4 per hundred pounds, the U. S. and North Carolina Departments of Agriculture reported.

Monday's sales were listed as 3,973,969 pounds averaging \$51.71 per hundred, up \$3.12 from last Friday and the season's high since opening day. Season sales reached 45,262,975 pounds averaging \$50.07.

Irregularity of prices on the Old Belt brought changes ranging from \$1 to \$4, with a few more declines than increases.

The Old Belt Monday sold 7,068,480 pounds averaging \$53.76, up \$1.99 from Friday and highest since opening day. Season sales went to 34,102,101 pounds averaging \$52.48.

Unsteadiness hit prices on the Eastern North Carolina Belt. Leaf showed changes up to \$3 for grades offered in representative volume.

Baptist Association To Meet Sept. 30th

The 46th annual meeting of the Surry Baptist Association, one of the largest Baptist Associations of the State, consisting of 58 churches and over nine thousand members, will get under way Thursday, September 30, at Sulphur Springs Baptist Church, and will meet Friday, October 1, at Union Cross Baptist Church.

Interesting programs have been arranged for both days, with talks by Dr. L. L. Carpenter, editor of the Biblical Recorder, as the principal speaker during the Thursday afternoon session, and M. A. Huggins, of Raleigh, state secretary, as chief speaker of the Friday session.

Crockett Brannock, of Mount Airy, is moderator. Claude Harris, of State Road, is clerk of the Association.

Cheek Family Hurt In Auto Accident

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cheek and two month old daughter, Elizabeth Ann, and two other children, all of Roaring River, were involved in a head-on collision near Roaring River, Monday afternoon.

The name of the driver of the other car is unavailable.

Mrs. Cheek received deep cuts around the face and is a patient at Hugh Chatham Memorial Hospital. Elizabeth Ann was admitted to the local hospital for observation.

Mr. Cheek sustained a broken arm and was released from the hospital following treatment. The other two children riding in the car at the time escaped injury.

Auman Speaker At Lions Club Meet

Rev. J. Clyde Auman, pastor of the Walkertown Methodist Church and deputy district governor of the local Lions district, was guest speaker at the meeting of the Elkin Lions Club at the Gilvin Roth YMCA Monday evening.

During the meeting Lion Claude Farrell welcomed Dr. Frank Fleming into the club as a new member.

At the business session plans were discussed for the Lions White Cane drive, in the interest of the blind, which will be staged locally Friday and Saturday. The local quota is \$172.00, it was announced.

Sunday School Group To Meet At Dobson

The Surry Baptist Sunday School Association will meet Sunday, September 26 at 2:30 p. m. at Dobson Baptist Church.

D. P. Brooks, state missionary, will bring the missionary message at 3:05 p. m.

Others participating on the program are Rev. Carrington Paulette, Rev. J. E. Pearson and a male quartet composed of Elmer Timmons, Wendel Simmons, Otis Davis, Frank Shelton.

All members of the association are cordially invited to attend this meeting.



LEGISLATORS LEAVE FOR ROME—A congressional delegation headed by vice-presidential candidate Alben Barkley, senator from Kentucky, is shown leaving Washington airport in President Truman's plane, "Independence," for Rome, Italy, to attend the inter-parliamentary union meeting. They are, left to right, Franklin Dunham, secretary of the delegation; Reps. H. O. Talle (Rep., Iowa), John J. Rooney (Dem., N. Y.), and Senators Carl Hatch (Dem., N. M.), Scott Lucas (Dem., Ill.), Senator Barkley and J. William Fullbright (Dem., Ark.).

Full Cooperation Is Urged In X-Ray Drive

Equipment To Be Set Up Here Next Week For Free Tests Of Citizens

The Surry county health department will set up X-ray equipment here next week for free chest X-ray service which officials hope will be utilized by every one in this area over 14 years of age.

For a five-day period, starting Monday, the equipment will be operated at the Chatham Manufacturing Company for the benefit of employees there.

On the following Monday, October 4, throughout October 12, the equipment will be in use at the health department offices over the town hall on Market street.

During the latter period, the service will be available to all persons from 9:30 a. m. until 4:30 p. m. daily, Saturday included. On October 11 and 12, health department officials expect to X-ray the student body of the Elkin high school.

With a set goal of 100 per cent, officials are urging every one to take advantage of this service.

WAC RESPONSE IS SAID GOOD

Regular Army Staging Recruiting Drive For Women For Army And Air Force

The response to the Regular Army's first recruiting program for the Women's Army Corps and Women's Air Force has been much larger than anticipated, according to Army Recruiter.

Application for the Women's Air Force are being taken now at all U. S. Army and U. S. Air Force Recruiting Stations, with actual enlistments beginning September 27th.

The WAC-WAF Recruiting Program will be small and highly selective, with a maximum of 7000 for the Army and 4500 for the Air Force being accepted over a two-year period, it was explained, and enlistment is open to women both with and without prior service, for periods of two, three, four, five, and six years.

Age requirements for applicants without prior service are between the ages of 18 and 35. Former members of the WAC over 35 may enlist provided their present age does not exceed 35 plus the length of prior service.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States, of high moral character and meet the physical requirements. A high school diploma is required for enlistment in the Women's Air Force, and a high school education or its equivalent for the Women's Army Corps.

WAC and WAF recruiters are now on duty at all main recruiting stations, and information may be obtained at any Army-Air Force recruiting station.

They Had Too Much Corn To Cut Corn

Four Yadkin county men set out Tuesday to cut some corn but carried too much with them to complete their task.

Robert Brown, James Osborne and Floyd Martin Frye were placed in the Yadkin county jail, charged with drunkenness and affray.

A warrant for James A. Frye on these two charges was issued when it was discovered that he had disappeared from the Hugh Chatham Memorial Hospital before officers could place him under arrest.

Brown was treated at the hospital for injuries, said to have resulted from a free-for-all where rocks were used to supplement fists.

The men had gone into a field with Brown to cut corn stalks.

LIONS TO PUSH FUND FOR BLIND

Annual White Cane Sale and Membership Drive To End September 25th

LATHAM IS CHAIRMAN

The North Carolina State Association for the Blind will conduct its annual White Cane Sale and Membership Enrollment drive beginning September 20th and continuing through September 25th, it was announced today by E. E. Shore, Jr., president of the local Lions Club.

Dave Mauney Jr., Cherryville, will direct the campaign which will have a \$25,000 goal.

Lions and Lionesses throughout the state again are cooperating in the drive, which will have as its aim the raising of funds for the Association's widespread program of aid to the blind and conservation of sight, the latter project featuring free examinations, eye glasses and eye operations for underprivileged children.

L. M. Latham, who will serve as local Chairman of the White Cane Sale and Membership Enrollment, announced today that the local Lions Club had unanimously endorsed the campaign, and that its members, assisted by Lionesses and other local friends of the blind, will conduct an active drive here during the September 20th-25th campaign period. The buttons will be sold directly to the general public. They will be exchanged for nominal contributions, and there is no limit to the amount interested button purchasers may contribute any amount from 10 cents up.

In addition to the sale of White Cane buttons, the Lions will enroll as members in the State Association for an annual fee of \$1, and will seek memberships and renewal of present memberships from individuals interested in the welfare of the blind and conservation of sight.

One-third of the funds derived from the sale of the White Cane buttons will be retained by the local club, L. M. Latham said, for use in the program of its own blind aid and sight conservation committee, the remaining two-thirds of the proceeds from the sale of the White Cane, together with all of the funds derived from membership fees in the state association, going to the association toward meeting its \$25,000 goal for the 1948 campaign.

USDA HEAD TO VISIT STATE

Charles F. Brannan To Discuss Vital Farm Questions At Monroe Meeting

EXPECT LARGE CROWD

Congressman C. B. Deane of Rockingham, announces that Hon. Charles F. Brannan, the Secretary of Agriculture will come to North Carolina for the first time on Monday, September 27th. On that date in Monroe, Union County at 11 o'clock a. m., the Secretary will speak in the Monroe High School Stadium.

Immediately after the address by Mr. Brannan the Union County Farm Bureau, the hosts of the day, will serve a fish fry to the 2000 people expected from many sections of North Carolina.

Because of the acute questions now confronting the farmers and especially the prospects of the greatest crop production in history, Secretary Brannan will discuss among other vital farm questions, the price support program.

The Union County Farm Bureau has requested The Elkin Tribune to urge Farm Bureau and other farm leaders in Surry County to stimulate interest in and secure the presence of many rural as well as business people to attend what is expected to be one of the largest gatherings of farmers ever held in Piedmont North Carolina.

Case Against Town Will Be Heard Today

Tsk, Tsk! This Is What Comes Of Wrong-Doing

A Wilkes county boy who decided to try his hand at being a highway patrolman found instead the efficient arm of the patrol sweeping out to engulf him. And although he had entertained no thought of being a jailer, he found himself in jail.

According to investigating officers, Edisel Brown, posing as a patrolman, picked up a drunk and hauled him around for awhile before putting him out.

When Patrolman Sid Carter, Roaring River, heard about it he alerted patrolmen in this area to be on the lookout for a 1940 Ford coupe. Cpl. W. S. McKinney of Elkin located the car and Brown at a night spot a few miles out of Jonesville.

Carter and Patrolman Shook of North Wilkesboro, arrived on the scene and arrested Brown. He was placed in the Wilkes county jail charged with reckless driving and impersonating an officer.

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SLAYER ADMITS N. Y. CRIMES

Maurice Junior Holshouser Faces Murder Charge In New York State

ARRESTED IN YADKIN

Maurice Junior Holshouser, 26, taken from an Elkin cab by highway patrolmen last week and held for the murder of a New York matron, has confessed to the crime, committed he said, because "she nagged me about the girl I was going with."

Holshouser has been returned to New York state to face murder charges in the death of Mrs. Lena Robinson, wealthy 73-year-old widow who lived near Wellsville, N. Y. He has waived extradition.

The prisoner was arrested in Yadkin county by State Highway Officers E. M. Logan and J. H. Jackson. Sheriff H. M. Eaton of Davie county obtained from him a signed confession of the slaying. He denied that he had raped his victim, as had been intimated in earlier reports.

A native of Rowan county, Holshouser has a wife and four children who live in Davie county

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851 ELIGIBLE OUT OF 3,574

This Number of Surry Registrants To Receive Questionnaires Soon

NO INDICATION OF CALL

A total of 851 persons who registered under the selective service act in Surry county will receive questionnaires in the near future which will be the next step toward drafting them for peace-time military service.

During the three-week period which ended last Saturday, 3,574 Surry youths in the 18-25 year-old age bracket registered for the draft, officials of board 87 at Dobson stated this week.

The single, nonfather, nonveteran group between the ages of 19 and 25 will be the first tapped to fill this county's quota. This group totals 851.

Supplementing this group will be those persons becoming 18 subsequent to September 18. The law requires that males register within five days after reaching their 18th birthday. Questionnaires will not be sent to 18-year-olds until 30 days after the date of registration. No one will be drafted before reaching 19.

Already nine of the questionnaires have been returned to the board. There has as yet been no indication of when the first Surry county group will be called for service.

Is Slated To Be Called In Surry Court

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Among the questions McElwee was ordered to determine, in addition to the question of whether the town expended funds derived from ad valorem taxation in the construction of the airport, were these: (1) The amounts expended by the town from any source for the construction, maintenance and operation of the airport; (2) Whether C. C. Myers was a member of the Board of Commissioners of the town of Elkin and was also a stockholder, director or officer of the Blue Ridge Aviation, Inc., at the time the town entered into the contract for the construction of the airport and (3) Whether the contract between the town and Weldon Weir for the grading and construction of the runways at the airport was entered into in violation of the law.

According to the report, McElwee found that the total amount expended by the town in "the construction, maintenance and operation of the airport . . ."

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Cook Book Recipes Deadline Is Oct. 1

October 1 has been set as a deadline for persons to turn in their favorite recipes for the Elkin Junior Womens Club cook book.

Anyone in Elkin, Jonesville and vicinity is eligible to submit recipes whether or not they have been contacted by a club member and are urged to do so as soon as possible. Recipes should be turned in to Mrs. Hugh Salmons, Oakland Drive, or Mrs. Charles Harris, Oakland Drive.

The person submitting the winning name for the cook book to Mrs. Jack Holcomb, Elk Spur Street, will receive recognition in the publication and a free copy of the book.

The club is especially anxious to obtain more recipes for beverages, breads, meats, salads and vegetables.

Three Surry Men Admitted To The Bar

Charles M. Neaves, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Neaves of Elkin, was admitted to the bar this week by Judge F. Donald Phillips, presiding at the current term of Surry County Superior Court.

Also admitted this week were Worth and Charles Folger of Dobson.

Neaves was presented by R. Lewis Alexander with whom he will be associated in the general practice of law.

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