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Lincoln County Superior Court to Convene Monday

NEWS BRIEFS

Born With One Foot

Vale, N. C., Oct. 8.—A son born on October 5 to Mr. and Mrs. Paric Pruet, of Connelly Springs, is minus a left foot and the fingers of one of his hands are grown together. The left leg extends to the ankle. With the exception of these deformities the child is otherwise normal. Mr. Pruet, father of the infant, is a son of Mr. Amos Pruet, of the Vale section.

Barber Kills Self

Smithfield, Oct. 9.—John Spencer, young barber of Smithfield, took his life Sunday morning by shooting a pistol bullet through his head. Death was instantaneous. Mr. Spencer had appeared despondent for several days, according to his wife. After closing his barber shop Saturday night he disappeared and did not return to his home until early Sunday morning. Soon after his return he went to his room, secured a pistol and fired the fatal shot.

Federal Agents Seize 64

Charlotte, Oct. 9.—During September the North Carolina force of the federal government's alcoholic tax unit captured 64 stills, made 54 arrests and recommended 86 persons for prosecution. The report released today shows the agents captured 1,185 gallons of whisky during the month, destroyed 99,375 gallons of mash and confiscated 15 automobiles.

Charlotte Schools Closed

Charlotte, Oct. 9.—The Elizabeth schools were closed here today following diagnosis of two pupils as infantile paralysis. The Elizabeth school, with 1,300 pupils, is the largest elementary school in Charlotte. A conference of school and health officials was called this morning to consider the situation.

12 ARE KILLED AS PLANE FALLS

Cheyenne, Wyo., Oct. 8.—Twelve occupants of a giant eastbound airliner were hurtled to sudden death against a hillside today, almost within sight of the flashing beacons of Cheyenne airport. The cause may never be known.

The stunning disaster of a brilliant pilot and a twin-motored ship—a few flying minutes away from Cheyenne, with fair skies and a two-radio contact—bewildered investigators tonight. They found no evidence of motor failure. There was no trace of fire.

While the 200-yard radius of wreckage was studied near here, a band of aerial searchers, many miles away, circled the briny Great Salt Lake in a futile quest for a Standard Oil airship missing since Sunday with three men.

Roaring out of the west, the silver-hued (Boeing) transport of United Air Lines (trip No. 4), struck a knoll on the rolling plains with terrific force, tore out its two engines and smashed another hill in the Crow Creek valley 15 miles west of here.

Nine passengers, including three women, were killed with the crew of three headed by H. A. "No Collision" Collison, crack pilot of 17 years flying. Collison had hunted with others for the Standard Oil craft Sunday and then left Salt Lake City near midnight at the controls of the Oakland-Calif.-to-New York airliner.

The big silver craft swept away from Oakland at 6:25 p. m., Pacific standard time, Sunday night. It was due in Cheyenne at 2:19 a. m., mountain standard time and in New York at 2:15 p. m., eastern standard time, today.

Judge Hoyle Sink, of Lexington, Will Be on Bench; Cases Listed

The October term of Lincoln County Superior Court will convene here next Monday morning with Judge Hoyle Sink, of Lexington presiding. The court will continue for two weeks, with the greater part of the term being given over to the trial of civil cases. The criminal docket, with only ten cases scheduled for trial, is one of the lightest the county has had for some time, according to J. L. Hunter, Clerk of the Court.

The following civil cases are docketed for trial:

Tuesday, October 15, 1935. P. V. Cobb vs. J. B. Ballard. Frank Mull vs. E. D. Heffner. Vertie Mull vs. E. D. Heffner. L. L. Mullen and wife, Bryte Mullen vs. Greensboro Joint Stock Land Bank.

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Fairfax Investment Co., a Corp. vs. M. M. Rudisill and Bettie Rudisill.

L. C. Hoyle vs. P. F. Leatherman. Thursday, October 17th, 1935. T. F. Corriher, Mae R. Corriher and Mrs. C. H. Rhodes, trading as Rhodes & Corriher, Partnership, vs. L. W. Black.

Sam Painter vs. L. J. Thomason, trading and doing business under the name of Thomason Trucking Service.

Friday, October 18th, 1935. City Motor Co., Inc. vs. J. R. Gheen.

Herman Keever, by his next friend C. G. Keever vs. Lincoln Chevrolet Company, Inc.

Alice Neal Howard, by her next friend, E. E. Howard vs. Ashworth Bros., Inc.

Monday, October 21, 1935. Zero Rudisill vs. C. C. Houser. Maggie Wallace vs. J. U. McCormick, trading and doing business under the style and firm name of Lincoln Amusement Co.

Claude C. Falls vs. W. E. Propst. First National Bank of Lincoln vs. Hampton Rudy Co., Inc. W. H. Childs, & M. M. Rudisill.

Tuesday, October 22, 1935. D. M. Parker vs. Frank O. Huffman.

Sam Cashion vs. James Bradshaw. H. A. Jonas, W. H. Harris, and Kemp Finger, Adm'r. of Thomas Finger, dec'd. vs. J. A. Abernethy, Sr., R. S. Abernethy and A. L. Quickel, agent and Atty. for J. A. Abernethy, Sr., and R. S. Abernethy, Tr.

Wednesday, October 23, 1935. Florence Trent vs. James Trent. J. B. Pruet vs. Ida Mae Pruet. Mrs. Harriett McCaslin vs. George P. McCaslin.

Samuel T. Dellinger vs. Lillian Collins Dellinger. Dock R. Hovis vs. Louise Couch Hovis.

Connie Wesson vs. Paris Wesson. Howell Way Gantt vs. Leona D. Gantt.

Jurors—First Week. John Leonhardt, W. F. Wesson, Will Scronce, L. A. Burgess, Forest L. Shuford, Boyt Baxter, W. A. Hull, Edgar Punch, Junie Long, J. B. Leatherman, M. B. Cornwell, Clifton Tutherford, J. H. Brendle, D. P. Chapman, O. L. Beam, F. L. Dy-sart, Yates Heavner, J. O. Mauney, S. J. Marlow, E. D. Lucky, H. S. Smith, Clarence Beam, J. P. Sigmon, Ray Shidal, R. A. Tillman, C. P. Wyant, B. J. Ramsaur, A. B. Coch-rane, Lawrence Keener, C. O. Wooley, R. F. Hauss, John E. Painter, Jr., J. T. Warlick, Ernest Nixon, G. B. Chandler.

Jurors—Second Week. H. A. Harrill, E. C. Blalock, Eugene Cherry, R. L. Gilbert, Paul Sain, J. C. Wehunt, Sr., A. C. Leatherman, W. R. Boyles, John W. Eaker, Clyde Fortenberry, Henry Mosteller, W. M. Link, Lee Gilmore, Ralph Hull, Mike Kiser, J. S. Turner, Dave Mosteller, Fay Beattie.

Over 70 per cent of Forsyth's tobacco farmers have signed the new adjustment contracts, and others are signing as they call for their marketing cards.

Hold Balance of Power in Louisiana Struggle



BATON ROUGE, La. . . . Despite the appearance of "strong" men at every hand to take over the reign of the late "Kingfish", U. S. Senator Huey Long, the above three Long supporters are in key positions. Governor Oscar K. Allen (left) is expected to resign, and Lieut.-Gov. James A. Noe to succeed him in the governorship and appoint Allen to the U. S. Senate to fill out Long's term. Below is Mrs. Alice Lee Sharpe, former secretary to Long, most powerful of state office holders as Supervisor of Public Accounts.

BRUNO VERDICT IS UPHeld BY COURT

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 9.—The highest court in New Jersey—the court of errors and appeals—today upheld the death sentence conviction of Bruno Richard Hauptmann for the kidnapping-murder of young Charles Augustus Lindbergh, Jr. The opinion was unanimous.

The decision was announced fifty minutes after the court convened.

The denial of a new trial leaves Hauptmann with three courses open. He may appeal to the court of pardons, of which Governor Hoffman and six judges of the court of errors and appeals are members; he may appeal for a new trial on the basis that new evidence has been discovered; and he may also appeal to the supreme court of the United States. His attorneys have said they will carry the case to this last and highest tribunal.

4-Passenger Cabin Plane to Visit Here

Lt. H. S. Behr, of Anderson, S. C., will arrive in the city at 11 o'clock Thursday morning to begin a week end show which, it is claimed, will include some of the most unusual flying ever seen in Lincoln. A few of his stunts include balloon bursting, ribbon cutting and dead engine landings. His ship is a four passenger cabin, "Airsedan", with full equipment for night flying and he plans to do much night flying as no other ship has ever been here for that purpose.

Claim Is Filed

Winston-Salem, Oct. 9.—The federal government has filed a claim with the Guaranty Trust company, of New York, temporary administrator of the estate of Smith Reynolds, for estate taxes of \$8,500,000, it was learned here today. The Guaranty Trust company was named administrator of the tobacco fortune heir's estate in a purported will filed in New York. The federal tax claim was made, however, irrespective of whether the New York will is valid or not.

GAINS ARE MADE BY REPUBLICANS

New Haven, Conn., Oct. 9.—Con-servative republicans pointed today toward the 1936 campaign with fresh optimism as a result of the "small town" elections which swelled the number of municipalities in their control by nearly a score.

The republicans had made the new deal a campaign issue.

For the democrats who chose to wage the campaign on local issues the elections held in 149 out of the 169 towns in the state brought to at least a temporary halt a forward surge which began in 1930 with the election of Gov. Wilbur L. Cross, a democrat.

The republicans not only made heavy inroads on erstwhile democratic towns, but retained control of virtually every one of the 116 municipalities in their column before the balloting. Wallingford was one notable exception. The democrats even lost ground in the only three cities which elected mayors.

Bristol elected a republican mayor, Joseph W. Harding, who defeated the democratic incumbent, Mayor Joseph F. Dutton, 4,254 to 3,102.

In Torrington the republican incumbent, Mayor Ernest E. Novory, was re-elected, defeating state Senator Francis W. Hogan, democrat, 4,639 to 4,491.

Norwalk remained in the democratic column, but republicans cut deeply into their opponents' plurality of two years ago. Republican announced prior to the balloting that they regarded the "small town" elections as the initial drive toward November of 1936.

Italy Is Guilty

Geneva, Oct. 9.—The League of Nations' council today adopted a report declaring Italy had "resorted to war in disregard of its covenants." The council of the League of Nations, through its committee of 13 declared today Mussolini was the aggressor against Ethiopia in violation of Italy's pledge under the League covenant.

Scotland county farmers are apprehensive over a probable infestation of screw worm since the worm has appeared in adjoining counties of South Carolina.

UNION MEN SAY RECOVERY RUNS AHEAD OF JOBS

TO Keep Employment in Step, They Say, Hours Must Be Shortened

Washington, Oct. 8.—Reemployment has not kept pace with business recovery, say union officials preparing here for their annual A. F. of L. convention, opening at Atlantic City Monday, the first since 1922 which reports a membership of over 300,000.

With business well over halfway back to normal, unemployment figures have remained almost stationary, or improved at a rate which shows no ultimate possibility of wiping out the huge army of idle.

This is the overshadowing problem that confronts the industrial world and the country of today, and the big labor federation is taking cognizance of it, along with federal officials like Aubrey Williams, Temporary head of the works program.

Only by Shorter Hours

"Unless industry is willing to adopt deliberately a policy of sharing increased business with workers," said Mr. Williams, "there is not much hope of workers getting anything cut of a business revival."

Senator George W. Norris (R) of Nebraska shared the view, declaring: "The only way we are going to get permanent recovery is through shorter hours."

"I think we can do it without revising the Constitution, but if that is necessary we ought to amend it."

The American Federation of Labor convention has a lot of problems before it, but this is one of the most fundamental.

Strengthened by the prestige given organized labor by the sympathy of the New Deal, through the NIRA and Wagner Labor Disputes Act, the federation's convention will be one of the biggest on record.

The issue of getting labor a bigger share in the recovery now going on will undoubtedly be a major one. The federation estimates that 10,000,000 workers are still out of jobs in the United States today.

The federation itself, however, has the largest membership in years.

Fiend Hangs Girl In Garage After He Assaults Her

Seattle, Oct. 8.—One man was in custody for questioning tonight as police began a roundup of suspected degenerates in their search for the slayer of seven-year-old Sally Jean Kelley.

All buildings and grounds in the block on First hill where the child's body was found hanging in an unused garage were being combed for clues.

The child disappeared last night while visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Edith S. Coolidge, at an apartment house. The body suspended by a man's handkerchief, was found several hours later.

Detective Earnest Yoriss said he believed the child was attacked in the apartment house. An autopsy disclosed she had been assaulted, and then undressed, bathed and re-clad.

Police expressed the opinion Sally Jean was lured with candy into an apartment, and then perhaps unconscious from strangulation and a blow, hanged in the garage. There was a bruise on her head.

25,000 Expected To Attend City's Birthday Party

G.O.P. Director



WASHINGTON . . . Mrs. Robert Lincoln Hoyal (above), is the new director of the Women's Division of the Republican National Committee. Her first general call was for a united front on Constitutional Day.

Everything in Readiness For Greatest Celebration in City's History

Lincolnton is ready for her one hundred and fiftieth birthday celebration, plans down to the minutest detail having been completed for the reception and entertainment of the throngs of people who will come here for the event. Twenty five thousand people, conservatives estimate, will be guests of the city, and included in this number will be scores of high state officials and distinguished personages and many hundreds of former Lincolntonians, who are coming back to help the city celebrate.

The first event of the day will be the mammoth parade, which will begin formation at 9:30 o'clock and is expected to move shortly thereafter. A large number of floats, historical and otherwise, from Lincolnton and neighboring communities, have been entered.

Following the parade Governor J. C. B. Ehringhaus will deliver the principal address of the day, speaking from a stand erected on East Main street in front of the First Methodist church. The governor will be introduced by Gen. Manus McClosky, commander of the U. S. Army base at Ft. Bragg.

At 1 o'clock a luncheon will be served at the Woman's Club house in honor of the distinguished visitors. Among the athletic events scheduled for the day is a football game between the Lincolnton and Lexington high school teams, to be played on the high school athletic field. The game will be called at 3:15.

The historical pageant, which is expected to be one of the highlights of the celebration program, will be presented on the high school athletic field at 7 o'clock. Mrs. Pearl Setzer Deel is directing the pageant, which will portray in a most spectacular manner interesting Lincolnton history during the past one hundred and fifty years. Admission to the grounds will be free, but a number of seats will be provided at 25 cents each.

A fireworks display will follow the pageant and the sesqui-centennial ball, which begins at Lincoln Lithia Inn at 10 o'clock will bring the day's festivities to a close.

The celebration committee announced today that another attraction to be added to the already interesting program will be the appearance of twenty five real Indians from the Cherokee Indian reservation in this state. The Indians will be in the parade line of march, will give a demonstration in archery, etc., in front of the reviewing stand after the address of Governor Ehringhaus, and will take part in the first scene of the historical pageant in the evening.

Mrs. Crenshaw's Mother Called By Death Wednesday

Mrs. E. A. Glover, mother of Mrs. D. N. Crenshaw, of this city, died early Wednesday morning at the Reeves hospital where she had been a patient for several days.

Mrs. Glover, who resided in Belmont, had spent much time during the past few months with her daughter here.

Funeral services will be held some time Thursday.

Special Edition of Times Is Hailed As Greatest Paper Ever Published in City

The Lincolnton Sesqui-Centennial edition of The Times which was published Monday and which contained more pages and more square inches of printed material than any other newspaper ever published in Lincolnton, has been acclaimed by the citizenship of the city and county as the greatest paper ever issued in this community.

Hundreds of citizens of Lincolnton have expressed this contention to the publishers of The Times. Numerous telephone calls and letters from subscribers in nearby towns have been received, in which the special edition was highly commended.

The 44-page edition of The Times, which exceeded by four pages any other newspaper ever published here, contained a wealth of past and current history of Lincolnton never equalled in any other newspaper.

Besides carrying pictures of prominent local men, old street scenes, churches and schools, an airplane view of the city and numerous other photos. The Times published for the first and only time in Lincolnton a photograph of a letter from a president, a picture of the first cotton mill in the South which was built near here, a picture of Ben-

jamin Lincoln for whom the city was named, and numerous other interesting illustrations.

It was the first time in Lincolnton that a newspaper carried red headlines.

Several hundred extra copies of this edition have already been sold and buyers continue to come after them as this is written (Wednesday afternoon). One local man bought ten copies, saying: "I'm going to send them to friends in nearby towns and if they don't come to our celebration after seeing this special issue of The Lincoln Times, then I'll know they are sick—and bad-off at that."

COUNTY BOARD MEETS AND PAYS MONTHLY BILLS

September Expenses Approved and Ordered Paid By Commissioners

The board of county commissioners meeting here Monday approved the following county bills for the month of September:

J. F. Mullen and Co., \$4c, dynamite by M. W. Cavanen; Southern Bell Telephone Co., \$4.56, phone rent for register of deeds; Nannie Reel, stenographer for J. G. Morrison; J. L. Hunter, \$183.85, salary and phone rent; W. H. Boring, \$99.50, salary county accountant and stamps; M. T. Leatherman, \$37.50, salary county accountant; L. Berge Beam, \$90.00, salary county solicitor; S. M. Roper, \$115.00, salary county judge; Haynes Dairy, \$13.50, milk for relief cases, Carolina Office Supply Co., \$7.40, supplies county accountant; J. G. Morrison, \$100.00, salary county agent; Observer Printing House, \$11.75, supplies clerk superior court; A. F. Reinhardt, \$11.93, telephone and telegraph bill; A. F. Reinhardt, \$200, salary.

W. H. Boring, \$175.00, salary register of deeds; Monroe Calculating Co., \$15.00, rent on calculator; Lincolnton Plumbing and Heating Co., \$2.75, repairs to jail; Belk-Schrum Co., \$6.65, wearing apparel for relief cases; D. C. Nixon, \$11.00, groceries for relief; George P. Reep, \$2.50, repairs to jail; Dixie Grocery Co., \$24.68, supplies county home; Swift and Co., \$9.00, supplies court house; Burroughs Adding Machine Co., \$20.25, on contract; Central Candy and Cigar Co., \$12.50, supplies court house; Sinclair Refining Co., \$6.30, supplies county jail; Parker Paper Co., \$10.45, supplies court house; Observer Printing House, \$3.17, supplies for sheriff.

W. H. Boring, \$16.90, clerk to board; I. C. Lowe, \$10.00, groceries for relief cases; Lawing and Costner, \$6.87, drugs county home; Lawing and Costner, \$3.87, drugs county jail; J. L. Hunter, \$112.50, recorder's court liabilities; J. L. Hunter, \$50.00, salary clerk recorder's court; A. Y. Arant, \$6.00, groceries for relief; V. Lineberger Ice and Fuel Co., \$9.00, ice book county home; Lander Hardware Co., \$3.45, hardware county home; Duke Power Co., \$6.90, supplies county home; Mauney Grocery Co., \$1.15, supplies court house; New (Continued on back page)

Snowfall Seen In Blue Ridge Area

Elkin, Oct. 7.—A heavy frost, duplicating in appearance a young snow, covered this section last night and played havoc with vegetation in general. It was the first "killing" frost of the season, although light frosts have been reported from rural sections some days earlier.

A snow flurry in Sparta and other places on the Blue Ridge was reported yesterday while rain was falling in Elkin.

JOE GISH Insects have no sense of time, says a scientist. No, a darn old mosquito hasn't sense enough to quit work.