

THE STATE AT A GLANCE

SNOW AT FRANKLIN MERCURY AT 32

FRANKLIN, N. C.—Snow with the mercury at 32 was reported at Franklin, N. C. October, 25th.

NEGRO KILLED AT MURPHY, N. C.

Three negroes are being held as a result of the killing of Allen Brannon here Saturday night. The negroes are Colger Perry, Mark Perry, and Gill Neely.

HICKORY MAN NEAR DEATH AS RESULT OF CRASH NEAR CROSSING

HICKORY, N. C.—Harley Lowman, and his brother, Marshall, are both in a hospital as a result of an automobile wreck at a railroad crossing near the city.

DRIVERS ARRIVE FOR RACES AT CHARLOTTE, N. C.

CHARLOTTE, N. C.—Many of the auto drivers that will participate in the races here Armistice day are arriving to get in trim for the great event that will take place here on this great holiday. A large sum will be awarded in prizes and a huge crowd is expected to witness the affair.

CLOSE VOTE EXPECTED IN HENDERSONVILLE NEXT WEEK

HENDERSONVILLE, N. C.—Close voting between the two parties is expected next week in Hendersonville election. Much interest is being displayed by both parties and a large vote is expected to be polled.

BIG ENROLLMENT AT CHAPEL HILL CLASSES

CHAPEL HILL, N. C.—A large enrollment at the opening of the extension classes was witnessed here this week. They are students from all parts of the state.

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT W. C. T. U. MEET AT SALISBURY, N. C.

A large crowd attended the W. C. T. U. convention exercises that were held at Salisbury, N. C. last week. New officers for the ensuing year were elected and the convention was a remarkable success from many angles. The delegates were accorded a royal reception by the Salisbury people and all reported a grand session.

ASHEVILLE SELLS LARGE AMOUNT OF MUNICIPAL BONDS

ASHEVILLE, N. C.—Asheville sold last Friday a large amount of municipal improvement bonds amounting to \$1,617,288.50. The bonds brought a premium of \$27,258.00. They were sold to various building syndicates of New York City. The mayor of Asheville expressed keen delight at the sale and the great premium that was derived from the sale.

DISMISSED POLICEMEN REINSTATED IN ASHEVILLE

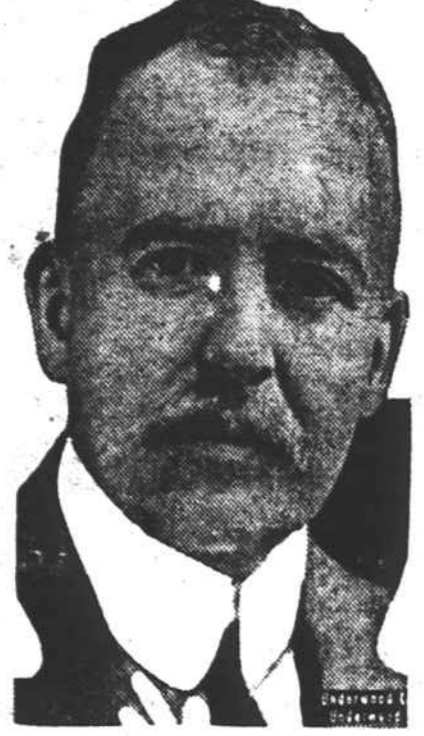
ASHEVILLE, N. C.—The policemen that were suspended from the force recently have been reinstated by a city commissioner of Asheville.

BIG MILLION DOLLAR BLEACHERY PLANT TO BEGIN OPERATION SOON

ASHEVILLE, N. C.—The Sayles Bleachery plant will soon begin operation of the new units here. About fifteen hundred people will be given employment when the plant starts work. The units just completed was put up at a cost of about \$1,000,000. The property is valued at about one hundred working bellows and other modern improvements.

Great Interest Shown As County Election Draws Near

LORD MAYOR BLADES



Sir G. R. Blades, the new lord mayor of London

RED CROSS DRIVE SOON

Great Interest Being Centered On Coming Drive for Members

Campaign plans for the forthcoming Tenth Annual Roll Call of the American Red Cross are being mapped now by officers of the local chapter, it was announced today by W. F. Little, chairman of Polk County Chapter. It has set its quota at many new members.

The Roll Call, the chairman explained is the annual membership enrollment conducted throughout the country each year from Armistice Day, November 11, to Thanksgiving. By means of the Roll Call the organization secures funds with which to carry on its program both in local chapters and in work of national and international scope.

Tentative plans provide a plan whereby every resident will be personally invited to join the ranks it is stated.

"The American Red Cross" is entitled to the support of every person in the country who has a dollar or more to invest in humanity. The organization is the only one in the country qualified to administer disaster relief on a large scale and this it does, as directed by its charter from Congress, and as evidenced by its present stupendous task in Florida.

"It is our most effective instrument for helping the unfortunate in our own community, in the U. S. and in foreign countries. This town is one of several thousand who will conduct a Roll Call during the two weeks designated by National Headquarters.

"When the last returns are in we hope to be able to report that Polk Chapter has done its part in enlisting public support, financial and moral. Putting the Roll Call over will let us feel that we have had a personal share in the many humanitarian services of the Red Cross during the coming year. The American Red Cross knows neither race, nor creed. It is non-political. It sees in suffering only a challenge to accept. In lending our support we are making possible a continuance of its good work."

NEW RADIO CONCERN FOR TRYON OPENS UP FOR BUSINESS

Mr. J. W. Brooks, of the Tryon Drug Company has recently put in the famous line of Era Radio's Numbers of people have heard this wonderful-toned instrument and have expressed keen delight in the clarity of its tone, and especially of the unique cabinet work that is being shown in the models that are on display. Mr. Brooks invites all Radio lovers to come in and see these famous machines, and at the same time let him have the pleasure of explaining the various features that will appeal to all Radio fans.

Pritchard Predicts Smathers Election

Says Thinking People of District are Going to Disregard Party Lines

That the Hon. Zeblon Weaver, who has represented this district in Congress for the past ten years will go down in defeat on November 2nd at the hands of Captain Kenneth Smathers, Republican Nominee for Congress, is being predicted by Geo. M. Pritchard, Republican Congressional Chairman.

Mr. Pritchard not only believes that Captain Smathers will be elected, but he believes that Captain Smathers will receive a majority of over two thousand votes, and that the election will be a repetition of what happened when John Grant was elected to Congress. Mr. Pritchard based his prediction upon several things: First, he says that Congressman Weaver has absolutely failed as a Congressman; that the "thinking people of this district want to send a Congressman to Washington who will be recognized and receive some Federal aid for this district. Second Mr. Pritchard pointed out that even the Asheville Citizen, the Democratic mouthpiece, had voiced its approval of the Republican Nominee in an editorial, of which the following is an extract:

"The Citizen congratulates both the Republican Party and the people of the Tenth District upon the nomination by the Republicans as Congressional Representative of a gentleman of such high character, ability, and unimpeachable reputation as Captain Kenneth Smathers."

"The Republican Nominee is of the type which we think would have appealed to Theodore Roosevelt, a clean-lived up-standing man."

Third, that Captain Smathers has made the most vigorous campaign that has ever been put up against Weaver. Fourth, that the thinking people of this district are convinced that a Congressman at Washington who will be in harmony with the Administration can accomplish more than has been proven can be accomplished by a Congressman who is in opposition to the progressive policies of the National Administration.

W. C. T. U.

Tryon temperance organization was cordially welcomed into the State W. C. T. U. at the convention held in Salisbury, N. C., Oct. 19 to 21.

The society received an Honor Roll blue ribbon for securing 25 members

It also was especially congratulated for giving twice and a half as high as its quota for subscriptions to the Union Signal, the national organization of the W. C. T. U.

The delegates Mrs. Wm. Phin Mackay and Mrs. P. G. Morris were appointed respectively on the convention membership committee and the convention finance Committee. Mrs. Mackay also was elected State Superintendent of Child Welfare, and conducted the Thursday afternoon devotional exercises.

WEAVER HAS FINE RECORD

Has Served This District Faithfully For Years

In his campaign for re-election Congressman Zeblon Weaver is being combated by his own popularity in the District. The majorities that have been given him for the last several elections would go a long way to prove that he is one of the best loved Congressmen the 10th District has ever had, and in fact since he first took his seat in the House of Representatives his majority has climbed from a meager plurality of over nine thousand, which he received in the elections of 1922, and 1924.

For this reason it is understood that his friends are somewhat apprehensive for they fear that it will be believed that such a large vote will be polled it will not be necessary for them to go to the ballot box on November 2nd.

Reports would indicate that Mr. Weaver is making an active campaign all over the District in the hope of carrying several Counties that have frequently given Republican majorities.

After making a whirlwind campaign in Transylvania and Henderson Counties Congressman Weaver will speak in the Western Counties of the District. He spoke Monday at Hayesville; Tuesday at 1:30 he spoke at Murphy and at 7:30 on the same day he spoke at Bryson City. Wednesday at 3:30 he spoke at Franklin and at 6:00 on the same day at 7:30. Thursday at 2:00 he will speak at Cowee in Macon County, and on Friday night he will address a Haywood County Rally to be held in the Theatre Building at Canton at 7:30, which will wind up his campaign.

Mr. Weaver in his speeches is reported as having denied that the Republican Administration has instituted startling economies since they took over the reins of government, and that as a matter of fact the Republican Administration appropriated \$4,201,000,000, more for 1925, 1926 and 1927, than the Democratic Administration under Woodrow Wilson appropriated for 1914, 1915, and 1916 exclusive of all appropriations made necessary by the war.

Also he is reported to have stated in regard to Mr. Coolidge's personal economy in the operation of the Executive Office and the White House that under Woodrow Wilson their upkeep had amounted to \$197,000, but that in 1926 under Coolidge this had increased to \$483,000, or an increase of nearly 150 per cent.

In answering charges of his opponent that he had not obtained appropriations for Federal Buildings and for other purposes, Mr. Weaver is quoted as having declared that there had not been a post office building built in the United States before 1914 that was not under construction prior to that date, and that an appropriation had just been passed, the first since the war, to take care of this situation.

Mr. Weaver is understood to have added however that he did not like put the matter on a dollar basis; that to do so was to seriously misconceive the duties of a Congressman, and that if every member of Congress should be elected on a platform based upon the views of Mr. Smathers it would not have been possible to have made the tax reduction last year, and that it would be further necessary to place again upon the people the exorbitant and burdensome taxes to take care of the demands that would be made upon the Treasury if it should be tapped for everything in sight.

In his same speech Mr. Weaver is quoted as having stated that probably there was not a single District in the United States that has more Federal activities than the 10th North Carolina District, which had a permanent governmental hospital at Oteen, a Forestry Experiment Station thousands of acres that had been set aside for national forests.

Mr. Jerry Collins is moving from here to Rutherfordton, N. C.

WILBURN CARTWRIGHT



Wilburn Cartwright, a young attorney of McAlester, Okla., has been nominated by the Democrats for congress to succeed C. D. Carter of Ardmore, who has served since Oklahoma became a state. Mr. Cartwright has served in the Oklahoma house and senate and is a World War veteran.

CITY OF TRYON NOW OWNS BIG NEW FIRE FIGHTING APPARATUS

The town of Tryon is now the proud owner of a new fire truck. The fire fighting apparatus is mounted on a Graham Bros. chassis and is the last word in a modern fire truck. The new engine is painted in the usual bright red colors and has attracted much attention of the home folks. It is reported that a new volunteer fire department will be organized that will be able to take care of City's needs for the present time. The new truck is housed in the town hall building and is now ready for duty. In addition to this new equipment, a large electric siren horn mounted on top of the fire department will be used to give the alarms in case of fire. It has been tested out thoroughly and works good. With the above equipment, Tryon is in fine shape to meet any emergency that may arrive, for it has the right kind of equipment to cope with the situation.

CREAM STATION OPENS SATURDAY

Cream Buying Station to Open at Tryon, Saturday October 30th.

Final arrangements have been made with the Biltmore Creamery for opening a cream-receiving station at the Farmers Federation in Tryon. A market of this kind will give the farmers an opportunity to dispose of their surplus cream twice a week for a good price.

The representative of the Farmers' Federation will inspect weight and test the cream at time of delivery. Cash will be paid for each pound of butter-fat contained in the cream. The price per pound will be determined by the grade or quality of the cream. Therefore, each producer, should endeavor to bring in cream that is sweet or moderately sour and has no objectionable flavors or odors.

If the farmers support the cream station, the Federation will eventually operate a truck to collect the cream.

TRYON MOTOR COMPANY INSTALL MODERN DEVICE

The Tryon Motor Company the local dealers for the Chevrolet Cars, have just made the installation of much new equipment to be used in the repair and service department. A factory man has been here for several days installing the new equipment and this outlay necessitated the expenditure of about twenty-five hundred dollars in order that the users of Chevrolet cars may have the best in the way of real modern service and repair work.

BEAUTY PARLOR OPENS FOR BUSINESS

Mrs. Russell Lintz, of Spartanburg, S. C., announces the opening of the Tryon Beauty Parlor, over the Bank of Tryon.

HEAVY VOTE IS EXPECTED

Candidates Busy as Time Draws Close for Final Results Registration Large

Much interest is being shown in the election to be held this coming Tuesday. The various candidates have been making great efforts to sway things their way, while there are no campaign speeches of real importance on the program before the election, yet much interest is being displayed, the list below will give the reader the names of the candidates that are up for election Tuesday, November, 2nd, they are as follows:

Democratic Candidates For United States Senator—Leo S. Overman.

For Representative in the Seventieth Congress, 10th. District—Zeblon Weaver.

For member of Corporation Commissioner—Allen J. Maxwell.

For Chief Justice of the Supreme Court—Walter P. Stacey.

For Associate Justices of the Supreme Court, (Vote for three)—Heriot Clarkson, W. J. Brodgen, William J. Adams.

For Judge Superior Court, Third District—Garland E. Midyette.

For Judge Superior Court, Fourth District—Frank A. Daniels.

For Judge Superior Court, Fifth District—R. A. Nunn.

For Judge Superior Court, Sixth District—W. O. Hays.

For Judge Superior Court, Eleventh District—Raymond G. Parker.

For Judge Superior Court, Thirteenth District—A. M. Stack.

For Judge Superior Court, Fifteenth District—J. M. Oglesby.

For Judge Superior Court, Seventeenth District—Thomas H. Finey.

For Judge Superior Court, Eighteenth District—Michael Schenck.

For Judge Superior Court, Nineteenth District—P. A. McElroy.

For Judge Superior Court, Twentieth District—Walter E. Moore.

For Solicitor Eighteenth Judicial District—J. Will Pless Jr.

For Senators of the 27th Senatorial District—H. T. Fulton, of Cleveland County; R. L. Whitmore, of Henderson County.

For Member of House of Representatives—W. F. Little.

For Clerk of Superior Court—John A. Arledge.

For Tax Collector—W. Y. Wilkins.

For Register of Deeds—W. C. Hague.

For Sheriff—Robert F. McFarland.

For Corner—R. B. Williams.

For Surveyor—W. G. Green.

For County Commissioners—(vote for two)—W. H. Stearns, C. A. Jolley.

Republican Candidates For United States Senator—John.

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DR. JONES TO PREACH SUNDAY

The Pulpit of the Erskine Memorial Church a Forum for Preachers of All Denominations

That there are no artificial barriers to the truth is evidenced by the fact that the coming next Sunday of Dr. Wilbur Jones, Professor of Religious Education at Piedmont College, and an ordained Baptist Minister, representatives of four different denominations have, on four consecutive Sundays, preached from the pulpit of the Erskine Memorial Congregational Church of this city.

An equally wide range of denominations is to be found every Sunday in the congregation.

Each of these preachers has brought a message which has been of value to the listeners.

We predict that next Sunday's sermon will be along the same lines of a board interpretation of the gospel that has characterized those which have preceded it.