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GRIDDERS TAKING DAILY PRACTICE

High School Boys Begin Regular Practice Under Direction of Morris, the New Coach.

The Shelby high football outfit, regulars, aspirants and others, are being whipped into shape for the coming season by daily drill and practice on the city ball park under the direction of "Casey" Morris, new coach, who arrived this week. Some 25 or 30 boys have answered the call issued by Morris and a number more are expected to join next week when school opens. Prospects as viewed from the sidelines during preliminary practice only are that more and better material than ever before is on hand with which to begin a season. Barring mishaps, Shelby has several good reasons on which to base hope for a championship election.

Among the boys out are several new men who will enter school this year and should prove good additions to the eleven. Among them are Hackney, Furches and Ellerbee, players of some experience, and in their last year of high school will be candidates for the eleven in order to gain an insight of the Fetzer system as taught by Morris. The local line should be one of the most outstanding in the state. Harry Grigg will likely be back in at center, Captain Auten and Fred Beam will be at their regular tackle positions, while there are a number of sturdy built youngsters from which to select the two guards. Newman, a regular, will be back on one wing, provided his injured foot does not prevent. There is some talk that Cline Lee, brilliant guard last year and star shortstop on the baseball team, will be shifted to one end because of his speed, length, sureness in receiving passes and his deadly tackles. However, few berths appear to be "on ice" as yet as there are several hard-working candidates for every position. In the backfield is a versatile lot: Max Connor, all state player, will perhaps run the eleven at quarter, although both Furches and Hackney half backs have experience in handling a team. Ellerbee, one of the candidates for the berth of full back, is a hefty specimen and fast on his feet. All of the backs are shifty and good broken field runners, while both Connor and Hackney are accurate passers and Furches and Ellerbee are experienced in pulling the pigskin out of the air while running at full speed. Among the other backfield men are several good substitutes and regulars from preceding years, such as Hopper and Dedmon, who may be moved to the line, Babington, Jones the Wilsons and others.

Golden Brothers Circus Here Monday

Long famous for strange and curious forms of animal life to be found in no other zoological garden or menagerie "Golden Bros." big four ring trained wild animal circus this year contains an exhibit which is now occupying the attention of scientists and naturalists everywhere. It is the only white camel ever seen in captivity and the only one ever brought to this country. Prof. Knude, who has given a great deal of study to the subject claims he finds this remarkable animal a descendant of the few white camels which survived the storms which about the year 1700 overwhelmed the villages of the Gobi plateau and killed all the people; at any rate it is a prize of which any circus might justly boast and yet it is but one of the many valuable displays made by the Golden Bros' big four ring Trained Wild Animal circus, which is to be seen in Shelby Monday Sept. 15th.

New Hilliard Tea Room Opens.

One of the most interesting events of the week was the opening of the Hilliard tea room by Mrs. R. E. Ware at 508 West Warren street on Tuesday afternoon from 3:30 to 6. The opening of this tea room is quite an innovation for Shelby and Mrs. Ware's formal opening on Tuesday has already proved its popularity by the number of women calling during the hours and the reservations already made for this week.

The tea room proper and dining room, rest and gift rooms were decorated with fall flowers and receiving with Mrs. Ware were here sister, Mrs. J. R. Dukes, Mrs. Mae Conner, Miss Mae Connor and Mrs. Brady.

The next time Shelby people have a charitable feeling they should look around the home and find the stray and unused school books to be turned over to Welfare Officer Smith. There are a number of children who will appreciate that bit of time and the books.

You're missing a sensation by not riding one of the new seats at Heavy's—and hearing the piano. Adv

More Farmers Are Asking About Co-Op Marketing System

Following Visit Here of Blalock Cotton Farmers of County Are Becoming Interested in Co-Ops.

Following the visit here and speech last Saturday in the court house by General Manager U. B. Blalock many Cleveland county cotton farmers heretofore somewhat shy of the North Carolina Cotton Growers cooperative association are now showing interest in the marketing system of the association. With two years experience in handling the cotton crop of the state it is sinking in on the farmers that officials of the organization must know what they are about. New members are being received and many others are making inquiries about the co-ops.

In his speech here Mr. Blalock informed the farmers that the association had made arrangements to use the Planters and Merchants warehouse here as the delivery center, and advised the members of the association when possible to deliver to the local center warehouse.

Expect Good Year.

In regards to the coming year the Cotton Growers Bulletin says: "With a trained force of workers and with the most modern labor saving and economical office machinery, the association is prepared to make a considerable saving in operating expense the coming season. Lower insurance rates, lower storage rates, some concessions in freight rates and a substantial reduction in interest rates are among the features. It is estimated that the saving to the members of the association in operation expense will be close to \$200,000.

"The first year of operation the association handled over 135,000 bales of cotton and averaged for its members slightly more than 25 cents a pound. Approximately 10,000 bales of the cotton received was old cotton delivered by members who have joined the association. "Reports for the second year show that approximately 131,000 bales were handled and that the total operating expense by reason of selling direct to consumer was very substantially reduced. The members received 29 cents a pound net for middling cotton—a very good price for the season and in fact the second highest average price in a period of over half a century. In the beginning of the season, the management mapped out a program and followed it. A liberal advance payment was made on delivery another payment in the early spring and the final settlement in July. By this program, the membership received money during the season, as they were in need of it—the members received 70 per cent of the value of the cotton before December 25.

"Now with the opening of the third season, and in view of the fact that several thousand new members have joined during the summer months, the management looks forward to a successful season—the association will make an advance payment to all members of \$70 on every bale weighing 500 pounds and over with slightly reduced advances on lighter bales. The association has arranged with the North Carolina agricultural credit corporation for marketing loans on all cotton of the members, these loans to be made at the time of delivery and at a very low interest rate. These marketing loans on bales weighing 500 pounds and over are set at \$20 a bale—by this arrangement members can secure \$90 on every 500 pound bale if desired on delivery."

More Real Estate Sales Are Reported

Real estate in the town and county continues active. J. B. Nolan reports Charles Z. Randall of Toluca has purchased through Mr. Nolan the A. Wayne McMurry farm of 57 1-2 acres at a consideration of around \$4,500 and A. Wayne McMurry has purchased from Frank H. Lee of Polkville 50 acres at \$150 per acre.

Jack Ligon has purchased through Anthony and Anthony a lot on the Cleveland Springs road from Dewey Plummer. This lot has a frontage of 75 feet on the highway.

Renn Drum and Lee B. Weathers have purchased for \$5,000 through Anthony and Anthony from J. M. Burns of Marshville, 250 feet on the paved street leading to the Seaboard depot and fronting 130 feet on N. Washington street, this being a part of the Purvis property. This corner lot will be graded and cut into four nice building lots approximately 65x130 feet and sold.

The Detroit Free Press says there is one thing that can be said for the ice man: He does not commence about November urging us to put in next summer's stock.

Shelby does not have a training table for her athletes, but they all eat at Heavy's Cafe. Adv

MRS. MARVIN LUTZ IS DEAD NEAR BELWOOD

Noble Young Woman and Mother of Eight Children Is Victim of Strange Death.

Mrs. Marvin Lutz died early Monday morning at her home near Belwood in a most peculiar manner and her untimely passing is a source of great sorrow to her many friends. Mrs. Lutz had not complained especially of sickness other than she was exhausted from waiting on her several sick children. The loss of sleep and the long but patient hours of work and worry over her loved ones caused her suffering. When the family physician came on Sunday to visit the little ones, Mrs. Lutz was given a hypodermic. This eased her suffering and Sunday night she fell to sleep. Members of her family tried to arouse her when they thought her sleep should have ended but she continued to sleep until next morning. When she did awake, she got up from the bed and hurried to the fireplace, calling to her husband and declaring that death was near. Her husband was at her side when she passed away. Four of the children are still sick, three of them seriously.

Mrs. Lutz was the oldest daughter of Mr. Bob Elliott and a noble Christian woman, a devoted wife and mother, tireless in her interest and efforts about home. She was a faithful member of Kadesh church and loved by all who knew her. Seventeen years ago she married Marvin Lutz, one of the most substantial farmers of upper Cleveland and to this union of 17 years were blessed with eight bright children, all of whom survive, together with her mother, Mrs. Bob Elliott, one sister Mrs. Clarence Spangler and three brothers, Maurice, Ernest and Marvin Elliott.

The funeral was conducted Tuesday by Revs. L. E. Stacy, John Green and Rev. Mr. Morgan of Kadesh church where the interment took place at noon, a large crowd paying a tribute of respect to her beautiful life and character.

Receiving Points For Co-Ops in Cleveland

The following places in Cleveland county have been designated as official receiving points for cotton by the North Carolina Cooperative Cotton Growers association: Planters and Merchants warehouse, Shelby; John Smart at Mooresboro Cotton Oil Co., Mooresboro; Fred C. Poteet at Lattimore; Lee's Gin at Polkville; A. C. Brackett at Casar; Oscar Powell at Powell's Gin; E. B. Olive at Earl; J. M. Putnam at Waco; Victory Gin warehouse, Kings Mountain. No agent has yet been appointed at Lawndale.

Tags have been sent to each member with his name, address and contract number on the tags. The member is to put one of these tags on each bale of cotton when he delivers it. Everyone is warned not to borrow tags from anyone else because the cotton will go in the name of someone else.

Much time and expense can be saved if the members will deliver their cotton properly—always put your own tag on your cotton—always have your contract number with you.

Field Representative O. Forrest McGill has headquarters with Mr. R. E. Lawrence, county agent in the court house. Any question that may arise should be taken up through him.

Week-End Program At Princess Theatre

An unusually entertaining program for the week-end is offered by the Princess management and includes two of the famous Western stories of Zane Grey, peer pensman of the open spaces. "The Wanderer of the Wasteland, Zane Grey's immortal, is the feature of Friday's bill. The adventure romance of the frontier, a thrilling desert drama and told in colored pictures it's beautiful, hair-raising and entertaining "The Last of the Duanees" another Zane Grey tale, with the darling Tom Mix as the best, is billed for Saturday. This is a tale of the Texas Rangers in the flaming west when life hung on a hair trigger. Monday, there comes a girl you'll love in "Salomy Jane", a romance of the redwoods, staged in the roaring days of '49.

Lawndale Dedication Services Postponed

The dedication services for the new Lawndale union church announced for Sunday night, September 14, have been postponed, according to a message from Lawndale. This was done as it was not possible for all three of the pastors who hold services in the church to be present at that time.

A date will be selected the latter part of this month or early in October at which time dedication services will be held.

FARMERS MUST SOW OATS, BOARD SAYS

Cleveland Farmers Face Possibility of Paying Out Over Million For Feedstuff

Even if Cleveland county produces 40,000 bales of cotton the money from 10,000 bales will have to be spent with other states for feedstuff unless something is done, is the startling warning given out by the County Board of Agriculture. The corn and hay crop in the county this year is disappointing, very much so. The cotton crop may be good, but the stock cannot be fed on cotton, and the stock must be fed. The alternative advised—rather urged—by the board is that every farmer in the county sow from two to five acres of good land in oats. This is the only solution to saving the farmers of Cleveland county one and one-half million dollars that will otherwise be spent and the board practically terms farmers who do not sow some oats a "slacker."

In urging every farmer in the borders of Cleveland county to sow oats and sow them in September, in order to save the county this vast sum of money, O. Max Gardner, president of the agricultural board, says:

"It has been estimated that Cleveland county, in view of our poor corn and hay crop will have to buy over one and one-half million dollars worth of feedstuff from the West for the year 1925. In other words we are going to send the money from ten thousand bales of cotton to Iowa and Kansas for hay, corn and oats.

"There is only one way this heavy load can be lifted from the backs of our farmers. It can and MUST be done, and the task is for every farmer in Cleveland county, by starting at once to prepare from two to five acres of his best land for oats. Do not wait until November to sow your oats, but plant in September or October. Don't pick out the poorest and most barren fields for this crop. Dr. Massey, of the Progressive Farmer, said that he has never seen an oat crop fail when planted in September—if on good land Oats are more wholesome and better feed for stock than corn. Corn and feed will be very high next Spring and if I had the power I would compel every farmer in the county to protect himself by planting oats, or oats and vetch for the summer food for his stock."

New Room Added to Consolidated School

Polkville News Shows Large Enrollment in Fairview—Personal Mention of Interest.

(Special to The Star.) Many of the Polkville people enjoyed the services at Palm Tree for the two past weeks.

Mrs. A. B. C. DePriest has just got in her new line of fall and winter hats and also her new dress goods. Polkville is growing some these days; one new cotton gin, which will be ready for use in a week or so and two filling stations.

Two new rooms have been added to Fairview Consolidated school building. The ice cream supper at fairview school house Friday night netted \$25. Fairview is planning to have the biggest crowd ever this year. School will open with the following teachers: Prof. Frank Elliott, Miss Cera Whisnant, 5th and 6th grades; Mrs. W. H. Covington 3rd and 4th; Miss Madge DePriest 1st and second; Miss Ola Whisnant, primary.

We have the largest crowd in high school that we have ever had, Miss Kathleen Whisnant, Appalachian training school, Boone, Blanch DePriest, T. B. DePriest, Leah Lattimore Madge and Hattie Whisnant, Nancy Lattimore, T. B. Gold, Lizzie Mae and Yates Lee, Joe Ramsey, Jennie Lee Bridges, Willie, John and Macie Pendleton; Gizzie, Roy and Carl White; Tilly and Colin Gettys, all at Piedmont; Lenna Ivy and Sophia Elliott; Brevard and Yates Whisnant to Ruthertford college. Two go to college: Miss Mary D. Palmer, N. C. C. W., Greensboro; and Thomas Palmer to University.

Miss Madge DePriest motored to Chimney Rock to rest the past week end. Mr. Roy Whisnant of Lenoir spent a week's vacation at home with his parents Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Whisnant.

The following will be present at Selma Warlick's house party this week end: Joe Ramsey, Madge, Ivey and Ola Whisnant, Mary D. Palmer, where they will be joined by other friends. Miss Warlick is planning to leave soon for college. She is giving a farewell house party.

Children, the old folks are tickled about the circus too.—They just won't admit it.

Among the ordinary events noted during the week was the arrest of S. Glenn Young on five counts.

WATER PLANT COST TOO MUCH FOR CITY

Town Unable to Finance Cost Which Would be Around \$100,000—Tax Rate of \$1.35 Approved.

At the regular meeting of the mayor and board of aldermen Tuesday night when the city fathers gave consideration to the report of the engineers on the contemplated rehabilitation of the pump station and water supply which is insufficient for the present needs of Shelby, the cost was found prohibitive. Shelby's bonded indebtedness is already near the limit so as yet no way has been found to finance the improvement. The engineers submitted two propositions in their report. One is to move the plant to a higher elevation on the hill above high water of the river and provide a two million gallon capacity filtering plant which would cost \$110,097. The other proposition is to remodel the present plant and increase the capacity to a million and a half gallons which would cost \$97,655. To provide a septic tank some distance below Shelby in a south-western direction would cost \$15,000. The town does not have sufficient funds for either project and one member of the board suggested that until the town limits are extended the water supply lines beyond the city limits might have to be cut off until some way of financing is developed. It is either this or the town must do on its inadequate supply of water, improperly filtered. Action on the engineers report, was therefore postponed for 30 days. In the meantime the sentiment of the people will be sounded out.

The city fathers approved the tax rate of \$1.35 on the \$100 worth of property, an increase of 25 cents over last year's rate. This rate is distributed as follows: For general purposes 38 cents; for schools 33 cents; for interest on bonds 45 cents; for payment of bonds coming due 19c. The schools in addition to getting the revenue from a 33 cents levy will also get the poll tax.

Representative men from Earl and Patterson Springs appeared before the board and asked the privilege of getting power from the town to light the homes in those two communities. A line is to be tapped at the Post Road gin, the cost of the construction of the line to be borne by Earl and Patterson Springs. The power will be furnished at the same rate it is furnished to other rural patrons.

Campaign Launched For Dover Church

Hope to Build \$8,000 Brick Church With 12 Sunday School Rooms At the Dover Mill.

Rev. John W. Davis who bears the same name as the Democratic nominee for President, yet he is a young ministerial student who is not afraid of manual labor, told The Star yesterday that a campaign is being launched for funds with which to build the new Baptist church building at the Dover mill. Rev. Mr. Davis was elected pastor of this church which was organized about two months ago. Today the church has 43 members and an average attendance of 100 in the Sunday school. An effort is being made to raise \$8,000 with which to build a brick church building with 12 Sunday school class rooms and Mr. Davis feels confident of the success of the campaign. He says his people are determined that his membership, although small, has the record for more collections per member than any Sunday school in the county. With this generosity and interest in Kingdom work, Mr. Davis is confident that the people generally will help them in their ambition for a house of worship.

The members have pledged to date \$1,315 on the new building but outside help must be secured in order to raise the necessary amount.

Weekly Loan Plan Is Offered By C. B. & T.

The Cleveland Bank and Trust Co., announces in this issue the institution of a weekly loan department which is an innovation in banking circles in Shelby. It should serve the small borrower in a most satisfactory manner because it permits him to pay back in small weekly installments. The bank will loan from \$5 to \$500 on character, personal endorsement, collateral or real estate and the borrower can return the money in small installments, the loans to bear the usual rate of interest Mr. Lineberger, president of the bank is enthusiastic about the new system and is confident that it will serve a great need in the community. The plan is fully explained in an advertisement in this issue.

Life—real life—is one real meal after another at Heavy's Cafe. Adv

Another Flock of Forged Checks Are Left Over County

Arthur Walker and Warren Gerald Thought to Have Left Memory Tokens Following Trial.

Officers in surrounding counties in this section are on the lookout for Arthur Walker and Warren Gerald, particularly Walker, as the result of a tour they made through this county, Lincoln and Rutherford last week. Following their passage one forged check after another has found its way into the hands of the officers, and evidence points to Walker as their writer.

The two are, or were traveling in a Ford touring car bearing a Texas license number, which was 755,739. They arrived in Shelby last week, presumably from Greensboro, the home of Walker, and a short time later were arrested on the charge of being drunk and disorderly in South Shelby. Following fines of \$25 each in recorder's court they departed town, headed to the west, leaving a flock of useless checks in their wake. Accompanying them, it is thought, was Ed. Walker, brother of Arthur, who lived in South Shelby and was also awaiting a hearing in recorder's court charged with obtaining goods under false pretense. The plan they followed, it seems, was to unload the checks on filling station and garage proprietors for gas and so much change. Officers are confident that 10 or 12 checks were written in this county and Rutherford. All of the checks coming to light so far are signed by "W. B. Jones", being drawn either on the First National or Union Trust company. For some reason, not made public, the officers think Walker is the fictitious Jones.

Some of Walker's people live in Rock Hill and officers there have been notified to look for his arrival. He is described as being about 35 years old, heavy set with red face and moderately nice looking. Gerald is a slender man of about 50 years and wears glasses. From reports it appears that one or more forged checks were dropped in Lincoln county while the Ford and occupants were en route here. The remainder were written on Friday and Saturday following the trial here.

Mrs. Borders Buried At Elizabeth Church

The remains of Mrs. Mabel Jones Borders, wife of Mr. Ab Borders were brought to Cleveland county Saturday last and buried at Elizabeth Baptist church in which neighborhood her husband formerly lived. Her husband is the son of Mike Borders, native of Cleveland who died in Charlotte a few months ago. Mrs. Borders was 28 years old and died at the Charlotte Sanatorium after an illness of four weeks. Services were conducted from the residence, 410 E. Seventh street, Charlotte on Saturday by Rev. Luther Little, pastor of the First Baptist church of which she was a member. Mrs. Borders is survived by her husband, a daughter, Mabel Helena, 3 years old, her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jones of Marshville; two sisters, Mrs. W. O. Robinson, of Balsam and Miss Maud Jones, Charlotte and one brother, Alonzo Jones, Charlotte. The deceased was a member of the Baptist church, and was born in Union county August 7, 1896.

92 Year Old Reader Recalls Old People

D. R. Grigg living at Greenville, Illinois is a native of Cleveland who has been taking The Star ever since it was a Star and the editor understands he is a substantial and well-to-do farmer of that state. In remitting for another year, the "29 Years Ago" column leads him to recall some of his old friends of Shelby of 69 years ago. He says "I do not know very many of the dear people of Shelby any more as I did 69 years ago, in 1855, the year I lived and tramped the streets there. I remember the old barn of a court house with the steps on the east and west outside running to the second story where the court room was. I remember some of the old citizens, Albert Homesley, C. C. Durham, David Froneberger, Eli and Henry Fullenwider, Rev. Thomas Dixon whom my dear old friend David C. Webb worked for, then there was Dr. Miller, Dr. Williams, Joe Carroll, Marcus Carroll and many others, all of whom I hope are in Heaven. I have outlived a good many, yet I am not so old, only 92 years, three months and eight days. I do not expect to fill out the time the Lord says man may live, to-wit—120 years—Genesis 6 chapter 3rd verse. "Would be pleased to hear from any and many of the Shelbyites."

Central Methodist Church.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m.

You are cordially invited to attend both services.

GASTON HAS MOST JURORS FOR COURT

One Third of Jurors for Federal Court Come From Gaston. First Term Convenes September 29.

According to the jurors drawn for the first term of Federal court to be held in Shelby, Monday Sept., 29th, the most jurors will be from Gaston county, one of the counties making up the new court district recently authorized by Congress. Of the 36 jurors, 12 will be from Gaston, 10 from Rutherford an eleven each from Lincoln and Cleveland.

The list as drawn by E. S. Williams deputy clerk, of Charlotte, is as follows:

L. S. Clemmer, Dallas; R. E. Wall, Henrietta; W. L. Haulbrook, Lincoln; L. Logan, Chimney Rock; R. P. Heavner, Crouse; W. W. Titman, Lowell; M. G. Canipe, Lawndale; D. F. Beechboard, Caroleen; W. C. Dixon, Kings Mountain; A. C. Keeler, Forest City; S. W. Patrick, Gastonia; W. W. Watson, Union Mills; S. E. Carpenter, Union, Lincoln; B. B. Smart, Bostick; J. B. Horne, Lattimore; Talmadge Green, Cliffsides; B. G. Davis, Bessemer City; John W. Quinn, Cherryville; O. B. Biggerstaff, Bostick; George Coon, Lincoln; Henry C. Froneberger, Bessemer City; M. B. Kennedy, Henrietta; John J. George, Cherryville; L. E. Houser, Lincoln; W. C. Edwards, Belwood; D. L. Bain, Belmont; J. L. Bennett, Gilkey; N. A. Green, Ellenboro; V. A. Duppel, Rutherford; P. M. Weatherman, Henry; A. R. Holland, Dallas; Marvin Boyd, Gastonia; R. Q. Howe, Gastonia; Lummy Harris, Harris; R. S. Black, Mt. Holly.

It is impossible as yet to get a direct estimate on the cases to come up here. Being a new district it will be necessary to re-docket cases from the four counties and establish a new docket here. Although the formalities connected with establishing the new court will be increased the inconvenience of litigants and witnesses will be lessened. Heretofore jurors, witnesses and litigants were forced to make the trip either to Asheville, Charlotte or Statesville for Federal court, but with the new district center here the people of Rutherford, Lincoln and Gaston will benefit as Cleveland.

DOUBLE SPRINGS NEWS OF PERSONAL MENTION.

(Special to The Star.)

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Washburn are attending the superintendent's conference at Statesville this week.

Mr. Hoyt Dixon left Monday for Atlanta, Ga., where he will continue his studies in dentistry.

Miss Vera Dixon left last Friday for Rocky Mount where she will teach history in one of the high schools there.

Miss Ozelle Gardner had as her week-end guest, Miss Connie Lomax and Miss Viola Manie, Messrs. Raymond and Joe Williams of Charlotte.

Mr. W. T. Green left Sunday afternoon for Carson-Newman college.

Miss Ozelle Gardner goes this week to Roxboro, where she will teach the third grade in Olive Hill graded school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hamrick, Mr. and Mrs. E. Jones of Wake county spent Sunday with Mrs. J. M. Gardner.

Miss Lucy Falls spent Sunday with Miss Ozelle Gardner.

Mrs. J. M. Gardner accompanied by her brother Mr. J. B. Hamrick were Bridgewater visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Davis visited Mr. C. G. Barrett Sunday.

Singing Convention Meets At Mt. Sinai

The Union singing convention will meet with Mt. Sinai church September 21, at 1:30 o'clock. There will be singing by the congregation led by different leaders who are present. Special songs from all churches present. Also special songs from visitors. We hope to see a large number of singers from all over the Carolina. Our aim is to gain interest in music and we shall look for some improvement at this convention. Everybody invited.

J. C. BORDERS, Director.

W. M. U. MEETING IN FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH MONDAY

The W. M. U. of the Kings Mountain association will meet in the First Baptist church, Shelby, Monday September 15 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, it is announced. All churches are requested to send representatives whether they have societies or not.

Leaves for University.

Mr. Julian Hord, who has been a popular clerk at Riviere Drug company, leaves Monday for the University of North Carolina to continue his studies in the pharmaceutical department.