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APPOINTMENTS IN SHELBY DISTRICT

Stanford Comes Back and Ingle Leaves. Other Changes of Interest To Cleveland People.

Rev. Alfred Leland Stanford will return as pastor of Central Methodist church here for another year...

Other appointments and changes of interest to Methodists in this section include the change of Dr. W. R. Ware from Morganton to Forest City...

The complete list of appointments in the Shelby district follows: C. S. Kirkpatrick, presiding elder, Belmont—Main Street—A. M. Hoyle.

Cramerton—R. H. Kennington. Crouse—J. B. Fitzgerald. Dallas—C. O. Kennerly. Gastonia—Main Street—F. J. Prettyman.

Shelby—Central—A. L. Stanford. LaFayette Street—A. S. Raper. Shelby Circuit—B. Wilson.

Remodelling For Rose's Store Change

The Masonic building owned by Riviere Drug company and recently vacated by the W. L. Fanning company is undergoing repairs on the interior...

The Kelly Clothing company will occupy the store room in the Royster building to be vacated by the Rose 5c and 10c store.

CHILDREN COMING TO COUNTY FROM ECONOMY

Rev. Jas. C. Gillespie asks The Star to announce that Rev. J. H. Spaulding, superintendent of the Economy home of Kings Creek, S. C., an institution for motherless children, will send four or five of the girls from this school to Cleveland county next Sunday...

Of North Carolina's 550 college graduates of 1923 who became teachers in white high schools, 349 went into the rural high schools and 201 went into the city high schools.

All-year schools have been discontinued in Newark, N. J. The attendance at summer sessions does not warrant the additional expense.

Honor Roll Given For Opening Month Shelby Schools

List of Pupils on the Honor Roll for the First Month. Average Attendance Tabulated.

Total enrollment for first month was 1425 with average attendance of 1320 pupils.

The following is the list of the six public schools in Shelby with the total enrollment for the first month which was 1425 pupils and the average attendance of 1370, also the honor roll for the junior and senior high school and music department.

Table with columns: School Name, En'd, Av. At. LaFayette School, Marion School, Central El. School, Junior High School, Senior High School, Colored school.

Totals 1425 1370. Scholarship: Honor Roll Junior High School.

Grade 7: Lula Agnes Arey, Dorothy King, Madge Putnam, Margaret Van story, Robert Gidney, Alex Gee, Mary Frances Carpenter.

Grade 8: LeRoy Ledford, Martha Eskridge, Lalage Shull, Bill McKnight, William Webb, Minnie King.

Senior High School. Grade 9: Irene Bridges, Margaret Callahan, Daniel Troutman, Alice James, Madge Spurling, Merle Williams, Jack McGinnis, George Richburg, Donnie Sain, Bertha Noggle, Margaret Blanton, Helen Laughridge, Montrose Mull, Jennie Lee Packard, Kathleen Hord, Troy McKinnie, Lee Wray.

Grade 10: Katherine Dover, Attie Mae Eskridge, Virginia Hoyer, Madge Mauney, Dorothy McKnight, Olive Singleton, Charlotte Tedder, Lily Weber, Julian James, Mildred Ramsey, Charles Spurling.

Grade 11: Letha Branton, Mary R. Lemons, George Wray, Janice Green, Nelson Callahan, Caroline Blanton, Roy Self, Melba Metcalf.

MUSIC HONOR ROLL

Jennie Lee Packard, Ruth Arrowood, Dorthr McKnight, Martha Eskridge, Mary Suttle, Sarah Best, Nancy Suttle, Mary Ruth Webb, Lula Agnes Arey, Wilma Poston, Elizabeth Austell, Madge Spurling, Macie Spurling, Edith Reid Ramsaur, Sarah Thompson, Sara Louise Falls, Stella Randall, Sara Ellen Wray, Mary Lineberger, Virginia Hunt.

Jersey Dairy Cattle Show and Sale Here

The North Carolina State Jersey Breeders association will hold a sale of registered Jersey cattle at the Fair grounds near Shelby Thursday October 30. Around 60 head of registered Jersey cattle will be offered from the best Jersey breeders in the state and will be sold at your own price as the cattle will be auctioned off.

Only the best cattle in the state is put in these sales and the farmers of Cleveland county are fortunate in getting this sale in Cleveland county this year.

The sale was held in Hickory last year and attended by a large number of Cleveland county farmers who brought back eight head of fine Jerseys to the county. If you plan to get a registered Jersey heifer or cow this will be a good opportunity.

A banquet will be held at Cleveland Springs on the night of October 29th for the breeders of registered Jersey cattle in the state and county.

Be Careful in The Selection of Seed

Owing to the wet weather on cotton in September which caused some of the cotton to sprout and lots of damaged rotten bolls, great care should be taken now to get your planting seed for another year from cotton that is free from disease and sound open bolls.

Poor seed will mean a poor stand next spring. R. Y. Winters state agronomist, says that 20 per cent of the cotton that was open during the rainy weather will not come up. In some sections of the county the cotton anthracnose is showing up and the fungus which appeared on the cotton last June is causing lots of faulty bolls and the boll and rot off at the base of the boll.

Select your planting seed for another year this week from sound cotton and sack in two bushel bags.

"Citizenship classes" are conducted in Milwaukee's public schools for recently arrived immigrant children. The thirteenth annual Safety Congress of the National Safety Council was held at Louisville, Ky., Sept. 29 to October 3.

Mrs. Alice Lineberger is on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Richardson, nee Marie Lineberger in Reidsville.

HAMRICK SUBMITS "DOG LAW" CHANGE

Ordinance If Passed Makes a Complaint Necessary to Limit Ownership of Canines.

This is a story of special interest to kennel and dog owners. It is a story of dogs, ordinances and possibilities.

At a recent meeting of the Shelby city fathers it was ordained that within the city limits of the town of Shelby one family should have only one dog, or a restriction to some such effect. Hardly had the ordinance been "aired" from confinement to confinement when a howl went up—and the canines did not do the howling. The objections came from owners of kennels of more than one dog, who were adverse to being restricted on ownership.

This week T. W. Hamrick a member of the board of aldermen submitted to the city clerk an amendment to the dog law, which will in all likelihood be taken up and passed upon by the city fathers at their next regular meeting. How it will be passed upon is a matter of speculation. The amendment as it reads has the earmarks of something more pleasing to dog owners in that it makes a complaint from neighbors necessary before anyone may be limited to the number of dogs owned and kept within the city. In other words three or more residents to the section in which the said dogs are kept must sign a written petition stating that the dogs are a nuisance and disturbers of the peace and tranquility in the neighborhood in which they are located.

The Amendment Offered.

The amendment or correction offered by Mr. Hamrick is as follows: "An amendment or correction to the dog law as passed at meeting of October 7th 1924.

"Any person or persons, owning one or more dogs, or who maintains a dog kennel, located on any of the residential streets of the town of Shelby shall remove same upon 10 days notice by the chief of police, provided, first, that a complaint, or petition, signed by three or more residents of said street, stating that the said dog or dogs are a nuisance and disturbers of the peace and tranquility of the street, or neighborhood in which they are located."

Shelby Plays Monroe Friday Afternoon

Old Gridiron Rivals Meet in Annual Tussle. Outcome is Doubtful From Early Showing.

The Shelby highs will play the Monroe eleven here Friday afternoon in what is becoming Shelby's gridiron classic. The two elevens have been rivals for years and the clash will not be between strangers. Both outfits year after year rate their strength from the outcome of this game and it is never necessary to say that there will be plenty of action when the two squads meet.

What Beemer Harrill has wearing the Monroe jerseys this year is as yet unknown. Several of the Monroe stars are in college as are several of Shelby's scintillations such as Hennessee, Bynum, Beam, Arrowood and both Morris and Harrill are relying to a certain extent on new men. Since the Charlotte defeat Coach "Casey" Morris is said to have instituted several new plays, which from the observance of the team in action against Charlotte will place the eleven to a better advantage. Several shifts may be made in the line-up heretofore used this season before the game is over it is hinted from those who have been visiting the athletic field.

Practically all of Shelby will turn out for this game for against each other Shelby and Monroe fight with a spirit that marks college frays. The game starts promptly at 3:30 o'clock. A probable line-up of the Shelby eleven is: Cline Lee and Dedmon, ends; F. Beam and Caldwell, tackles; Sarratt, and Auten, guards; V. Grigg, center; Furches quarter; Ellerbee, Connor and Wray backs. Substitutions will be made from Raymond, Beam and Hopper, ends; Harrill, Elliott and Sparks, line; Magness, Pendleton and Self, backs.

Their Sister Buried At Lincolnton 23rd

Mrs. Henry Crowell who died in Lincolnton Wednesday at the age of 54 years, was buried there Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Crowell had been an invalid for twenty years, suffering with rheumatism. She is a sister of Mrs. J. F. Whisnant, Mrs. Bert Beam, B. C. Houser and G. H. Shull who went down yesterday to attend the funeral. Mrs. Crowell is survived by her husband and six children.

Mrs. Pyle will leave for a visit in Charlotte Monday.

Democratic Speeches In Cleveland County

Th political issues will be discussed by the following Democratic speakers at the places and times to-wit:

All are night appointments, beginning at 7:30 p. m.

Earl, Friday night October 24—B. T. Falls and Rush Stroup.

Grover, Friday night, October 24—D. Z. Newton and Horace Kennedy.

Trinity school house, Saturday night October 25.—B. T. Falls and C. R. McBrayer.

Waco, Saturday night, October 25—Rush Stroup and C. A. Burrus.

LaTimore, Saturday night October 25.—O. M. Mull and Peyton McSwain.

Union school house, Saturday night October 25.—John P. Mull and Bynum Weathers.

Fallston, Saturday night October 25.—O. Max Gardner and P. C. Gardner.

Lawndale, Tuesday night October 28.—Hon. R. L. Huffman.

Holly Springs school house, No. 1, township Thursday night October 30.—B. T. Falls and C. A. Burrus.

Shelby Thursday night, October 30.—Hon. Felix Alley.

Double Springs, Friday night October 31.—B. T. Falls and Mrs. Mary Yarborough.

Polkville, Fairview school house, Friday night, Oct. 31.—John P. Mull and C. B. McBrayer.

Mooresboro, Saturday night, November 1.—D. Z. Newton and Horace Kennedy.

Ledford school house, No. 10 township, Saturday night, November 1.—B. T. Falls and C. B. McBrayer.

Patterson Springs, Saturday night November 1.—Peyton McSwain and Bynum Weathers.

O. M. MULL, Chrm. D. E. C.

Henderson School Has A "Walk-Out"

Henderson, Oct. 22.—Henderson high school students who "walked out" Monday in protest against alleged unfair disciplinary measures of Principal W. S. Nicholson, will be allowed to re-enter school only upon written request and a signed promise to conform to all the rules and regulations of the schools.

These conditions were decided upon last night at a six-hour session of the school board. In its resolution prescribing conditions for the return of the "strikers" the board condemned the action of the pupils as "unwarranted, indefensible, without just cause and calculated to do irreparable damage to the discipline and work of the high school."

The board provided that each of the "striking" students will be given eight demerits. Much testimony was heard by the board last night, members of the faculty and the "strikers" being quizzed. It was indicated that another hearing will be held in a few days to go further into the matter.

Fourth Annual Lincoln County Fair Opened

Lincolnton, Oct. 22.—The fourth annual Lincoln county fair opened Tuesday. Through the untiring efforts of the officers of the fair association and the county-wide interest which was manifested, the show surpasses any former years and represents one of the finest agricultural exhibits ever seen in this section. One entire building is given over to the showing of field crops, in which Lincoln county has always excelled, and home and pantry supplies. In another building are housed the booths for the four community fairs, any one of which is a worth-while fair within itself.

Extra fine cattle are shown, among these being the famous Black Angus herd owned by Graham Morrison and the Hereford cattle owned by Mrs. T. J. Ramsaur.

Fifteen Thousand Killed By Motors

A total of 14,412 deaths from accidents during 1923 caused by automobiles and other motor vehicles, excluding motorcycles, is shown in statistics assembled by the Census Bureau covering the death registration of the United States, which contains 87.6 per cent of the total population. This total represents a death rate of 14.9 per 100,000 population, compared with 12.5 in 1922; 11.5 in 1921 and 10.4 in 1920.

California topped the list with a rate of 32.6 deaths per 100,000 population, and Wyoming was second with a rate of 24.1. Among 68 cities for which statistics were gathered Camden, N. J., led with a rate of 35.4 and Scranton, Pa., was second with 29.2.

HUGE SPEEDWAY RACES SATURDAY

Famous Speed Demons Will Thrill Great Crowds Near Charlotte. 75,000 People Expected.

Shelby and other Cleveland county people have poured out in droves to see the Charlotte speedway at Pineville. And it seemed that they poured out equally as well from every where else. But the crowds which thronged the roads on Sunday were not a drop in the bucket to those which will cover them next Saturday when the big races take place. It is confidently expected that there will be 75,000 people to witness the races and if the weather is good the number is likely to be more than that figure.

People who are looking for thrills will have thrills a plenty during this two hours that fifteen or twenty cars will be roaring round this track at a speed of more than a hundred miles an hour. This is the first event of the kind that has ever been pulled off in the south and the preparation for it has been immense. The track and grand stand have cost three hundred thousand dollars, and more than four million feet of lumber is used in its construction. The track is a mile and a quarter long and it will require two hundred rounds of the cars to complete the race of 250 miles. The race begins at two o'clock sharp and will end around four o'clock. The two grand stands are around 600 feet long. The track at the end curves has a slant of 40 degrees, and a car cannot stick to it except at a high rate of speed. One racer was killed the other day when he went out to try the track. On Sunday thousands of people gazed at the spot where he went over and was killed.

Parking space has been provided outside the track for 12,000 cars and space inside the ring for 8,000. The track was located at Pineville because here was found the only piece of land near Charlotte which was suitable. The racers who will appear are famous all over the world. They have lately engaged in races in Pennsylvania and California. They run for the prizes which amount to \$25,000.

All roads leading to Pineville will be policed Saturday and traffic held under control. One way driving alone will be allowed from Charlotte and shuttle trains will be run by the Southern to and from the track. The grandstands will seat 22,000 people, with 20,000 more in the boxes and the infield will hold 50,000. People will be there from all over the country, and this race will be written up in every newspaper in the United States.

More than 300 carpenters, laborers and mechanics worked continuously for 40 days to complete the plant. There are four tunnels beneath the track, two combination vehicular and pedestrian tunnels, and two tunnels for pedestrians only.

A steel band encircles the top rail, measures ever installed on a speedway of the most complete safety way.

The first fence from the track ribbon and skirting the apron, is made of especially manufactured heavy, resilient wire, and the second fence, built to hold back the spectators, and placed fifty feet from the track ribbon, is also constructed of heavy wire. It would be virtually impossible for a runaway car to penetrate both fences and injure spectators. Also, equally impossible for a car out of control to plunge through the top rail.

A huge scoreboard will herald the progress of the race by laps, also announcing the average time of the leader.

CLEVELAND BOY HONORED AT ATLANTA DENTAL COL.

A. Russel Kistler, son of Mr. Zemri Kistler who lives near Lawndale has been elected treasurer of the Junior Class of the Atlanta Southern Dental College for the present school term. Mr. Kistler is a third year student at the Atlanta Southern Dental College and is one of the most efficient and popular students at the school. Since the school is the largest dental college south of Philadelphia, his election is indeed quite an honor in which his many friends in Cleveland county will rejoice.

SPRUNTS GIVE \$1,000 ON PORT CAMPAIGN

Wilmington, Oct. 21.—The cotton exporting firm of Alexander Sprunt & Son, Inc., this city, has tendered \$1,000 as an additional contribution to assist in the necessary expense of bringing the ports matter to the careful consideration of the people of the State. The original contribution by the Sprunt firm to the State organization that is endeavoring to put the ports proposition over, was \$250.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dover, Mrs. De Witt Quinn and little daughter Esther Ann, spent Tuesday in Charlotte.

Presbytery To Meet In Shelby Oct. 29 And 30

About 50 Delegates from Five Counties Are Coming, Representing Over 4,000 Members.

The Kings Mountain Presbytery comprising the counties of Cleveland, Gaston, Rutherford, Polk and Lincoln will meet with the Presbyterial church of Shelby on Tuesday and Wednesday October 28th and 29th. It is expected that fifty delegates will be present and these will be entertained in the homes of Shelby people. The Kings Mountain Presbytery has 24 ministers; 38 churches; 4,696 members; added to church last year 516; Sabbath school enrollment 4,675. The following program is to be given to which the public is cordially invited:

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.—Sermon by the retiring moderator, Rev. T. G. Tate, of Gastonia. Election of moderator and clerk.

Wednesday, 9:00-9:15 a. m.—Devotional exercises. 9:15-10:45 a. m.—Appointment of committee, communications and business.

11 a. m.—Presbyterial sermon, Rev. W. W. Akers, Lincolnton. Presbyterial communion, administered by Rev. J. T. Dendy and Rev. J. J. Harrell.

2:00 p. m. 5:00 p. m.—Business session, reports of committee, etc. 7:30 p. m.—Address by Rev. I. S. McElroy, jr. of Maragume, Japan.

The public is cordially invited to attend all the sessions.

First Baptist Church.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. See the increasing enthusiasm in the school. Interesting program. The help of every friend is solicited. You and your friends will enjoy it.

Morning service with sermon as usual at 11:00 o'clock. In the absence of the pastor Sunday morning, Rev. J. A. Hudson of Gastonia will preach. There will be no church services at night but the B. Y. P. U. societies will meet at the usual time. Junior union 4:00 p. m. Intermediate and senior unions at 6:30 p. m.

The pastor and the Men's Double Quartet will be in Salisbury Sunday to aid in the services at the opening of the new, useful and beautiful church building of the Stallings Memorial Baptist church of that city. The pastor of this church will deliver the opening address on "The Mission of the Church."

AUTOMOBILE TITLES NOT CLAIMED BY OWNERS

A number of automobile titles required for cars owned in North Carolina by the registration method have not been called for by the owners at the branch registration and license bureau at the Shelby office of the Carolina Motor Club. These titles may be secured from Mr. Wade W. Hoyer at the Carolina Motor Club offices at Eskridge's Garage. Those unclaimed include: Will Davis, Shelby; Walker Hayes, Shelby; Fred Green, Eastside; Oliver Thomas, Shelby; J. M. Bennett, Shelby; W. D. Davis, R. R. Self, Shelby; Jesse Watkins, Shelby; Jim Whitner, Shelby route 2.

CREAMERIES BEHIND BIG JERSEY CATTLE EXHIBITION

Sixty choice registered Jerseys will be sold at auction at the Cleveland County Fair Ground Thursday, October 30 at the annual show of the North Carolina Jersey Cattle Club. This is the club's annual sale and the 60 head will consist of 30 cows, 25 heifers and five bulls. This sale and exhibition, which was brought to Shelby through the efforts of the Cleveland Jersey club and the Shelby and Mooresboro creameries, will be attended by a large number of farmers.

HONOR ROLL FOR MISS BOSTIC'S MUSIC CLASS

Alice Goode King, Alice Saunders, Mildred McKinney, Virginia Lefler, Lala Dellinger, Ruth Hopper, Eva Randall, Doyle Webb, Nancy Mauney, Dorothy King, Elizabeth Spangler, Chrystal Thomasson, Mary Grace Ledford, Sedahlia Propst, Adelaide Cabanis, Sara Harris, Annie Ruth Dellinger, Margaret Elam.

PREMIER GARDENER SELLS FRESH VEGETABLES NOW

Mrs. Charles Reichard of Lawndale recognized as one of the best gardeners in Cleveland county, sold fresh beans and cucumbers and ripe tomatoes from her garden this week.

Womanless Wedding.

There will be a womanless wedding given by the men of the Second Baptist church at the welfare building in South Shelby Saturday evening October 25th at 7:30 o'clock. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

ONE MURDER CASE ON COURT DOCKET

Sloan Philbeck to be Tried For Abandonment and Elopement—Seven Divorce Cases on Docket.

The fall term of the Cleveland county court which convenes here Monday with Judge W. F. Harding of Charlotte presiding has two and a half days set aside for trial of criminal cases. The two outstanding criminal cases which are likely to consume more time than any others are one in which Lee Coleman is charged with killing Ernest Rudasill in Shelby some months ago and one against Sloan Philbeck, white, charged with abduction and elopement with Mrs. Avery Frances of Earl. The docket pretty well runs the gamut of crime, many of the cases being for manufacturing liquor, giving worthless checks and the like.

On the civil docket there are seven divorce cases. The will case of T. C. Humphries will likely consume a good part of the time, while the Corbett case against Harry Hudson regarding the lease on the Drive in-Filling Station property will prove interesting. At a recent meeting of the lawyers, the following calendar was arranged for the civil docket:

Wednesday, October 23. Emma McSwain vs. J. C. McSwain. John Patterson vs. Vernie (Brown) Patterson. Chas. O. Nodine vs. Ethel V. Nodine.

Thursday, October 30. E. L. West and wife, Catherine West vs. Bessemer City Furniture Co. Walter Byers vs. Jettie Byers. In re: Will of T. C. Humphries. M. L. Craft vs. M. J. Baker and wife Dora Baker.

Friday, October 31st. P. S. Courtney vs. A. H. Hopper. P. S. C. Hoyle, next friend of Anne Maude Hoyle vs. Horace B. Willis. Ben H. Harrill vs. Gertrude Harrill.

Richmond Hardware Co., vs. Daniels and DePriest. George Sherrill vs. Boice Sansing.

Saturday, November 1st. J. W. Wood vs. Winner Hosiery mills, Inc. Thompson company vs. C. C. Branton.

Monday, November 4th. Annie May Short vs. Marcus Short. Dock Williamson vs. Amanda Williamson.

Tuesday, November 5th. J. P. Watterson vs. Globe Indemnity company. Elmer Lumber company vs. Globe Indemnity company. Thompson Electric company vs. Globe Indemnity company.

Wednesday, November 6th. J. W. Wood vs. Winner Hosiery mills, Inc. Thompson company vs. C. C. Branton.

Thursday, November 7th. Van B. Sheppard, of Gastonia, had a Chevrolet touring car stolen some three weeks back and two local officers Deputies Buren Dedmon and Charlie Sheppard found what was left of it last week near the old Buffalo bridge on the old Kings Mountain road. Mr. Sheppard was notified that his car was found, but to get it back to Gastonia he will need some wheels.

When the officers found it the resemblance was more like a canoe than an automobile. Every wheel, even to the steering wheel, had been taken off, as had every accessory, spark plug and connection about the motor, and the front axle had been taken out. With these exceptions Deputy Dedmon says the car was in fair shape. The dismantled car was hid in the woods near the old bridge.

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The United States bureau of education has been asked to conduct home economics conferences at the bay section and at the southern section of the California State Teachers' association.