

### Around Our Town

SHELBY SIDELIGHTS — R. D. —

Even the larger cities were excited by the Cave City gossip of Collins and his cavern tomb, but in the smaller towns the real kick prevailed.

The heated extension controversy was as cool as an ice factory or coal dealer's office during the Collins' reign.

And now that it's over did you say "fake," "just a publicity stunt"? If something happened here in North Carolina while Max Gardner was lieutenant governor and Mr. Gardner with the chief engineers and university professors of the state and other prominent men were on the scene personally aiding in the work and some one over in Kentucky screamed "fake, publicity stunt" wouldn't it make you mad?

Now, more than likely, some of the clan who contended that it was all a hoax will continue to say: "Well after all that publicity Collins was afraid to let it be known that it was an imposition and just killed himself

to make it seem so." And there you go. Some people say King Tut was nothing more than a Paris dress designer and if he knew more about new-style dresses than the Egyptians did about building pyramids.

At a recent Kiwanis meeting J. F. Ledford asked "how many steps to the postoffice building?" Do you know? When you answer "no" just try to imagine how many times you have walked up and down them.

Up in the Cleveland county court house is a little room that in the far off future will be a relic and a curiosity to the generations to come. Something like the Sphinx or hoop skirts are to us. This little room might serve as a sample display for the greatest distillery American has ever known.

Now perhaps you'll believe the legend about the ground hog as a weather prophet.

Legend about the ground hog as a weather prophet. Some months back a ground hog was captured in the county and Bobby Rudasill carried him to his home on South Washington street as a pet.

One of the advantages of crossing one of the corners of the "court square" carefully is that you get on the other side.

Stealing a march on our friend Fliver Sam, who is already quite a favorite with Star readers, we would like to know just which of the following epitaphs will be placed on the slab of marble that heralds your earthly demise:

He tried to drive without his lights. Jack Hayes this busy life forsakes; He never would reline his brakes. Here's all that's left of Amos Bossing; He tried to beat it to the crossing. No more for Browne are earthly smiles;

Speculations as to how far the jobholders would stretch, if laid end to end, are futile. They'll stretch as far as the public's dollars will.—Columbia Record.

### Old People In Cleveland County

Gets Tired a Little Quicker at Churning—Adventure in Cave Recalled by White.

(M. L. White in Charlotte Observer.) It was published in your columns, as well as other papers that Aunt Nellie Ledford attained the ripe old age of 103 wheat harvests and was gathered into the realms of the undiscovered country; and we have other very alert youngsters still upon the scene of action.

The whole country has been thrilled at the wonderful experience of Floyd Collins who was entombed in a cave in Kentucky; and this calls to mind an adventure of your humble servant and Judge Rollin Hurt, retiring chief justice of that martial commonwealth. When I was 18 and Judge Hurt was 15 years old, we decided to explore a large limestone cave situated on the farm of my father, J. C. White, four miles south of Columbia, Adair county.

plans, and he told my father about noon of next day, I had not misses being at Sunday school for two years, and my absence was marked. Tom Cravens, of Columbia, Kentucky, was space writer for the Louisville Courier-Journal and reported the episode. He claimed we were in the cave 72 hours and had made important discoveries. Among other things he claimed we had found pre-historic giants 10 to 12 feet in height and an array of stone hatchets spears and other warlike paraphernalia.

### GROVER ITEMS OF RECENT INTEREST

(Special to The Star.)

Grover, Feb. 16.—News has just reached here that Mr. Lawson Bell, who has lived about two miles south of Grover for many years, died about 12 o'clock today.

Mr. M. H. Austell of Shelby spent yesterday with his mother Mrs. J. A. Ellis. Mrs. C. F. Harry and little Holmes and Jeanette spent the week end in Chester with her sister Mrs. Lowrance.

Tuesday for the southeastern part of Florida where they expect to remain for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Beheler from Mountain Island spent the week end in Grover with relatives. Misses Mary Hester and Ruby Ellis spent the week end in Spindale with their brother, Mr. Clyde Ellis.

The many friends of Mrs. D. J. Keeter are glad to know that she has returned from the hospital and is getting along nicely.

Our first case of mumps for this winter developed last Sunday when Master Jack Pinkleton's face began to swell. Mr. B. T. Randall, the son of Mr. R. P. Randall of Grover died Sunday morning at 8 o'clock. This young man was reared in the Pine Grove community, three miles south of Grover, and was loved for his unobtrusive disposition and sterling qualities.

The Woman's Missionary society will be entertained by Mrs. Allen and Mrs. J. H. Bridges next Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Moss have another daughter at their house.

The Dover Gin will operate Monday February 23rd to gin up all the odds and ends of cotton. This will be the last gin day this season, so make arrangements to gin up on this date.

Murder is murder, whether a revolver or an automobile is the instrument used.

What a wonderful world this would be if we were all as smart as we think we are.

# Real Estate

FOR SALE BY

# J. B. Nolan Co.

#### HOMES

- 10 room residence on N. Morgan St., 2 halls, bath, woodhouse, smoke house, granary, lot 115x200 feet. Price \$10,000.00.
- Six room house on S. Washington St., 3 lots, one filling station all priced cheap.
- 8 room house at Rutherford College, five acre lot, orchard, lights, shade trees, 1-2 mile to graded school, 3-4 mile to the college. Price \$2,500.00. Will exchange for Cleveland county property.
- Six room bungalow on Hudson St., corner lot, shade trees, a real up-to-date home, only \$3,500.
- Five room house on Eastside Mill St., lot 100x175 feet. Water and lights. Price \$2,350.00.
- Five room house near Arrowwood-Howell Lumber Co., lot 63x160 feet. Price \$1,750.00.
- Four room house in West Shelby, lot 72x100 feet. Price \$1,627.00.
- Six room house in South Shelby, extra large lot. Price \$2,000.00.
- New five room house in West Shelby, lot 50x200 feet. Price \$2,100.00.
- New six room house on Fallston Highway. Price \$2,750.00.
- New ten room residence on North Washington St. Lot 75x200 feet. Price \$7,250.00.
- 10 room house on Marietta St. A good investment, rents \$600.00 per year. Price \$7,500.00.
- New six room house on N. Washington St., lot 75x200 feet. Price \$6,300.00.
- Nine room house on E. Marion St., lot 60x196 feet. Price \$6,500.00.
- Six room house on N. Morgan St., basement, garage, lot 50x188 feet. Price \$6,300.00.
- Seven room home on N. Morgan St., lot 65x150, all paving paid, a real home. Price \$7,000.00.
- Six room home on N. Washington St. Bath, basement, shade, brick hollow wall, brick garage, side walk paving paid. Price \$6,500.00.
- Six room home on S. DeKalb St. Almost new, close in. Price \$3,500.00.
- Six room house near Lily Mill, big lot. Price reduced to \$2,000.00.

#### LOTS

- One lot on W. Warren St., near J. Lawrence Lackey's residence. Size 90x200 feet. Price is \$3,500.00.
- One lot 75x145 on Broad St., in South Shelby, near S. LaFayette St. Price \$1,000.00.

- 100x150 feet on Eastside Mill St., Price \$2,000.00.
- Five acres near Rock Quarry on road. A good buy. Price \$6,000.00.
- 78x115 feet on Fallston road. Price \$800.00.
- Seven acres, the best unsold property on Cleveland Springs road. Price \$12,600.00.
- 269x183 feet on South LaFayette St. Price \$8,000.00.
- Seven lots on West Warren St. Price \$4,200.
- 75x160 feet on Lackey property. Price \$400.
- 200x350 feet on Cleveland Springs road with good six room house. Price \$6,000.00.
- 67x200 feet on N. LaFayette St. Price \$1,600.
- 50x180 feet on Cleveland Springs road. Price \$450.00.
- 75x210 feet on N. Washington St. Price \$1,850.00.

#### FARMS FOR SALE

- 93 acres No. 9 Township on Shelby-Morgan highway, 9-room painted residence, orchard, pasture, 200,000 feet saw timber, two three-room tenant houses, 3-4 miles from Fallston. The best buy near Fallston at \$180.00 per acre.
- 100 acres in No. 3 Township, 7 miles from Shelby, adjoining land with Billie Hopper, Jim Camp and others, one 5-room house and 3-room tenant house, good out-buildings, 65 acres in cultivation, pasture, 35 acres in timber. Price \$75.00 per acre.
- 48 3-4 acres two miles south of Shelby. 2 three-room tenant houses, about 30 acres in cultivation, no waste land, saw timber, will easily produce bale cotton per acre. Price \$5,000.00.
- 47 1-2 acres, 1-2 mile from Shelby, on two sand clay roads, 8 room house, painted, basement, barn, fine orchard, pasture, about 30 acres in cultivation.
- 46 1-2 acres three fourths mile from Sharon church and school, on sand clay road, new six room residence, painted, barn, pasture, orchard, adjoining land with M. M. Moore and G. A. Anthony. Price \$125.00 per acre.
- 71 1-3 acres in No. 3 Township on Earl-Grover sand clay road, 5 room house painted, tenant house, orchard, pasture, about 50 acres in cultivation, adjoining land with Mr. Lavender and others. Price \$90.00 per acre.

- 130 acres in No. 5 Township, two miles from Waco, seven miles to Shelby. 8 room painted residence, 5 room tenant house, on sand clay road, saw timber, 75 acres in cultivation. Price \$78.00 per acre.
- 35 acres in No. 9 Township, 1-2 mile from Beams Mill adjoining land with Thad Allen, Presley Costner, near highway.
- 49 acres, No. 6 Township, adjoining land with O. C. Dixon and Chas. Cornwell, four room house, barn, pasture, wood. Price \$125.00 per acre.
- 87 acres in No. 10 Township adjoining land with John Buff and others, near Big Hill church. Price \$2,000.00.
- 16 1-2 acres at Toluca. Price \$1,260.00.
- 202 acres, the Cline farm in No. 10 Township, on good road, 9 room painted residence, two good tenant houses, orchard, pasture, clover land, good bottom land, a small cash payment, balance liberal terms. Price \$75.00 per acre.
- 56 acres in No. 5 Township, 3 miles south of Waco, 6 room house, 3 room tenant house, barn, good out-buildings, 30 acres in cultivation, timber and pasture. Price \$75.00 per acre.
- 52 1-2 acres in No. 8 Township adjoining Ep. Champion, P. S. Gettys, 4 room house, 35 acres in cultivation, known as the J. J. Lucas farm.
- 71 acres known as the Sam Hawkins land, 50 acres in cultivation, in No. 2 Township, 3 miles from Mooresboro, two houses. Price \$78.00 per acre.
- 64 acres five miles from Fallston. New 8 room house, 50 acres in cultivation, fine orchard, all equipment goes with this farm. New Fordson tractor, Ford truck, Ford car, roofing, cow, hogs, chickens, \$400.00 worth of new furniture, road, church and school advantages. This farm is practically level and very productive. You can get possession now. Terms. This man means to sell. Price \$8,000.00.
- 52 acres near Toluca, adjoining land with Dr. W. F. Edwards, 28 acres in cultivation, saw timber, 4 room house, barn and out-buildings, orchard and pasture. Price \$60.00 per acre.
- 94 acres one mile from Fallston, 60 acres in cultivation, saw timber, pasture, two tenant houses, barn, on sand clay road. Price \$150.00 per acre.
- 175 acres in No. 5 Township, one mile to school and church, 7 miles from Shelby, 6 room

- house, good barn, orchard, 100,000 feet saw timber. Price \$52.50 per acre.
- 58 acres 2 1-2 miles from Cherryville, on Lincolnton-Shelby highway, 5 room residence, good out-buildings, 40 acres in cultivation, orchard, wood. Price \$8,000.00.
- 250 acres in No. 1 Township, nice residence and five good tenant houses. 100 acres in fine bottom land, 100 acres good cotton land, this is a fine quality of productive soil, a good farm at a cheap price. Price \$50.00 per acre.
- Fifty acres 1-2 mile north of Shelby, a nice level farm, good 5 room tenant house, near Ross Grove church and school.
- 75 acres near Waco on sand clay road, 100,000 feet saw timber. Price \$100.00 per acre.
- 66 1-2 acres in No. 8 Township on Lawndale-Folkville sand clay road, 5 room house, new barn, good out-buildings, 3 room tenant house, 56 acres in cultivation, produces bale cotton per acre, no waste land, orchard and pasture. Price \$150.00 per acre.
- 76 acres in No. 3 Township adjoining land with Clifton Davis, T. D. Hamrick, 6 room house, barn, pasture, orchard, 40 acres in cultivation, near church, school and road. Price \$5,040.00.
- 129 acres, nine miles from Shelby, 5 room house, tenant house, barn, orchard, pasture, 65 acres in cultivation, 10 acres good bottom land, fine cotton farm. Price \$50.00 per acre. Cash payment, balance liberal terms.
- 35 acres 3 1-2 miles South of Shelby, on sand clay road, six room house, good barn, granary, shop pasture, orchard, 25 acres in cultivation, a fine small farm. Price \$175.00 per acre.
- 50 acres in No. 2 Township, 4 room house, barn, out-buildings, orchard, 30 acres in cultivation, adjoining land with Sam C. Lattimore and J. B. Wallace. Price \$136.00 per acre.
- 107 acres in No. 8 Township, 6 room house, 45 acres cleared, 50,000 feet saw timber. Price \$2,363.00.
- 138 1-2 acres in No. 4 Township, 7 miles to Shelby, 1-2 mile to hard-surface road, graded road through farm, 6 room house, 4 room tenant house, good out-building, orchard, fine pasture, 80 acres in cultivation, 25 acres in bottom land. Price \$44.00 per acre.

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