Two unique divorce affairs were aired in the Superior court here today, says The Star. One divorced a girl bride from her husband, and the other centered about Lee Coleman, colored, who once killed a

The verdict in the Mode suit Ida Coleman Divorces Lee Coleagainst the city together with its revision today may be found in this paper together with other court news. The court adjourned this morning for the term and the Kings Mountain suit was not taken

The cotton ginning report for Cleveland county is one of the news features of today's paper.

P. M. Mauney's store at Buffalo was robbed last night and there is little trace of the thieves, says a message to this paper.

One may now zip along Highway 20 to the westward and do the zipping on pavement-the road is now open.

A Gold Star mother presented an American flag to the Washington school yesterday as a part of the Armistice day program.

Speaking of trading, an incident in today's paper tells of caskets being swapped.

The Boy Scouts of this district "Swapped" Caskets will meet in Shelby in December. Details of the big meet are given in this issue.

A former Shelby football coach may, or may not, be the next coach at State college. Opinions on a change there are contained in an article today.

fitting memorial on the court is odd, but true.

Motorists Made a Speedway Out of if the First Day. Cautious Driving is Asked.

Highway No. 20 is now open all the way from Shelby to Rutherford ton, the last link leading out from Shelby, the concrete having seasoned sufficiently to tear down the barricade this week and open the way for the vehicles. Motorists had a pent up desire to try it out on the first day and well into the night residents living along the way declare that it was a veritable speedway," likened somewhat to the Charlotte speedway where the world's fastest drivers on Armistice day whirled around the half mile bowl , in competion for money and honors.

Motorists using this new route are cautioned to drive slowly just on the west edge of town where Mr. Fred Wagner, contractor, has a force of hands engaged in widening the highway from 18 to 30 feet by the addition of six feet of concrete on each side. Workmen in the employ of the construction company have their lives jeopardized by fast and reckless driving at the point where this work is going on lotorists who use this road should be careful in order to keep from injuring or killing one of the work-

Washington special quotes farm loan commissioner Williams

market is expected to be put into dling white 7-8 inch staple cotton. Moderate business in Worth

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MAN IN HIS HOME

man for Act That Caused Him to Slay a Man.

Fate shuffles life's deck sometimes and deals the winning hand to the loser. That's one of the several things that makes life inter-

A divorce decree granted in Superior court here this morning has an odd background.

Several months back, perhaps a year ago, Lee Coleman, so-called respected colored man, came home from his work in Forest City and found Ernest Radasill, another negro, in his home with Coleman's wife, so Coleman said. Lee then proceeded to kill the man who had intruded the sancity of his home. Brought into court later Lee was freed of the killing, as men are in such cases. That furnished the background and apparently needed the Coleman trouble.

So, Lee Coleman, who killed a man for invading his home, has now been divorced by his wife who alleged significant actions on his part. PRESENT FLAG AT

After His Death

Relatives of Dead Colored Man Trade off Pauper Coffin for Another for Burial.

An old colored man rests in a better casket in a local cemetery Will next Armistice Day see a than he was first placed in. Which

square to our county heroes? An Not long since an old negro man editorial in today's paper hopes so. died here. It was necessary that the county purchase the Juneral equip-Lincoln county is forging to the ment and the customary coffin of forefront in the pountry game; the type was bought and the rewinners at the Charlotte speedway mains placed therein. About that are given; Ty Cobb's money-mak- time sons and other relatives of the ing powers in basebail are cited, deceased began coming in for the and in addition to that there's even funeral. They were none too well an "Around Our Town" in this is- pleased, it is said, with the casket and immediately called up a local undertaker seeking a trade. After some talk the exchange was made and the old fellow's body placed in the new coffin and buried.

ROBBEO THURSDAY

Make Big Clean-up of Mercantile Stock.

Stubbs, east of Shelby, was enter- program which was given by the ed and robbed some time Thursday pupils in a most credible way. The night, according to a message from welcome committee composed Miss

thieves entered from a chicken lot James Lutz, John Lutz, Keith Philin the rear and came up into the beck and Lloyd Hamrick. Elgin store through a trap door in the Carothers was the announcer of floor. Just what time the theft oc- the program. First was a song curred is not known. Mr. Mauney "America" by school. Recitation of elected representative of the ninth was after that time and prior to Lord's Prayer by school. Welcome committee of the state bankers as-

had been taken by the thieves. Such Billy Quinn. Flag salute led by office is two years. This is a dis- back to line. was the disarrangement on the Charles Wray. Song "Star Spang- tinct honor coming to Mr. Eskthings Mr. Mauney knows to be Recitation "In Flanders Field" by western part of the state. gone are all of his pocket knives Colbert McKnight.. Recitation. and flashlights, four automobile "America's Answer" overalls, and other things. One Sisters" by Helen Jean Jordan, Colsays: It had been locked and the Tramp" by Vera Armour. Son, thieves broke a screw-driver in try- "Carolina" by school,, which closed

year that the store has been rob- ushers and teachers showed the par entrance being last May. Officers did school building. were notified early this morning of the robbery and are now working Funeral Of Roland on the matter, but few clues were left to work upon and tracing the thieves seems to be an impossibii- Rutherford Sun. ity now. The firm was formerly

messages will be presented in a tor of Bethel Baptist church, and the team has staged a come-back. knife and flint and steel set

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Girl Bride Gets A Divorce After An Odd Affair

ing Together on Honeymoon Get Divorce by Court.

Alfred Blanton and his girl bride Letha Clary Blanton of several months ago will not live together again as man and wife unless they should be married again after the girl atatains the proper age of 16 required by law. The divorce granted the young girl in court here today ended a case considered unique in matrimonial circles over the

The evercises will be open to all

Among the divorces coming up of attendance, promer uniform, and ural guardian, Mary Clary, vs. Alproved to the court that the girl Event No. 2-Rone throwing ro- was born in June, 1912, and was The report issued by the railway lay. Troops to enter team of eight only 14 years of age when marscouts who fornish briat. One ried. She further testified that she county agent J. Graham Morris scort on starting line. seven had given no consent whatever to son, covers four states: North scouts on line 35 yards distant in the marriage. The verdict of the jury answered all issues in the one runs forward to line 16 feet in affirmative and the marriage was situated in a lovely location, sits tion the tonnage from Lincoln frort of balance o team throwing declared at end. The young girl who looked no older than the age given, was in the court room, but

State College Job

in turn is done until entire team Former Shelby Coach Says He Is Pleased Now. Tebell However Slated To Go

> Raleigh. - Dick Gurley, mentor of ing the coaching job at State col- fund to create a memorial here The suit was that in which

Charlotte friends of Gurley have run to patient number one apply- mentioned him as a successor to ing handage to second finger on Gus Tebell, who will not return to

book) and carry patient back to big increase in pay." declared the Lenoir-Rhyne caach.

closed the store at 8 o'clock and it the 100th Psalm by the school district group on the executive ward toward patient number two week-end Gurley also set at rest which will carry practically all of who is overcome by gas, it being certain reports that the Lenoirimpossible for rescuer to stand Rhvne eleven is made up of imcreet within 16 feet of patient ported material. Gurley assured contribution of over \$23 brought borrowed temporarily from t sible to tell just how much loot lace. Acceptance of the Flag by tel Hickory, Hickory, His term of Patient to be rescued and carried his friends here that such is not in by the children and contributed the case.

by Evelyn from Shelby were: Wm. Lineberger, shirt-staff stretcher as shown on outsiders. Spurlock came to Le- per of that day, and in that connoir after one year at Centre col- rection The Star wones to thank be used, failing to compel the ci show case was not broken into, he lection and solo, "Tramp, Tramp, James L. Blanton, Forrest Eskshow case was not broken into, he lection and solo, "Tramp, Tramp, James L. Blanton, Forrest Esksays: It had been locked and the Tramp" by Vera Armour. Son, ridge, Jesse E. Bridges. Aside from removed or touched until judges Hickory high school," continued Several individuals at

ers called and showed the multi- Troops to enter team of two other head grid coach and Sammy for he gave a son, Fred, whose tude of troubles and worries with scouts. Shelter tents will be sup-Hamrick, Student which a banking institution has to plied. Teams to furnish hand axes coach. Just who succeeds them has and will be inscribed on the new must be properly pitched.

Wake Forest, Rev. G. W. Davis, of having left Raleigh following the and Water Boiling. Each troop to have not taken part in direct His body was brought to his home enter team of three scouts, two coaching but worked merely in at Kings Mountain for interment Morning worship at 11 o'clock; rick, of Boiling Springs; Rev. Z. D. It is gratifying to local support wood cutters and one fire maker. assisting Tebell. Friends of Mil- with American legion honors and evening worship, 7:15. Pure Gospel Harrill, of Ellenboro, and the pas- ers of the State eleven to note that Team will supply hand axes and ler have insisted all the time that the local squad of soldiers fired a

(Continued on page five.)

Young Couple Prevented from Liv-

Back in September, it will be remembered, young Blanton and the Clary girl were married in ed of troops from Lincoln, Gas- Gaffney, S. C. A short time later attorneys for the girl's mother, Mary Clary, instituted a restraining order and at a special hearing before Judge J. L. Webb, shortly after the marriage, a court order was issued forbidding the young man to live with his wife. The incident was considered unusual in that a couple just married were and parents of the boys and all prevented from living together at who are interested in scout acti- about the time honeymoons are usually on. The order was made beshe was under age and that no The order of the exercises will consent to the marriage had been

The divorce was not contested.

The authority for the above ley himself. He discussed the retion.

"I am well satisfied at Lenoir-

During his visit here the

"All the players except two came stock and amount taken that the led Banner" by school. "Names of ridge who has been very active in ers rescue patient number three to Lenoir from a radius of 110 among the other schools reporting. proprietor could make no definite Heroes of the World War of Cley- the organization and is one of the who is lying on his stomach on a miles from the college and knew Schools are urged to inform The check-up. However, among the eland County" by Edward Post jr. most influential bankers in the live electrical wire. Patient is re- little about football until I took Star just how much each of them scued from wire by approved me. them in charge," said Gurley.

the coach.

a delightful humorous address by short demonstration n archery will toward the coaching problem at | in acom plete list of contributors Dr. Daniels of Clemson College, S. be staged. Plans for an annual State, the writer has been assur- next week. Among the individuals bed, Mr. Mauney says, the other ents and visitors through this splen C., music by the Gastonia quartet archery meet will be anounced at ed that a change will be made in giving was R. P. Weathers, who tion in the hotel to which custom- Fvent No. 5 .- Tent pitching. Tebell will step aside for some to drive pegs. When tent is pitch- not been hinted. Nothing definite memorial. ed, team will salute judges. Tent has been done by the athletic officials of the college, but some an- Militia Honors Event No. 6 .- Fire-By-Friction, nouncement is expected about De-After Duke Game Each troop to enter two scouts, cember 1. The officials want to seleach of whom furnish a fire-by- ect the new men so they can take Fred Logan, captain of the N. C. friction set made of local material. the varsity squad during the reg-

ball traini

Mode Gets \$950 In Case Against City By Verdict

\$700 For Actual Damage To Trees, Other For Trespass and Punitive Damages. Kings Mountain Case Postponed

COTTON GINNING ON INCREASE IN **CLEVELAND NOW**

The county cotton crop, considered several weeks late. is now reaching the ginning figures of last year. According to the latest report only 1,850 more bales were ginned up to November 1, last year, than up to the same date this year.

According to the recent report issued by Miles H. Ware, special agent, 28,495 bales were ginned up to November 1, this year, as compared with 30,345 up to the same date last

However, there are those who still contend that the crop will not reach 40,000 bales this year. To do so 11,505 bales must be ginned before the end of the ginning year. Those who think this year's crop will surpass former crops point out that several thousand bales have been ginned since the first of the month and that there is a great amount still to be ginned. In addition to that, they say that quite a bit of cotton this year will not be picked.

As it is if 45,00 bales are ginned this year in the county 15,000 of the number remain to be ginned.

Children Give To Soldier Memorial

School Children Bring in Their Pennies and Dimes to Honor County's War Dead.

The children gave willingly, glad- have likely drawn many more ha ly and liberally Thursday to the it been heard at this term. to honor Cleveland county's World McGills ask a considerable amo war dead. Some time back n was decided tion of a septic tank.

that all the school children in the county would be asked to contribute to the fund on Armistice day as a part of their program. Although it is impossible as yet to determine how much the children gave yesterday, it is known that they contributed liberally and helped in a great way to make the memorial a reality.

Several schools have reported goodly sums, while others are forwarding their contributions in. In the civil calendar. one or two instances the exact amount given was made known to The Star. The new Washington

far by The Star, but many other large amounts are expected to be reported prior to Monday's Star, the contributions by the schools. Swain and C. B. McBrayer sough The Washington school reported a during the fine Armistice day program at the school. Ross Grove was received prior to Monday so that "Spurlock and Cox can be termed a list may be published in the palege. Cox is a native of Kentucky, all of the schools for their work in

Several individuals also contributed to the fund during the day the coaching staff before Spring. gave \$10-and that was not Mr. Weather's only gift to his country, manently, the diversion in t

A squad of ten men from Company K. of Shelby in charge of present showing of the Wolfpack to do honor to Soldier Huffstetler he is capable of producing better volley and sounded taps over his messages will be presented in a tor of Bethel Baptist church, and the team has staged a come-back. Kine and that and steel set are staged a come-back. Kine and the team has staged a come-back. The team the team has staged a come-back the team has staged a come-back. The team the team has staged a come-back the team has stage placed in direct charge of the foot- Star some weeks ago in a Kings

After the article below was written about the Mode suit the verdict of the court was changed from \$1,250 to \$950 damages. A plea was made to Judge Harwood this morning by City Attorney O. M. Mull asking that the jury's verdict of \$1,250 damages be set aside. The verdict was not set aside by the jurist, but he did lessen the damages \$300 by setting aside the two issues of punitive damage, one calling for \$200 and the other for \$100. It is understood that the revised verdict will be satisfactory to both parties in the suit.

The civil suit that perhaps drev more interest than any other o the calendar of the present com term was disposed of here yester day when a jury returned a verdi awarding total damages of \$1.25 to R. L. Mode in his suit agains the Town of Shelby.

The suit was warmly conteste in the court room and discuss considerably about town. Arg ments to the jury was complete Wednesday, but the verdict was not returned until Thursday morn

The total damages came und four heads, the largest individua item being \$700.

The first award was \$100 fe punitive damages in the trespe of November, 1925, no actual dam ages being given on that coun \$250 actual damaages were give for the second outlined trespass January 28, 1926, with \$700 fe damage to the trees cut down, a \$200 for punitive damages in th case, the total being \$1,250.

A suit brought against the Tor of Kings Mountain by the McG heirs was considered the see big feature of the civil calenda but this case, it is understood h been postponed until the no term of court. Quite a number Kings Mountain folks were he awaiting the trial and it w

of damages for the alleged loc

The Superior court term for t fall here adjourned this morn with a final round-up of cases of

During the morning there we one or two special hearing and or two divorces taken up, folle ing which the court adjourn school tops the list heard from so court officials leaving during t day for their home

Dog-Fall Verdict. In the mandamus proceeding whereby Attorneys Peyton M street department to complete water station, there was a dog-fe before Judge Harwood this mor ing. The judge signed an ord amount of the street improvem

compelling the city to use the fu bond money for streets but wou not designate when the mo should be used or where it should to pave certain screets which t plaintiffs were contending The city only suspended the street work until the additional wat works bonds are issued, order for which has already been made. It and has been the plan and purpor of the city to follow the law which says funds cannot be diverted per case being only temporary in o because of the water shortage. The judge's order following the man mus proceedings does not alter th plan of the city which will resun street paving work in the spri Kings Mt. Soldier and spend the entire \$125,00 street improvement issue on street

Wanted Co-operation. "Sir, I believe you're trying kiss me!

"Well, now that you understan suppose we quit assaulting ea other and co-operate a little.'

Of a Necessity. Hub—I think, my dear, you hav

vite those who lent me the th

COTTON MARKETS (By Jno. F. Ciark and Co.) Cotton on the New York ex-

change this morning at 11 o'clock has stiffened a few points over yesterday's close and was quoted. January 12.53; March 12.76; May 13.00; July 13.23; December 12.43.

Liverpool 12:330 p. m.-Decembre 18; January 16, March 14 American points better than due. Spot sales 5,000, middling 695 against 690 yesterday. The London Times says the 28-week coal strike seems closer to an end than at any time since it began, as miners yield on

pay and hours. as saying actual operation of plan to remove four million bales from effect at once. Finance groups will loans will be nine cents for mid-

street, prices steady. Market probably higher today on coal strike news and continued lack of pressure from South.

Thieves Enter Through Floor and

ing to prize it open.

Every Sunday morning, at 10 son-Newman college, preparatory Brevard Hennessa, half back, and plied. First scout to get blaze College athletic officials are Sergt. Claude Connor, went to o'clock, a small, but devoted group to entering a theological seminary. Charles Eskridge, Steve Woodson wins. Troop may win only one holding Tebell responsible for the Kings Mountain on Armistice day meets in Sunday school session, Rev. C. C. Matheny, of Alexander, are here for the week end, ar- place. for the study of God's Word. If you assisted by Rev. C. M. Rollins, of riving early this morning after Event No. 7.—Flint and steel since Johnny Miller is known to who died in China September 5 are not already one of the group, have 162 million available. Basis of you are invited to meet with us. | Boiling Springs; Profes. L. P. Ham State-Duke game yesterday.

The place, the Central

CITY SCHOOLS IN ARMISTICE EVENT Mrs. Spangler Gives Flag Honor-

ing Son She Gave to Country During World War.

auditorium was comfortably filled with the mothers and fathers and friends of the school and teachers. than to any other in the four The stage was beautifully decorat- states. ed for the occasion with handsome glorious American flag, which was 119.7 3. presented to this school by Mrs. Minnie Spangler in memory of her the piano, the students began to file into the auditorium marching plished. by a most inspiring piece. Too much

praise and credit cannot be given to Miss Agnes McBrayer and her able assistant teachers, who had The store of P. M. Mauney at prepared the following splendid Eskridge Honored Amanda Harris and Miss Naney According to Mr. Mauney the Coble. The ushers were, chief,

this interesting and much enjoyed It is the second time within a program. After the program, the

Spindale, Nov. 9 .- Funeral servknown as Mauney and Crow, but ices were held this afternoon at one State Boys Home is now owned entirely by Mr. o'clock at Bethel Baptist church. Ellenboro, for Roland Hamrick, who died last Sunday night at Lutheran Church of the Ascension. Jefferson City, Tenn., where the de school in the cemetery adjoining the Captain Logan has been one of the church.

The Lincoln Times says that ex- be as follows: actly 78,239 pounds of poultry son, according to a report made by the Seaboard Air Line Railway handled. As a result of these shipments \$20,019 has been released in

old up a shipment of U. S. malls hereafter is

Other County In 4 Southern States

going to get a warm reception,-the marines are on the job. This shows a

detachment of overseas veterans guarding the mails at the New York

For Its Poultry Shipments Than Any

Lincoln County Gets More Money

the county. company, now in the hands of Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia Out on North LaFayette street, and Virginia and with one excepthe Washington school, a new county exceeds that of any other building of which Shelby should be county in the entire four states, drawing it tight about scout's neck justly proud. On Thursday morn- Chesterfield county, South Caroing at 8:45 o'clock, Armistice ex- lina has shipped 80,028 pounds ercises by this school were most ap- but the total receipts from the propriately and fitting celebrated sales is less than Lincoln county, by the young students. The large amounting to \$19,233.71, hence the back to starting line, who in turn poultry shipments have brought a takes off lariat and follows pro greater revenue to Lincoln county cedure of scout number one, this

The tonnage for the entire state beautiful yellow chrysanthemums. amounted to 350,845 pounds and one who reads written message.

agent Morrison, who is after the Armistice. This soldiers lieves that if this record can be two minutes, wins.

keys next Tuesday.

At Bankers Meet Forrest Eskridge of First Nation

al Placed on Executive Com-

mittee of State Bankers. Forrest Eskridge, cashier of the First National bank, Shelby, was an early hour Friday morning. song by the third grade. Presenta- sociation at the ninth district group Early this morning it was impos- tion of the Flag by Mr. A. C. Love- meeting held Thursday at the Ho-

Attending the Hickory meeting thods and carried back to line in tires, razors, an overcoat, gloves, Smalley. Recitation "Three Little J. J. Lattimore, J. C. Newton, J. F. page 402 Boys Handbook. Roberts, Z. J. Thompson, C. S. Mull. Patient must be handled as real the business transacted at the make inspection. Hickory group meeting, there was Demonstration in Archery-A Regardless of Gurley's attitude and their names will be published and a miniature banking institu- a later date.

contend.

ceased had been a student at Car- State football eleven, together with Cedar bark tinder will be sup- ular spring football practice.

State stars all year.

BOY SCOUTS WILL GATHER HERE FOR DECEMBER EVENTS

Scout Troops of District to Compete in Proficiency Contests In Shelby

Saturday, December 4, is to be a red letter day for the Boy Scout troops of the Piedmont council, the or asion being the field day exercises which will be held at the athletic field of the Shelby high

The Piedmort council is composton. Cleveland. Polk, and Rutherford counties and the contests are expected to be unusually exciting. The Shelby Kiwanis club is sponoring the event and a suitable silver trophy our will be awarded to the trace showing the highest proficiency in the contest.

vities are especially invited. The events are scheduled to start | cause the girl's mother claimed that comptly at 2:30 o'clock.

Event No. 1-Inspection have been shipped from Lincoln troops. Troops will form in line in the present court was one that county during the 1925-1926 sea- Event to be judged on percentage read "Letha Blanton, by her nat insignia general appearance, in- fred Blanton." The girl's mother over which the chipments were cluding the number flags, and dis- was the only witness to take the cipline while the troop is being in- stand and with the ramily Bible she

> (scout who is roted may hold did not take the stand. erms sideward to prevent rone slinning down until drawn tight) Scout one pulls scout captured Gurley Not After is brought over line.

Event No. 7 -Signaling. Each potted ferns and a large basket of of North Carclina for the season troop to enter team of four scouts. Outstanding on the wall was the the total amount paid was \$90, sender, receiver and scout who the scrappy gridsters, who rewrites message for receiver. Morse present Lenoir-Rhyne, is not seek-Teams to furnish code to be used. responsible for the shipments in standard Morse signal flag. Team lege. son who was killed by a train in this county, is exceedingly proud completing message first or who France, as he was returning home of the record made here and be- has most correct letters at end of statement is no other than Gur-

name is Joseph Lee Spangler. At made in the first year of the Event No. 4—First aid. Each cent mention of his name in conthe sound of a cord played by Miss business here, by another year troop to enter team of eight scouts nection with reports of new faces Adelaide Roberts who presided at even greater things can be accom- three as natients and four as first to be seen on Riddick Field next aiders. Team furnish own equip- season, and declared that all agi-Mr. Morrison is completing ment. First aiders form on start- tation for his appointment has plans now for the shipment of tur- inc line, patients on line 35 yards been done without his co-operadistant.

On signal, first two first aiders left hand as shown in Boys Hand- State College next year in the book, page 382. figure 21. and capacity of head football coach. then apply head neckerchief handas shown on page 375, Boys Rhyne, where my wife is a mem-Handbook. First aiders then make ber of the school faculty, and any chair carry(page 405 Boys Hand- change would be influenced by a

starting line at a walk. Then, third first aider runs for-Then, fourth and fifth first aid-