

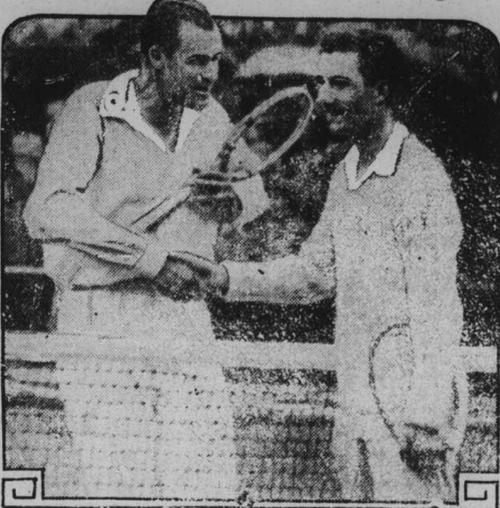
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Veteran Racqueteer Wins Again



Bill Tilden has been galloping about the courts for these many years, but he still has some of the old punch left. Here he is pictured after a recent match at Wimbledon, England, in which he defeated Jacques Brugnon (right) with whom he is shaking hands.

The biggest realty trade of the summer season is announced to be along with that announced in the news of additional building in the suburban section.

The city mail service in Shelby is to be extended for 24 blocks, Postmaster Quinn announces. This extension has been worked for by public interests for some time.

Idleness in the youth of the state contributes to crime, Clyde R. Hoey stated in his address at Asheville Wednesday night.

A man was killed recently while en route home from a visit to the well-known faith healer in Lincoln county.

Twenty-One Shelby Woodmen To Leave Sunday For Annual Meeting Of Several States

The Shelby company of the Woodmen of the World, under the charge of Dr. T. O. Grigg, company captain, will leave Shelby Sunday by automobile for Charleston, S. C., where they will attend the annual encampment of the district.

The Shelby company will be made up of 21 men, ranking as follows: T. O. Grigg, captain; M. Morrison, first lieutenant; V. Weathers, first sergeant; B. Allen, quartermaster sergeant; Corporals J. H. Carswell, M. Grigg, M. E. McSwain and R. Spencer, and Privates W. P. Wood, Z. E. Beam, P. D. Champion, E. L. Champion, R. S. Ganit, W. H. Grigg, C. A. Lowrance, George Lowrance, J. K. McFarland, W. McFarland, L. R. McSwain, P. McSwain, and E. W. Reinardy.

SHELBY BOBBY JONES PRAISED

Pete Webb, 14-Year-Old Golfer, Was Sensation of Mountain Golf Meet.

Pete Webb is back at his caddy job at Cleveland Springs this week despite the fact that sport writers referred to him as the sensation of the tournament at the Ridge Forest Tuesday.

A sport correspondent of The Spartanburg Herald had the following to say of Webb in his paper: "Pete Webb, 14-year-old boy, N. C. youth won first prize in handicap play . . . Late in the afternoon, however, the 14-year-old youngster, a slim lad not weighing more than 100 pounds, was tearing in with a 79-16-65 while his partner Eskridge scored 84-18-70. Webb's play was the sensation of the tournament."

One Of Those Boys Dick Wasson, Asheville Citizen sports writer, said in his paper: "It fell to the lot of another youngster, one of that group of young men making a name in the world of golf, to win the first annual handicap tournament of the attractive Blue Ridge Forest course located on the roof of Hogback mountain. It was Pete Webb, 14-year-old youth, who outdistanced a field of good golfers who came from many sections of the state with a gross score of 79-16-65, while the runner-up, Eskridge, scored 84-18-70. Pete stood near the hole in the spacious house after had completed his brilliant round and watched with an eagle eye the balance of the scores that were being posted. . . . There were only few, however, which caused young Pete any worry at all."

A Twinkle Clyde R. Hoey made it hard on a lot of North Carolina county officials of the state, and also spread the sad news over the radio, that all boys should go to work. Idleness makes criminals, he said, but he might have added that if it does, work will come along sooner or later.

THE TWINKLER.

MAIL SERVICE IN SHELBY EXTENDED FOR MANY BLOCKS

Postmaster Quinn Notified That 24 Additional Blocks Will Be Given Mail Delivery

The growth of Shelby in recent months is indicated in a notice received this week by Postmaster J. H. Quinn, stating that the city mail delivery service has been extended for practically 24 new city blocks.

Postmaster Quinn and other officials here have been working for an extension of the service for some time to cover territory touched by new streets and sidewalks and the announcement will be received with interest throughout the city especially on Clegg, Gardner, Lafayette, Marion, West Blanton, Washington and Lineberger streets and Crescent avenue and Belvedere avenue.

The new service will go into effect at an early date, it is thought. Announcement is to the effect that the service will go on as soon as all houses on the new streets are numbered and provided with proper receptacles. One new carrier will be put on, it is said.

The announcement from Postmaster Quinn's office reads: "Pursuant to petitions filed with the Post Office Department by the city officials and certain civic organizations of Shelby, the Department some days ago, sent a Post office Inspector to investigate the situation and to determine what sections of the city, if any, were qualified for the additional city delivery of mails.

"After thorough investigation and canvassing the situation, he recommended to the Department that sufficient additional territory had qualified for extension of the service to require an additional part-time carrier for four hours daily to cover two trips. A letter just received from the Department indicates that this service will be installed as soon as the houses are all numbered and mail receptacles placed at or near, or slots cut in doors, of the houses to be served. I am ordered to report to the Department as soon as the numbers and receptacles are provided. It is likely that the new route will go into effect at once. The following description covers the additional territory proposed for the extension:

One block North Clegg street, one-half block West Gardner street, one-half block North Lafayette street, four blocks East Marion street, three blocks Crescent avenue, one block West Blanton street, six and one-half blocks South Lafayette street, one block North Washington street, two blocks Belvedere avenue, four blocks Lineberger street.

Other streets failed to get the desired service for the reason that they did not have proper sidewalks. There is no hope for city service in a territory that does not have good sidewalks, either paved or graveled.

It is earnestly hoped that every house in the new sections will at once be provided with number and mail receptacles. Service will not be given until this is done.

Boy's Pocket Full Wins Kiwanis Prize

Hugh Miller's 38 articles which he carried in his pockets won first prize last night at the Kiwanis luncheon at Cleveland when J. F. Ledford, alderman, was in charge of the father and son program. Usually the prize is awarded by drawing attendance blanks, but to find out which boy was a typical boy with his pockets full, there was a count of articles and Miller won. The youngest son of J. Frank Jenkins was awarded 2nd prize because he was dressed in his Sunday's best suit without pockets and had no articles to enter in the contest. Kiwanians brought their sons to the father and son banquet and sixty plates were served to the attendants.

Cherryville Buys Big Order Crushed Stone From Shelby

It was announced here today by Fred Wagner, head of the Wagner Construction company, which has charge of the big Shelby rock quarry, that an order for \$20,000 worth of crushed stone had been received from the town of Cherryville. The stone will be used in building a new septic tank there. This is one of the large orders for the city quarry and means considerable activity in that section.

Fords Out Number Other Cars In Section License Sales At Bureau Reveal

A Total Of 6,514 License Tags Sold Here. Chevrolet Second With 599, And Buick Third. Ford, Dodge And Chevrolet Lead In Number Trucks

During the months of June and July the state branch license bureau at the Eskridge garage here sold license plates for 6,178 automobiles and 336 motor trucks, or a total of 6,514 tags. This number surpasses by a considerable figure the number of tags sold last year, which was 4,800.

Interesting Facts A definite automobile survey perhaps has never been made in this territory and the figures contained in the bureau report should be of interest as they show how various makes of cars and trucks rank in this section. By the report it is possible to ascertain just how many tags were sold to the various types of cars.

4,198 Flivver Along Although no definite lines are laid for the territory in which the tags sold here covers it is known that in the general section there are 4,198 people who flivver to and fro, or in other words drive Fords. Sixty-eight percent of the tags sold were for Ford cars, and 64 percent of the truck tags sold were for Ford trucks.

Chevrolet ranked second in tags, 599 tags being sold for Chevrolet automobiles and 26 for Chevrolet trucks. Buick was third in the automobile class with 333, and Dodge and Dodge tied for second place in truck tags with Fords leading with 227, and Graham trucks ranking a close third.

Those Big Boys As compared with the 4,198 who ride in Fords there are six who ride in Cadillacs, eight in Packards and one in a Pierce-Arrow. The number of tags sold for each make of car are given below in alphabetical arrangements of cars and trucks:

- Cars Ajax, 3; Anderson, 7; Auburn, 1; Brisco, 7; Buick, 366; Cadillac, 6; Chrysler, 8; Cleveland, 3; Columbia, 1; Chandler, 1; Chalmers, 11; Chevrolet, 599; Dodge, 221; Dort, 9; Durant, 5; Essex, 164; Earl, 2; Ford, 4,198; Franklin, 2; Flint, 2; Grant, 1; Huppmobile, 23; HOLLIER, 1; Hudson, 98; Jewett, 2; Jordan, 1; LaSalle, 1; Lincoln, 3; Liberty, 1; Maxwell, 35; Michigan Hearse, 1; Nash, 47; Oakland, 5; Oldsmobile, 66; Overland, 44; Packard, 8; Paige, 1; Peerless, 2; Patterson, 1; Pierce Arrow, 1; Pontiac, 13; Reo, 6; Rickenbaker, 2; Roamer, 1; Studebaker, 99; Star, 56; Velie, 2; Willys Knight, 22. Total, 6,176.
- Trucks Chevrolet, 26; Dodge, 26; Day Elder, 1; Ford, 227; Federal, 2; Garford, 1; Graham, 23; G. M. C., 3; International, 2; Mack, 1; Maxwell, 1; Mason, 1; Paige, 1; Reo, 4; Republic, 6; Ruggles, 1; Selden, 2; White, 8. Total, 336.

Kings Mt. Youth Going To Majors

Arthur Hord, High School Star, Will Go To Big League Team

Concord.—Arthur Hord, brilliant Weaver shotput, whose playing has been a sensation in semi-pro circles in the state this season and who has been closely watched by a flock of major league scouts, has come to term with the Detroit Tigers, agreeing to sign a most flattering contract. Under the terms of the contract Hord has the privilege of attending college before reporting and it is understood that he will enter Wake Forest in the fall. Detroit scouts Billy Doyle and Dick Croier, have been here several times this season to watch Hord in action and after seeing him last week offered the contract which he accepted.

Hord, who lives at Kings Mountain, is 19 and an athlete of no mean ability, having starred at football as well as on the diamond.

Scott Talks About Retail Trade Game

At the meeting of the Rotary club today E. E. Scott, manager of Penney's department store, discussed retail business. Mr. Scott in his talk started with the origin of trade and carried it step by step up to the present day, explaining ideals, methods, and procedure of modern retailing. Messrs. John Fox, of New York, and Jack Dover were club visitors.

Lindbergh Takes Smoke For Spite

Cincinnati, O. — Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh, during the dinner given in his honor here Saturday night smoked a cigarette and though hundreds of persons saw him do it no one saw anything unusual in it until yesterday.

The smoking was said to have been the outcome of an incident in which Lindbergh told his "Pal," Philip Love, "I won't be played for tin saint."

He was said to have told Love that a national women's organization is sending out circulars calling on the young men of the country "to follow Lindy's example and abstain from smoking cigarettes."

"I am going to smoke a cigarette at that dinner tonight and I don't care what they say about it," Lindbergh was quoted as saying to Love. "I did not say I would never smoke a cigarette."

The aviator's first smoke in public was sufficiently successful to fail to attract attention.

YOUNG ASSYRIAN WILL SPEAK HERE ON HECTIC CAREER

Young Wake Forest Student Almost Killed By Turks To Tell Story Here Sunday

A brilliant young Assyrian student from Wake Forest, who was barely snatched from a horrible death at the hands of the Turks in Armenia by American missionaries, will tell the story of his hectic life at three churches in Shelby Sunday.

He is M. G. Daniels, son of an Armenian missionary and a ministerial student himself. At the Sunday school hour young Daniels will speak at the First Baptist church; at the 11 o'clock hour he will lecture at the Second Baptist church, and Sunday night at the evening service he will give his lecture at the Central Methodist church. He young lecturer comes to Shelby with the endorsement of Dr. W. L. Potat, former Wake Forest president, Governor McLean and other notables of the state.

The lecturer should prove a very interesting speaker for the three Shelby audiences as he knows what he is talking about from experience or "first hand."

Own Brothers Killed

Sixty-two of his own relatives have been butchered by the Moslems, three of his own brothers being killed. "My race? No it is not quite extinct yet," he replied to a query of a Star reporter. "But we're going fast. We once were a race of 12 million people—today there are only 42,000 of us scattered on all parts of the earth, driven there by Turkish persecution because we are Christians. Three and one half million of my people have been killed since 1915. The world generally doesn't realize that. My lectures are to acquaint the American people with the manner in which Christians are persecuted. A Mohammedan believes that by killing a Christian he himself will go to the Mohammedan heaven.

Family About Gone

"That persecution is fast killing or driving off my race. My country is in ruins. My personal family has about been killed off." Daniels is an interesting conversationalist and must be an entertaining platform talker. He was born in America, but lived with his missionary father and knows the conditions there. He speaks good English—in fact, a better brand than Americans do themselves for he, having received his English through books, does not use the slang that has crept into the language. A member of one of the oldest Assyrian families he is about the last of his family, one that is rich in lineage and history. His lectures are on behalf of his race and Christianity in Armenia.

In addition to his knowledge of Christian conditions in the East the Wake Forest student is acquainted with numerous Wake Forest boys from this section and well abreast of world and sectional topics in general. Either of his three lectures here should prove anything other than disappointing.

BIG REALTY DEAL ENDED; WILSON PROPERTY TRADED

J. D. Lineberger And Carl Thompson Buy Tract. Will Erect Fine Residences.

Announcement was made today of the biggest real estate deal of the summer, through the acquisition by J. D. Lineberger and Carl Thompson of the Wilson farm tract on the Cleveland Springs road, a transaction embracing fifty-eight acres for a consideration in the neighborhood of thirty thousand dollars.

The deal was made through the J. B. Nolan company, representing P. G. Affleck, Washington, D. C. Mr. Affleck purchased this tract from the Wilson interests more than a year ago, and held it for a period for development. The tract lies on the north side of highway Number Twenty, and immediately to the west of the Marshall development at the Springs.

Erect Fine Residences Mr. Lineberger told The Star that he and Thompson are buying the property for "private development." That is, the two purchasers will erect residences upon the site, and convert the big property into private estates.

Will Make Lake A feature of the development will be the damming of the stream that runs through the acreage, creating an artificial lake. An old fashioned mill wheel will be placed below the dam, to generate electric power to light the shores of the lake and a private playground to the south of the lake shores.

In conjunction with the acquisition of the Wilson tract, the two men bought a frontage on the drive from the Cleveland Springs estate of six hundred feet. Huge residences will be erected on the west side of the drive at the cap of the hill on Westfield road. Mr. Lineberger said houses to cost from twenty to twenty-five thousand dollars each are planned.

Work on developing the property, Mr. Lineberger said, will begin as soon as the details of the transfer are completed, perhaps within a week.

LARGE SUM GIVEN IN SPARROW SUIT

Place Where J. W. Sparrow, Cleveland County Man, Was Killed, Shown to Jurors.

Charlotte, Aug. 12.—While a Mecklenburg superior court jury was inspecting the scene of a wreck on the Dowd road, eight miles from Charlotte, where two people were killed in a grade crossing accident last year, attorneys yesterday settled two other suits aggregating \$110,000 for \$10,000.

The actions were brought against the Southern Railway company and the Atlanta and Charlotte airline railway company by Mike L. Borders, administrator of the estates of J. W. Sparrow, Cleveland county farmer, and his father, R. H. Sparrow, the two killed. Trial of the suit involving J. W. Sparrow's death has been going on in superior court this week and evidence was practically completed when the compromise was reached. The railroads were sued for \$50,000 for his death, and \$50,000 for his father's death. The older man's case was not tried.

Charlotte, August 11.—Under an order from Judge T. C. Bowie, the Mecklenburg superior court jury, sitting on the trial of the \$60,000 damage suit against the Southern railway system and the Atlanta and Charlotte Airline railway company, will go to the scene of the wreck on which the suit is based this morning.

The order of the court, which was made on motion by defense counsel, was not forthcoming until after a heated argument had ensued between opposing attorneys.

Craig To Preach At Church Here

Rev. Carl B. Craig, pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Laurinburg, will occupy the pulpit at the Presbyterian church here at both the morning and evening services Sunday. It is announced. Rev. H. N. McDiarmid, the pastor, is away on his vacation and the pulpit is being supplied by visiting ministers.