

WEST SHELBY NEWS OF WEEK

(Special to The Star.) Mr. and Mrs. John Gantt and children spent the week-end in Chester. Mrs. S. L. Ramsey and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilhrow visited Mrs. S. L. Ramsey of Belwood Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Atwood McDaniel and little daughter Carolyn of Kings Mountain spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ramsey. Mr. and Mrs. Stacey Gantt and little daughter visited in West Shelby Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bradley spent Sunday afternoon with his parents at Lattimore. Mrs. S. L. Gantt of Belwood and Mrs. Eura of Newton visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ramsey Tuesday. Rev. L. S. Helms of Connelly Springs visited friends in West Shelby Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. John Sellers and Miss Susan and Mrs. Sam Smith spent Sunday in Asheville. Mrs. Elizabeth Bowling and Miss Dollie spent the week-end in Gaffney. Dr. S. W. Taylor, president of the N. C. Methodist Protestant conference at the M. P. church Wednesday evening. He was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Glenn while here. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ramsey, Miss Verda and Mrs. Frank Glenn attended the funeral of Mrs. Cliff Wallace at Palm Tree Thursday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. John Gantt and children attended the funeral of Mrs. Ollie Houser at St. Peter, Thursday. Miss Sarah Houser spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Anthony. We gather the juggling acts are not wanted on the Standard Oil circuit.—Philadelphia Evening Public Ledger.

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No Bond Given King Yet; Gets Venue Changed

(Continued from page one.) That it is the home of Solicitor J. Lyles Glenn. "What has that to do with it?" inquired Judge Johnson. Mr. McDow pointed out that Solicitor Glenn is familiar with the people there and that his personal influence in Chester is strong. Judge Johnson commented on this by saying that if this carried to its logical conclusion it would mean that Solicitor Glenn could try no case in his home county. Another objection Mr. McDow raised to transferring the trial to Chester is that Dr. R. E. Abell, whom Mr. McDow said he apprehended would be the strongest witness for the state, is at the head of a hospital there and is a brother-in-law of the solicitor. The court expressed the opinion that Chester county jurors would do their duty, regardless of the popularity and prestige of any witness there for the state. Surprise. The transfer of the case to Chester county took every one, even the attorneys, by surprise, since it was generally believed that if a change of venue were ordered Fairfield or Lancaster would be the county named. The next term of criminal court for Chester county, the earliest at which King can be tried, will convene July 1. Judge J. K. Henry, a resident of Chester, will preside. After Judge Johnson announced his decision a court order was issued formally transferring the case to Chester county and remanding King to the Chester jail. He was taken back to the jail this afternoon. After the change of venue had been granted and the place of trial named, the court room, which had been full to capacity all day, was quickly emptied. At both the morning and afternoon sessions of court, hundreds of persons had tried vainly to gain admittance. Officers stood at the doors and, on instructions from Judge Johnson, denied entrance to any one after all the seats were occupied.

Shelby Highs Take Win Over Charlotte Nine

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Can Wipe Out T. B. In 3 Generations

High Point.—The white plague, tuberculosis, could be entirely wiped out in three generations if proper precautions were taken, declared Dr. P. A. Yoder, of the state tuberculosis sanatorium, in an address before the Kiwanis here. Although the disease has been lowered to fourth place from first in the cause of death, the physician declared, it still, perhaps, brings about more physical disability than any other disease. Dr. Yoder prescription for stamping out the white plague is the simple formula of quit coughing and spitting except where the mucous therefrom can be burned. Tuberculosis, Dr. Yoder said, is a specific infection and can be spread only by ulcerations. A 60 per cent decrease in the death rate from this disease has been brought about in the past 25 years, and 50 per cent of this has been effected in the last decade, the speaker averred. North Carolina has made great strides in fighting the disease. Much of the state's progress has been effected by the everyday practicing physician who knows more about tuberculosis now than formerly, said Dr. Yoder. In describing the nature of the disease, he said that 93 per cent of the incipient cases can be cured, 45 per cent of those moderately advanced, but only 18 per cent of those completely advanced.

NO. 1 TOWNSHIP NEWS OF WEEK

Preaching At Camp Creek Church. Personal of People Coming And Going. (Special to The Star.) There was preaching at Camp Creek Sunday night. A large crowd attended. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Collins of Fort Lawn spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jolley. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Humphries of Gaffney, S. C. spent the week-end with Mr. Humphries parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thamer Humphries. Mr. Bert Green and family of Prospect community visited Mr. Green's brother Mr. R. R. Greene Sunday. Mrs. Grady Jones and Mr. and Mrs. John Welchel and son, Haynes Welchel went to Asheville Sunday to see Mrs. Jones' husband who is in the sanatorium. He is getting along nicely. Mr. and Mrs. John Davis announced the birth of a daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Blain Davis spent Saturday night with Mr. Frank Bailey. Miss Eloise Hamrick spent Saturday night with Misses Myrtle and Wilma Horton of Ashworth community. A number of people attended a birthday dinner at Mr. Noah Joleys of the Trinity community Sunday. Mrs. Blain Davis and Mrs. R. P. Davis were Shelby visitors last Friday. Mr. Vold Bailey and Mr. Willie Byars and Mr. Dave Ruppe visited Mr. Dee Byars Sunday afternoon. A number of people from Trinity attended preaching at Camp Creek Sunday night. Mr. Emmitt Byars visited Mr. and Mrs. Blain Davis Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Woford Hicks of Ninety Six Island, S. C., were visitors among relatives here during the week-end. Mr. Archie Humphries of Cliff-side spent Saturday night with Mr. Richard Earls. Mr. and Mrs. Dorrie Martin of Shelby visited relatives here during the week-end. Those visiting at Mr. Rome Davis Tuesday night were Mrs. Thamer Humphries, Miss Edie Humphries and Mr. Clay Hawkins, Mr. Dillard Bridges, Mr. Thurman Byars and Mr. Broadus Earls.

Store Of Strikers Blown Up Thursday

Grim, Silent Mob Of 50 To 125 Uses Sledgehammers And Crowbars. Loray Mill Village, Gastonia, April 18.—The frame headquarters building of the National Textile Workers' union here was demolished and the union's relief store was heavily damaged at an early hour this morning by a masked band of men variously estimated to number from 50 to 125 persons. The terrific crashes as the maulers slung sledge hammers and crowbars against walls and plate glass aroused the neighborhood, brought two Charlotte companies of national guardsmen, scantily clad, to the scene, and created a condition of intense excitement that continued from shortly after 2 a. m. until daybreak. Revolvers Crack. The heavy blows against the properties occupied by the union, which is carrying on strikes here and at other cotton mills in this territory, were in sharp contrast to the staccato cracking of revolvers in several sections about the Loray mill, where troops are on guard. Before the significance of the crashes of the hammers and other instruments of demolition was understood, the camp here of the national guardsmen was aroused by sentries' call for the corporal of the guard. Ten Arrested. Ten persons, each of whom said he was sleeping in the demolished union headquarters, were arrested immediately after the troops arrived on the run from their barracks, three blocks away. Later, three other persons were arrested but two of these latter soon were released.

Cotton Market

(By John F. Clark and Co.) Cotton was quoted on the New York exchange at noon today: May 19.82, October 19.66, Yesterday's close: May 19.64, October 19.74. Forecast Carolinas fair, Georgia fair today, showers west portion tomorrow. Miss. La., Ark. Okla. and Texas unsettled probably showers. Good business in Worth street but in smaller lots prices unchanged. Reports continue to come showing movement of merchandise into distributing channels is very large and active. Strike out at a mill in Oldham Lancashire. Spinners Federation take serious view of its fear spreading. Berlin cable says Saxon Cotton Spinners reducing output 25 percent. Think market may rally today on oversold condition, forecast, for unsettled weather and better Liverpool.

Cannibals Capture League On Hunting Trip With Englishman

Shelby Youth Signs Up As Secretary To English Lord. Rides Elephant Hunting. (By TED LEAGUE.) The ship we signed for in Brest, France was to go to Denmark and lay there for thirty days awaiting the arrival of an English lord and his party, who were to go on a hunting expedition in Africa. We were told that there might be a chance for us to go on this party if we proved hard workers and were willing to "take a chance" on not coming back. Jerry and I were willing to try just anything once and promised to do the very best we knew how. We sailed from Brest on this steamer with a nice southern breeze and really enjoyed the entire trip to Denmark. We anchored there in the early spring of 1925 and Jerry and myself started for Berlin to see the sights. Of course we didn't have very much "Dinero" but we were willing to take a chance on getting there and back at any rate. We did, luckily. Berlin is a marvelous city—very progressive and the entertainment provided for the wanderer is of the highest type. Plays, musical comedies (all in German of course) "Gesundheit" etc, were of the very best that could be produced. There seemed to be a scarcity of men, however and we were welcome almost any place we went. One place in particular that I recall is that of the Herr Schultze, a man of enormous proportions, nearly seven feet tall, almost that wide and just as jolly. He could speak very broken English and we were overjoyed when he insisted that we, as Americans, should remain with his family as long as we were in Berlin. We did, and thanks to the ingenuity of Jerry, we were able to make quite a little on the side playing Pin-ochle. To make along story short, we arrived back on board the ship three days before sailing time and made the acquaintance of the so called secretary to Lord Warthobot. He was a timid little man, with a small mustache which seemed always ready to twitch every time he spoke. He informed us that the Lord would arrive the next afternoon and could possibly use our services on the expedition. We waited and hoped. The Lord arrived and we talked to him and when he found out my qualifications, typist, correspondent, etc, he "fired" his secretary and gave me the job. So far—so good. The trip was uneventful until we crossed the Equator again and had to initiate some of the crew. I had my Neptune's certificate along with me as luck would have it. I also had my scrapbook and continued working on it in spare time—doing the very best that I could to make it as interesting as possible so the folks at home would understand it all. At any rate we arrived in Soudan; anchored; and promptly wishing that I had not come on the trip. The heat was almost unbearable; the natives we came in contact with were even more dirty than the Chinks in Chefoo, China. However, it was to be our lot to learn more of them. The hunting party was arranged, all of us to ride either an elephant or walk, whichever we choose. I rode and how. Three of us on one elephant and talk about getting seasick. Hugh! That was mild compared to being elephant sick! That continual rocking motion all the time, dizzy, tired, weak, thirsty, everything imaginable went wrong and the further inland that we traversed, the thicker the underbrush became, wild animals of every description would creep up to the camp fire at night and we could see their eyes shining so brightly, creepy feeling to say the least. Scared? Not much! Eventually, we arrived at our destination, and for the life of me I could not pronounce the name of the "city", nothing more or less than a group of grass houses built on stilts; a trading post owned and operated by a drunken Englishman, and the most remarkable thing about the entire town was the English bull dog owned by the trader. That was the largest bull dog I have ever seen. Head the size of a tiger, a body as long and slender as a police dog, and as graceful as could be. He simply would not make friends with just anyone but some of us managed to play with him a little. He followed us on the tiger hunt one Thursday morning and was killed by a wildcat. Too bad, but he sure did put up a game fight. Several hunts were staged, all of them more or less successful as far as game was concerned and we decided to go further into the interior. We were warned of an outlaw tribe of cannibals further east but continued on regardless. We encountered this tribe, two men were killed in the ensuing fight, five of us were wounded and all of the remainder got away but Jerry and myself. That was the most ferocious group of humans that I have ever come across. We were shoved into an ill smelling hole in the ground, littered with all kinds of rubbish, everything from bones to tiger skin, and given plenty to eat. Fattening us for the feast to come, I suppose. But since our baggage had been brought in

Pays 22-Hour Penance



Red Cagle, last year's shining light of West Point's football team, is doing a 22-hour trick in his spare time on the 100-yard stretch where all A. W. O. L. hammer out their penalty. Red missed the Hoboken ferry one night, all due to J. M. Whalen's traffic laws, but the rules at West Point must be obeyed, too. (International Newsphoto)

REWARDS FOR CAREFUL DRIVING—A NEW SUN UNDER THE SUN

Birmingham News. Like the rain, the teapest and sunlight, the automobile insurance premium falleth alike upon the just and the unjust—or, to clarify the metaphor, it lays its heavy hand upon the pocketbook of the careful and reckless driver with equal weight. The premiums paid by the motorist who seldom or never has an accident satisfy the claims growing out of the carelessness or inefficiency of policyholders who destroy life and property. That the situation is inequitable has long been admitted by insurance men, who have pointed out that rates would be much lower if there were fewer incompetent and reckless drivers at the wheel. One of the leading companies now proposes to rectify the injustices in part by rating the individual passenger driver in accordance with his road record. If he can show a clean bill of health by immunity from accident for two years prior to the renewal of his policy he will get a 10 per cent reduction or rebate on the standard rate for personal liability and property damage. A condition of the credit is that his brakes and steering gear must be kept in good order. Such a system is reasonable, and ought to be generally adopted. Putting a premium on careful driving is sound public policy. Adoption and extension of the principle by all automobile insurance companies might have a perceptible effect on the accident lists. Mrs. E. P. Roberts of Shelby spent a few days last week with her brother, Mr. R. B. Francis. Mr. Roland Gantt who was sick at our last writing is able to go to school again. Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gantt and children spent Saturday night with Mr. Gantt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Gantt. Mr. and Mrs. Buri Kendrick of Charlotte spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. Q. Kendrick. Mr. and Mrs. Andrell Allen were visitors at Mr. Cliff Lowery's Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Kendrick had as their dinner guest Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Buri Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. H. Q. Kendrick and children. Mr. and Mrs. Tom H. Lowery and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Davis of the Earl community Sunday afternoon. Mr. Ervin Guffie's parents of Forest City also Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blanton and children of the Earl community were visitors at his home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lowery and children also his mother, Mrs. W. B. Lowery, visited Mrs. J. C. Lowery's mother, Mrs. Dover, at Blacksburg, S. C., Sunday. Mr. C. C. Putnam is in bed again, we hope he will soon be able to be up. Mr. Hugh Borders and Mrs. W. B. Lowery spent the day Wednesday of this week with Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Lowery. Mrs. William Barrett of this community has an old time loom she is preparing to weave a loom of cloth in a few days. Some of us that have never seen weaving done on an old time loom are expecting to go and see her weave.

Pleasant Hill Community News

(Special to The Star.) Great progress was made last week on the remodeling of Pleasant Hill church. It was such a fine week for work. Sunday school rooms are being added. The farmers of this community were very busy last week plowing and hauling fertilizer. Mrs. E. P. Roberts of Shelby spent a few days last week with her brother, Mr. R. B. Francis. Mr. Roland Gantt who was sick at our last writing is able to go to school again. Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gantt and children spent Saturday night with Mr. Gantt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Gantt. Mr. and Mrs. Buri Kendrick of Charlotte spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. Q. Kendrick. Mr. and Mrs. Andrell Allen were visitors at Mr. Cliff Lowery's Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Kendrick had as their dinner guest Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Buri Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. H. Q. Kendrick and children. Mr. and Mrs. Tom H. Lowery and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Davis of the Earl community Sunday afternoon. Mr. Ervin Guffie's parents of Forest City also Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blanton and children of the Earl community were visitors at his home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lowery and children also his mother, Mrs. W. B. Lowery, visited Mrs. J. C. Lowery's mother, Mrs. Dover, at Blacksburg, S. C., Sunday. Mr. C. C. Putnam is in bed again, we hope he will soon be able to be up. Mr. Hugh Borders and Mrs. W. B. Lowery spent the day Wednesday of this week with Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Lowery. Mrs. William Barrett of this community has an old time loom she is preparing to weave a loom of cloth in a few days. Some of us that have never seen weaving done on an old time loom are expecting to go and see her weave. Tommy Smacks Ball Hard At Greensboro Tommy Harrill, Cleveland county youth and former State college baseball captain, had a perfect day at bat with the Greensboro club of the Piedmont league in Wednesday's game with the House of David team. Officially he was credited with three hits in three trips to the plate, two sacrifices and one stolen base. He is a candidate for the initial sack berth in the attempt to beat the veteran Molly Cox out of his job. Try Star Wants Ads.

DANCE AT NEWTON This Band Played For Hoover's Inaugural Ball March 4th. STRICKLAND BONVREST CAPELTONIANS of Washington, D. C. TUESDAY NIGHT, APRIL 23RD At NEWTON, N. C. SCRIPT — \$2.50. 9 'TIL. Sponsored by American Legion And Woman's Auxiliary.

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