

The Markets. Cotton, per pound 18c Cotton Seed, per bu. 40 1/2

Fair Tuesday. Today's North Carolina Weather Report: Mostly fair tonight and Tuesday. Not much change in temperature.

Webb Brothers Bring Golfing Title Back Here

Fred (Snook) Webb Wins Junior Golf Crown At Greensboro Formerly Held By Brother.

The junior Carolinas golfing crown came back to Shelby Saturday night, resting this time upon the brow of Fred (Snook) Webb, 14-year-old brother of Pete Webb, who carried the title back to Shelby a year ago from Greensboro, and it seems as if the boys' golfing title of the two Carolinas is to remain in Shelby and in the Webb family.

Incidentally the new champion, kid brother of the old champion, upset a tradition of the golfing world in that he is one of the few left-handed golfers on record who ever won a title.

Young Webb, a lanky, sunburnt youngster, journeyed to Greensboro last Thursday with his champion brother and two other Shelby boys determined to bring back the title, and he brought it. Pete, the freckled defending champion, has not been playing regularly but the gap left by him, when he was defeated in the first round of match play Saturday morning was promptly filled by his younger brother, Pete, however, carried off his share of honors in that he won second place in the pro-amateur contest of Friday while playing with Raymond Atkins, professional of the Sedgfield course at Greensboro, their best ball score being 72 to place second to Bill Goebel and Erwin Laxton of Charlotte.

Licked Champions. The kid brother who brought home another cup to set by the one already on the mantelboard of the Webb home drove, approached, and putted his way into golfing glory to win his title, for his victory of Saturday was marked by three slashing contests—the first over Jack Briggs, Raleigh pride; the second over Erwin Laxton, Charlotte city champion, and runner-up in the Carolinas invitation, and medalist of the Greensboro meet; while his last match was with Freddy Newman, Jr., son of the professional at the Greensboro Country club.

Shelby's Record. The detailed account of the play of the four Shelby boys follows: In the qualifying rounds Friday the new champion turned in an 80 to be third high man of the day while his brother Pete turned in an 82, the two scores placing the golfing brothers in the first flight, composed of the eight leading players. W. H. (Dub) Wall, Jr., turned in a score of 90 to get in the second flight, and Jim Reid landed in the third flight with a 94. Incidentally on the last nine holes of his qualifying round Fred Webb scored a 36, the low score for nine holes of the entire tournament.

In the first match of the first flight Curtis Murray, of Roanoke Rapids, defeated Pete Webb two holes up and one to play. Fred Webb defeated Jack Briggs, of Raleigh, three holes up and two to play. In the second flight W. H. Wall was defeated by Graham McFarlane, of Asheville, one hole up. In the third flight Jim Reid, of Shelby, lost to Dave Ferguson, of Greensboro, two holes up and one to play. This left only one Shelby boy, Fred Webb, in the remaining matches of four flights.

In the second match of the tournament Fred Webb defeated Erwin Laxton, Laxton is a son of Fred Laxton, Sr., of the best golfers in the South and only a few weeks back he defeated his father and the other leading golfers of Charlotte for the championship of the city and the three clubs there.

The final match saw young Webb pitted against the son of the Greensboro professional. A Greensboro dispatch tells of the match as follows:

"In the feature match between Fred Webb and Fred Newman, Jr., for the title, neither of the contestants were scoring at the level present earlier in the tournament. Both were erratic, and both had some bad breaks, with Webb, undoubtedly getting the largest share (Continued on page eight.)

Summer Months Hard On Young Babies

One local undertaking establishment has buried eight babies so far this month, it was learned this morning. Summer months are hard on young babies and the deaths usually mount from various causes. The ages of the babies ranged from one day to eight months.

Postmasters To Albermarle For Next Meeting

D. W. Alexander, Connelly Springs, New President, Lawdale Man Named Delegate.

The North Carolina League of Postmasters closed their annual convention here Saturday morning by electing Postmaster D. W. Alexander, of Connelly Springs, as president succeeding W. B. Knowles, retiring president of Wallace.

At the closing session it was also decided that the next convention city would be Albermarle the meeting date to be some time in June of July.

Other officers elected were J. E. Wallace, Stanley, first vice president; F. L. Smith, Dixel, second vice president; Miss Sallie K. Wilkins, of Magnolia, was re-elected secretary-treasurer. These officers together with Postmaster G. B. Goodson, of Lincolnton, form the executive committee.

Delegates named to the national convention next September at Niagara Falls were W. B. Knowles, retiring president, and Mr. T. P. Richards, of Lawdale.

Big Banquet. The annual banquet Friday night at Cleveland Springs was the highlight of the convention with about 150 people present. Postmaster Duncan, of Raleigh, who was to have been toastmaster for the event was unable to come, and Postmaster R. C. Chandley, of Greensboro, served in his stead. The main address of the evening was made by Hon. Jake F. Newell, of Charlotte, who spoke upon the "American Spirit," using his recent trip abroad as a background for his talk and illustrations Congressman Chas. A. Jonas, who was on the program for a speech, was unable to attend as he was called back to Washington by official business.

Approximately 200 people, 150 of which were postmasters and postmistresses, were in Shelby, it is estimated for the two-day gathering, which convened Friday morning and adjourned with a business session at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Abandon Store Closing Idea

Merchants Association Will No Longer Consider Movement For Half Holiday.

The Merchants association as an organization will no longer consider the proposition for a half holiday closing schedule during the summer months, announced President Henry Mills, this morning. If action is taken, some other organization or individuals must take the lead as there is division among the merchants and President Mills does not want to see the influence and fine spirit that exists among the merchants members, disrupted over a question that is of so little importance.

Twenty-two of the association members voted in favor of half holiday during the summer, while 11 voted against closing. The number voting, however, was less than half of the association's membership, which totals 73. It was decided at the beginning of the association that the majority rule plan would be followed, but in the matter of observing a half holiday during the summer, less than a majority of the members expressed themselves either way.

Mr. Mills, therefore, says that the association will no longer try to settle the question but says the Woman's club or any other organization can poll the remaining members and get some sort of action, if they desire.

Mrs. O. Max Gardner, and son, Max, Jr., of Raleigh, arrived Saturday for a visit to home folks.

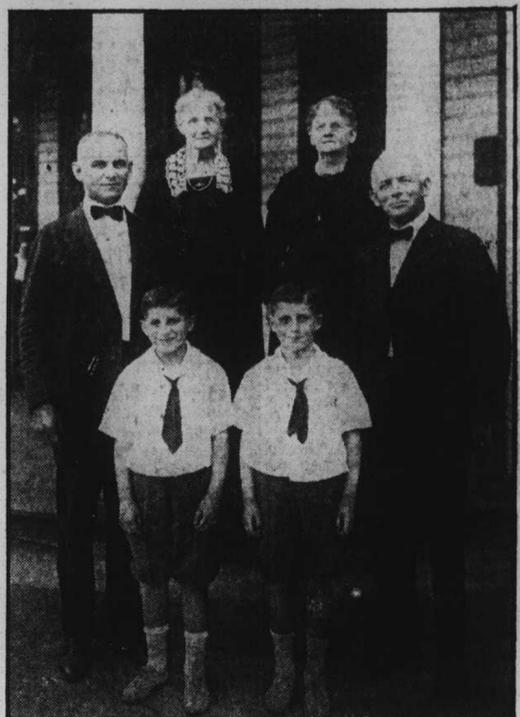
W. C. Roberts returned home Sunday after a weeks visit to his grandmother, Mrs. S. F. Roberts on N. Morgan street.

Church Is Burned On Sunday Night North Of Shelby

Wallace's Chapel, a Baptist church located northwest of Shelby, was burned in a mysterious fire last night between 11 and 12 o'clock.

Although there was some investigation last night and today late information was that the cause of the fire had not been determined, the building being well ablaze when first noticed, according to Deputy Frank Stamey, who visited the scene.

Three Sets Shelby Twins.



THOMPSON TWINS—When the Sustar-Kuester twins, of Mecklenburg county, held their annual picnic for twins Friday at Matthews in Mecklenburg county, the Thompson twins of Shelby were present to carry off the record for the event—three generations of twins in one family. They are pictured above: Mrs. Martha H. Porter, of Charlotte, and Mrs. W. H. Thompson, of Shelby, 71-year-old twins; Mrs. Thompson's sons, Dr. C. A. Thompson, of Oklahoma, and Z. J. Thompson, Shelby alderman, and Z. J. Thompson's sons, Joseph and Lyle, 17. Dr. Thompson was not present, the photo above being made several years ago. (Photo courtesy Charlotte Observer.)

Negro Congressman Now Joins In District War On The South

Put Wild Turkeys On Game Reserve In No. 8 Township

Game Warden Austell Brings Back Turkeys, Pheasant And Turkey Eggs.

Auxiliary game refuge in No. 10 township this county is already being stocked with game by the state game department.

County Game Warden M. H. Austell and Mr. Andrew Elliott returned last week from the central game farm near Raleigh, bringing with the 10 wild turkeys to be placed on the reserve in No. 8. They also brought several settings of pheasant and turkey eggs to be hatched out here and then placed on the game refuge.

A group of prominent landowners in No. 8 signed and agreement whereby game may be stocked on near 3,000 acres of land in that section to be protected from hunters for a period of years so that the county may be restocked with game.

Veterans Here In July And Not June

A dispatch in The Star Friday from Charlotte concerning the approaching state encampment of Spanish-American war veterans in Shelby gave the date as June 8-9, which was wrong, of course. The veterans assemble in Shelby on July 8-9.

Palm Tree Epworth League Play 20th

The Palm Tree Epworth league will present a play at the Piedmont auditorium on Thursday night, June 20th at 8:00 o'clock. A small admission charge will be made. The title of the play, "The New Minister Arrives."

Misses Lottie and Esther Beam returned home Sunday after spending several days in Asheville visiting their sister, Mrs. N. A. Hicks.

Big Game Comes Thursday

The big baseball game of the year for Shelby, when the games played by Shelby High's champions are overlooked, and perhaps the funniest game of the season, is on the books for Thursday afternoon at the city park here.

The lawyers play the doctors. All last week and today the legal lights have been turning their back on Blackstone and the other legal authorities and the medics have been staying shorter hours by the

State To Pay Large Part Of School Costs

Thirty-Two Percent Of Entire Rural School Cost In Cleveland Paid By State.

Thanks to the equalization fund the state of North Carolina will this year pay practically one-third of the entire rural school cost in Cleveland county this year.

As estimated by Leroy Martin of the equalization board, the state will pay 32.7 percent of the entire rural school costs for the six months term in Cleveland county this year. The same figures show that the equalization fund will pay 44.6 percent of the entire Lincoln county school budget, 33.1 percent of the Catawba budget, and 39.1 percent of the Rutherford budget.

More than half of the entire rural school costs of 36 counties of the state are to be paid by the fund, with Jones county getting the most, or 76.6 percent of the entire school expense.

The percentages, says a Raleigh dispatch, were worked out to determine the amounts the equalization board will allot the respective counties for the salaries of rural supervisors, the ratio being the same as that given the counties on their school budget.

Which is to say that the equalization fund will this year give approximately 32 cents of every \$1 spent in the rural schools of Cleveland county.

Cline Owens Lee In Hero Role In First Game League Ball

Shelby High Captain Burns Up Southeastern League His First Game.

Cline Owens Lee, who just a couple of weeks back was the idol of Shelby baseball fans as the captain and outstanding player of Shelby's state championship team, became the hero of the Columbus, Ga., team in the Southeastern league in his first game of professional baseball Saturday.

The 20-year-old high school boy breaking in his first professional game, in fact, Class B baseball, at second base for the Columbus team went to bat four times, slashed out three hits, and handled eleven chances—seven assists and four put-outs—without the semblance of an error.

Immediately following the game H. Dixon Smith, former Shelby man but now a lumber manufacturer and one of the owners of the Columbus team, wired here telling of Lee's sensational debut. Later a covey of Columbus papers came in to Shelby telling of the youngster's remarkable play. Prior to his first game and while Lee was working out with the Columbus team the sportswriters gave him several nice write-ups but were a bit doubtful as to how he would go against league pitching. It was another story in Columbus Sunday morning newspapers. Young Lee's name was in the big headlines and the sportswriters tossed their hats high into the air as they made whoopee over him and declared him to be one of the marvels of twentieth century baseball. Another big headline in the same papers stated that immediately after the game manager Kohl Becker of the Columbus team released Millsaps, second-sacker for Columbus for two years, to give Lee the regular job.

A sport story in Wednesday's Star will give some of the details of the praise handed the Shelby boy in his first game.

A unique window display of Campbell's has attracted no end of attention, both Saturday and today. It is a cutlery window, and is arranged with special attractiveness. A prize is offered to the person who will count the number of cutlery items on display.

Praises Star Editor On Free Press Speech

To Editor of The Star: Your courageous and prophetic message to the members of the North Carolina Press association regarding the danger of one corporation owning and controlling the free press of this country, demonstrates your ability to be the president of the association and has the earmarks of true statesmanship and causes your friends to be proud of you. ZENO WALL.

May Marry Wales



Coincident with a popular notion that the Prince of Wales intends to be married in his 35th year, which he will reach next month, comes a rumor that his name is now linked with that of the beautiful Princess Ingrid of Sweden, above, and that a betrothal is impending. (International Newsreel)

River Road Scene Of Liquor Capture

Bootleggers Said To Be Using Spooky, Untraveled Road West Of Town. 7-Gallon. Haul

A liquor capture of seven gallons was made in the wee hours before daylight Sunday morning on the "river road" just west of Shelby and to the left of highway 20, where a series of spooky events have caused the road to be shunned by motorists and others.

Early in the night Saturday Ramon Grigg and Clarence Cannon were arrested up town and jailed on drinking charges. Sheriff Irvin Allen noticed the direction they came from and drove out the river road to the wooded spot just on this side of the bridge, where he located seven gallons of whiskey in the undergrowth. He returned to town, tipped off other officers and waited. Meantime Deputies Harvey Harrelson, John Hord and Lindsay Dixon, drove out the river road, which of recent years has come to be known as "Death Valley," and hid. Later in the night Cannon was released from jail. After looking about uptown and seeing Sheriff Allen he drove out the river road, stopped near where the officers were hiding, walked into the woods, they say, picked up two of the half gallon fruit jars and walked back to the car. Just as he reached the car the officers pounced upon him. Cannon, they say, with a fruit jar in either hand smashed them together and bathed the officers in booze, but they managed to hold onto him and bring him in to jail. Two of the officers received light cuts on the hands from the broken glass.

For several months, since the road is little travelled at night, officers have had the idea that bootleggers and rum runners have been using the wooded hills on either side for the booze caches, and the find there Saturday night is one of the first moves, it is said, to clean up the rum traffic there.

Clyde R. Hoey Is Outstanding Personality In North Carolina

Leads 11 Other Tar Heels In Contest For "Twelve Most Vivid Personalities" In State.

Clyde R. Hoey, Shelby lawyer, statesman and Bible class teacher, was on Sunday voted to be the outstanding personality among the "Twelve Most Vivid Personalities" in North Carolina.

The contest was conducted through the "Incidentally" column of The Raleigh News and Observer, written by Nell Battle Lewis.

Some months back Prof. Archibald Henderson, of the University of North Carolina, wrote a series of articles on the twelve most vivid personalities in the world. The articles started a discussion among North Carolina editors as to who was the twelve outstanding personalities in this state. Miss Lewis in her column named her pick and letters began to pour in from readers giving their selection. Finally

Cotton Crop Good In County; Short Hay And Corn Crops

Negro Shot To Death Sunday In Churchyard

Cliff Fullenwider Kills Forrest Wilson, His Brother-In-Law In Family Fuss.

The Hopewell negro church to the right of highway 18 north of Shelby was the scene of a killing Sunday afternoon when Cliff Fullenwider, negro man near 50 years of age, shot and killed his brother-in-law, Forrest Wilson, a son of Art Wilson who was in his early twenties.

The killing, it is said, followed a family fuss, centering about Fullenwider's wife, which has been going on for some weeks.

Gave Warning. Details given officers had it that after some words the young negro advanced upon Fullenwider with a knife. Fullenwider, it was said, backed off and urged to the others to keep away. Finally Fullenwider pulled out his gun, cocked it, backed up another step and again gave warning to the other, as the officers were told. Wilson came another step. Bang! A bullet plowed into the chest of Wilson and he fell to the ground amid the frightened negroes about the churchyard. Although the wounded black boy was rushed to the hospital here he was dead when the car arrived.

Cliff Gives Up. Not long after the shooting Fullenwider came into the city hall in Shelby and surrendered, being placed in the county jail where he will remain until the preliminary hearing tomorrow. Fullenwider, who lives on the Will Alexander plantation, has the reputation of being a hard-working negro and numerous leading farmers of the county for whom he has worked were here today interesting themselves in getting him out under bond.

The gun used was a .32 calibre Smith and Wesson. Fullenwider's period of terror, that superstitious feeling which permeates all negroes who slay, worked upon him mercilessly last night in the county jail. There early this morning he told officers it was a terrible night he passed through and his fear of the ghost-world had spread to his three colored cellmates who also shook a bit with fear during the dark hours of the early morning.

"Y'know," he told Chief Poston and Sheriff Allen, "I could hear Forrest an' them others walking about in the sand up there in the churchyard. I heard 'em all night and I couldn't sleep."

Mrs. W. B. Nix, Misses Lucile and Rosalind Nix, spent today in Charlotte.

Mrs. Walden Sutherland, bookkeeper at the Paragon is taking her vacation this week.

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As Much Or More Acreage In Cotton This Year As Was Last Year, Corn Late.

Judging by acreage and present conditions Cleveland county's cotton crop this year bids fair to surpass the record production of last year.

This is the view of County Farm Agent Alvin Hardin and several leading farmers. These observers, however, do not say that the crop will beat last year, but they do say that it looks so now, adding "you never can tell." And, of course, you can't.

More Acreage. "There are more acres in cotton in Cleveland county now than last year or I'm off in my estimate," Agent Hardin stated Saturday. But the farm agent is not so enthused over one phase of the agricultural situation in the county, and that is the prospective shortage of the hay and corn crops.

A big cotton crop, the agricultural experts argue, is of no great value if all the money from the cotton must go out to buy hay and corn. With that in view indications are that such conditions exist in the county.

"The corn crop is considerably late and the acreage is not up to par," the county agent says. Rainy weather has held the farmers of the county back in their corn planting and at the present time it is not likely that over two-thirds of the corn crop is in the ground. As for the hay crop it is considerably off, even more than it was last year.

The cotton crop, thanks to near two weeks of real summer weather with a minimum amount of scattered rainfall, snapped out of a condition that gave farmers the idea that it was to be an off cotton year. Although rains delayed first thinning and working of the crop, it is now said that all of the crop over the county has been worked, some of it for the second time, and if the good cotton season of recent days continues there is little doubt but what the county will again reach the 50,000 bale mark, and perhaps top that, if the fall end of the season does not bring some ill fortune or bad cotton weather.

Dowd Heads Press, Succeeds Weathers

Other Officers Elected At Concluding Session Of Elizabeth City Meeting.

Elizabeth City, June 14.—Election of W. Carey Dowd, Jr., of the Charlotte News, president, and adoption of constitutional changes which will set maximum press association membership at \$100 and minimum at \$10 marked the convention close here Friday after which the party sailed as Captain Kidd.

The membership fees were changed from a graduated to a flat basis, cutting \$150 from the highest and \$5 from the lowest.

With the new president, Herbert Peel, of Elizabeth City, will serve as vice president; Miss Beatrice Cobb, of Morganton, secretary treasurer, and Bill Arp Lowrance, Charlotte, as historian. The executive committee will be J. L. Home, Jr., of Rocky Mount; J. W. Noell, of Roxboro; A. L. Stockton, of Greensboro; T. S. London, of Rockingham, and Lee B. Weathers, of Shelby, retiring president of the association.

Play At Piedmont.

The Palm Tree Epworth league will give a play at the Piedmont auditorium Thursday, June 20. The title of the piece is "The New Minister Arrives." A small admission will be charged.

They Do It

Last week a Shelby business man advertised in The Star Want Ads for a part-time bookkeeper. If he had hired all the bookkeepers who wrote him after reading the want ad he would have needed the largest office in Shelby to hold 'em all.

Another business man in Shelby, who uses Star want ads regularly says that they add hundreds of dollars to his business monthly. They'll rent rooms, find rooms, fill jobs, sell things.

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