

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

Cloudy Tuesday. Today's North Carolina Weather Report: Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday with scattered thunder-showers in west portion. Not much change in temperature.

Their Last Week. City employes of Shelby whose positions were filled by others by the new administration are today entering upon their last week in the employ of the city, having been given a month's notice.

Solicitor Ready For King Case

Prosecution Counsel Confers; Records In Case Available To Defense.

Chester.—There was a lengthy conference in Chester Friday afternoon of some of the counsel for the state in the case of Rafe King of Sharon and Shelby, who is charged with the murder of his wife, Faye Wilson King. The case is to be tried here July 1.

Those attending the conference were Solicitor Harry Hines of Lancaster; Col. Arthur L. Gaston former Senator David Hamilton, David A. Gaston and Angus H. MacAulay, all of Chester. After the conference some of the attorneys stated that they had spent considerable time in going over together some of the phases of the case and that they and their associates would be ready when the case comes up for trial.

Hamrick Winner For Eastside; Baseball Games On Saturday

Charlotte Firemen Defeat Cleveland Cloth, Dover-Ora Club Wins Game.

Shelby's four textile mill baseball clubs had an even break in games played here Saturday, two of the teams winning while two lost.

At Eastside Sherrill Hamrick, Shelby high star, hurled the East-siders to a 3 to 2 victory over the strong Boiling Springs team with York behind the bat.

In another game Casey Morris' Dover-Ora mill club defeated the South Shelby team 17 to 2 with Connor, Dover-Ora hurler, as the outstanding star of the victory.

At the city park the fast Cleveland Cloth mill aggregation, with several Shelby High and college stars in the line-up, lost a nip-and-tuck struggle to the heavy-hitting team of Firemen from the Charlotte city league.

All four Shelby teams are now playing one game per week and a move may be made soon to organize them into a city textile league.

Lee Runs Up Hits In Seven Contests

Cline Owens Lee, the Shelby High star who jumped to class B professional baseball, is hot after a record in hitting. At the end of Saturday's game he had played seven games of league ball and so far has not left the park after a single game without securing a hit for the day. In the seven games he has secured 12 hits, nearly two per game, out of 27 trips to the plate for a batting average of .444, which still leads the league.

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GASTONIA STRIKER IN CLEVELAND COURT

Phillip Weaver, said to be one of the striking employes of the Loray textile mill at Gastonia, was in county court here Saturday charged with drunkenness at Kings Mountain. He was fined \$10 and the costs.

Green Boy Drowns In Swimming

Boiling Springs Youth In Capsized Boat, Unable To Swim, Funeral Today.

The swimming season in this section took its first life Sunday afternoon about 5 o'clock when Ezell Green, 20-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Green of Boiling Springs was drowned in Sunshine Lake near Ellenboro.

Green, with two other companions, went to the lake for a swim. Green got in a small boat with Paul Green of Boiling Springs for a ride. The boat capsized, throwing the boys into water about 15 feet deep. Ezell could not swim and went down. Paul escaped. Only some boys were at the lake at the time and they sent for help. After diving several times they rescued the body.

The deceased was an active member of Boiling Springs Baptist church. He leaves his parents, five sisters and five brothers. The funeral services were held at the Boiling Springs Baptist church this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Gray-Haired Woman Back In Court For Liquor Charge Again

Mrs. Dunn Once Ordered Out Of Shelby Is Now Ordered To Leave County.

Elizabeth Dunn, whose hair has turned gray with the passing of a long chain of years, just seems unable to let liquor alone, and as a result of her persistent method of continuing to meddle with bootleg she is going to have to change her residence again.

This time, by order of Recorder Horace Kennedy, she is to move out of Cleveland county, or take a 12 month sentence in the county jail. The last court order she heard, several months back, was to move out of Shelby or serve a jail sentence.

She moved to Kings Mountain, but apparently she carried with her the ability to locate a pint or so when and if needed.

Last week Kings Mountain officers raided her home in Kings Mountain and found five pints of bootleg. Saturday she was brought here for another visit to the county court. Just how many times she has been in the court room no one recalls.

A year or two back she was first hauled into court on a liquor charge. She seemed to have an honest face, told a straight story, was accompanied by two young daughters, adopted or otherwise, promised to reform, and was given a chance to do so by the court, because the court was of the opinion that she should remain out of jail to take care of her young daughters. Then came another day and another trip to the court room. Another liquor charge. This time the court decided to send her to jail for a stay. The young girls wanted to go along. Officials were a bit puzzled as to the procedure. There was no place to send the girls, no county funds for no method of supporting them while the aged mother languished in a jail cell, and after a time she was freed. No lengthy period passed before she was back in court again.

The court found itself stumped, and decided perhaps the gray-haired woman and her dependents might do better elsewhere. Mrs. Dunn moved to Kings Mountain and the local officials breathed easier. Then last week the Kings Mountain officers unearthed the five pints in her home and the same old problem was back up before the court.

This time, as was stated above, the order was to get out of the county and get away, or take the twelve months even if it brought discomfort to the young girls. Mrs. Dunn says she'll "git."

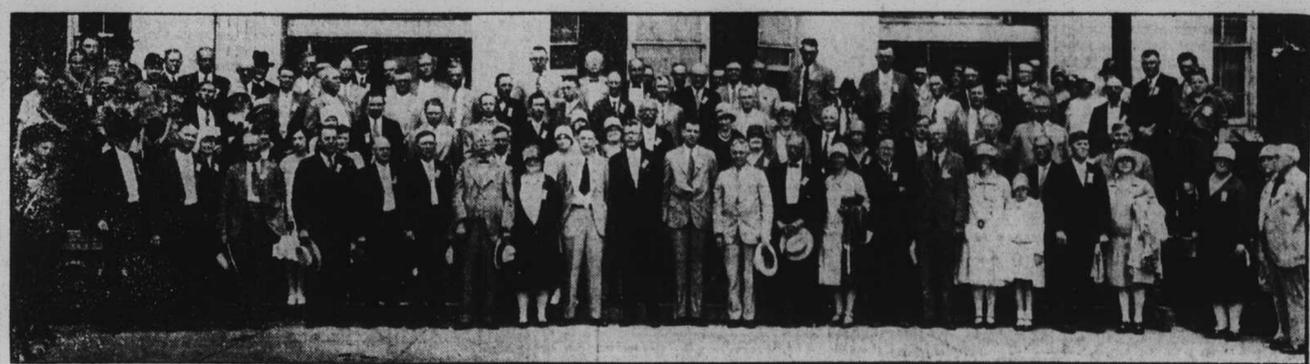
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Mr. Ambrose McWhorter, one of the proprietors, who was recently operated upon for appendicitis, is recovering nicely and will be back on the job within the week.

William Webb arrived Saturday from a ten days visit to friends in Darlington, S. C.

N. C. POSTMASTERS SHOWN IN SHELBY



LOOKING PRETTY—The photo above shows the 150 North Carolina postmasters and postmistresses who recently gathered in Shelby for their state convention. The photo was taken in front of the Central High school building where the sessions were held.

"Miracle Man" Role Hard For Hoover To Fill

Baseball Fever Hits Shelby Along With Hot July Weather

Bankers Challenge Hard-Hitting Lawyers. Other Games. Rotary And Kiwanis To Play.

Barn Of McBrayer Burns Along With Mules, Horse, Cows

Prof. Taylor Will Move From Lattimore

Large Cockle Burs Omen Of Something?

New Highway Patrol Will Parade Here On Tuesday

Men's Bible Class Calls Challenge, Raises \$1,400

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"Hello Girls" Enjoy Picnic Friday Night

Bill Gets Letter.

William Grigg, of Shelby, former high school star here, earned his freshman numeral at State college last year as a member of the fresh football eleven, according to a dispatch from Raleigh. Seventy-four freshmen won letters in four sports.

People Discover He Has His Weaknesses The Same As Other Folks.

Washington.—Elected as the "Miracle Man," President Hoover is now facing the period of disillusionment, or as some of the political observers describe it, the end of his honeymoon. The populace is discovering his human weaknesses and the realization that after all he is human with the frailties of a human being is painful.

The president is mitigating the effects of a fall from his pedestal as gradually building up a coterie of newspaper eulogizers, who will continue to picture him as something of a superman. This worked so well during the late campaign that he was bound to try it again after he became president.

The twice a week press conferences started out with much tooting of horns, and they developed real news. Then came the congress with its resulting disillusionment, and the press conferences have become pro forma affairs, for the most part, while impressions of many sorts filter out from the White House through chosen mediums.

Up Against Realities. Recently there leaked out the news that the house tariff bill was so bad that if the senate didn't improve it the president might veto it. There was nothing to indicate that the president had ever said such a thing to any human being, and there was no presidential responsibility connected with it in the remotest degree. The president was under no obligation one way or the other.

However successful such methods of publicity have succeeded in the past, the president cannot rely upon them now. He is up against great realities now.

The first test will come when the tariff bill gets to the president, if it ever does, for there is now no reason for supposing that the senate will improve the house bill. The Democratic-progressive Republican coalition may prevent the passage of any sort of tariff bill, but Old Guard senators like Smoot will try to work out a combination that will put through a worse tariff bill than the house passed.

They will do it through the expedient of taking sugar as the key to the arch. Certain senators want the tariff on sugar increased. Starting with this as the beginning, they will take up the schedules one by one and write such duties as interested senators demand upon the condition that they support the completed bill. This will be continued until enough votes are secured to put the bill through the senate.

Brought Disaster. This method of writing a tariff bill was used by Senator Aldrich with disastrous results to the Republican party in 1909. He took wool as the key to the arch. Around it was written a tariff bill that President Taft threatened to veto, but that he finally signed.

President Hoover will have to deal with this situation with courage. It will be the test of his leadership. He will also be tested on farm relief. He has the farm board for which he asked. If prices advanced and farm conditions improve, he will get the credit. If farm prices decline and farm conditions grow worse, he must take the blame. It is a fearful responsibility for one man to carry, but it is one that the president has assumed.

Then, there is the tremendously big problem of law enforcement. Essentially it is a question of whether or not in a machine civilization an adequate system of law enforcement can be secured. Here, again, he will be tested, as he has never been tested before. If he makes good, great will be his success; if he fails, great will be the fall.

Friends Sought Money To Buy Bishop Home, He Played Market

Must Advertise Marriage After This Week Here

New State Marriage Law Goes Into Effect Week From Today. 5-Day Notice.

Young swains of Cleveland county whose hearts have been going pit-pat this spring and the dainty damsels they plan to marry should get the ceremony over this week unless they want everybody to know about it in advance.

Which is to say that the new North Carolina marriage law goes into effect today week, July 1, and the law should help the month of June record a few more brides.

The law which goes into effect Monday states that all couples in Cleveland county, or any other county of the state, under 21 years of age, who desire to purchase marriage license must file their application for license with Register Andy F. Newton five days prior to the time the license is issued. That is, couples under 21 years of age must do so unless they are accompanied by their parents.

So, couples who want to be married and have their marriage come as a surprise rather than let the world know about it five days in advance should secure their license this week—or motor over to South Carolina, as most of 'em are doing anyway.

To Cincinnati Game.

Messrs. Charlie Woolson, Milton Loy and Hazelwood Creekmore left Shelby Saturday evening by auto for Cincinnati, Ohio, where they witnessed the St. Louis-Cincinnati game Sunday. They will return Wednesday.

Alta Girl!

New York.—The Lone Eagle apparently will do his stuff with full encouragement from his mate. "Are you ever afraid when the Colonel is flying?" Mrs. Lindbergh was asked. And she answered quickly: "Certainly not."

John D. On Jury.

New York.—With the thermometer in the nineties, John D. Rockefeller has been exercising one of the rights and duties of good citizenship. He sat on a jury that heard a commercial case.

Roland Hill and Fred Webb spent Mon. at Hogback Mountain golfing

Two members of the Men's Bible class of the Central Methodist church issued a sort of challenge yesterday when they proposed to duplicate any amount the entire class would subscribe to help lift church debt. The members of the class accepted the challenge and subscribed \$700 in short order. The two men whose names were withheld because they asked that they not be made publicly, gave another \$700, making a total of \$1,400 raised

Election On Schools Set July 30

Shelby District To Vote On \$8,000 Bond Issue. Huffman Is Registrar.

Special Charter School District No. 33, or the Shelby school district, will vote upon a \$58,000 bond issue, to cover a deficit in the school treasury, on Tuesday, July 30, according to an election call issued by Mayor McMurry today upon the request of the city school board.

The bond issue, it will be recalled, was decided upon some months back as the only method to keep the city schools open for the full year last season. At that time petitions were carried about and a majority of the taxpayers in the district signed saying that they would support the issue.

What For. The election call, published in The Star today, states that the bond issue is to pay off a school deficit developing from school operation and the erection and repair of school buildings in the district, none of the issue to be used for upkeep of the schools for the coming year. The bond issue, it is said, will not raise the school tax above 10 cents on the \$100 valuation.

The \$58,000 debt, it is said, is divided as follows: \$25,068.55 used in repairing and erecting school buildings during several school years just passed, \$14,317.91 for obligations incurred in operating the schools, and \$20,130.36 for other school obligations.

New Registration. The voting booth will be in the court house and the notice states that there must be an entirely new registration of voters. L. Z. Huffman is named as registrar and J. F. Ledford and B. E. Williams are named judges. The registration books will open on Friday, July 27, and will close on Saturday, July 28. Challenge day will be Saturday, July 27.

The notice also reads that a majority of the qualified voters must vote for the bond issue for it to carry.

The date for the election was determined at a meeting of the new school board held Friday afternoon.

To Audit School Books Here Soon

Announcement has been made by Mr. H. Clay Cox, secretary of the Shelby city school board, that an audit of the school books will be made at an early date with the auditors probably starting to work about July 1.

George E. Dombhart and company, Charlotte accountants, have been employed to make the audit.

Seventeen To One Is Potato Yield

L. A. Rogers who lives on the Reuben McSwain plantation in the Mount Sinai section had a potato patch this year where the potatoes are not satisfied with growing in the ground, but grew all over the stalk and above the ground. The stalks were short and stumpy and at practically every joint was a small Irish potato ranging in size from a marble to a hen egg. Of course there were green on the outside and bora sprouts, but the crop beneath the ground was none the less small. He planted a bushel of cobbles and gathered a harvest of seventeen bushels. Mr. Rogers thinks if he had bedded the stalks, the potatoes above the ground would have grown to maturity.

"Hello Girls" Enjoy Picnic Friday Night

The "hello girls" and other operatives of the Southern Bell telephone system in Shelby, Forest City, Rutherfordton, and Carolee enjoyed their big annual picnic Friday evening at Pineview lake north of Shelby with about 60 present along with a number of friends. The program of amusement included a picnic supper, swimming and boat riding.

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