

THE MARKET. Cotton, per lb. 15 1/2c Cotton Seed, per bu. 37 1/2c

Cloudy Saturday. Today's North Carolina Weather Report: Fair tonight, Saturday increasing cloudiness and not much change in temperature.

Chase To Illinois. Dr. Harry Woodburn Chase, president of the University of North Carolina for 10 years and one of the outstanding educators of the South, has resigned to accept the presidency of the University of Illinois.

Election Head For County To Be Picked Soon Must Name Successor To B. E. Weathers

Appointment of Board Head Expected About March 1. Others May Remain.

The Cleveland county board of elections is without a chairman since the removal of Attorney Byrum E. Weathers to Asheville, where he will practice law, but it is understood that a new board chairman will likely be named by the state board of elections early in March.

The state board, according to Judge B. T. Falls, chairman of the county Democratic committee, will meet in March and at that time appoint chairman and board members where vacancies exist. Following the meeting of the state board and the appointment of a new chairman for this county a meeting of the county election board will likely be held in April for the purpose of appointing new registrars and judges for the entire county as is required by the new Australian ballot law.

Recommend Chairman. It is probable that the new election board head for this county will be indirectly named by the Democratic executive committee of the county. According to the election law the executive committee is required to recommend several suitable citizens for the chairmanship, and it is understood that these recommendations have already been sent to Raleigh to await the meeting in March of the state election board.

Others than the appointment of a new chairman to succeed the recent chairman who no longer lives in the county no other changes on the county board are anticipated by political leaders of both parties here. The two other members of the present board are Squire Zemri Kistler, Democrat, and Attorney Byron Williams, Republican.

Mrs. Davis Dies At New House

"Aunt Mindy" Buried Thursday At Mount Olive Church At Age Of 78 Years.

Mrs. David G. Davis, better known as "Aunt Mindy," died at her home in the New House section Wednesday, Feb. 19, at 3:30 o'clock.

She had been in declining health for the past year but for the two weeks she was worse than usual. She suffered pains untold with that dreaded disease, cancer, but she bore her pain with patience.

When a young girl she professed faith in Christ and joined the Big Springs Baptist church and later moved her membership to Mt. Olive Baptist church, where she remained a member of the church.

She was 78 years of age and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Steve and Ivey Price of Hollis. She is survived by the following children, Messrs. Will Z. Davis of New House where she was at the time of her death, John Ed Davis of the Double Springs community, Fletcher Davis of Charlotte and Mrs. L. T. Gardner of Shelby. Three children preceded her to the grave, twins dying in infancy and Julius Davis died some few years ago. The following brothers and sisters also survive, Mrs. Zulla Walker of Lattimore, Mrs. John A. McKinney of Ellenboro, Mrs. Jeff Gettys of Hollis and Mr. Guinie Price of Ellenboro and a number of grandchildren and great grandchildren survive.

Funeral services were held at Mt. Olive Thursday at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. D. J. Hunt, her pastor, assisted by others conducted the services.

DETAILS OF COUNTY-WIDE BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT WILL BE FOUND ON PAGE TWELVE.

Miss Lutz Will Enter Race For Treasurer's Job

Bonnet Tossed Into Political Ring

Second Woman To Enter Democratic Primary In County Opposes First Woman Office-Holder.

Miss Georgie Lutz, the second woman ever to seek office on the Democratic ticket in Cleveland county, today tossed her bonnet into the political arena by announcing that she would be a candidate in the June primary for the office of county treasurer now occupied by Mrs. Mary E. Yarborough, Cleveland county's first feminine office-holder.

Contrary to the opinion about women held by some men, Miss Lutz has very little to say in announcing and is of the idea that "one can talk too much."

"I haven't much to say," she stated, "other than that I will be in the race for treasurer and am seeking the Democratic nomination in the June primary."

Well Known Family. Miss Lutz is a member of one of Cleveland's best known families, being a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John W. Lutz. For some years she operated a millinery store in Shelby and Fallston and came to be well known as a business woman. Later she moved to the farm in the Grover section, and she is now living at Fallston.

"I suppose I have always been a Democrat," she said, "in the same sense that all women view their party connection. Of course we have not been voting so long but most of us even before equal voting privileges came in classed our political inclinations with those of our men folks."

This is the first announcement for county treasurer in the June primary and political events in the county had been quiet for several weeks until today's announcement.

County People Love Children And Star's "Ads" Bring Results

Homes Already Found For Three Homeless Tots. Applicants Still Seek Them.

Cleveland county people are fond of children and Star advertising brings quick results. That's the opinion of J. B. Smith, county welfare officer.

Monday Mr. Smith had three young children—two boys, aged 13 and four years, and a girl of six—who need a home. Their father was gone and their mother unable to keep them up. A notice of the homeless tots was published in The Star and by Thursday morning each of the three had a home with applicants still coming in to ask for them.

Camp-ell Warehouse Is Being Erected

The Campbell department, store is being erected on the Southern railway siding near the new freight depot, a large warehouse for the storage of hay, grain, cement, and other heavy car load shipments. The Campbell store had a warehouse at the old freight station before it was torn away to make space for the new fireproof depot, so a separate building is being erected to house the heavy merchandise that arrives in car load lots.

Man Who Placed A Stone Against Tree Every Time He Prayed Is Dead At His Home In Rutherford

Gaither Kennedy Buried Yesterday At Ferry. Was Leading Citizen Of Section.

Mr. Gaither Kennedy, well known Rutherford county citizen who built a rock monument to show his belief in prayer, died Wednesday at his home in the Ferry section of Rutherford three miles below Henrietta.

Funeral services were held yesterday at Floyd's Creek Baptist church.

An interesting sidelight in Mr. Kennedy's life was revealed by ministers on the day of his funeral. Mr. Kennedy was a strong believer in prayer and the carrying of his troubles to his Maker by prayer. When troubles and afflictions came

Canada's First Woman Senator

Mrs. Cairine Mackay Wilson, wife of Norman F. Wilson, of Ottawa, becomes Canada's first woman Senator following the ruling of the Privy Council last Fall that women are "eligible persons." Mrs. Wilson, who is the mother of eight children, is a daughter of the late Senator Robert Mackay, of Montreal.



Citizens Of Rutherford Pleased By Opening New Banks; Deposits Gaining Daily; Outlook Brighter

This Hunter Had A Very Good Season

Cullen Morrison, Of Lawndale, Bagged Much Game During Hunting Season.

The bird and rabbit hunting season in this section closed last Saturday and after checking up the game he bagged during the hunting period Cullen Morrison, of Lawndale, is all set to check records with anyone. During the season Mr. Morrison killed 84 rabbits, 89 birds, 33 squirrels, four opossums, and four hawks. His record is vouched for by Todd Caldwell, deputy game warden of the upper Cleveland section.

Garden Specialist To Talk To Meeting Here

Miss Leah Parker, garden specialist of the Chilean Nitrate company, will meet with Mrs. Wallace, home demonstration agent, and her garden leaders in the grand jury room of the court house, Feb. 26, at two o'clock. Miss Parker will give some helpful information on gardening, and will work out a plan with the leaders and Mrs. Wallace to improve the gardens in the county, and to see that every family in Cleveland county has a garden large enough to supply its needs.

Ellenboro Woman Is Buried On Thursday

Mrs. David Hamrick, Daughter Of Moses Wood And Sister Of Pink Wood.

Mrs. David Hamrick, 44, died at her home two miles from Ellenboro Wednesday morning from an illness of two weeks. She joined the Boiling Springs Baptist church when twelve years of age. She was a former resident of Cleveland county.

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Spangler Continues Ill; No Improvement

Summie Spangler, well known young Shelby man who is suffering with blood poison at the Shelby hospital, continues very ill, with no change for the better. In fact he was much worse yesterday afternoon but a blood transfusion was resorted to at 9 o'clock last night. Malcomb Spangler, a nephew giving his blood, and he rallied somewhat, but the rally was only temporary. His infected arm was opened for the third time on Wednesday afternoon and his condition continues very critical.

County Club To Hold Meet Here Tuesday Night

Live-At-Home Idea Will Be Discussed

County Agent And Agricultural Teachers Will Address Meeting Of County Leaders.

The regular meeting of the Cleveland County club will be held Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Wayside restaurant in Shelby, according to announcements being sent out by J. L. Herndon, secretary of the county-wide boosters organization.

This is the second regular meeting of the club which is made up of representative citizens from every section of Cleveland county.

Agricultural Program. The Tuesday evening program has been arranged by Messrs. A. M. Hamrick, J. B. Smith and P. C. Gardner and they announce that the meeting will be devoted to a discussion of Governor Gardner's live-at-home campaign. Talks will be made by R. W. Shoffner, county farm agent, upon Cleveland's opportunities to feed itself; and by Prof. Cooley, agricultural teacher at the Lattimore high school; and Prof. Dillingham, agricultural teacher at the No. 8 consolidated high school.

Every member of the club from the rural sections are particularly urged to attend.

Much Cow Stealing Going On In County

Grover Cow Stolen Wednesday Night. One Boy Charged With Getting Three.

A regular epidemic of cow stealing is on over Cleveland county, according to Sheriff Irvin Allen and his officers.

Wednesday night at Grover thieves entered the barn of Mr. Dave Bookout and stole one of his cows. Tracks around the Bookout barn indicated that the cow had been led away something like a half mile where she was loaded on a truck and driven off. Officers have no additional clues on the theft.

Stream Of Depositors. Thursday's Forest City Courier Says The Following Of The New Banks Opened There:

"Branches of the Union Trust Co. were opened Monday morning at Forest City and Rutherfordton. "Great crowds thronged the banks, both here and at Rutherfordton, all during banking hours Monday, giving welcome and encouragement to the officials of the Union Trust company. Deposits for both places were approximately \$65,000 on Monday, and an almost steady stream of depositors have followed since the opening. The coming of the banks has inspired confidence and has been a great factor in stabilizing financial conditions."

Trusty Placed Back In Cell Day Before His Sentence Ended

Sheriff Catches Up With Him Carrying Paregoric To Doper In County Jail.

Irvin McSwain, young white trusty at the Cleveland county jail, today, counting in time off for good behavior, would have completed a 30-day sentence imposed on check charge and would have been freed tonight.

Get the "would have" for McSwain instead of being given his freedom this evening is back in a cell at the jail and may be there for some time yet.

Yesterday and this morning Sheriff Irvin Allen did a bit of sleuthing and found out that McSwain had been coming up town, presumably to the post office for the jail mail, and purchasing paregoric which he carried to G. Godfrey, a prisoner at the jail who, said to be a doper. McSwain admitted carrying the paregoric to Godfrey, it is said, when Sheriff Allen confronted him with the information he had picked up.

Free Bulletins.

Farmers can secure free bulletin on kind of fertilizer to use in this section by calling at the Star office.

Bloodhound Is Purchased Here

Criminals operating or planning to operate in Cleveland county should be very careful about the tracks they leave behind them.

Cleveland county now has a bloodhound.

Sheriff Irvin Allen, Deputy Bob Kendrick, and Clyde Poston, chain gang superintendent, returned yesterday from Asheville with "Lady Anne," five-year-old bloodhound used some weeks back in catching the negro who attempted to rob Mrs. Kate Bettis White, Earl postmistress. The bloodhound, which will be used for the purpose of trailing thieves and other criminals, is the property of Deputy Kendrick, Deputy Ed Dixon, and Clyde Poston. The dog was purchased from J. C. Roberts of Asheville and is said to have cost a couple hundred dollars.

Resignation Of Davis Accepted By B. S. College

Trustees Of Baptist Junior College Considering Several Likely For President.

At a meeting of the board of trustees of Boiling Springs Baptist junior college held at the college yesterday the resignation of Dr. J. B. Davis as president of the college was accepted.

The trustees as yet are not prepared to make any announcement concerning a successor to Dr. Davis other than saying that several very capable educators are being considered for the post.

Postmaster J. H. Quinn, chairman of the board, and Dr. Zeno Wall, member of the board, attended the meeting of the trustees.

Big Dairy Meeting Here On Wednesday

Dairy Experts Will Talk To Farmers Of Cleveland. All Farmers Are Invited.

An important dairy meeting, to which all Cleveland county farmers are invited, will be held at the court house here on Wednesday, February 26, beginning at 10 o'clock. It is announced by R. W. Shoffner, county farm agent.

Speakers at the meeting will include Mr. F. R. Farnham, extension dairyman, and Dr. H. H. Kerr, chief of the dairy division of the department of agriculture at Raleigh. These men will discuss economical grain mixtures for North Carolina, how to reduce the cost of a dairy cow's ration, raising dairy calves, contagious abortion and its control, and prevention of common dairy cattle diseases.

Time will be given for ample discussion, Agent Shoffner states, and farmers of the county will be given an opportunity to ask these men about any local dairy problem which they may wish discussed.

Two Percent Penalty On Taxes In March

All citizens who have not paid their county taxes by the first of March will be required by law to pay a two percent penalty instead of the one percent penalty which is in force during February, Sheriff Allen announces.

Hines Campaign Manager For Simmons; Name Campaign Head For This District Soon, Is Said

Simmons Ninth District Manager May Come From Cleveland. Who Would It Be?

Washington.—Charles A. Hines of Greensboro will act as state manager and Col. John D. Langston of Goldsboro, will be chairman of the state advisory committee in Senator Simmons' campaign for re-nomination to the United States senate, it was announced at the senator's office here Wednesday.

Neil McK. Salmon was selected by Senator Simmons as assistant manager in charge at the Greensboro-Simmons' headquarters and T. B. Ward was named assistant manager in charge of the Raleigh office.

Plan Rebuilding Of Hotel At Cleveland Springs In Summer

Z. J. Thompson Considers Erection Of Beautiful Spanish Structure At Old Hotel Site. If Built, Will Be Leased To Hotel Operators. Section Pleased.

Cleveland Springs Hotel which was burned early last fall may be re-built this summer. At least plans are under way and citizens are "pepped up" over the prospects.

46 Kiwanians Go To Rutherford Meeting

Union Bank Officials Commended For Help To Rutherford. Rogers Speaks.

Forty-six members of the Shelby Kiwanis club met with the Rutherford club at the Isothermal hotel at Rutherford last night to which representatives of the Tryon club were invited. The Shelby attendance was more than the other two clubs combined. Rev. Jerry Clark of Tryon was the principal speaker and he talked on the value of inspiration in one's life, while Lieutenant Governor C. R. Rogers of Tryon spoke on the objectives of Kiwanis in the Carolinas district and commended the Shelby club for its efforts to promote Governor Gardner's live-at-home program.

C. C. Blanton, George Blanton and Forrest Eskridge, Kiwanians and officials of the Union Trust Co. which has opened two banks in Rutherford and plan to open the third at Caroleen about March 1, were recognized by President Clyde Erwin of the Rutherford club and commended for coming to the help of Rutherford county in its hour of financial trouble, following the failure of six banks. Several delightful musical selections were rendered and the evening was a most enjoyable one.

Deputy Sheriff John Hord, of Waco, this morning placed four young negro men in jail here on the charge of visiting the home of Manuel Patterson, another negro of the Waco section, apparently with the intent of "getting" Patterson. Three other negroes are being sought on the same charge.

Negroes Jailed Here On Shooting Charges

Charged With Visiting Home Of Waco Negro And Shooting At Him. Made Two Calls.

Last Sunday, Deputy Hord was informed, there was some trouble between Patterson and the seven young negroes. At that time they told Patterson "we will see you later," and on Wednesday night they visited his home, but Patterson happened to be away. Thursday night they returned with one or more shot guns in their possession and some shells they had just purchased at Waco. Patterson was not at the house, it is said, when they arrived, but several of them, the officer says, entered his house and made a search for him. While they were on the inside Patterson came up, and he charges that a shot gun was fired three times by those waiting on the outside, and although not hit it is his belief that the shots were fire at him.

The negroes jailed today, ranging in age from 18 to 22, were Will Saddler, Thamer Patterson, Tal Cline and Ivey Miller.

Want 400 At Hoey's Bible Class Sunday

Sunday Is Final Day Of Contest Between Hoey Class And Charlotte Methodist Class.

Sunday is the last day of the attendance contest between the Hoey Bible class of Central Methodist church here and the Ivey class of the First Methodist church of Charlotte and officials of the Hoey class hope to have the largest attendance of the entire contest.

The Shelby class has led in attendance every Sunday of the two months contest so far, but has been eclipsed several times in collections. The largest crowd to attend the class on any one Sunday since the contest started was 348. This Sunday class workers hope to go above this number and are setting their goal for 400. In working for this record attendance every man in Shelby who does not attend Sunday school at some other class is urged to attend.

Training School To Open Here Sunday

The Cleveland County Standard Training school for church and Sunday school workers will open Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Central Methodist church here. During next week evening sessions will be held each evening at 7:30 o'clock through Friday evening. This is the seventh year of the school which each year is attended by scores of church and Sunday school workers from all sections of the county.

George Washburn To Open Coal Business

Mr. George D. Washburn announces, in an advertisement in The Star today, that he is embarking in the coal business. The company will be known as the Washburn Coal Company with headquarters near the Seaboard Depot. Mr. Washburn will sell coal named for the settler gentleman of Detroit, Mr. Ford, the product being so named it is said because it is used in the Ford plants.