

### Lattimore Winner Of Country Title In Tourney Here

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make a single free shot. Titles are not won with two points in a half, but the Shelby lads, dazzled by the rapid, impregnable defense offered by the Hood quint missed four or five shots from the foul line. Had these been caged, however, the outcome would have been the same for it was in the second half that Weathers, the Lattimore captain, a fleet, accurate-shooting youngster who will rate with the best basketballers the county ever produced, staged his field day. While his teammates kept the Shelby quint in the middle of the floor, Weathers flitted here and there about the court until he got his hands upon the ball—and then it was just too bad for Shelby. Six times in that final half Weathers flipped the ball at the basket from all angles on the court and just four times the ball swished through the net. In that half Weathers scored eight points to two by the entire Shelby team, and in the entire game Weathers chalked up 15 points or one more than the best the whole Shelby quint could muster.

The play of Weathers was masterfully supported on the defense by the entire Lattimore team, Callahan looking particularly good on the floor. But it was a guard, Gold, who brought back memories of "Tubby" Harrill, Lattimore's old guard of other days. When Shelby shot Gold took the rebound and bounded up the floor. If he couldn't locate his captain, he shot himself, and during the evening he registered six points.

**Farris Stars.**  
Although his team went down in defeat Captain Farris of the Shelby team ranked next to Weathers as star performer. The hard-playing Shelby guard registered seven points to take second scoring honors and his floor work was one of the few things which Shelby exhibited that was on a par with the work of the winning team. Rippy also had his eye on the basket to score six points and tie for third scoring honors with Gold, of Lattimore.

Lattimore, playing superb basketball in the final half, demonstrated their superiority beyond doubt, but the first half, with first one quint ahead and then the other gave the fans all the run they needed for their money even if they had not witnessed the extra-treat dished out by Weathers performance in the last half.

As it is Cleveland county sports fans are beginning to wonder if there is a high school anywhere in the state which can year after year produce better basketballers than the Lattimore school.

The box score:

Lattimore	G	F	T
Brooks, f	2	0	4
Callahan, f	1	1	3
Weathers, c	6	3	15
Morehead, g	0	1	2
Martin, g	0	0	0
Gold, g	1	4	8
Total	10	9	29

Shelby	G	F	T
Brown, f	0	1	1
Rippy, f	3	0	6
Poston, f	0	0	0
McSwain, f	0	0	0
Eskridge, c	0	0	0
Hamrick, c	0	0	0
Farris, g	3	1	7
Hulick, g	0	0	0
Corbitt, g	0	0	0
Total	6	2	14

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### Men Wanted For Free Military Camp

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the nation's work and perpetuate its institutions; who can hold their heads high and take an honored place in the community; who can spread the gospel of a healthy, democratic Americanism by their every day life and dwell in harmony with their fellow-men.

**Classification.**  
There are four courses of instruction given at the Citizens' Military Training camps. Each course covers thirty days. The first of the series is the Basic Course. After it, in succession, come the Red, White and Blue courses, which give more advanced instruction in the various branches.

To attend any camp, the candidate must be a male citizen of the United States, physically qualified and of good moral character. He must have passed his seventeenth birthday and have at least average intelligence. A certificate of good character from reputable citizens in his community is required of every young man who is accepted.

Mr. Weathers will furnish all necessary information.

Mr. C. F. Newman spent the week-end here with his wife and baby who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Newman's mother Mrs. J. L. Grice. Mr. and Mrs. Newman and baby returned today to their home at Henderson.

### Penny Column

THE SHARON CORN MILL IS now in operation. 31 1/2

### Shelby Men Call College Meetings

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tion on Thursday of Dr. Harry Woodburn Chase, president of the University of North Carolina, resigned to accept the presidency of the University of Illinois.

"Although he has been in the state less than three years, Dr. Gaines, like Dr. Chase, was held in high esteem in the educational world and is generally regarded as having measured up to the difficult task of maintaining the Baptist college at the high standard set during the administration of its former president, Dr. William Louis Poteat.

"Definite steps toward the election of a successor to Dr. Chase were taken when Governor O. Max Gardner issued a call for the full board of trustees to meet in his office on March 4 to receive and act upon the resignation. A similar task will devolve upon the Governor's uncle, United States Judge Edwin Yates Webb, president of the Wake Forest board of trustees. Judge Webb was utterly dumfounded when informed over the telephone of Dr. Gaines' impending resignation.

**"Very Great Loss."**  
"This is a very great loss and I had had no intimation of it, whatever; Dr. Gaines was a great find and we shall have a hard job to do as well again, but we shall take immediate steps to begin the search for a new man," he stated.  
"Dr. Gaines said that he would transmit his resignation to Judge Webb today. He expects to take over his new post by next September."

**To Finish Campaign.**  
"We have received a splendid response to our campaign to raise \$250,000 this year for the erection of two new buildings at Wake Forest," said Dr. Gaines. "I shall redouble my efforts in this campaign and I am confident that all of the money will be raised before I leave."

**Gaines Is 36.**  
Dr. Gaines, who is 36 years old, was born in Due West, S. C., and his family moved to Wytheville, Va. when he was but one year old. He was reared there.

He attended Richmond college, receiving the degree of Bachelor of Arts. He secured a master's degree from the University of Chicago in 1917 and a doctor of philosophy degree from Columbia University in 1924. Duke University in 1928 conferred upon him the degree of doctor of literature.

After his graduation from Richmond college, a Baptist institution, he taught for nine years at Mississippi State college in the English department, and went to the faculty of Furman university, Greenville, S. C., in 1923.

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Dr. Gaines is author of a book, "The Southern Plantation," and has contributed to various publications, including the Dictionary of American Biography.

### Leading Cherryville Man Buried Sunday

#### Outstanding Citizen And Pioneer Of Cherryville Succumbs To Long Illness.

Cherryville.—Melville L. Rudisill, the most prominent and respected citizen of Cherryville died at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon, in his 82 year, having been born July 2, 1848. He had been in failing health for some time but his death was a shock to the community.

He was one of the pioneer business men of this section having been in the mercantile and cotton mill business here since 1869. He had large interests in the Melville Manufacturing company, organized by himself and associates about 20 years ago, but sold it to the late Edgar Love some years ago. He was one of the most liberal donors of Lenoir-Rhyne college at Hickory and has done more than perhaps any man in this part of the state in aiding in the organization of churches of other denominations as well as the Lutheran church, of which he was a lifelong, consistent member. For more than 40 years he was superintendent of the Lutheran Sunday school in his home church here. The people honored him a number of terms as mayor of Cherryville and as town commissioner and other places of trust.

Mr. Rudisill was married to Barbara Catherine Mauney, sister of W. Andrew Mauney and J. S. Mauney of Kings Mountain, and S. S. Mauney of Cherryville, on October 20, 1870. They had eight children all of whom survive him, as follows: Mrs. Willie A. Farris, Mrs. John H. Rudisill, Mrs. W. H. Houser, Mrs. Julia Hall of Cherryville; D. A. Rudisill of Lugoff, S. C., and J. A. Rudisill of Charlotte.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a. m. Sunday and were in charge of the pastor, Rev. W. G. Cobb.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Carroll, Miss Egberta North and Mr. Tom Cobb were Asheville visitors Sunday.

Sheriff Irvin Allen and Mr. John Weathers left yesterday on a business trip to Bladen county.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Weathers came up from Goldsboro to be at the bedside of her brother, Mr. Summie Spangler who has been critically ill at the Shelby hospital.

In Brooklyn, a vague person telephoned police headquarters, "There is something going on here," he said. Six plainclothes detectives and four patrolmen went to investigate. Presently the vague person again telephoned police headquarters, "he said, 'there are a lot of men in the yard and they've got flashlights. They're policemen, he was told. 'They're not,' he retorted. 'I can't see any uniforms.' 'Something goes on.'"

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F. R. Stimson of the Smithtown community in Yadkin county will grow 15 acres of tobacco according to extension recommendations this season.

### To Sponsor Picture For Needy Of City

#### "Marriage Playground" At Carolina Wednesday And Thursday To Be For Benefit Charly.

To help care for the poor of the city, the Ispenning club of young Shelby ladies, will sponsor a picture entitled "Marriage Playground" which runs for two days, Wednesday and Thursday, of this week at the Carolina Theatre. This club has been very generous to the charity fund, having given \$50 last year for the relief of those in need. The situation is said to be much more deserving now so the club will sponsor this delightful and enjoyable sound picture in order to raise more funds for the relief of many poor people.

The management of the Carolina has kindly consented to give a liberal portion of the receipts from this show to this fund and tickets will be on sale this week.

### Woman Buried With Col. Ferguson, Said

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of Ferguson's grave, which was in some dispute because of the confusion of the place he was killed with the spot of his burial. Within a year my grandfather became acquainted with an old man, Harmon, whose Christian name I forget, who was then 80 years of age who said that as a boy of 15 living in the vicinity of the battle ground he had gone there immediately after the battle and could point out the spot of Ferguson's burial with some accuracy, although it had been unmarked and neglected and overgrown during the 65 years and was, of course, only one of the graves of the more than 200 British and Tories killed and buried there.

"To remove the uncertainty as well as to throw light on some other traditions, my grandfather in the year 1845 took this old man Harmon and some laborers and opened the grave, or, rather, made an excavation at the point designated by Harmon. He found two skeletons, or parts of two skeletons, in what was ordinary space for one grave. One of these skeletons, his doctor's training told him, was that of a woman. This was something of a confirmation of the tradition that one of Colonel Ferguson's two mistresses, "Virginia Sal," was killed in the battle (which enveloped Ferguson's camp on all sides) and was buried in the grave with him. As I recall, there is some mention of this "Virginia Sal" in Draper's history.

"There was another tradition about Ferguson's silver whistle, which he wore on a cord about his neck, and used to rally his soldiers in battle. My grandfather said he searched the earth carefully for that silver whistle, but that it was not buried with the colonel—if this was his grave. He did find a rusted

Mrs. Tom Eskridge, who has been ill for sometime at the Shelby hospital, has so improved that she was able Sunday to be removed to her home, her many friends will be glad to hear.

pocket knife which he took, and which has been for years at the museum at Duke university. The skeletons, of course, he covered and left as he found them. This is the grave which was recognized as the grave of Ferguson at the Kings Mountain Centennial celebration, October 7, 1880. I attended that with my grandfather and the rest of the family for the three days it lasted. Ferguson's grave was in the ravine below the grandstand and between it and the main road.

"A little more "Kings Mountain" history: The officials putting through the Atlanta and Charlotte Air-Line railway and laying out the plat for a new village stopped a number of times at my Grandfather Tracy's house, which was but a stone's throw from the proposed depot, there being then no other house in sight except that of "Old Uncle Bobby" Falls. These officials asked my grandmother to name the new station. They expected her to call it "Tracy," but patriotism over-

shadowed family pride, and she called it "Kings Mountain"—after the battle, understand, not the mountain. Kings Mountain, the home of my youth, is by my grandmother's choice not a place, therefore, but a victory. That was along in 1870-1-2. The town was chartered February 11, 1874. The commissioners named in the charter are, beside my grandfather, Tracy, W. A. Mauney, F. Dillins, D. C. Beau and W. F. Falls. The charter covers about one letter-size page of typewriting, and the longest section in it provides for an election upon 30 days' notice on the question, "license" or "no license." Almost immediately the citizens voted for "no license," and, led by the late Dr. B. F. Dixon, were the very first in all that section of the state, if I am not mistaken, to register a majority vote against liquor. Some of the incidents in that fight for prohibition are very interesting, but this paper is already too long, perhaps." ROBERT LEE DURHAM.



Here's the fellow who said, "shoes do not wear as long as they used to"

But when he said it, he was thinking about the old time brogan, the uppers made of steer hide, pegged onto soles as stiff as a board—a pair of No. 8's weighing about five pounds—and not about the kind of shoes that folks buy nowadays.

Who would want these old-time shoes anyway? You wouldn't wear a pair of them if somebody gave them to you. People want nice trim, flexible shoes that look the part of modern times—shoes that feel good on the feet.

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