

THE MARKET. Cotton, per lb. 21 1/2. Cotton Seed, per bu. 27c.

Cloudy and Cooler. Today's North Carolina Weather Report: Cloudy tonight and Tuesday. Probably light showers in south and central portions tonight. Somewhat cooler tonight.

Hammer Funeral. Funeral services for Congressman W. C. Hammer, of the seventh N. C. district, were held Sunday at Asheville, his home, and large throngs from all sections of the state attended. Congressman Hammer, long a Democratic leader, died suddenly Friday, just 24 hours after attending the funeral of Congressman Stedman.

Cleveland Man Killed By Auto

Sylvanus P. Goforth, 72, Prominent Cleveland County Farmer, Is Victim.

(By E. R. GAMBLE)

Kings Mountain, Sept. 29.—Sylvanus P. Goforth, 72-year-old farmer, was killed near the city limits of Kings Mountain Saturday afternoon about 3 o'clock when he was struck by an automobile being driven by Wade Short of this place.

It was stated by Short and Frank Roberts, the only other occupant of the car that it was an unavoidable accident, that the aged farmer walked into the car which was being driven at a speed of about 25 or 30 miles per hour.

The injured man was rushed to a hospital in Gastonia, where he died 15 minutes later.

Short was placed in jail at Shelby until an investigation can be made of the accident. Today the preliminary was postponed until Thursday when it will be held at Kings Mountain.

Mr. Goforth was a prominent and highly respected farmer living about a mile from here on the Shelby road. He was born and spent his entire life in Cleveland county.

Surviving besides his wife are six sons, Arthur, Benjamin, Charles, Bunn and Frank Goforth, all of Charlotte, and one daughter, Mrs. Little Candler of near Badin.

Shelby Hardware To Change Stores

Has Leased From Paul Webb Old Nix And Lattimore Stand, Removal Sale.

The Shelby Hardware Co. has secured a lease on the Paul Webb store room, occupied for many years by Nix and Lattimore as a men's store and will move in about a month to this new location. The new location is a two story building and has more floor space to accommodate the stock of hardware.

Tonight the store closes to make preparation for a removal sale to begin Monday, October 6th. The sale will continue for a month and this week, all merchandise will be marked down in preparation for the first big hardware sale ever conducted in Shelby. Jake Thomas, expert sale conductor, is here in charge of the sale.

Officers Get One Alleged Thief And Rum Catch Saturday

Negro Arrested Over McKnight Robbery. Capture 10 Gallons Booze.

Robert Graves, white, was arrested and jailed here Saturday evening by Police Chief McBride Poston and Deputy Bob Kendrick after the officers had found 10 gallons of whiskey and several other empty containers in the Graves house on Cline street.

Another capture Saturday was that of Doug Wray, colored, in connection with the recent robbery of McKnight's wholesale house. Wray, city officers say, had a shirt similar to some stolen at the wholesale house and a quantity of cigarettes. For several days city policemen have been keeping an eye on him, believing that he was connected with the robbery there.

To List All County Veterans This Week

Officials of the local chapter of the American Legion auxiliary announced today that they hoped during the fair this week to secure the names and addresses of every ex-service man in Cleveland county. The auxiliary will have a booth in the administration building at the fair, near the First National bank booth, and all ex-service men attending the fair are requested to register at the booth.

Thousands Expected For Fair Opening Tomorrow

Admit School Children Free On First Day

Shows-Midway Ready Opening Crowd

Every Section of Big Annual Farm Event Ready For Seventh Season.

The week of weeks for the farm people of the Piedmont and western Carolina has arrived, and tomorrow, Tuesday morning the gates of the big Cleveland county fair will swing open for the seventh year.

Late today fair officials were anticipating that the thousands who attend tomorrow may set up a new attendance record for the opening day.

All school children of Cleveland and adjoining counties will be admitted free Tuesday and more than 30,000 will likely be guests of the fair association for the day. Along with the children will come hundreds of parents for the first big day and night of the state's largest county fair.

All Lined Up. Out on highway 20, east of Shelby, not a single detail has been overlooked, and every department of the big exhibit halls and amusement center is set to entertain Tuesday's crowds.

The big Rubin and Cherry shows came in over the week-end along with many outside exhibits and entries for the fair.

The exhibits halls are packed, the school, farm and community booths are dolled up to catch the eye of the judges, the livestock stalls are filled with the best cattle and swine this section boasts, the poultry building is literally running over with the pick of Piedmont Carolina's prize winning chickens, every inch of the midway is bustling with some form of amusement, more than a hundred fast horses are awaiting the starter's signal for the first race Tuesday afternoon, acrobats, clowns and trapeze artists have been assembled from all over the country to give the crowds free fun and free thrills in the dare-devil free acts program, and a big collection of fireworks awaits the match which

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Mrs. Wallace Goes To Father's Burial

Father of Home Demonstration Agent Dies Suddenly At Virginia Home.

Mrs. Irma P. Wallace, home demonstration agent, left late Friday for Baskerville, Virginia, where she was called by the rather unexpected death of her father, Mr. J. C. Phillips.

Mr. Phillips, a highly esteemed citizen of Virginia, was 76 years of age. The news of his death came to Mrs. Wallace while she was busy supervising the preparation of exhibits for the big county fair, and her many friends throughout the country will sympathize with her in her loss. When Mrs. Wallace left to attend the funeral she was practically caught up with her preparations for the fair, and after attending the funeral hopes to get back to Shelby late today or Tuesday.

Officers Here Get Ga. Desperado; U. S. Army Deserter Surrenders

Sheriff Allen Lands Two Men Who Being Sought, One Hungry.

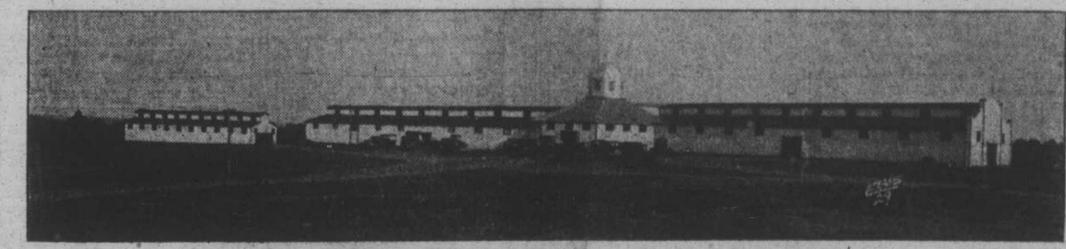
Two men who were being widely sought were jailed in Shelby late last week or over the week-end by Sheriff Irvin Allen and his officers. One was Will Brown, alias 'Pete' Dalton, a Georgia desperado who has figured in numerous lawless escapades there, and the other was Hubert Lambeth, deserter from Fort Bragg, who had with him a stolen army automobile.

Brown was captured Friday night about four miles north of Lattimore by Sheriff Allen and Deputies Ed Dixon, Ben Cooper and Lorin Hoyt. He carried a pistol and attempted to get to his gun as Sheriff Allen sprang upon him and overpowered

Funeral Services For Miss Mary Knight

Kings Mountain, Sept. 30.—Funeral services for Miss Mary Sue Knight, 18-year-old daughter of Mrs. G. H. Hames of this place, who died at her home here Saturday morning at 7 o'clock, were conducted at the Pleasant Grove Methodist church in Forest City Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. J. R. Church, pastor of Central Methodist church here, conducted the services. Burial was in the Pleasant Grove churchyard at Forest City.

Where The Throngs Will Start Gathering Tomorrow



Pictured above is the exhibit hall section of the big Cleveland County Fair grounds where North Carolina's greatest county fair will open its gates for the seventh year Tuesday morning, Sept. 30, for a run of five days and nights through Saturday night. Every inch of exhibit space in the mammoth hall shown above is filled and awaiting the crowds.

Bulwinkle Hits Jonas' Change Of Mind

Not Promising So Much Now

Shows That Hoover Made "Prosperity" An Issue By His Own Words.

Major A. L. Bulwinkle, Democratic candidate for congress, came to Shelby Saturday for his first local speech of the campaign, and to use a street expression, checked a couple of locks into the Republican campaign cry.

Attempting not oratorical flights or impassioned outbursts the former congressman devoted his talk to a calm presentation of facts and figures which were used to trap the Republicans in the mesh of their own words of other years.

"They berate us Democrats," Mr. Bulwinkle declared, "for trying to make 'Hoover prosperity' a campaign issue. They say we are not fair because we are showing up the failure of the Republican administration and are reminding the people that Messrs. Hoover and Jonas have not kept their campaign promise of 1928. Are we not playing fair

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Mrs. Yarbrough Vice Chairman Of Party

Named By Executive Committee Saturday. Campaign Plans Made.

At an enthusiastic meeting of the executive committee of the Cleveland county Democratic party held at the court house here Saturday, Mrs. Mary E. Yarbrough, county treasurer, was named vice-chairman of the party. Mrs. Yarbrough will be in charge of the organization of Democratic women, working under Chairman Anthony and other officials.

At the same meeting the members of the committee, coming from all county precincts, made additional plans for the campaign, outlined speaking dates, etc.

Miss Anthony Is Reported Improved

Reports from the Shelby hospital this morning say that the condition of Miss Margaret Anthony is somewhat improved. Miss Anthony has been quite seriously ill for the past few weeks, having been in a critical condition most of last week. Interest in her recovery is widespread.

They Want A Home



These are the two motherless children, who want a good home in Cleveland county. The girl is age seven, the boy five—brother and sister of good parentage, reared in a refined home, highly intelligent and so well and healthy that they have never required the services of a doctor.

J. B. Smith, county welfare officer, into whose hands they have been placed, says he is seeking a good home for them in Cleveland county. It is preferred that they both stay together, but if such is not possible, they are willing to go into separate homes. Anyone who wishes to adopt them, should communicate with County Welfare officer, Mr. Smith.

Mrs. Daisy Wright Claimed By Death

Mrs. Daisy Wright, Sister of T. H. And W. A. Abernethy In Shelby.

Mrs. Daisy M. Wright, aged 69, died at her home 104 West Trade street in Charlotte at 11:30 o'clock Friday morning, after a lingering illness. Funeral services were held at the mortuary of Douglas and Sing Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. Charles Sherrill and Rev. W. W. Peele, D. D. Mrs. Wright is survived by four sons, J. N., J. M., and C. W. Wright of Charlotte, and S. A. Wright of Sanford, Fla.; two daughters, Mrs. H. M. Sikes, of Winterville, Fla.; four brothers, E. S. Abernethy of Hilderbrand; T. H., and Will A. Abernethy of Shelby, and James Abernethy of Long Creek and two sisters, Mrs. R. S. Jennings, of Banner Elk and Mrs. Josie Cook, of Connelly Springs.

Oil Mill Warehouse Burns Saturday Night

Cotton Somewhat Damaged. Choker Breaks On First Fire Truck.

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The fire broke out about 9:30 and spread rapidly. The choker wire on the carburetor of the first fire truck broke as firemen started to answer the alarm. As the choker broke with the carburetor open the gas line was flooded and it was some time before the truck could be started. The blaze was quickly extinguished, however, when the truck arrived.

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Judge J. L. Webb, County's Most Beloved Man, Very Ill

Little Hope Held For Recovery Of State's Veteran Jurist.

Judge James L. Webb, dean of North Carolina Superior court judges and one of Cleveland county's most beloved citizens, is critically ill at his South Washington street home today and little hope is held for his recovery.

Judge Webb has been in declining health for some time, but seriously ill for just a week or so. Saturday his daughter Mrs. O. Max Gardner, who had just returned to Raleigh, came back with Governor Morganton white man, and in the veteran official who has held public office without Democratic opposition for almost a half century.

Over the week-end hundreds of Cleveland county people awaited eagerly every message from the South Washington street home, hoping that there might be a turn for the better in the condition of the man who has held courts in all North Carolina counties and is known over the state as one of the biggest hearted of men. Instead of rallying, however, his condition appears, it was said today, to be growing worse.

In his long public career Judge Webb has been mayor of Shelby, state senator, postoffice inspector, superior court solicitor for 12 years, and superior court judge for 26 years. He was to have retired from the bench at the end of the year.

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At Shelby high he was the first athlete ever to be named captain of three teams—football, baseball and basketball. Friday at Oak Ridge military school Gold was elected captain of the football eleven by the lettermen and on Saturday lead the big prep school's "Flying Cadets" to a 42 to 0 victory over Hargrave. This is his second year at Oak Ridge.

Driver Of Whiskey Car Has Wife And Children With Him

Morganton Man Fined \$150 After Being Caught By Shelby Officers.

To most people it would have appeared to be just an ordinary family automobile as it wound about Shelby streets Friday night, but Police Chief McBride Poston had other ideas about it, and as a result he nabbed an alleged bootlegger that local officers have been trying to catch for months.

The car was that of J. A. Taylor, Morganton white man, and in the car with him as he rode about Shelby streets were his wife and two children, a white man and a black man. Police Chief Poston picked up certain information that indicated the car might be traveling from one street to another delivering booze. He, Policeman Rufus Sparks and Deputy Bob Kendrick gave chase. As the police car followed the white man with Taylor, R. L. Haynes, threw overboard approximately a gallon and one half of booze. After several minutes the fleeing car was headed off.

In county court Saturday Acting Recorder Maurice Weathers fined Taylor \$150 and the costs, ordered Taylor's Ford sold, and fined Haynes \$25.

"Our theory of it is that Taylor has been delivering liquor here for some time," Chief Poston said. "But we've never been able to get him with the goods, for he is a slick one. He carries his wife and children with them to throw suspicion away from his car. The negro or negroes he carries with him, according to the way we've figured it out, make the deliveries to the houses as Taylor drives. Most of his customers live in the Eastside section and about Freedman. The driving of the car in and about the Freedman section resulted in the tip whereby we managed to catch him."

Charity Organization At Kings Mountain Aids School Children

Associated Charities Doing Good Work There Now. Careful Spending.

(By E. R. Gamble, Star News Bureau.) Kings Mountain, Sept. 27.—About 75 children are in school in Kings Mountain now, who otherwise would not have been, as a result of the work of the Associated charities of Kings Mountain.

This organization was formed here about six years ago but has been inactive until a month ago, when it was seen by the business men of the town that help would have to be given by some one or a number of children of school age would not have the opportunity of attending school this year. Funds were solicited and clothes and books provided for all cases known to the organization.

The lack of funds to send the children to school was due largely to the curtailment in the mills during the past summer, many of the parents having work only three days a week. In many cases books were needed and in others clothes. It is the hope of the organization that every child of school age will be given a chance to attend school this year.

In addition to the aid given children a number of other cases have been helped. A number of applications from people from other nearby towns has been made but the organization was revived primarily for the benefit of the needy people in Kings Mountain. Only in emergency cases has assistance been given to out-of-town people.

Stage Set For Rally Of Veterans Tonight

Gas Price Here Down Two Cents

Cheapest Price In Several Years In Shelby And Vicinity. All Stations Cut.

Gasoline was reduced two cents per gallon here Friday, effective at all filling stations. Some stations are now selling at 20c and some at 20 1/2c, which is the lowest price this motor fuel has been sold in three or four years, according to one large filling station proprietor.

Gasoline price wars have waged in the Charlotte territory on the east and in the Asheville territory on the west, but at no time while these wars were on, was a price decline announced in Shelby. It is understood that the two cent reduction in Shelby and vicinity announced Friday, is not a price war, but a general reduction by all refineries serving this territory.

In Cleveland there are 8,125 licensed motor vehicles, cars and trucks, according to the July 1st registration figures from the motor vehicle bureau at Raleigh. This ranks Cleveland county ninth in the number of motor vehicles, so the decline of two cents per gallon is of great concern to the general public.

Banks To Close On Thursday Afternoon

Both the First National and the Union Trust Co. of Shelby will be closed Thursday afternoon of this week to enable the employees to attend the county fair. It has been the custom for the banks to close at some time during the fair, so Thursday afternoon was set instead of the first fair day which involves considerable bank work, as it falls this year on the last day of the month.

Mr. Tedder's Mother Dies At Laurinburg

Mrs. D. M. Tedde: Buried Saturday There. Was 79 Years Of Age.

Mrs. D. M. Tedder died at Laurinburg Friday morning at 11 o'clock and was buried there Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. She was the mother of Messrs. John F. Tedder of Grover, D. A. Tedder, of Shelby, and Edward S. Tedder of Ellenboro. Surviving daughters are Mesdames Robert L. Correll and James J. Fields of Laurinburg, Joseph H. Harrill, of Charlotte, and Marcus B. Wilkes of Laurel Hill.

Mrs. Tedder was 79 years of age. Before marriage she was Miss Frances Sessoms, daughter of S. B. Sessoms, of Sampson county and Mrs. Bluff, S. C. Besides her immediate family, she is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Alex L. Sessoms and Mrs. J. Frank Jones of Florence, S. C., and William Sessoms, of Savannah, Ga.

Scout Meeting Tonight

The Boy Scout council meeting will be held tonight in the graded school building instead of the court house.

Widow of Wm. Champion Buried On Sunday

Eighty Years of Age. Three Sons and 2 Daughters.

Mrs. Rachel Champion, wife of the late W. B. Champion died at her home near Union church on Saturday evening, being 80 years of age.

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Big Parade Opens Legion Meeting

Ceremonies and Meeting to Be Held At Court House After Colorful Parade.

Everything was in readiness today for the gathering here tonight of what is expected to be the largest assemblage of veterans in Shelby since the world war. Veterans and ladies of the American Legion auxiliary from seven adjoining counties are expected to attend.

The formal program, which centers about the public installation of the new officers of the Warren Hoyle legion post, will be held in the court house and before the World war memorial tablet on the west entrance. Just preceding the program, however, there will be a big parade about the court square, beginning on South Washington street at the Masonic temple.

Marching Music. The parade will march to the music of the widely known Gaston bugle and drum corps. The parade will form on South Washington St. at 7:30 o'clock and will be led by the Gastonia musicians. Following the bugle corps will be the ex-service men of Cleveland and adjoining counties who have been asked to wear their service caps and to secure identification ribbons before starting. Just behind the veterans the Gold Star mothers of Cleveland county will be in line in automobiles furnished for the occasion. Gold Star mothers are asked to assemble at the Masonic temple shortly after 7 o'clock. Following the Gold Star mothers will come the members of the legion auxiliary, Company K, commanded by First Lieut. H. C. Long with Capt. Peyton McSwain in charge of the entire parade, and delegations from other organizations.

The parade will halt before the memorial tablet where the names of the boys who gave their all for the Cleveland Star, which conducted the campaign resulting in the erection of the tablet. Invocation will be by Dr. Zeno Wall, and then a bugler from Company K will sound taps and a military salute will be fired by a squad from the militia company.

The Higgins band, which will furnish the music for the Cleveland County Fair, is also expected to participate in the program. After paying tribute to the fallen heroes the main program will be held in the court house auditorium among the speakers will be Congressman McSwain, of South Carolina, Major A. L. Bulwinkle, World war veteran, and others.

Today the business men of Shelby are being asked to put out flags at 5 in the afternoon.

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On account of feeble health in her latter year she was not privileged to attend her church as was her wish, but she nevertheless had the welfare of her church at heart and never tired of talking of her kinship with Christ.

Surviving her are three sons and two daughters, G. C. Champion, Gaffney, S. C., H. F. Champion, Shelby, N. C., L. R. Champion, Waco, Mrs. Julius Cozner of Fallston, Mrs. Pink Grigg at the old home.