

Cotton, per lb. 10c up
Cotton seed, per bush 33c

Fair And Colder.

Today's North Carolina Weather Report: Generally fair and continued cold tonight, Thursday fair with slowly rising temperature.

Sustain Hoover Veto.

Washington, Mar. 4.—President Hoover's veto of the Muscle Shoals bill was sustained last night by the senate. The bill, which the president said in his veto message squarely presented the issue of government operation in competition with private interests, was killed when its friends failed to obtain the two-thirds vote necessary to pass it over a veto. The vote came after several hours of debate in which Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska, and Black, Democrat, Alabama, led an attack on President Hoover for not signing the measure. Norris charged the president was "with the power trust" and Black asserted he "violated his campaign promises by vetoing the bill."

Introduce Bill To Provide For School Measure

Would Allow Levy Of 30 Cents.

Bills Forwarded To Provide Funds For New State-Supported Schools.

In the state senate at Raleigh Monday the two senators from this district, Senator Peyton McSwain of Cleveland, and Senator McLean, of Polk, introduced bills which would provide for funds with which to operate the new State-supported school plan.

The McSwain bill would provide for the operation of the six-months schools of the State by a 30 cent ad valorem land tax plus a \$9,500,000 equalizing fund and a \$2,500,000 State fund to aid the extended terms.

The McLean bill would provide for a State-wide eight-month term by a 50 cent ad valorem tax plus an 18 million dollar equalizing fund.

Of the two bills The Raleigh News and Observer's legislative report says:

"These are the two bills the Governor put before the general assembly in his first message. It was significant that the introducers of both of the bills were those who voted for the McSwain substitute bill for the State support of the six months term from sources other than an ad valorem tax while their own bills are in conflict with that already passed by the legislature."

To Repeal Judges Retirement Method; Two McSwain Bills

Would End Pension Plan For Veterans Judges. Would Have Counties Ratify Game Laws

By M. R. DUNNAGAN

Raleigh, March 4.—Senator Peyton McSwain, of Cleveland, has introduced a bill in the general assembly which would repeal the judge retirement act. The act is a bill which would repeal that supreme or superior court judges who have reached the age of 70 and who have served on the bench for 15 years are permitted to retire on two-thirds pay, but are subject to call of the governor to preside as emergency judges over courts.

About Game Laws.

Raleigh, March 4.—Senators Peyton McSwain, of Cleveland, and Hayden Clement, of Rowan, jointly introduced a bill Monday which would require that laws and rules of the department of conservation and development, relative to fishing, would have to be approved for their respective counties by the boards of county commissioners before they would become effective.

Senator McSwain had already introduced a bill to permit certain kinds of fishing in Cleveland, but it is considered doubtful if it will be enacted, due to efforts to have the game and fishing laws uniform.

Under Bond Over Burning Of House

Two inspectors of the state insurance department visited Shelby yesterday and placed A. T. Bridges, formerly of the Boiling Springs section, under a bond of \$1,000 in connection with the burning in July last year of the residence in which he lived near Boiling Springs. The bond calls for a hearing Thursday morning in county court.

According to the charges as filed by W. A. Scott, one of the insurance department inspectors, it is alleged that the residence, property of B. F. Jolley, might have been of incendiary origin because of insured furniture. The furnishings of the home were insured, it is alleged, for \$1,000 or \$1,500.

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Two Mills Here Join In Move To Eliminate Night Work For Women And Minors Program

Shelby, Ella Mill's Make Change.

83 Percent Of Mills In Country Agree To Change. Difficult To Do.

It was learned here today that one Shelby textile plant has already eliminated night work for women and another plant is making the change as rapidly as is possible.

This week, according to press dispatches, 83 percent of the textile mills in the United States had agreed to conform to the Cotton Textile Institute's plan for elimination of night work for women and minors.

Already Changed.

The local plant which this week made the complete change was the Shelby Cotton mills, one of the largest plants in the section. The officials of the mill have gradually been working to that end for three or four months, it being a difficult task to remove all the women working on the night shift to a day shift without a general re-adjustment of shifts and working plans. But Monday night of this week no woman worked in the mill. The majority of the women who have been working at night, it is understood, have been transferred to day shifts, while others are on part time work.

The other plant which is making the change is the Ella mill of the Consolidated Textile Corporation. A gradual change removing women from night shifts to other shifts has been underway there for some time and will continue until there are no women, it is said, on the night shift.

Few, if any, minors work on night shifts in the textile plants of this section, it is said.

The Belmont mill was listed in the daily press as one which had signed the Cotton Textile Institute's plan, but no change has yet been made at the plant.

Officials of the Shelby Cotton mills in stating that night work for women had been eliminated at their plant added that it was a voluntary effort on the part of the mill as it had not signed the Institute roll.

Works Hardship.

Officials of other local plants

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McSwain Is Boosted For No. 2 Alderman

Well Known Grocer Urged To Enter Alderman's Race. Another Ward One Prospect.

A group of friends in Ward Two were this week making every effort to have Mr. M. A. McSwain file as a candidate for city alderman representing that ward. Mr. McSwain is a well-known business man, dependable and conservative and those supporting him say that he would serve well. The present Ward Two alderman, Mr. Ab Jackson, will not seek reelection. Several other prospective candidates have been talked.

In Ward One Mr. Louis M. Hamrick, young business man, is being suggested as a possible candidate. Prospective candidates in that ward have also been mentioned, but so far Alderman P. M. Washburn is the only announced candidate.

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Six Sets Of Twins In One Shelby School

Twins are not a rarity at the Washington school in Shelby. Not by a half dozen sets.

In the first grade of the school, of which Miss Agnes McBrayer is principal, there are two sets of twins. The fifth grade also has two sets. The fourth grade has half of one set and the fifth the other. Likewise, the sixth grade has half of a twin firm and the fifth has the other half. That division results because half of two sets of twins managed in some manner to get ahead of their mates.

The twins in the first grade are: Jennie Mae McGinnis, who lives at the Ed Post home, and Shovine McGinnis, who lives at the Hugh Bettis home. The McGinnis twins are six years of age and their parents live in Charlotte. The other twins in the first grade are Viola and Violet Early, aged six, who live with H. C. Allen, Shelby Route 6. Their parents live in Asheville.

In the fifth grade are Mary and Martha Toms, age 11, children of Hugh Toms, Lee street. In the same grade are Ollie and Frank Wood, age 12, children of J. P. Wood, north Morgan street.

Maude Long, age 11, is in the fourth grade and her twin brother, Claude, is in the fifth grade. They are the children of W. F. Long, North Washington street.

Sara Bess Ledford, 11, is in the sixth grade and her twin brother, A. B., is in the fifth grade. They are the children of F. H. Ledford, North DeKalb street.

Jurors Drawn For Court On Monday, 23rd

Warlick To Preside For 2 Weeks

Many Important Cases To Come Up On Criminal Docket And Civil Calendar.

Jurors for the spring term of Superior court were drawn here this week by the county commissioners. The two-weeks mixed term opens on Monday, March 23 with Judge Wilson Warlick of Newton presiding over his first term here.

A number of important criminal cases, some of them continued from the last term of court, are expected to come up for trial. A major portion of the second week will be devoted to the civil calendar.

Jurors drawn were:

First Week.
Bell McGraw, Norman K. Roberts, J. M. Moore, S. A. Greene, Edley Roberts, A. A. Bettis, N. R. McSwain, E. W. Hord, Leo Beattie, Leon Ware, F. D. Fulton, H. V. Herndon, T. Marvin Putnam, T. T. Dye, Fred Simmons, Ben Ely Hendrick and J. W. Bialock.

Second Week.
T. P. Wood, J. W. Allen, B. Davis, Cleophus Hamrick, B. W. Gillespie, J. W. Craft, J. H. Beam, H. L. Roberts, G. A. Spake, John P. Toms, J. L. Dixon, R. V. Greene, L. C. Palmer, M. B. Mauney, C. D. Forney, George Martin, D. H. Connor, W. W. Towery.

Young Shelby Men Form Flying Club; May Secure Glider

Organization To Be Perfected Thursday Night, May Bring Plane Here.

A flying club, composed of the young men of Shelby and section interested in aviation, will be definitely organized at a meeting to be held Thursday night at the Central Methodist church.

Sixty young men have already enrolled in the club and as others join those backing the movement hope to revive in Shelby an air-minded spirit surpassing that of several years ago.

Flying Lessons.
"If we can get enough members who are interested in learning more about aviation," says one of the local young men supporting the movement, "we will get a plane here each week from Charlotte for instruction purposes."

"With sixty members to start we are already hopeful of getting a glider so that we all may receive instructions through handling the glider."

Indications are that the meeting tomorrow night will be well attended by prospective aviators and others interested in the development of aviation.

Approve Park Bill For Kings Mountain

Military Park Will Be Made Out Of Battleground, When Funds Are Available.

Washington, Mar. 4.—The senate yesterday passed the Kings Mountain bill, a bill which will result, when funds are made available, in making a military park of the battleground. Senator Brock, of Tennessee, voted against the bill in the military affairs committee, and as a result of this fortunate circumstance, the senator was in position to move for a reconsideration.

The hard work done in behalf of the bill on the senate side resulted in the favorable action taken by the senate. Both the war department and Senator Reed, of Pennsylvania, chairman of the committee which had the bill under consideration, finally acquiesced in the passage of the bill, which was introduced in the house by Congressman Jonas and in the senate by Senator Morrison.

Kiwanis To Give Way For Revival Meeting

There will be no weekly luncheon of the Kiwanis club on Thursday night of this week. The meeting has been called off so that the members may attend the last service of the revival meeting conducted by Dr. McLees at the Presbyterian church.

Patton In Hospital.

Frank P. Patton, assistant district attorney of federal court, entered a Morganton hospital today, it was learned, for an appendicitis operation. Mr. Patton was expected to have handled or aided in the prosecution at the Federal term of court here week after next.

Spring Baseball.

The Belwood and Piedmont schools opened their baseball season with a game yesterday at Belwood. Piedmont was defeated 4 to 1.

Feeding Bonus Borrowers



The long line of applicants for the bonus advances as provided for in a bill just passed by Congress over the veto of President Hoover, waited all night at the Nation's capital to get their money, and were fed by the American Red Cross.

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Too Many Officers In N. C., Al Smith Says; Gardner Plans Endorsed For A Reorganization

Colored Veteran Gets First Loan Check In Shelby

The first bonus check to reach Shelby after the passage of the new veterans' loan bill came to a colored veteran, Charlie Parks, who served for many years in the regular army.

Parks, a member during the World war of the famous negro outfit, the Tenth Cavalry, received \$500.50. He was in the army for years prior to the World war, but has been out of the service since being demobilized after the war.

"Going to buy an auto?" he was asked when he received his bonus.

"Nope," came the answer. "It's goin' to Mister Charlie's bank until I finds the proper place for it."

Local Marriages At Low Ebb; Six In 2 Months Here

Two Couples Married In This County In January And Four In February.

Old Man Depression and North Carolina marriage law restrictions have "Dan Cupid's" love-matching business on the verge of bankruptcy in Cleveland county.

During the two months of 1931 marriage licenses have been issued to only a half dozen couples at the court house here. Two couple secured license in January and four in February.

On the average of three licenses per month, local marriages are only about one-fifth what they were prior to the added restrictions put on two years ago. Prior to that time between 150 and 200 couples secured licenses each year in the county.

County Board Handles Many Matters At Session; Hear Charity Appeals, Give Aid

Approve Education Board's Request For Transfer School Loan.

At the meeting of the county commissioners this week the board approved the request of the county board of education to the state board for the transfer of the balance of the loan from the Park-Grace school to the No. 3 school.

Several names were removed from the poll tax list, court jurors were drawn, charity appeals heard, and county bills approved and ordered paid.

J. W. Gladden and Roy Sisk were released from paying poll tax.

Mrs. D. S. Page was allowed \$3 for support, Tobe Stuzall \$3, and Jennie Hubbard \$5.

Mrs. D. J. Wilson was allowed \$15 per month for two months treatment. Foster Jones was given \$10 and Andy Borders was allowed \$19 for burial expenses of Rufe Davis burial expenses of Susan Degree, J.

County Club Hears Farmers Uproar

County Club Hears Farmers Uproar This County To Live At Home.

It will not only be foolhardy, perhaps serious consequences will develop if Cleveland county farmers do not produce their own food and feed next year.

This was what representative farmers of the county told the Cleveland County club in a round table discussion and short talks at the club meeting last night at the Green Lantern room.

An informal round table discussion was carried on by farmers attending the meeting, all urging the importance of the live-at-home idea and pledging themselves to the movement.

O. C. Dixon, well known county farm leader, discussed the value of a sufficient corn crop. There should be at least five acres devoted to corn for every two miles in the county, he said. If the land is poor the ratio should be ten acres for two miles. All landlords were urged by Mr. Dixon to see that their tenants devote at least that much acreage to corn.

J. L. Herndon, of Grover, discussed hay crops, declaring that every bale of hay purchased by a farmer costs him double the production cost of his own land. In insisting that farmers of the county devote enough acreage to hay crops this year he stated that there should be no experimenting with unknown crops, but that tested crops for Cleveland soil should be used.

Tom Cornwell spoke of the value of pastures to the farmer who desires to succeed and make ends meet. The pasture acreage, he said, is the most important on any farm. Bermuda grass was stressed for use in permanent pastures.

Prof. B. F. Byrd, of Grover, outlined the importance of potatoes and vegetables. Every farmer in the county, landowner and tenant, he declared, should this year and hereafter produce enough potatoes and vegetables for home use.

Others making short talks on the same topic were Prof. Lawton Hanton, Lattimore; R. W. Wilson, Fallston; A. E. Cline, Kings Mountain; Edney Willis, Belwood; and J. B. Smith, welfare officer.

At Fallston. It was decided to change the regular meeting date of the club to the first Tuesday in each month. The next meeting will be held at Fallston and the program will be arranged by R. W. Wilson, W. R. Gary and R. W. Shofner.

McLees Closes Meet Thursday

Forceful Blind Evangelist Will Hold Last Service Thursday Evening.

The series of evangelistic services being conducted at the Shelby Presbyterian church by Dr. R. G. McLees, eloquent and forceful blind minister, will close Thursday evening.

Rev. H. N. McDiarmid, Presbyterian pastor, and everyone who has heard Dr. McLees urge that those who have not attended do so during the remaining services.

Thursday morning at 10 o'clock Dr. McLees will speak especially to church members of all denominations on the subject, "The True Yoke-Fellow." This evening at 7:30 his subject will be "The Story of Simon Peter." The subject of the closing service Thursday night will be "The Reception Which the Gospel Meets."

The meeting has been well attended and has exerted a great influence with a number of conversions and reconciliations.

Sale Of Gasoline Boosted By New Law

Distributors of gasoline in Shelby report a considerable increase this week in the sale of gasoline to dealers in this territory because of the passage of the state highway bill whereby the state takes over all county roads and maintains them by a gasoline tax. The measure provides for an increase of one cent per gallon on gasoline and many dealers thinking the increased tax law in when the bill is enacted into law, stocked up on the motor fuel to save the one cent extra tax. It is not known when the additional tax goes into effect.

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