

Population Of Whites In City Fifth In State

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white and 20.3 percent for negroes. Negroes made the largest numerical gain in the history of the state, and the second largest percent gain in one hundred years.

The foreign-born population ration declined during the last decade. We take pride in having only a small foreign born population. We do not appear to want the foreign born and they do not appear to be attracted by what we have to offer.

Our Twenty-one Cities.

There are twenty-one cities in North Carolina, that is, places above ten thousand inhabitants. Statesville with 83.8 per cent native white has the highest native white population ratio of all the larger places, followed closely by Thomasville and Concord. New Bern has the smallest native white ratio, 46.4 percent.

Elevated to Presidency



S. CLAY WILLIAMS

S. CLAY WILLIAMS of Winston-Salem, N. C., who has been elected President of R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, manufacturers of Camel cigarettes and Prince Albert smoking tobacco. He succeeds Bowman Gray, who was made Chairman of the Board.

Burke Feud Breaks Out; One Wounded

Woodrow Mull Badly Shot By Clinton Duckworth. One Mull Already Killed.

Morganton, June 17.—Woodrow Mull, allegedly shot by Clinton Duckworth, near Morganton Sunday afternoon, was reported last night to be doing as well as could be expected at Grace hospital, where he was taken soon after he was injured. The bullet passed through his chest, just below his heart. It is said that he has about a fifty-fifty chance to recover.

Morganton, June 16.—As a result of another Sunday affray on what is known as the Laurel, Woodrow Mull is at Grace hospital probably fatally wounded and his alleged assailant, Clinton Duckworth, is in jail here awaiting the outcome of Mull's injuries.

Clinton Duckworth is a brother of Bruce Duckworth who is to face trial for murder at the next term of Burke criminal court charged with the slaying of Ed Mull, a cousin of the young man wounded yesterday.

It has been difficult to determine whether or not the affray was the continuation of a family feud or that there was any direct connection between the fight of Sunday and that of three weeks ago in which Ed Mull lost his life. Since in both affrays Mull and Duckworth were the participants, officers believe that such will prove to be the case.

Witnesses at the last fight say the two boys, each just 19 years of age, fell out over a path. The affair took place about three miles from Morganton at the home of Mrs. Esie Lefeyers, the widow of Tony Lefeyers who was killed several years ago by Russell Mull, a brother of Ed Mull, the victim of the Sunday gun battle of three weeks ago.

With Daniels In G. O. P. Hopeful

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from real experience. "Should Mr. Daniels be nominated as the Democratic candidate for governor next June, Mr. Grissom believes the Republican state convention will select him as the Republican candidate and that he will carry virtually every county in Piedmont and Western North Carolina. If some other 'regular' Democrat is nominated instead of Daniels, Duncan is more likely to be selected as the Republican candidate, Mr. Grissom thinks. He does not consider R. T. Fountain to be a regular organization Democrat, but a member of the same bloc of Democrats that Daniels belongs to and which he says is especially popular right now in Eastern North Carolina.

"With regard to the contest for the United States senate, Mr. Grissom believes that if Senator Cameron Morrison is the Democratic nominee that the Republicans will nominate either Congressman Charles A. Jonas or Jake Newell of Charlotte. If Senator Morrison attempts to assail Jonas because of the Jonas charges of irregularity and crookedness in the 1928 election, it will then become necessary to nominate Jonas so that he can renew and prove the charges on every stump in every county in North Carolina during the campaign," Mr. Grissom said. If Morrison does not take up the Jonas charges in the primary campaign and more or less ignores them and decides to make a campaign along other lines, then Newell will probably be selected as the Republican nominee for the senate.

How to control the cotton boll weevil by dusting with calcium arsenate is discussed in Extension Circular 186, by C. H. Brannon, extension entomologist at state college. Copies are free for the asking.

Hoover Makes Bid For 1932 In New Speech

Urges America To Banish Fear In March Through Valley of Depression.

President Herbert Hoover Monday night, in an address at Indianapolis, made his first bid for re-election in 1932.

He called upon the nation to banish fear and pessimism so that America may ride out of the business depression on a broad highway paved with courage and confidence.

Speaking before the Indiana Republican Editorial association, he said this is "our immediate and paramount task as a people." In addition, he said is the "transcendent momentary need" a larger degree of confidence among our business agencies, a confidence not confined to "mere words."

The chief executive vigorously defended the administration's policies in dealing with the depression, praised the efforts of industry and organized labor to minimize its unfortunate results, and said the "underlying forces of recovery are asserting themselves."

Suns Up Accomplishments.

The things the federal government is doing he described as follows:

"We have assured the country from panic and its hurricane of bankruptcy by co-ordinated action between the treasury, the Federal reserve system, the banks, the farm loan and farm board system.

"We have steadily urged the maintenance of wages and salaries.

"We have reserved the traditional policy in depression of reducing expenditures upon construction work. We are maintaining a steady expansion of ultimately needed construction work in co-operation with states, municipalities and industries.

"We have sueded the people in 21 states who faced dire disaster from the drought.

"We are giving aid and support to farmers in marketing their crops.

"Through the tariff we are saving our farmers and workmen from being overwhelmed with goods from foreign countries.

"We are holding down taxation by exclusion of every possible governmental expenditure not absolutely essential or need to increase employment or assistance to the farmers.

"We are rigidly excluding immigration.

"We are maintaining and will maintain systematic voluntary organization in the community in aid of employment and care for distress.

"We propose to go forward with these major activities and policies." From each previous depression, Mr. Hoover said, the nation has emerged with a valuable lesson learned.

"From this one," he said, "we shall gain stiffening and economic discipline, a greater knowledge upon which we must build a better safeguarded system. We have come out of each previous depression into a period of prosperity greater than ever before. We shall do so this time."

Out of the troubled times, he said, the country will emerge determined to examine searchingly the banking system which allowed wasteful speculation; a taxation system which intensified dumping of securities on a falling market and put an unfair burden on land and home owners; and a marketing system which lends itself to illegitimate speculation.

Analyzing the depression he said its major causes rooted back into the world war or other wise recovery would have taken place months ago, in spite of this country's contributing efforts in the way of wild speculation, loose and extravagant business methods, and unprecedented drought.

With the whole world plunged into hard times as the result of inheritances from the war, mounting armament, and huge taxes, it was inevitable, he added, that this country would be drawn in.

Marvelous resources in land, mines, mills, and man power, combined with good harvest prospects, were the underlying forces of recovery which, he said, would heal the economic wounds.

Letter Carriers To Meet At Fayetteville

On July 2 to 4th the North Carolina Rural Letter Carriers Association will hold its annual convention in Fayetteville and a handsome program has been sent out for the occasion which promises to attract hundreds of Uncle Sam's mail men. G. V. Hawkins, who served as president of the association in 1924-26 will deliver the response to the address of welcome by Mayor Q. K. Nimocks Jr. A number of letter carriers from Cleveland county will no doubt attend this state meeting.

Norton oats are 25 per cent better than Fulgham and are more smut resistant, declares D. C. Strickland of Cerro Gordo, Columbus county.

How Tar Heels Died In May

Raleigh, June 17.—Thirty-seven homicides, 24 suicides, 48 killed by automobiles. These were among the North Carolina violent deaths during May, according to the report of the Bureau of Vital Statistics to the State Board of Health.

Despite the heat and the death of fires in homes, 12 people burned to death in the State last month, the report showed. The usual summer increase in the number of drownings ran that total to 12.

The end of the hunting season put the number of deaths due to accidental gunshot wounds down to one but there were six others killed by gunshot wounds of a doubtful nature.

Lightning killed four last month. Three died in an airplane crash. Railroad accidents resulted in the loss of six lives but two of the 48 killed in automobiles died in train-to crashes.

At The Theaters

A rattling good cast of screen comedians, including Bert Wheeler and Robert Woolsey, Dorothy Lee and others, are making South American whoopee today at the Webb theatre in "Cracked Nuts," their latest production from the cuckoo kingdom, scheduled to run through Thursday night. Friday's show—Winnie Lightner and Joe E. Brown in "Sit Tight."

The sweet, sentimental and rip-roaring Tallulah Bankhead is here in "Tarnished Lady" to thrill movie fans with her first American screen performance, at the Carolina theatre today and tomorrow. Miss Bankhead, a native of Alabama, is also England's favorite stage star. Clive Brook, suave English screen actor, is co-starred with Tallulah, Friday at the Carolina—"Trapped."

Cotton Acreage In State Reduced

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last and a reduction in the use of commercial fertilizers ranging from 25 per cent in the eastern states to as much as 80 per cent in Mississippi.

The American cotton crop, reports indicate, is two weeks late because of drought. "With the exception of the western part, Texas is dry and needing rain," reports from the American association said. "The crop is late and rain is needed in Arkansas and Tennessee. Drought is becoming acute in most of Georgia. It is getting dry in all sections of Louisiana, Mississippi, and Alabama."

The directors of the American Association and General Manager E. F. Creekmore, Mr. Blalock said, had unanimously decided that, as present holdings are financed for a three year period, if necessary, no 1930 cotton will be sold at anything like present prices. Hon. Carl Williams, cotton member of the Federal Farm Board, declared at the New Orleans meeting that the stabilization corporation did not intend to dispose of the 1929 crop at present market prices.

Cotton Bagging.

The North Carolina board of directors, in a resolution, pledged their support to Cason J. Calloway, president of the American Cotton Manufacturers association, in the movement to have cotton baled with cotton instead of jute this coming season.

Mr. Calloway recently sought the co-operation of all Southern cotton manufacturers in the movement by asking them to allow seven pounds extra weight on each bale of cotton wrapped with cotton bagging. He also suggested that a moderate tariff on jute would help to offset the disadvantage that cotton bagging is suffering when compared to jute bagging. If all American cotton was wrapped in cotton bagging it is estimated that it would require over 200,000 bales annually for this purpose alone.

Mr. W. L. Saunders Of Burlington Passes

Formerly Lived In Shelby And Operated a Grocery Store. Buried At Albemarle.

Shelby friends will be sorry to learn of the death of Mr. William Lewis Saunders who passed away last Tuesday evening at 11:20 o'clock following an illness of three months. Mr. Saunders lived in Shelby at one time and operated a grocery store here. He has been living in Burlington but his remains were carried to Albemarle for interment with Masonic honors. Mr. Saunders was 84 years of age and is survived by his wife and four children: Willie Elizabeth, Mary Nell, Robert Carter and William Lewis.

Rev. Hillard Holt had charge of the funeral, assisted by the Methodist pastor at Albemarle. Special music was furnished by the male quartet and a ladies duet.

Legion Juniors Play Gastonia Here On Friday

Shelby Youngsters Play First Regular Legion Game. Fiddlers Meet Here.

The American Legion junior baseball team of Shelby will play its first regular Legion game in the city park here Friday afternoon at 3:30 with the strong Gastonia Legion team, which last year won the southern district championship.

The Shelby team defeated the Avondale team last Friday 9 to 3. J. R. Pruett, one of the legion's pitchers, allowed Avondale only 3 hits while the youngsters batted 9 hits from Avondale's best pitcher, Biggerstaff.

Don't forget the fiddlers convention at the court house Friday and Saturday night, June 19th and 20th, sponsored by the American Legion junior league.

Better Citizens.

A crop of 500,000 boys who will become better citizens through supervised competition and concrete examples of good sportsmanship is the goal set by the American Legion in its junior baseball program this season, said Dr. B. M. Jarrett, athletic officer of Warren F. Hoyle post here, in urging civic bodies of this community to get behind the program and sponsor Shelby's first American Legion junior league.

He said, "The American Legion junior baseball series that is entering its fifth year seeks to inculcate in the boys good sportsmanship. Those in charge of this competition seek to teach boys the following qualities that will best equip them for the duties of citizenship in later years.

"The boy, playing baseball under legion supervision, soon learns to respect the rules of the game. He quickly learns fair play. To be a good baseball player the boy must also learn team-work. Gamedness is another quality which he soon develops.

"Probably the most important lesson competition holds is that of true democracy. The competition, as conducted by the legion, brings together boys rich and poor, who join in a single task under strict supervision. The boys everywhere cheerfully accept the wholesome training rules laid down to govern the competition.

"The code of sportsmanship under which the boys play in the tournament follows: Keep the rules; keep faith with your comrades; keep your temper; keep yourself fit; keep a stout heart in defeat; keep your pride under victory; keep a sound soul, a clean mind and a healthy body."

Western Carolina League Standing

Table with columns: Team, Standing, W. L. Per. Includes teams like Shelby, Brookford, Rhodhiss, Hickory, Marion, Newton.

Senate Contests Republican Plot To Control Senate

Washington, June 17.—A Republican plot to insure control of the next senate in which former Senator J. Thomas Hefflin, Democrat, Alabama, is a tool was charged this week by Representative John McDuffie, also of Alabama, house Democratic whip.

Hefflin is contesting the election to his seat of John H. Bankhead, regular Democrat who obtained the nomination after Hefflin was read out of his party for supporting Herbert Hoover in the 1928 presidential race.

Mentions Bailey Contest.

Should Bankhead be prevented from taking his seat, McDuffie said, control of the senate would be practically assured the Republicans. The same situation prevails, he added, in the contest over the seat of Senator Josiah W. Bailey, Democrat, North Carolina, although he made no charge that this contest was for the purpose of wresting control from the democrats.

"The contest of Senator Bailey's seat," McDuffie charged, "which was filed at the last minute, and the re-appearance in Alabama of one of the sluths of the Nye committee, which has no jurisdiction in the Alabama contest, and the continued cry of corruption and fraud when none has been shown here, lends color to the belief that a conspiracy exists to use former Senator Hefflin and his contest for such benefits as may be derived there from for the republican party."

Cleveland Cloth Loses A Contest

Forest City Evens Up With Shelby Team In Game There Last Night.

Forest City, June 16.—Forest City tonight defeated Cleveland Cloth mill of Shelby, 10 to 3, behind Tim McKelthan's four-hit pitching.

The pitching of McKelthan and the hitting of Yelton, who got a triple and single for the visitors, featured the contest. Red Costner, local third sacker, got another home run.

Shelby - - - - - 3 4 3  
Forest City - - - - - 10 10 1  
Smith, Fisher and Hornsby; McKelthan and Shehan.

Colored Outfit Wins Double Bill

The colored baseball team of east Shelby won both ends of a double-header here Saturday. In the first game Mooresboro was defeated 7 to 6 and Gastonia was licked 4 to 0 in the second contest.

New Prospect News Of Current Week

Grain Harvest Season On. Miss Hord Goes To Chapel Hill. Personals.

(Special To The Star.)

The wheat and oats harvesting season is now at hand. Everybody who has grain sown seems to be busy at present harvesting. In reaping the crops gather up well and look somewhat promising.

Miss Margaret Hord left one day last week for Chapel Hill where she will attend summer school. She was accompanied from Waco by Miss Lucile Whitworth who will also attend summer school there.

Miss Aileen Grigg, the small daughter of Mr. Jasper Grigg, returned home from the Lincoln hospital last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Howell and Miss Emma Sellers spent Sunday with relatives in Marys Grove section.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Davis and little son, Howard, of Rockdale spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeno Hord and two daughters, Jessie Pearl and Elizabeth and Mr. W. I. Spertling spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Beam.

Miss Vangie McSwain visited Miss Baine Canipe of St. Paul community Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Mack Adams accompanied Mr. and Mrs. John Wright of near Mull's Chapel to Charlotte last Thursday. They returned home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Beattie of Waco spent Sunday with Mr. Beattie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Beattie.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Wright of Pleasant Grove community spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McSwain.

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