

THE MARKET
Cotton, spots 5c and up
Cotton seed, per ton \$12.00

Fair And Warmer.
Today's North Carolina Weather Report: Fair and warmer tonight and Thursday.

Huey's Man Winning.
New Orleans, Jan. 20.—O. K. Allen Huey Long's candidate for governor, swept the city of New Orleans by nearly 20,000 majority over the combined opposition on incomplete and unofficial figures from yesterday's Democratic primary.

Workers Named For Democratic Victory Drive

County Head Names Leaders

Prospects Good For Party This Fall With Cooperation Of All Voters.

Precinct leaders for the Democratic victory drive in Cleveland county were named today by Henry B. Edwards, who has been appointed chairman of the drive for the county.

Mr. Edwards names the chairman and secretary of each precinct committee as leaders in the campaign. Later special committees will be appointed to help in the canvass.

All Democratic voters who contribute a dollar or more to the drive, with which to finance what is termed the party's best opportunity to elect a president since Woodrow Wilson, will be given a Victory membership certificate from national headquarters. Those who desire to cooperate in the drive may make their contributions to any of the campaign leaders named before the committees make their rounds.

Workers Listed.

- The precinct committee named today are:
East Kings Mountain—J. B. Thomasson, Wiley McGinnis.
West Kings Mountain—E. W. Blakeley, Tom Black.
Double Springs—Gath Lattimore, Bate Blanton.
Lattimore—J. B. Lattimore, L. C. Green.
Mooresboro—R. W. McBrayer, R. G. Bird.
Polkville—Sam Lattimore, L. C. Palmer.
South Shelby—Henderson Champion, Rex Mipham.
Queens—Alonzo M. Hamrick, IV, E. Grigg.
Double Shoals—Jno. Peeler, Plato Champion.
Mills—J. M. Carpenier, J. P. Ledford.
Casar—O. C. Downs, D. L. Downs, Delight—E. M. Eaker, Clarence Warlick.
Lawdale—Dr. W. T. Grigg, Brack Wallace.
Fallston—G. H. Edmonds, C. P. Wright.
Holly Springs—Joe McCraw, Kester Hamrick.
Bolling Springs—Ceel C. Goode, C. M. Hamrick.
Sharon—M. D. Moore, Eugene Lattimore.
Patterson Springs—W. H. Patterson, L. Sims King.
Earls—S. H. Austell, A. A. Bettis.
Grover—T. W. Hardin, W. E. Davis.
Waco—M. C. Whitworth, Stove Miller.
Shelby No. 1—J. L. Smith, W. S. Beam.
Shelby No. 2—J. F. Roberts, R. L. Hendrick.
Shelby No. 3—E. A. Wellmon, C. B. Young.
Shelby No. 4—J. F. Harris, L. F. McBrayer.
Youngs—E. B. Lovelace, Alex. Ramsey.

Veterans Of Foreign Wars Meet Thursday

All Cleveland county veterans who served in foreign countries during any way are asked to meet at the court house in Shelby Thursday night at 8 o'clock.
The meeting will be addressed, according to Chas. Woodson, commander of the local post of Veterans of Foreign Wars, by W. R. Eckenroed, State quartermaster of Winston-Salem. He will discuss the bonus and other matters of interest to veterans. The meeting will be open to World War veterans and veterans of other conflicts.

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Aldermen Submit Light Plant Rate Comparison To Shelby Citizens

Highway 18 Gets Some Attention In Gaffney Again

May Complete Highway From Line

Cherokee Commissioners Consider Changing Route There Before Work Begins.

Reports from Gaffney indicate that paving work on the Gaffney-Shelby highway (No. 18) from the North Carolina line to Gaffney may get underway soon, by spring at least.

Several years ago the North Carolina highway commission surfaced highway 18, which runs from Morganton to Shelby and on to the South Carolina line, at the extreme southern edge of Cleveland county. The understanding was then that the South Carolina highway officials would complete the surfacing on to Gaffney, thus giving a direct surfaced highway connection linking up general inter-state travel. The matter was deferred there for some months, until the new road bond issue went over in South Carolina, and last fall citizens of Cherokee county and of lower Cleveland appeared before the Cherokee officials and asked that the unpaved stretch from Cleveland county to Gaffney be completed. At that time, after a conference with state highway officials of South Carolina, it was stated that work on the road would likely start about the first of this year. Nothing more was heard of the matter until the following dispatch came out of Gaffney this week:

"Supervisor E. J. Clary and the six county commissioners this week made an inspection trip to study the proposed route of the new Shelby road.

"The local officials are said to desire some changes in the survey as made by the state highway department engineers. It is claimed the engineer run the line through the roughest part of the country, making several fills and culverts necessary.

"The commissioners last fall agreed to renew the work on the Shelby road soon after the opening of the New Year. Some work was done a couple of years ago, at which time the route was left about half finished.

Citizens of the two counties, Cherokee and Cleveland, hope that the work will be started and carried through at an early date. The highway is an important artery of travel, particularly for hundreds who live near the state line between the two states.

Carolina Stores Make Assignment

Chain Grocery Firm Will Continue To Operate Store, However.

Hickory, Jan. 19.—The Carolina Stores, Inc., of Lenoir, operating 30 stores in Western North Carolina, has made a voluntary assignment of its assets to its creditors.
The action was made known here today in an announcement which said R. M. Winborne had been given the management of the concern succeeding D. W. Turner.
The stores will continue to operate.

"Alfalfa Bill" Favors Regional Control Of The Whiskey Plague

Outlines Proposition To Anti-Saloon League. Favors Temperance Himself.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Governor William H. "Alfalfa Bill" Murray, Oklahoma's picturesque and plain-spoken Chief Executive Wednesday night submitted a plan for regional liquor control to the bone dry Anti-Saloon League, at whose national convention he was the day's principal speaker.
In explaining his plan, where other speakers have reiterated the league's last-ditch opposition to any change in the liquor laws—unless it be strict enforcement—the Oklahoma Governor emphasized that he wanted nothing done now, or until the economic situation returns to normal and people are able to discuss prohibition without prejudice or passion.

Briefly, his plan is for a series of treaties among the states by groups

Cline Entry Opens Up Political Talk Here; Others Being Watched

Sheriff Allen Likely To Be Candidate Again. Others Feel Out Sentiment. May Be Several More Races.

The political pot, which usually starts simmering in Cleveland county earlier than it has this year, is at last giving forth indications that it may approach near the boiling point before the June ballot battle ends.

Off-stage rumblings have been heard for some time, but public controversy did not break out until this week when the first candidate, Raymond Cline of Kings Mountain, officially announced for sheriff. But with this announcement speculation on the sheriff's race and several other races is running rather wild. To hear the talk about court house lobbies, along Shelby streets and out in the county there will be a number of races, and several of them of the warm variety. Seasoned politicians—those veterans who have had their ears to the ground listening for many years—do not look, however, for such an exciting primary. The people, they say, are too much interested in other matters.

Several Talked.
With the first announcement coming for sheriff the first talk turns to that office. It is generally believed that Sheriff Irvin M. Allen, himself a Kings Mountain citizen and law enforcement officer for years, will be a candidate to succeed himself. He has held the rather large following with which he surprised any number of supposedly wise political prophets when he first won the office. He has not as

New Official City Map Nearly Completed By Engineer Frazier

Doctor From Belgian Congo Will Practice In Ellenboro Section

Dr. Robert King Was Medical Missionary In Africa Sixteen Years.

(Special to The Star)
Ellenboro, Jan. 20.—With the arrival of Dr. Robert R. King and his family of a wife and six children last week Ellenboro received the services of a new medical doctor.

Dr. King, who is a graduate in medicine from the medical department of the University of Arkansas, has had years of experience in the profession. For nine years he practiced medicine in the state of Arkansas previous to going to Belgian Congo, Africa, as a medical missionary where he spent sixteen years of his life doctoring the ill of people who know very little about the science and wonders of medicine.

Recently he has been granted license by the state of North Carolina to practice medicine in this state.

His King was born in Brussels, Belgium, and has been educated and taught in Germany. She has also lived in Africa helping Dr. King with his work there.

Solicitor Visits.
Solicitor Spurgeon Spurling, of Lenoir, and his law partner were business visitors in Shelby today.

McBrayer Acting County Judge Today

In county recorder's court yesterday charges preferred against Plato Richards, of Lincoln county, by members of the family of his brother, Ed, were thrown out of court because of technical faults. The direct charge was that of assault, dating back to a brawl some months ago in which Plato was cut by Ed.
Attorney C. B. (Pat) McBrayer was acting as recorder during the county court session today as Judge Maurice R. Weathers was on a business trip to Raleigh.

Kiwanis Club To Hear Mrs. Douglas

Mrs. Mary Douglas, state director of libraries, of Raleigh, will be the principal speaker Thursday night before the Kiwanis club. It is understood the local library commission will also attend this meeting. The ladies night program scheduled for Thursday night of this week has been postponed until a later date.

County's "Lost Province" Loses Its Inhabitants

Colorful Section Slips Back

Remote Corner Of South Mountain Not Populated At It Once Was.

Cleveland county's lost province, the little South Mountain nook back in the northwest section of No. 11 township where three counties—Burke, Rutherford and Cleveland—join, is gradually losing its inhabitants. Many years ago it was a rather thickly settled section, that now remote region in the vicinity of No Business and Rich mountains, and there were churches and schools. But progress and a changing civilization passed the territory by because of a lack of good roads and mountain barriers which made it difficult to build roads for motor travel.

That is the story that trickles down the mountain paths into modern highways at Casar and on into Shelby. Another 20 years, unless there is a change, and the timber-covered ridges will not know human habitation and it will become again a paradise for mountain wildcats—(bob-cats)—and coons.

Colorful Section.
That region at the three-county corners in the South Mountain has a colorful history, and no great number of people who live out in the more thickly populated areas of Cleveland, Burke and Rutherford counties realize what an isolated section it is.

"Thirty years ago or more," says Bob Fortenberry, son of the late Sheriff Fortenberry, "many families lived in the section around Rich mountain." Bob lives several miles northwest of Casar on the borderline of the lost province area and is well acquainted with the section.

Migrate Away.
Twenty or 25 years ago, he says, around 25 families left that section for the farming section about Chase City, Virginia, and since that time

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John P. Mull Speaks At Scout Meeting

Twenty-Five Men Present At First Scout Training Course Officers Elected.

(By J. A. Propst)

The first meeting of the scout training course was held at the First Baptist church last night at 7:30.

There were about 25 men present. John P. Mull, very ably discussed the first chapter of the book on "The Nature of the Boy."

The second chapter "A Troop Program to Meet the Boy's Needs" was very thoroughly discussed by our scout executive, Mr. Schiele of Gastonia.

The following officers were appointed: J. A. Propst, scoutmaster; Hugh Arrowood, E. C. Aderholt, Richard Riviere and Sam Smith, patrol leaders.

The following men were chosen by the patrol leaders: Patrol No. 1, Hugh Arrowood, leader; Milton Loy, Mr. McCormack, R. O. Kale, Mr. Winchester and Mr. Wilkie. Patrol No. 2, E. C. Aderholt, leader; Mr. Huggins, Dr. Moody, Mr. Hallman, Patrol No. 3, Richard Riviere, leader; J. L. Brewer, Jr., Mr. Morehead, Norman Taylor, Patrol No. 4, Sam Smith, leader; B. G. Queen, Addie Canipe, Carrol Jackson.

The following men have enrolled to take the course: E. C. Aderholt, J. D. Huggins, E. L. McCormack, C. A. Ledford, Gault Norman, Mr. Coty, Milton Loy, Ed Morehead, Sam Smith, Richard Riviere, Hugh Arrowood, Alvin Propst, B. G. Queen, Addie Kanipe, R. O. Kale, Norman Taylor, Monie Wilkie, Carrol Jackson, John Brewer, J. A. Hallman, H. P. Winchester, Dr. L. D. Moody.

It is hoped that more men will enlist for the course next Tuesday night at 7 o'clock.

The speakers for Tuesday night will be announced in Monday's Star.

New Store Manager Here From Charlotte

Albert G. Sides this week began his duties as manager of the Miller-Jones shoe store on South LaFayette street. Mr. Sides came to Shelby from Charlotte and he and Mrs. Sides have rooms at the Jap Suttle residence.

Arlington Bridge Dedicated



Officially opened by President Hoover, the new Arlington Memorial Bridge, connecting Washington, D. C. with Arlington, Va., and the Mount Vernon Memorial highway, is shown as the first car crossed at the dedication. The leading automobile of the procession contains the President, Mrs. Hoover and Vice-President Charles Curtis. Top photo shows the First Family inspecting the bridge after the ceremonies. Dignitaries of the Arlington Memorial Commission and the George Washington Bicentennial Commission attended the dedication.

Negro Education In This Section Greatly Aided By Late Rosenwald

Chicago Philanthropist Gave Near \$10,000 For Advancing Negroes Here.

The death recently in Chicago of Julius Rosenwald, widely known philanthropist, recalls the magnificent aid he gave to negro education in Cleveland county in his distribution of millions of dollars throughout the country to advance the colored race.

Estimates by school officials here have it that he contributed close to \$10,000 in building negro school buildings in Cleveland county during the last seven years. Around \$6,500 went to help erect school buildings for negroes in the rural sections of the county and \$2,000 or more to the colored high school in Shelby. The latter gift was made about six years ago, at the time when the Shelby negro school was destroyed by fire.

Over The County.
His gifts toward the erection of negro school buildings over Cleveland were listed as follows by J. H. Grigg, county superintendent: Green Bethel school, Bolling Springs section, \$750; Long Branch school, Grover section, \$1,000; Compact and Ebenezer schools, Kings Mountain section, \$1,000 each; Washington and Borders schools, Waco section, \$750 and \$500 respectively; Philadelphia school, Fallston section, \$750; Douglas Academy, Lawdale section, \$750.

In each case, the Rosenwald donation was between one-fourth and one-fifth of the entire cost of the building.

Morrison Declines Challenge Of Frank Grist For Debate In State

Thinks It Would Not Promote Party Harmony. Has Boost For Duke.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Declaring that at the proper time he will present his cause to the state in his own way, Senator Cameron Morrison of North Carolina last night replied to the recent communication of State Commissioner of Labor Frank D. Grist, declining the latter's challenge to engage in a series of joint debates in the approaching senatorial campaign.

Senator Morrison told the labor commissioner, who is an announced candidate for the senate against him, that he did not feel it would promote party harmony to accept the challenge, adding: "And it would not be personally pleasant to me to engage in a joint debate with you."
The reply of the North Carolina senator follows:
"Your favor of the 15th of Jan-

Probe Of S. P. U. Offer Outlined In Rate Charges

Saving On Lights, Lose On Power

No Opinion Expressed By Board In Giving Out Comparison.

A report of the findings of the city council with reference to the proposed sale of the city's electric light plant to the Southern Public Utility Co., was submitted to The Star for the citizens of Shelby today at noon.

These facts have been gathered during the past three months by the council and public accountants and are submitted without recommendation as to whether the plant shall be sold or not. The council says it submits its findings without bias and awaits the sentiment of the citizens as to whether an election shall be called or not on the proposed sale.

Council's Report
To the Citizens of the City of Shelby, North Carolina:

"In November 1931, the Southern Public Utilities company submitted an offer to the mayor and board of aldermen of \$1,100,000.00 as a purchase price for the electric light and power fixtures and equipment of the city of Shelby and for a franchise to furnish the city and its inhabitants electric current. At said time it submitted as a part of its offer rates at which it would furnish electricity. These rates are as follows:

S. P. U. Light Rates
The company will, at its option, furnish either approximately 110 volt, 2 wire, or 110-220 volt, 3 wire, 60 cycle, single phase metered service for lighting and for electric devices not specified under other schedules of the company.

Motors under 2 horse power, 110 volt, may be installed on the lighting circuit and the total consumption billed under this schedule, but the company does not guarantee the voltage regulation of such mixed installations.

Motors frequently started, or arranged for automatic control, must be of a type to give the minimum starting current, and must be equipped with controlling devices approved by the company.

Rate Per Month:
8 cents per KWH for the first 26.
7 cents per KWH for the next 275.
6 cents per KWH for the next 300.
4.8c per KWH for the next 400.
3.5c per KWH for the next 1000.
3 cents per KWH for the next 2000.

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Madge Costner, Age Seven, Buried Today

Seven Year Old Child Dies Of Peritonitis. Funeral At Knob Creek Church.

Madge Costner, seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Costner of the St. Paul section of upper Cleveland died in the Shelby hospital Tuesday morning at 4 o'clock. She was operated on Sunday for appendicitis and it was found that an operation was delayed too long.

Madge was born Sept. 7th, 1924 and was a bright and interesting child. Her parents, four brothers and six sisters survive. Funeral services were held this morning at 11 o'clock at Knob Creek Methodist Protestant church by Rev. A. D. Shelton, pastor on the Belwood charge.

A large crowd attended the funeral services.

Cow Stolen, Killed And Beef Is Sold

Deputy Ben Cooper yesterday was on the trace of a stolen cow, which he learned was transformed into beef before the day was over. The cow was stolen yesterday morning in the Ellenboro section and was tracked down the railroad track into Cleveland county. Deputy Cooper got on the trail there and followed it to below Mooresboro where it turned off on the Bolling Springs road. Several miles from Bolling Springs it was noticed that the cow had been led into the woods. Further investigation revealed she had been killed, and butchered there, and the beef, it is believed, was sold.