

THE MARKET
Cotton, Spot 7.55 up
Cotton Seed, ton 89

Rain Thursday

Today's North Carolina Weather Report: Partly cloudy and probably light showers in west portion to-night and Thursday. Not much change in temperature.

Road Building

The North Carolina highway commission yesterday afternoon announced low bidders on road and bridge contracts amounting to \$994,184.54 after the opening of bids on the first projects of the state's highway relief program.

Many Students Enrolling Now In B. S. College

College To Open On Sept. 6
Expect College Enrollment This Year To Run Above 100. Come In Fast.

Boiling Springs junior college is anticipating its biggest session since becoming a standard junior college. The school opens on Tuesday, September 6, it was stated today by Prof. O. P. Hamrick.

The full faculty of the college has already been lined up by the new president, Rev. J. L. Jenkins, and the trustees, and final arrangements are now being made for the opening with rooms being assigned each day.

Pulls In 4 Fish On A Single Line

Lawndale Man Gets Three Cats And One Perch At A Pull At Bridgewater.

Glenn Lee, of Lawndale, former star athlete at Shelby high, has the prize inland fish story of the year. Recently Lee was fishing in Lake James, Bridgewater, and he caught four fish—three cats and a perch—on one line with two hooks at a single pull.

Here's how it happened: He had two hooks on his line. He cast, he had a bite and pulled in. The line caught and broke. Lee figured that the fish he had hooked would die, and proceeded to put two more hooks on his line. He cast back near the same spot. In a minute or two he had a good nibble and reeled in. On each hook was a cat fish. That made two, and hanging through one hook was the tangled part of the line broken off and as that came in there was a cat on one hook and a perch on the other. Really four hooks were used in the one haul but the two last hooks really caught and pulled in all four fish.

Beat that one for a fish story in inland water.

200 Women Rush Beauty Parlor To Get A Wave

This is a story not about a gold rush but about a beauty rush and to the feminine world beauty is gold.

Over 200 Shelby women rushed a local beauty parlor from Friday afternoon to noon Tuesday to take advantage of a bargain rate Eugene wave.

The big news of the story is that bargain rates coupled with Star advertising pays. Friday's Star carried a notice by the Mayhew beauty salon that Eugene waves had been reduced to \$3. A year ago they were \$6.50 and until a week ago were \$5. At noon, yesterday the proprietor of the beauty shop had, he said, accommodated 200 customers and was getting almost too much business to handle.

If you have something you know the people want and at a price they can pay, try STAR ADVERTISING and get similar results.

VOL. XXXVIII, No. 99

SHELBY, N. C. WEDNESDAY, AUG. 17, 1932

(Published Monday, Wednesday and Friday Afternoons)

By Mail per year, (in advance) — \$2.50
Carrier, per year, (in advance) \$3.00

Explain Status Eastside Mill To Stockholders

Plant To Go On The Auction Block

F. R. Morgan Reads History Of Mill's Financial Troubles. Sale Inevitable.

At a called meeting of the holders of common and preferred stock in the Eastside Manufacturing Co., held Tuesday morning at the Eastside (Jefferson) school house, Fred R. Morgan read a review of the mill's financial troubles from its beginning eleven years ago. The purpose of the meeting was to explain to the stockholders the mill's financial position and just how the receivership was brought on and if possible work out a plan whereby the mill might be operated on for the benefit of the present owners.

The earnings of the mill were given year by year, showing how the deficit mounted after paying taxes and eight per cent interest of the preferred stock. The mill's financial statement had gotten to the point where it could not borrow without endorsement and the directors and officials did not seem willing to carry on. The largest creditor is Wilson-Bradbury, the commission house to whom the mill owes \$160,000. The next largest creditors are five directors to whom the mill owes \$20,000 each. The suggestion was made that the stockholders accept ten per cent of their present stock in order to make a better financial statement and that an effort be made to get another commission house to pay Wilson-Bradbury and take over the selling agency of the mill, but the stockholders most heavily interested felt that this could not be done. Consequently the mill will be on the block at auction. In the meantime it is being operated under temporary receivership with Jack Dover as receiver.

The mill's plant inventory is \$707,000, quick assets about \$70,000 and indebtedness \$270,000. All outstanding obligations have been met except the \$270,000 due the commission house and five directors.

Sale Of Mrs. Laura Wells Lot Confirmed

Court Confirms Sale To R. E. Campbell Of West Marion St. Lot For \$3,000.

The court has confirmed the sale of the Mrs. Laura Wells home on West Marion street to R. E. Campbell for \$3,000 and a deed is being made to Mr. Campbell for the property by Frank L. Hoyle, commissioner.

It will be recalled that upon the death of Mrs. Wells, she had no children and her property was to go to one living brother and sister and the nieces and nephews of her deceased brothers and sisters. The personal effects were sold at public auction at the home and later the home lot facing 109 feet on West Marion, extending a depth of 430 feet and facing West Sumter. This and an adjoining Sumter street lot, 60x230 were bid in by R. E. Campbell for \$3,000, but the heirs did not consider this a fair price and petitioned the clerk of the court not to confirm the sale but to order a re-sale. The clerk confirmed the sale and there was an appeal to the superior court judge to have the property re-sold in the hope that it would bring a better price as several times this amount was offered for the property during the life-time of Mrs. Wells. Judge Schenck, however, confirmed the sale and the property will be conveyed to Mr. Campbell at the price he bid it in at auction.

(CONTINUED ON PAGE SIX)

Texas Jack Garner, Tears In Eyes, Reiterates His Loyalty To Democrats

Says He Stuck By Smith In 1928 And Has Suffered From Religious Bigotry.

New York, Aug. 17.—With tears in his eyes, Speaker Garner sought this week to put an end to what had been called a "whispering campaign" against him. At a luncheon in democratic national headquarters, he attacked religious bigotry, denied he had not supported "Al" Smith in 1928, and said on prohibition he was an "out-right repealist."

His voice quavered frequently as he answered three pointed questions that were fired at him in rapid order by leaders of three New England states which supported

Gruesome Exhibit



Albert H. Hamilton, ballistics expert of Auburn, N. Y., is shown on the witness stand at Miami, Fla., as he delivered a heavy blow to the prosecution which is endeavoring to prove that Haden Clarke, author, was murdered by Captain William Lancaster. Hamilton is shown with the bullet hole that, according to the expert, could only have been self-inflicted.

Brief Whirl Of The News

Brings Joy Here

No news of recent months has been received with more elation in Shelby than the announcement of the birth of the second Lindbergh son. The radio brought the first brief announcement at noon and since that time the new little Lindy has been a leading topic of conversation. The tragedy that entered the Lindbergh home endeared the famous young couple the more in the hearts of all people and the new arrival is greeted with more enthusiasm than the birth of a royal heir aboard. Before the name of the new baby was announced there was much local speculation as to the name. The favorite guess was Dwight Morrow Lindbergh.

Farmers On Strike

The news from Sioux City, Iowa, is that the farmers there really mean business in staging a strike. The farmers are boycotting buyers who will not pay the price they think they should receive for their products, and they are attempting to force non-striking farmers not to sell until prices move up. Cleveland farmers, the majority of them cotton growers, might wish for a strike so that they could hold their cotton until they get a decent price, but the success of such a strike is doubtful. Many of them must sell at the earliest moment in order to meet obligations and to lay in winter clothing, shoes, and supplies.

Jack Tells Them

Democrats of this section got quite a kick out of the manner in which Texas Jack Garner "got 'em told" in New England and New York. Some of the disgruntled Smith men accused Garner, the Democratic vice-president nominee, of scratching Smith in 1928. But with typical Texas fire, Garner told them that he had been taking the ticket straight since his first vote. Even a beginner in politics should have known that a "ticket scratched" never gets such high honors from the party.

Tobacco Selling

The tobacco markets in the Carolinas opened yesterday. Tobacco farmers received slightly better prices than last year for their lower grades but about the same price for

(CONTINUED ON PAGE SIX)

Second Version Given Killing County War Vet

Father Of McKinley Cook Investigates

Is Told By Son's Companions He Was Not Drinking When Shot By Wife's Father.

McKinley Cook, 34-year-old Cleveland county World war veteran shot to death by his father-in-law, Albert Barksdale, near Augusta, Georgia, on July 31, was not drinking at the time and was unarmed, according to reports given Cook's father, W. A. Cook, of the Belwood section.

News dispatches from Augusta stated at the time that Sheriff J. L. Kitchens, who investigated the shooting, was informed that Cook was drinking and was armed when he visited the Barksdale home. It was said also in the report that he had threatened members of his wife's family and that when he stepped on the porch his wife's father shot him through the door panel.

Father's Version

The Cleveland native's father upon hearing of his son's death made a trip to Augusta and Gibson to investigate for himself. He got in touch with Willie Perdue, and Clarence Norman, it is said in a report to The Star, and heard his son's side of the story. They were the men with young Cook when he stopped at the Barksdale home and was fatally shot. Perdue and Norman told Cook's father that they met at a neighbor's house and talked of taking a ride. Cook said he would go with them, they said, if they would go by the home of his wife's father and get his wife. When they got to the Barksdale home, they said, Cook got out of his car unarmed and went on the porch humming a song and apparently in the very best of humor and not expecting any trouble. He started to turn the door knob when Barksdale fired from the inside through the glass door. After he was shot, the boys with him said, Cook asked his father-in-law "Why did you shoot me? I didn't know you had anything against me." He asked Barksdale that four times, they said, before he answered, "I thought I had to."

"Why did you think you had to shoot me when I haven't a thing in the world to harm you with, not even a pocket knife?"

Died In Hospital

The wounded man was then rushed to the University hospital at Augusta, where he died 12 hours later.

Not Drinking

The nurses there and the boys with him told Cook's father, it is said, that his son was not drinking when fatally shot.

Body Brought Home

Cook's wife informed the Augusta undertaker to aurn the body over to his father and mother and the remains were brought back to Cleveland county and buried in the St. Paul cemetery. Rev. E. D. McDaniel, the pastor, conducted the service and a large throng of relatives and friends attended.

Wounded In War

McKinley Cook enlisted in the army March 1, 1917, and served 24 months overseas with Company C, 3rd Machine Gun Battalion. He was wounded in France. His burial was with full military rites by the American Legion of which he was a member.

He is survived by his widow and two children, one child by his first wife, who was before marriage Miss Estelle Hoffman, of Parkville, S. C. Surviving also are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cook; two sisters, Mrs. Clyde Warlick, of Casar, and Miss Dazzie Cook, of Belwood; and four brothers, Moody, Crawford, Minifee and Broadus Cook, of Belwood.

Insurance Firm In Receivership

Royster Agency, Headed By Price, In Receivership As Judge Signs Papers.

A petition placing the Royster Company, Inc., Shelby insurance agency, in receivership was signed this week at Morganton by Judge Michael Schenck. The agency has been managed by Bert Price.

The petitioning creditors were represented by Attorney Henry B. Edwards and the agency by Attorney Pat McBrayer. Assets and liabilities, it is understood, have not formally been set forth.

Painting Theatre

The interior of the Webb theatre lobby is being painted this week in a striking new color scheme. The painting is being done in the early morning and is not interfering with the daily program schedule.

Better Sale Of Garden Seed In City Than Ever

Unless the hot, dry spell played havoc with too many gardens there will be plenty to eat in Shelby and Cleveland county during the late summer and fall.

It has been reported that this year saw more acreage in garden crops than ever before, and a report on seed sales bears out the previous report. All local stores dealing in seeds say they have sold more this year than ever before. Turnips ran first in sales with radishes coming in second. One dealer stated that so far he has sold 125 pounds of turnip seed in five and ten-cent lots. That's some selling.

Rutherford Man Shot To Death In Burke On Monday

Sylvester Harrell Shot in Row Over Copper Pipe. Ben Brackett Is Held

Morganton, Aug. 17.—Sylvester Jarrett, of Rutherford county, was shot and killed, allegedly by his cousin, Ben Brackett, in the Brindleton section of Burke county, about 11 miles southwest of Morganton, Monday night.

Brackett has been lodged in the county jail here. He is hoping to arrange bail on the plea that he shot in self-defense.

Soon after the alleged homicide, which occurred at the Brackett home, and said to have been witnessed by Brackett's wife and children, and Gus Morrison, a neighbor, Brackett came to Morganton and surrendered voluntarily to Sheriff F. W. Rose.

A quarrel over some copper piping is said to have caused the trouble long darkened by deepest tragedy. Five months and 16 days after Charles August Lindbergh, jr., was stolen from his crib to meet his death while all the world sought him, the second baby was born at 6:30 a. m.

The child was understood to have been born in the Dwight W. Morrow home where the first baby was born and where Mrs. Lindbergh was known to have been up to the last day or two. Mrs. Morrow, Mrs. Lindbergh's mother, was present, having recently returned from Europe.

A date for a preliminary hearing has not been arranged as yet. The body of Jarrett is being held at a Morganton undertaking establishment awaiting advice from relatives as to funeral arrangements.

Young Casar Girl Dies In Hospital

Miss Mary Dee Price, Age 15, Is Buried At Lee's Chapel. III Several Months.

Miss Mary Dee Price died Wednesday night, August 10, at the Shelby hospital at 9 o'clock after an illness of several months. Miss Price was one of the most beloved young girls of the Casar community and enjoyed a great host of friends. She had a lovable disposition and unusually pleasing personality. On September 11th, 1927 she professed faith in Christ and joined Lees Chapel church at the age of 10 years and was a faithful member. She was a regular attendant at Sunday school as long as she was able to go.

She was born January 9th, 1917 and died at the age of 15 years, seven months and one day. Surviving are four brothers, Tilford, Paul, Edson, Spurgeon and one sister, Leola. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon 1:30 and interment was in the cemetery at Lees Chapel church. Services were in charge of Rev. C. E. Barber.

Home Coming Day At Mount Zion

There will be home-coming exercises at Mount Zion Baptist church on August 21st. The public is invited to attend with well filled baskets. Sunday school at 10 o'clock, preaching at 11 o'clock, by the pastor Rev. Otis Cook. Dinner will be spread at noon in picnic style. In the afternoon a quartet will sing and this will be followed by an experience meeting. The announcement says a large delegation is expected from Lincolnton.

Masonic Meeting

A called communication of Cleveland Lodge 202 A. F. & A. M. will be held Friday night, at 8 o'clock, for work in the second degree.

Today's Star Features

Page 4—Nobody's Business. Editorials, Doldrums. Page 3—Around Our Town. Page 7—Bargain Want Ads.

Proud of Their Babe



Fresh from her Olympic victories at Los Angeles, Mildred Babe Didrikson, Uncle Sam's record-smashing niece, is shown with her father, Ole N. Didrikson, and her mother on her triumphant return to Dallas, Texas. Babe set two world's records during the games, the 80-meter hurdles and the javelin throw. Now she plans to take up golf and annex a few more laurels.

Second Son Born To Lindberghs Tuesday

Another Baby In Famous Aviator's Home Five Months After Dark Tragedy.

Englewood, N. J., Aug. 17.—There is another "little Lindy" now. An eaglet has come to take the place of Charles A. Lindbergh, jr., the infant whose kidnapping and cruel death five months ago shocked the entire world.

Another son was born to the Charles A. Lindberghs Tuesday, bringing happiness back to a home long darkened by deepest tragedy. Five months and 16 days after Charles August Lindbergh, jr., was stolen from his crib to meet his death while all the world sought him, the second baby was born at 6:30 a. m.

The child was understood to have been born in the Dwight W. Morrow home where the first baby was born and where Mrs. Lindbergh was known to have been up to the last day or two. Mrs. Morrow, Mrs. Lindbergh's mother, was present, having recently returned from Europe.

Betty Gow To Be Nurse

No statement was forthcoming on this point but the probability was considered that the new baby's nurse would be Betty Gow, the Scottish girl who was the first baby's nurse and who first discovered the kidnapping.

The fact that Mrs. Lindbergh was expecting a second child became generally known only after the first son, Charles A. Lindbergh, jr., was kidnapped. She was under constant medical care during the long search for the baby and his kidnappers and had been in retirement since her return to the home of her mother here several weeks ago.

Mrs. Lindbergh surrounded the world, from the very moment her first baby was kidnapped, by the strength with which she met the tragic situation into which fate threw her so soon after the death of her father, Senator Dwight W. Morrow, who died last year while she and Col. Lindbergh were making a flying tour of the far east.

So far as could be learned, Mrs. Lindbergh continued about her household duties even from the first, making herself of service to all the searchers for her baby who made the Lindbergh home their headquarters.

Colonel Lindbergh, from the moment on that blustery March night when he discovered that his

Home Coming Day At Mount Zion

There will be home-coming exercises at Mount Zion Baptist church on August 21st. The public is invited to attend with well filled baskets. Sunday school at 10 o'clock, preaching at 11 o'clock, by the pastor Rev. Otis Cook. Dinner will be spread at noon in picnic style. In the afternoon a quartet will sing and this will be followed by an experience meeting. The announcement says a large delegation is expected from Lincolnton.

Mrs. Lindbergh Mother For Second Time Has Shown Unusual Courage

Wife Of Lone Eagle Retained Composure During Trying Ordeal Of Death.

Englewood, N. J., Aug. 17.—A mother whose courage amid darkest grief won for her the admiration of mothers everywhere is a mother again and the world is elated. Now that there is another infant in the home of the Charles A. Lindberghs, the thousands of admirers hope that the new baby will to a certain extent assuage the grief of the others' death.

When the first Lindbergh baby was kidnapped Mrs. Lindbergh's first thought was for his health. The baby had been suffering from a cold and only for that reason had the Lindberghs stayed over the

Lutherans Let Contract Here For New Church

Edifice To Be A Brick Building

Lutz And Webb Are Low Bidders. Edifice to be erected at corner of Marietta and LaFayette

Contract was let yesterday for the erection of a house of worship for the Lutherans, a \$10,000 brick edifice to be built on the lot owned by the church at the corner of N. LaFayette and Sumter streets. Lutz and Webb were low bidders.

Rev. Frank Davis, acting pastor for the Lutheran congregation, who has been doing some very effective work here for the past several months in building up the church congregation and Sunday School, says the building will be 33 x 80 feet with a main auditorium having a seating capacity of 400. The basement will contain about a dozen Sunday school rooms. Of course the brick structure will have a heating plant and ample plumbing.

A ground breaking ceremony will be held on the afternoon of Sunday August 28th at which time the site will be dedicated and appropriate exercises held. While Mr. Davis is acting pastor, Dr. E. C. Cooper of Kings Mountain is field missionary in charge and visits the local field each week.

M. C. Powell Is Buried At Union

Prominent farmer dies in Union community at age 71—Jovial character.

M. C. Powell, prominent farmer living between Union and Polkville was buried this afternoon at Union Baptist church at 2 o'clock, the funeral being conducted by Rev. D. G. Washburn, assisted by Rev. E. E. Snow. Mr. Powell died Monday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock following a long decline in health. He was born Feb. 19th, 1861 and was 71 years, five months and 26 days old. Mr. Powell was married to Nancy Peeler who survives with six children, Ambrose Powell, Mrs. Clara and Mrs. Viola Hefner, Emmett Powell, Mrs. Selma Hefner and Miss Mary Edna Podell. Three of the daughters married Hefners. One sister Alice Powell also survives.

Mr. Powell was a substantial farmer and highly esteemed in the community. He was widely known and a most jovial character, enjoying a joke and always cheerful and witty in his disposition.

Mills Goes With Rogers Motor Firm

Well Known Salesman Now With Ford Company. Show Well Attended.

Henry Mills, well known Shelby salesman, this week joined the sales force of Rogers Motors, Shelby Ford agency.

The first open air Ford show held in Shelby, Saturday and Monday, by Rogers Motors was considered a big success by R. H. Rogers, manager. Between eight and nine thousand people attended the show, he said.

Barn Is Burned In No. Two Township

The barn of Plink Beason in No. 2 township was completely destroyed by fire on last Wednesday morning, about ten o'clock. The origin of the fire is unknown. At the time it was discovered, Mr. Beason had his mules out in the field making the ground ready to sow turnips. All of his feed and a good Ford pick-up, were destroyed. Very little insurance was carried on the building.

Try Answering These

- 1. Which state is called the "free state?"
2. Where is the University of Alabama?
3. Does a body weigh more after death than before?
4. Why does cream rise to the top of milk?
5. For what is "iron horse" a nickname?
6. Has the German Navy any submarines?
7. How many women have served in the U. S. Senate?
8. What is an acute angle?
9. What are the grassy plains of South America called?
10. What are goobers?
11. Who was Charles S. Whitman?
12. What is the minimum age prescribed by the Constitution for Representatives in Congress?
13. How many battalions has the U. S. Navy?
14. How many inches in a meter?
15. What is an obi?
16. In what month did the blitzard of 1888 occur?
17. Who was Mary Ball?
18. Who owns the Island of Elba?
19. Is Soviet Russia a member of the League of Nations?
20. What body of water separates the continents of Asia and North America?

(CONTINUED ON PAGE SIX)