

THE MARKET
Cotton, spot basic 6 1-4c
Cotton Seed, bu. 15 3/4c

More Rain!!

Today's North Carolina Weather Report: Cloudy with rain in west and extreme north portions tonight, probably in west Tuesday morning. Not so warm Tuesday.

Strike Ended

Rockingham, Oct. 17.—The strike here is ended. After eight weeks of idleness that affected 1,200 operatives in three large cotton mills, the strikers Saturday night in secret meeting voted by a big majority to end the strike and return to their jobs. The strikers gained none of their demands. They simply will return to their jobs on the exact basis of working conditions and pay that prevailed when they went on strike August 22. The company stores will reopen this morning to furnish food and fuel to the former employees. The mills will be died and warmed, so that actual operations can begin again Wednesday morning.

Farmers Holding Cotton For Gain In Market Price

Majority Would Welcome Nine And 10 Cents And Sell Hope For Better.

Cleveland county cotton farmers hanging onto their cotton—and hoping—are wondering if recent heavy rains throughout the south will not cut the crop and better the present price.

The majority of local farmers, according to cotton buyers, have been holding back all the cotton they can.

"You would be surprised," one buyer said today, "how much cotton has been hauled back home."

Some, of course, cannot hold but so long due to obligations which they must meet. Those who received seed loans from the government will be helped by the 9-12 cent per advance as collateral. But numerous others have obligations they must meet around the first of the month, and as a result a quantity of cotton will be turned loose then.

If the price should get around 9 or 10 cents within the next two or three weeks," a farmer said Saturday, "there would be a regular stampede of selling. When the market swung up near that point some time ago there was no great amount of cotton ready to sell, and some who could have sold held back hoping for even more. They'll not do it again. Let it hit 10 cents and there'll be plenty of selling."

The week-end rains here have hurt the crop. It is known, and reports of similar rains throughout the cotton belt bring the belief that the damage will be reflected in the next cotton report and subsequently in the price.

W. M. Dayberry
Died On Sunday
Funeral Today For 83-year-Old Casar Man, Has Many Survivors.

William Moton Dayberry, aged 83, and one of the best known residents of upper Cleveland died Sunday after an illness of around two months following a stroke of paralysis.

Funeral services were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at Mt. Mo-Fish church, conducted by Rev. C. E. Ridge.

Mr. Dayberry, among the older men of the county, had lived in this section practically all of his life. About 60 years ago he was married to Miss Sefaney Ledford, who along with one son preceded him to the grave. Surviving are a stepson, Weldon Dayberry, of Lawndale, and the following children: John Dayberry, of Shelby; Mrs. Mat Hatley, of Hudson; Elijah Dayberry, of Lawndale; Mrs. Lan Hunt, of Charlotte; Miller Dayberry, of Casar; Charles Dayberry, of Shelby; and Mrs. Dolley White of Casar. Surviving also are 53 grandchildren, 26 great grand children and two sisters, Mrs. Rochie Ledford and Miss Jane Dayberry, both of the Casar section.

Revivalist Will Arrive Here Tonight
A revival meeting was begun yesterday at the Second Baptist church by the pastor, Rev. L. L. Jessup, but the preaching from today on will be done by Rev. W. M. Jamerson of Newport News, Va., who arrived today. Mr. Jamerson is pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist church in Newport News, and has held many large pastorates in the South. He is a native of Western North Carolina. Services are held daily at 3:30 and 7:15 p. m. The public is cordially invited.

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Jeffress Confirms Road Program, Says Work Will Be Done Speedily; First Contract To Be Let Nov. 1st

Editor Weathers Gets Letter

Surveys Will Immediate Locate Bolling Springs, Lattimore, Patterson, Earl and Grover Rds.

E. B. Jeffress, chairman of the state highway commission has confirmed the approval of the county-wide highway program as presented to him by A. E. Cline, J. D. Lineberger and O. M. Mull in person last Friday and states in a letter to Editor Lee P. Weathers of The Star that contracts will be let on the Polkville road November 1st, and that surveys now in the county will make all necessary surveys before leaving the county.

Mr. Jeffress congratulates the public officials for the co-operation given in adopting the county-wide plan which will result in distributing benefits to such a large number of people.

His letter to The Star is intended also to answer the many telegrams sent to him when the program was under consideration last Friday.

Survivors Will Stay Here
Mr. Jeffress letter is as follows:

"Mr. Lee P. Weathers, Shelby, N. C. Dear Mr. Weathers:

The Shelby delegation was here today and I have also received about 30 telegrams from your citizens.

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Mrs. H. E. Beatty Passed On Sunday

Funeral Services Held This Afternoon At Eastside Baptist Church.

Mrs. Minnie Lee Falls Beatty, 48, wife of H. E. Beatty, died Sunday afternoon at the Shelby hospital after an illness of three weeks.

Funeral services were conducted at Eastside Baptist church this afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by her pastor, Rev. H. E. Waldrop.

Mrs. Beatty had been living in Shelby about six years, coming here from Charlotte. She was a member of the Baptist church since she was 16, joining first at Antioch church, near Grover, and later moving her membership to the Eastside church. She was a devoted wife and mother and her kind disposition made friends of all who knew her.

Surviving in addition to her husband are the following children: Mrs. Jewell Bolick, of Slader, S. C.; Evelyn Marshall, James and Veda Beatty, all of Shelby. Her mother, Mrs. E. C. Falls, of Kingstree, S. C., also survive along with five brothers and two sisters.

Woman's Club Is Given Building Lot

The Woman's club has been offered a building lot free in the Cleveland Springs estate, provided the club erect a club house thereon. The tendered lot is just west of Mrs. J. G. Dudley's home on Highway 20. Mrs. H. T. Hudson, president of the Woman's club says the club will likely accept the offer as it has had in mind for some time the building of a permanent home.

Voting In Coming Election Will Be Fully Secret; All On One Ballot

Every Voter Will Receive Same Kind Of Slip On Entering Booth.

North Carolina voters on November 8 will find themselves voting a straight Australian ballot for the first time, it is pointed out by the county board of elections.

All candidates for office will be on the same ballot, and there will be this fall no Republican tickets as distinguished from Democratic tickets.

In Cleveland county there will be only four ballots, and in each of the 26 precincts, identically the same ballots will be cast. One ballot will contain the names of the Democratic, Republican and Socialist presidential electors. The second will be the state ballot, which will contain Democratic and Republican candidates for state officers and for United States senator and congressman. The third will be the county ballot, listing all Republican and Democratic candidates for county offices, including township constables. The fourth ballot will be for voting for or

Boy Missing Since Saturday Afternoon

Bennie Ramey, 9, Said To Have Been Seen At Fair Ground Later.

Did Bennie Ramey, 9-year-old Shelby boy, run away from home, was he kidnapped, or has something happened to him?

That was the question his frantic parents were asking today as they sought the aid of officers and newspapers in locating their missing boy. His mother, Mrs. Maggie Ramey, is said to be almost prostrate with anxiety and worry at having heard nothing from the youngster in two days and nights. His father is J. M. Ramey and the family lives at 545 Gidney street.

The boy was said to have been seen last by his parents around 6 o'clock Saturday evening. Later it was reported that someone saw him about the midway at the negro fair, but several searches there have failed to bring a single trace of the missing lad. He has dark brown hair, blue eyes, is medium size or large for his age, and when he left home was wearing an aviation cap, green sweater, blue shirt and overalls and white tennis shoes. Any information as to his whereabouts would be appreciated by his parents or city and county officers.

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Mrs. W. F. Wilson Dies On Saturday

Funeral Will Take Place Tuesday Afternoon From Residence On West Marion Street.

Mrs. Saphronia Smith Wilson, wife of W. F. Wilson, died Saturday morning at 2:45 o'clock at her home on West Marion street where she had been ill for about four years. The end was not unexpected for her condition had been serious for several weeks.

Mrs. Wilson was a patient in hospitals for ten months and underwent an operation a few years ago. She was a patient sufferer and resigned to her affliction. She was born in this county 73 years ago last January and married W. F. Wilson 53 years ago. She loved her home and church and was a devoted wife and mother. Surviving are her husband and the following children all of whom have arrived for the funeral: John A. Wilson of Newberry, S. C.; J. W. Wilson, of Shelby; Chancey C. Wilson of Florida; Oscar G. Wilson, of Alexandria, La.; Mrs. Laura Turner of Charlotte, Mrs. Z. H. Clark of Seabrell, Va.; Mrs. S. S. Myrick of Newson, Va. One daughter, Mrs. Bessie Joyner died a few years ago.

Also surviving are two brothers, Ex-Sheriff D. D. Wilkins and John J. Wilkins, both of this county. Funeral services will be held from the home Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Dr. Zeno Wall, pastor of the First Baptist church of which she was a member for many years and interest will be in Sunset cemetery.

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Ehringhaus Will Speak In County Friday, Nov. 4

Bailey In Shelby Next Thursday

Definite Date Fixed For gubernatorial Candidate, Hoey Determined.

Bailey Thursday
Senator J. W. Bailey will speak in Shelby Thursday night at the court house. It was definitely announced today by Democratic headquarters here. The hour will be 7:30 and Democratic leaders hope to have a large audience here for the first major campaign speech of the year. Senator Bailey is one of North Carolina's most eloquent speakers and his presentation of the campaign issues should be of interest to all.

J. C. B. Ehringhaus, Democratic candidate for governor, will speak in Kings Mountain on Friday night, November 4. This was definitely announced today by Oliver S. Anthony county Democratic chairman, and C. C. Horn, president of the Young Democrats.

Mr. Ehringhaus had promised to make one campaign speech in the county, but due to his recent illness the exact date was not known until yesterday.

Other Speakings.
The first major campaign talk in Shelby is tentatively set for next Thursday night, Oct. 20, when Senator Josiah W. Bailey will speak in the court house.

The following week Robert R. Reynolds is scheduled to speak in Shelby on Friday night, the 28th. Both the Bailey and Reynolds dates may be switched, however.

Clyde R. Hoey was to close the campaign here on Friday night, November 4th, but in order not to conflict with the Ehringhaus address at Kings Mountain, Mr. Hoey may speak on Thursday night, the 3rd.

Additional interest is being shown in the campaign, and Henry B. Edwards, treasurer, said today that contributions have been good so far to the Roosevelt-Garfield medallion club.

Three Speakings In County During Week; One In City

Young Democrats Announce Schedule. Beaver Dam, Dover Mill, Grover.

In addition to the address of Senator Josiah W. Bailey in Shelby Thursday night there will be three speakings in the county this week. These will be under the direction of the Young Democrats and are listed as follows:

Tuesday night, Beaver Dam, with Pat McBrayer and Bynum Weathers as speakers.

Wednesday night, Dover Mill, with Ernest Gardner and Peyton McSwain as speakers.

Friday night, Grover, with John P. Mull and P. Cleveland Gardner as speakers.

All the meetings will begin at 7:30 and people of these communities are urged to attend. It is hoped to have a majority of the county democratic nominees present for each meeting.

Mrs. Barbara Hardin Buried At New Hope

Widow Of W. W. Hardin Dies At Age 76 Years. Three children Survive Her.

Mrs. Barbara Newton Hardin, widow of W. W. Hardin died Friday, Oct. 14th at her home in the Mount Sinai section of No. 3 township. She was 76 years, three months and 22 days old and was married to W. W. Hardin on Dec. 24th, 1876. They lived a beautiful life together until he died twenty months ago. To this union were born seven children, four of whom have died. The three surviving are Mrs. B. F. Wilson, of Sharon, S. C.; W. D. Hardin, and Mrs. C. E. Beam, of Shelby, Route 2. Also surviving are 25 grand children and eleven great grand children, together with two brothers, Robert Newton and W. B. Newton and one sister, Mrs. O. C. London.

Mrs. Hardin joined New Hope Baptist church in 1877 and was a faithful member and consecrated Christian. The funeral was conducted Sunday by Rev. Mr. Goode of Bolling Springs and interment was in the New Hope church cemetery.

Bonus Envoys at White House



Some of the members of the delegation from the Bonus Army Expeditionary Force, which was routed from the capital last July, are shown outside the White House when they called to present a formal petition for payment of the bonus to President Hoover. Left to right are: Dr. E. Cornelius, Pittsburgh; Myrtle Crawford, Los Angeles; General Frank Hines, Veterans Administrator, who accepted the petition, and Hoke Smith, Florida, who was spokesman for the party. Back row are: Robert Desoff, Cleveland; William Jordan, Savannah; and Arthur Tabb, San Diego.

Record Rainfall In Section In Two Days

Streams Out Of Banks, Lowlands Flooded With 7.72 Inches Of Rain In 24 Hours.

In a 24-hour period from 10 o'clock Saturday night until this morning the Shelby section was flooded by the heaviest rainfall on record. From 10 o'clock Saturday night until 8 o'clock Monday morning a total of 7.72 inches had fallen here, according to the record kept at the Federal post office building.

As a result of the heavy and continuous downpour of around 30 hours streams were out of their banks, flooding lowlands, and basements about the city and county were flooded. Crops, particularly lowland corn, were considerably damaged it was reported today.

Rivers Run Wild.
Second Broad river, just west of Shelby, was out of its banks for a distance of 50 yards at points this morning and was still rising slightly at 11 o'clock. Measuring on a pipe from one of the pumps at the city water station intake, R. V. Toms, water and light superintendent, said the river was up 26 feet, and approximately as high as during the high waters of 1928 and 1916. It is believed that streams would have been more flooded had it been a washing rain, but the rain fell steadily and due to a shortage of rainfall soaked in to a considerable extent. The side road to the abattoir from the Lee street road to

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B. O. Hamrick Off City Police Force; Returns To Trading

B. O. Hamrick, for some time plain clothes man on the Shelby police force, has resigned. It was learned today, to return to his former occupation of cattle trading and general trading which he followed for a period between the time he served as police chief and his return to the force as plain clothes man. His position in the police department has not been filled so far as is known.

Bury Mrs. Pruett Tuesday Afternoon

Lawndale Woman Died In Hospital Here Sunday Evening From Pneumonia Attack.

Funeral services for Mrs. John Pruett, well known woman of the Lawndale section, will be conducted at the tabernacle in Lawndale Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and interment will follow at Palm Tree cemetery.

Mrs. Pruett succumbed to a pneumonia attack at the Shelby hospital Sunday evening at 6 o'clock.

The deceased was 57 years of age and is survived by her husband and two children, Mrs. Mary Jones and Mrs. John B. Hunt.

Try Answering These

- Can you answer 14 of these test questions? Turn to page two for the answers.
1. Where is Singapore?
2. Where do the Tuscarora Indians live?
3. How long is the life of a U. S. patent?
4. Which is larger in area, Vermont or New Jersey?
5. What does "auf wiedersehen" mean?
6. Is tobacco mentioned in the Bible?
7. What is a "sandhog"?
8. Who was made "admiral of the navy" by act of congress?
9. Of what famous statute was Thomas Jefferson the author?
10. What is the nickname for Sarah?
11. Where is the body of President Roosevelt buried?
12. Is soup drunk, or eaten?
13. State the motto of Virginia?
14. Name the novel about whale hunting written by Herman Melville?
15. Which state is nicknamed "The Palmetto State"?
16. What does interstate mean?
17. Name the song by George M. Cohan that was famous during the World war?
18. Name the capital of Puerto Rico?
19. Name the instrument used to measure wind velocities?
20. What does sveite mean?

Education To Go On Allen Tells Teachers

Yates Elam, 31, Buried Sunday

Son Of Mr. And Mrs. Geo. A. Elam Succumbs Saturday, Lived In Washington.

Yates Elam, 31 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Elam, N. Washington street, died in the Shelby hospital Saturday morning at 2 o'clock following a protracted illness from a spinal trouble, thought to have developed from an attack of influenza.

Mr. Elam had been working in Washington but came home ill several weeks ago. Several physicians attended him and everything was done to restore his health, but all to no avail. He was a handsome young man and was held in highest esteem by his friends and associates.

Surviving are his parents and nine brothers and one sister: Dewitt of New York, Purnell of Kings Mountain, Roland of Shelby, Mrs. Lester Mull of Catawba county, Boyd of Spartanburg, Lloyd of Concord, Reuben, Herman and Robert, of Shelby. All are handsome children, ambitious and home-loving. The death of Yates is the first break in the large family circle since the death of a son in infancy.

In spite of a down-pour of rain, the funeral Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Elam residence was largely attended and a beautiful floral offering indicated the esteem and love in which Mr. Elam was held. Services were conducted by Rev. W. A. Elam and Dr. Zeno Wall and a male quartet rendered several numbers. Interment was in Sunset cemetery with the following men serving as pallbearers:

John Honescutt, Tom Abernethy, Ruffin Mull, Horace Kennedy, El Gardner, Bob McDowell, W. D. Lasky, Boyce Wakefield, Randolph Logan, Ford Hendrick, Chas. Hendrick, Wm. Harris.

Mr. Cline reviewed the financial status of the county, and suggested

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City Not To Send Out Tax Notices

Two Per Cent Discount of Taxes Paid Before Nov. 1. One Per Cent in November.

The city will economize on postage and not mail out statements to tax payers showing the amount of taxes due for 1932, so Mayor McMurry announced this morning. Tax payers will have to call at the city hall to find out what they are due on taxes.

A two per cent discount is allowed for the remainder of this month and during November there will be a one per cent discount allowed. After December 1 taxes will be net with a penalty to be added for the succeeding months, increasing month after month until the time comes when property has to be sold for unpaid taxes.

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The Spirit Of Cleveland (An Editorial)

The Star in the near future proposes to publish a "Spirit of Cleveland" edition, confident that its appearance will serve as a stimulant to greater endeavor to maintain our splendid record of the past, and happy in the wealth of information to be found in its pages.

Cleveland holds high place among the 100 counties of the State, due to her unusual achievements in the past, and this strategic post can be maintained under present conditions if her citizenry will continue to demonstrate the same foresight, determination, grit, sanity and optimism that carried their ancestors through the perils and uncertainties of pioneer days. "The Spirit of Cleveland" edition gives homage to those individuals and industries which are maintaining, in the face of adverse conditions, the fine traditions of an illustrious past.

School children should read and preserve this edition. It will offer them data not only concerning the city and county where they reside, but State and world facts that will add to their store of knowledge. Likewise, it gives glimpses into the past, refreshes one's memory concerning noted characters of yesteryear, and unites in pleasing fashion the past to the present.

The historian, the buyer, the seller, the scholar, the merchant, the textile worker, the teacher, the preacher, all can find in this issue information of value. What do you know about your county? Its traditions? Its accomplishments? Its builders? The men who are making it notable today? Its business concerns? Its administrative affairs.

These and other informative questions will be answered for you in "The Spirit of Cleveland."

Educational Rally Well Attended

North Carolina has passed through two major crises and maintained her educational ideals and will do so again. A. T. Allen, state superintendent of public instruction, told a gathering of several hundred teachers, P. T. A. members, school committeemen, county and city officials in Cleveland county's first county-wide educational conference held in Shelby Saturday.

Dr. Allen was the chief speaker on the all-day conference program, which was termed a great success by educational leaders and others. The morning session, held in the Central high school auditorium as was the afternoon session, was devoted to a general discussion of school problems by county and school officials. The theme of the day's program, as announced by J. H. Grigg, county superintendent, who presided, was "The Allied Forces of Education." There were special musical numbers with Horace Esom directing the singing and in which O. B. Lewis, violinist, Mrs. Hugh Plaster, pianist, and members of the "Heaven Bound" cast took part.

Speakers on the morning program were: A. E. Cline, chairman, county board of commissioners; W. A. Ridenhour, chairman, county board of education; Dr. Pitt Beam, member county board of health; Thad C. Ford, member, city board of education; Mrs. Harry Speck, president, city P. T. A. council, and J. B. Smith, superintendent of public welfare.

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Shelby Hospital On Approved List

American College Of Surgeons Rates Local Hospital Fully Approved.

The Shelby hospital appeared on the fully approved list announced this morning at the opening session of the fifteenth annual hospital standardization conference of the American College of Surgeons in St. Louis.

Other nearby institutions also approved by the College of Surgeons were the Rutherfordford hospital, Rutherfordford, and the Lincoln hospital, Lincoln.

Investigators of the American College of Surgeons have found this year that all the approved hospitals are meeting the requirements that "insure safe and efficient service to the patient."

"This annual list of approved hospitals has proved of great value to the patient when choosing a hospital, to the prospective student of nursing, and to the recently graduated physicians," an announcement by the organization stated.

There were 2,294 hospitals throughout the United States and Canada approved this year by the outstanding international association of 10,225 eminent surgeons. The hospital standardizing department conducts a continuous inspection of all hospitals of 25 beds or more, the surveys being made only at the request of the hospitals.

Bury Bostic Child At Mooresboro Tues.

Mary Helen Bostic, ten year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Suttle Bostic of Baltimore, Md., died there Sunday and the little body is being brought to Mooresboro for interment Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Her father, Suttle Bostic, is a nephew of Mrs. J. D. Eskridge of Graham street, Shelby. He was formerly ticket agent for a railroad in the county. The little child is a grand daughter of Mrs. Mary Burrus of Mooresboro. She had been sick for five weeks.

Liabilities Less Than Beam's Assets

In noting the voluntary bankruptcy of Grover C. Beam in Friday's Star, the assets and liabilities were given as about equal. An official report from the office of Marion Ross, referee in bankruptcy reveals the assets to be \$12,385 and the liabilities \$8,549.45, thus showing a surplus of assets above liabilities. The assets, however, were appraised in value by an attorney.