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Rain Saturday

Today's North Carolina Weather Report: Rain tonight and Saturday. Slightly warmer tonight.

Confer Tuesday

Washington, Nov. 18.—Engrossing himself in the two great problems—debts and a balanced budget—President Hoover yesterday arranged with President-elect Roosevelt to meet with him next Tuesday to discuss these subjects, and then called a bi-partisan parley with congressional leaders for the next day.

Information On Curing Of Pork By County Agent

Valuable Tips About Care And Curing Of Meat At Hog-Killing Time.

(By R. W. Shoffner, Cleveland Farm Agent.)

At this time of year there are several questions asked about the killing and curing of pork. There are some very valuable points to be stressed in this matter, because after we feed hogs a year and kill and cure the meat, we don't want to lose the year's work and the pork which is put up for food.

Questions are often asked in regard to whether an injured animal is fit for food. Yes, if it is bled and dressed as soon as it is injured. If any blood is left in the animal, it will cause it to sour during the curing process.

Another question is: Should a hog be fed before killing? No. The hog should not have any food for twenty-four hours before killing, but should have plenty of water. It is much easier to get a good bleed if the system is not gorged with food. Meats cure better when the small blood vessels are free from food products and blood. Never over

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"TB" Deaths In County Total 15 In Year Of 1931

Total Of 2,299 Died Of Tuberculosis In State, 12 White Deaths Here.

(Star News Bureau.)

Raleigh, Nov. 16.—Tuberculosis claimed 2,299 lives in North Carolina in 1931, or 2,104 in the respiratory system—the lungs—820 of white people, 1,177 of negroes and seven of Indians, the annual tuberculosis number of The Health Bulletin shows. This Bulletin, published by the N. C. State Board of Health, each November issues a special tuberculosis number, as an aid to the sale of Tuberculosis Christmas Seals, proceeds from which go to help tubercular people and prevent tuberculosis.

Buncombe county, with its several hospitals for the tubercular, naturally has the largest death rate in the State, 293, while Mecklenburg, a health center, had 120 deaths and Forsyth, another, had 111 deaths. Guilford had 71, Durham 70, Wake 38 and Wayne 57, all drawing from surrounding counties. Mecklenburg, Forsyth and Guilford have their own tuberculosis hospitals. Hoke, in which the State Sanatorium is located, had only 29 deaths, 10 of whites.

Graham is the only county having no deaths from tuberculosis, while Camden, Clay, Currituck, Dare, Hyde and Tyrrell had only one each. Warren had no white deaths, its 16 being of negroes.

Cleveland county, the report shows, had a total of 15 deaths from tuberculosis in 1931, of which 12 were of white people and three were negroes.

Paul Webb, Jr. Gets Pharmacy License

Among the eleven pharmacists to pass a successful examination this week before the State Board at Chapel Hill is Paul Webb, Jr., of Shelby. Young Mr. Webb is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Webb and has been associated with his father here in the drug store for several years. The passing of the examination means that he is now a registered pharmacist.

Dr. Wall Elected To Head Baptist Group

Shelby Pastor Given Highest Honor

Was Not Present At Charlotte Convention When Elected To Office.

Charlotte, Nov. 8.—Dr. Zeno Wall, of Shelby, yesterday was elected president of the North-Carolina Baptist convention.

Asheville made a verbal request for the next convention. The matter was referred to the general board.

With the election of Dr. Wall and other officers, the convention was adjourned.

The stand of the convention on moral issues of the day was discussed and reports were heard from the theological seminaries, the Sunday school board, the relief and annuity board, the Baptist foundation and the historical commission.

A memorial service just before noon honored the late Dr. M. L. Kestler who was director of the Mills Home and resolutions of appreciation of his work were read.

Dr. Wall was elected on the fourth ballot over Dr. John R. Jester, of Winston-Salem. Nominations from the floor besides those two included Dr. Luther Little, of Charlotte; Dr. Joel S. Snyder, of Fayetteville, and Dr. W. L. Poter, of Wake Forest.

All except Dr. Wall and Dr. Jester were eliminated on the first three ballots. When Dr. Wall led on the fourth ballot, the election was made unanimous.

Dr. Arch Cree, of Salisbury, was elected first vice-president, Rev. E. L. Johnson, of Asheville, second vice president, and Rev. P. A. Hicks, of Boone, third vice president.

Cannot Be Found After his unanimous election the pastor of the Shelby First Baptist church was called for by the convention, but could not be located. It was later learned that the new

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Blanton Advocates Two More Grades To County High Schools

Kiwans Club Holds Meeting At No. 3 Consolidated With Grange Members.

Kiwans club members met Thursday night at No. 3 consolidated school with the Grange of that township. The No. 3 Grange has 22 members. A delicious meal was served by the Home Economics club, parts of the meal being gathered from clubs in various sections of the county.

Following the meal, Prof. Lawton Blanton, principal, made an appeal for two years of junior college work made available for county high school graduates here at home to save the expense of sending those who can afford it away and to give those who can't afford to go away the advantages of junior college work. "Twenty years ago there were two high school graduates in Cleveland. Last year there were 300 and in ten more years there will be 600. Unless we provide for junior college work by adding two more grades to our school system, 300 of these will not have an equal opportunity in life with others," said Prof. Blanton.

Others on the program last night were Prof. Winchester of the agriculture department, Mrs. Irma Wallace, Miss Frances Graham and two school boys.

New Lutheran Church In Shelby Nears Completion; Ready Dec. 15

Edifice Is Handsome And Commodious. Windows Will Be Family Memorials.

Shelby's new Lutheran church, being erected at the corner of North LaFayette and Marietta streets, is rapidly nearing completion and may be ready for occupancy in less than a month. Graham S. Dellinger, chairman of the building committee, stated today that the contractors, Webb and Lutz, hoped to have the church ready for opening services by December 15.

The church, compactly arranged, is more commodious than it appears from the outside and is a striking edifice both on the interior and exterior. It is a two and one-half story structure with a large basement or ground floor, a roomy main auditorium and balcony, with numerous cloak rooms and rest

Changes Jobs



John P. Stedman (above) resigned yesterday as State Treasurer of North Carolina to become vice president and manager of the Regional Agricultural Credit bank in Raleigh. Chas. M. Johnson, director of Local Government, was appointed treasurer by Governor Gardner to succeed Stedman.

Scout Leaders Will Meet Here

Executive Board From Eleven Counties To Hold Meeting Here Tuesday Night.

The executive board of the Piedmont council of the Boy Scouts of America will meet at the Hotel Charles, Shelby, on Tuesday night, November 22nd at 7:15 o'clock at which time reports from the eleven counties of the council will be received and plans made for the annual meeting of the council which is the most outstanding meeting of the year.

In addition to the regular meeting of the scout board, the new "ten year" program committee of the Piedmont council will meet with the board to report progress in the launching of this great national program, the object of which is to enlist at least one out of every four boys in the character forming and citizenship training program of scouting so that ten years hence one out of every four young men reaching the age of citizenship will have been a four year trained scout.

Cleveland county is represented on the board by B. L. Smith, H. B. Miller and R. W. Shoffner of Shelby and Claude Grigg and W. K. Mauney of Kings Mountain. Lee B. Weathers of Shelby is the Cleveland county member on the "ten year" program committee.

Try Answering These

Can you answer 14 of these test questions? Turn to page two for the answers.

- 1. Of what federation is the Republic of Georgia a member? 2. Who was the author of the proverb: "Reading maketh a full man"? 3. What university is located in Evanston, Ill.? 4. What office did Huey P. Long hold before taking his seat as United States senator? 5. What does "fractious" mean? 6. What does it cost to send a letter to Germany? 7. What term designates the murder of a son by his parent? 8. What is fool's gold? 9. Which state of the union has the smallest area? 10. What is etymology? 11. What country rules Algeria? 12. What is the most famous legendary teller of fables? 13. Does an automobile running in high gear consume more gasoline at high speed than at low? 14. In what country is Kildare? 15. Did any negro commissioned officers serve in the U. S. army during the World war? 16. What is a "pocket veto"? 17. What causes an eclipse of the moon? 18. Who was John Jay? 19. In what country is the Yangtze river? 20. When are "morning clothes" worn?

Oyster Supper At Mooresboro School

There will be an oyster supper Saturday night, of this week at Mooresboro school, the proceeds to go for the benefit of the athletic association.

School Pupils To Sing Carols Sunday, Dec. 18

Hundreds To Take Part In Songs

Between 150 And 200 Children In Choir. Come From All Schools.

One of the most elaborate Yuletide musical programs ever staged in Shelby is being prepared now in the city schools under the direction of Ovid B. Lewis.

All the best voices in the city schools, numbering between 150 and 200, will participate in the candle-light carol program. The event is to be held, as a candle-light service, in the First Baptist church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock December 18.

Old Carols. All the grammar grade schools will sing around 10 numbers and two numbers will include the high school mixed choruses with separate numbers by the high school group. Many of the carols to be offered date back to the 15th century.

The grammar grade schools will not participate as units but the singers will be selected from all the schools to sing together. The training of the young singers is now being carried on each morning by Mr. Lewis. Assisting him are Mrs. Margaret Cooper Parker and Miss Augusta Alexander at the Jefferson school, Miss Minnie Eddins Robert at Marion, Mrs. Marion Nash at Washington, Mrs. Ruth Plaster at LaFayette, Mrs. Beatrice Suttle at South Shelby and Mrs. Rubie Hudson at Graham. Mrs. Plaster will play the pipe organ for all the carol numbers.

A Former Shelby Woman Is Sheriff In 1 Day Campaign

Daughter Of Late Sam Marks Is Elected Sheriff In Montana.

Ravalli county, Montana, now has a woman sheriff and she is a native of Shelby. Mrs. Berna Corley was chosen in the election on November 8th with a margin of 117 votes over her opponent.

Older Shelby people will remember Mrs. Corley as Berna Marks, daughter of Sam Marks, who left here with his family about 25 years ago to make his home in Stevensville, Mont. Mrs. Corley was made a candidate by her friends after the sudden death of her husband Roy M. Corley, Democratic candidate for the office, who dropped dead while attending church services at Stevensville on a Sunday night before the election.

Mrs. Corley defeated Jody Stokes. Her husband defeated Stokes two years ago. She is already serving as sheriff, being named to fill the unexpired term of her husband by the county commissioners.

Due to the Montana election laws, no campaigning can be carried on in Montana on election day and the supporters of Mrs. Corley had but one day in which to conduct the county-wide campaign for her election. That was done on Monday before the election on Tuesday.

Bob Marks Is Head Of Montana Carriers

Older people of Shelby remember the Marks family—Sam S. Marks whose children composed the Marks stringed band and furnished music at many a dance and social gathering in the latter eighties and early nineties. Robert was one of the older boys. He is now living at Hamilton, Montana, and is a rural letter carrier. Robert is president of the Montana Rural Letters Carriers' association.

Highway Letting On November 29th

Projects In Cleveland County To Be Included In Next Letting.

Raleigh, Nov. 18.—The state highway commission will open bids November 29 for construction of 10 highway projects which it is estimated will cost \$600,000. Road construction will be undertaken in Hyde, Northampton, Cumberland, Franklin, Wake, Cabarrus, Catawba, Lincoln and Cleveland counties, it was announced.

Reynold's Chum on New Job



Ab Walker, best friend of the late Smith Reynolds, tobacco heir of Winston-Salem, N. C., is shown here engaged at his new career as proprietor of a gasoline station at Winston-Salem. The murder indictment against Walker and Libby Holman, Reynolds' widow, was recently nolle prossed by the State of North Carolina. Walker's partner in his new venture, Jim Boggs, is at right.

Preliminary Charity Drive Staged Today

Main Drive Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday For Relief Fund Of \$2,500.

Lander F. McBrayer has been engaged to supervise relief work in Shelby and No. 6 township, under Mayor S. A. McMurry, director and a committee. Headquarters have been opened in the Dr. R. C. Ellis building on West Marion street from which place all aid will be dispensed.

By Wednesday night of next week the people of Shelby will be asked to raise \$2,500 for relief work in the city and No. 6 township for the approaching winter.

Today canvassing teams made a preliminary drive in the business section, while Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week the regular Red Cross roll call combined with the city charity campaign will be held. The goal set for the two drives is \$2,500 and if proper support is shown it is hoped that the full amount will have been raised by mid-week.

Want All To Help. "Every employed person will be asked to give one dollar or more," Henry B. Edwards, county Red Cross chairman said today. In other words, those who have jobs and an income will be urged to do their part to help take care of people who have been out of work for months and also unfortunate families in which there is both sickness and want. "If those who can afford to give more than a dollar will come across with what they can give and the remainder give what they are

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Hoey Being Talked As Candidate For Governor Four Years From Now

Charlotte Writer Says Shelby Man Would Be Hard To Beat In 1936.

With J. C. B. Ehringhaus elected by a great majority of Tar Heel votes to succeed O. Max Gardner as governor of North Carolina, already discussion has turned to the naming of his probable successor. The latest addition to the list of likely candidates brings into the field of conjecture one of the state's most colorful and most popular Democrats, and, although he has said nothing publicly—or privately—as far as it is known—to give substance to the talk connecting his name with the race, it is being breathed abroad, that Clyde Hoey of Shelby may seek the nomination four years from now.

Power Rate Cut Will Mean \$300 Monthly In City

Local Rate May Be Scaled In June

Duke Reduction Cuts Shelby Power Bill Around \$3.60 In Year.

The reduction in electric power rates of the Duke Power company and the S. P. U., as ordered by the State corporation commission this week, will save the city of Shelby approximately \$3,600 annually or \$300 per month.

At the present time, it is figured the city of Shelby purchases approximately \$60,000 worth of power from the Duke company each year. The reduction, according to an unofficial estimate, will be around six per cent, and this in dollars and cents means a saving of \$3,600 per year to the city.

Same Rate Now. The reduced rates became effective November 1, but the individual power user in Shelby will not likely be directly effected until June.

No official statement has been made at the City Hall here, but it is understood that the present Shelby rates will not be scaled down until the end of the fiscal year in June due to the fact that the budget was set up on the basis of the present rates. At that time it is probable that the local rates to the private consumer will be reduced in proportion to the reduction given the municipally-owned plant. The saving, of course, will be indirectly felt by local citizens until that time because the local plant is owned and operated by the city, the power being purchased by the city and distributed and sold to the consumer.

Cut Explained. A Raleigh dispatch tells of the rate reduction as follows:

Reductions in electric power rates of the Duke Power company and its wholly owned subsidiary, the Southern Public Utilities company, to aggregate \$1,357,000 annually, of which more than \$900,000 will accrue to the benefit of North Carolinians, were ordered Wednesday by the state corporation commission. The reduction places the rate curve for the Southern Public Utilities company below that found as the average for 177 cities of the United States and the corporation commission said the proposed schedules "will, in our opinion, afford the maximum amount of relief obtainable under prevailing conditions."

Under the commission's order, the new rates became effective November 1. An agreement was entered into with the company whereby the rates will remain in effect nine months but may be changed back to the old rates at that time on 90 days notice. This will insure the new rates for one year, it was pointed out.

Preston Bailey Of Cowpens Is Dead

Had Undergone Operation For Tumor On Brain. Lived At Grover Once.

Preston Bailey died at his home at Cowpens, S. C. Wednesday night, following an operation several weeks ago for a tumor on the brain in a Spartanburg hospital. Mr. Bailey was about forty years of age and a son of the late Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Bailey. His mother before marriage was Miss Viola Hambricht of Grover, this county.

Mr. Bailey is survived by his wife and six children. Ollie Harris of Shelby is a nephew and will be one of the pall bearers at the funeral which takes place this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Cowpens Baptist church where he was a member.

Child, Age Four, Dies From Burns In S. C.

John McKinney, the four year old child of Mrs. Ethel McKinney died Tuesday night in a Greenville hospital from burns it received earlier in the day when the hot water tank burst in the kitchen of the McKinney home. The child's mother is a sister of Mrs. C. C. Roberts of this place and has often visited here. Mrs. Roberts is attending the funeral in Greenville. The child's father was killed in an automobile accident about a year ago.

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