Japs Closing In On Peiping

By UNITED PRESS

Feiping, May 12.-The Japanese gard Peiping today, while a single Sipponese plane, the second in two days, swooped over the city dropping leaflets warning the populace ent unless all resistance ceased.

Remove Leader Bonus Army

By UNITED PRESS

Washington, May 12 .- Administeation action to force the removal of Emmanuel Levin, admitted Communist party member, from the leadership of the bonus army was reported as imminent today.

County Court In Steady Grind; No Beer Charges Up

Total 86 Cases In 12 Days May

Bearing Grind In Months For Recorder. No. 11 Township Men Get Terms.

weapons, worthless checks.

has faced the court for over imbibms of beer or displaying publicly igns of intoxication caused by beer. been mixing beer with hard liquor. No. 11 Cases. Three of the big cases this week thing definite. were rounded up by Deputies J. C. Downs and J. D. Parker, new offic- Bost Furniture Is ers in No. 11 township who are said to be doing excellent work. In the three cases the defendants were given a total of 27 months. Clayton

said to have been found asleep at a still by officers and may be given a hearing later in that connection. In charges of larceny, trespass and teny, trespass and profanity. Inci- has been in the furniture business No Beer Sold At dentally, it was stated by officers there for a score of years. that on the same day Ira Hudson, was brought to jail to await trial his father. Ben, began a road sen- Victim Of Pneumonia tence given for an assault upon his The larceny charges in the tases of White, Newton and Hudson centered about, it is said, the stealing of a barrel and pipe which formed a part of the drinking fountain The court's heaviest docket of the month came Wednesday when an all-day session was necessary to

Cotton Closes Today Sames As Yesterday

flored today exactly where it did Vesterday, July 8.96 and October 2.20. It backed and filled all day and was down ten points or more

Alumni Meeting At Boiling Springs tic days of 1917-18.

peaker has not been announced, had some 7,200. ore the banquet.

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Bank Situation

8 PAGES

City Wonders About Cut In Light Rates

Rate Cut Advocated During Campaign

war machine moved relentlessly to- Some Members Of Incoming Board Based Campaign On Cut In Light, Water Rates,

Will light and water rates be cut that the fall of the city was immin- by the new city administration-or

rather part new and part old-tak Hamrick And Quinn To Eton Plant ing office in Shelby July 12 That question has come to be an important one about the city since the run-off election last week in Several changes in the manage

least two of the three new members of the city council pledged reduced light rates if possible one alderman, and J. P. Austell ard three member, stated they rould lend their efforts to that by D. W. Royster, re-elected alderman for ward two, or by W. C

possible reduction in rates. Just what may be done about the rates remain to be seen, but general opinion throughout the city seems

would be received with enthusiasm.

tory with them while there is no

During and since the election everal of the defendants have matter of selling the city light plant however, contended that they had to the S P. U. may come up again but insofar as can be determined the rumors are not based upon any

Open In City Again

The Best Furniture company White charged with larceny on two West Warren street, one of Shelby's counts trespass, assault and operat- oldest business firms, is operating ing a motor vehicle without license, again this week. The original Best was given 11 months time. He was stock was purchased by William Best, brother of John M. Best, and the latter is in charge of the store which is now conducting a closea companion case Fred Newton, of out sale of old and new stock No. 11, was also given 11 months on preparatory to stocking with entire new lines. John M. Best will be profanity, while Ira Hudson was giv- manager of the store for his brothen five months on charges of lar- er, a Lumberton business man who

Child Dies At Dover;

of Mr. and Mrs. Evans Moore of the elsewhere. Dover Mill village, died at midnight last night after a three day illness that beer is not being sold there at with pneumonia. Funeral service all. "One or two places started to answers. at Moriah school, it being claimed are being held this afternoon at 3 sell it but changed their minds due that the state of the fact that the stolen articles were to be o'clock by Rev. W. A. Elam. Inter- to the taxes required and the fact was tallest? converted into distillery equipment, ment will take place at Sandy Run that there was no old demand Baptist church, Mooresboro,

Changes Made In Supervision Of Textile Plants

Dovers And Laney To Ora And Dover.

that a reduction in rates was one ment of three of Shelby's leading of the main issues of the campaign textile plants will be made on Junin both the regular and run-off t, it was announced today by officials of the three manufacturing or

Earl Hamrick will go to the Etc. plant, formerly known as Eastside as secretary. The two for eigh years have been in charge of the Prizes Are Awarded For Peonia, Ora plant west of town. At the same time Jack Dover, as president and manager, Rob Laney as secretary, and Charles Dover as treas-

White as superintendent.

Install New Looms

Heads Phenix

German Ace To Fly Here On Saturday

To Fly Latest In Planes At Local Airport.

coming here Saturday afternoon, it and Woolworth's. was announced today by Henry By-

The airport south of town has been enlarged and will be made even larger and better for landing purposes, it is said. Planes here reend activity.

Town Of Fallston 3:20 p. m.

Fallston, the enterprising Cleveland town just north of Shelby on Highway 18, is a beerless town-un-Nathan, the five weeks old child less the ber ris brought in front

Deputy Tom Sweezy said today

and 75c per night and the commit-

dispose of the cases booked for trial. "Better Times" Seen Ahead For Textile Mill Workers Of Section proper name Elihu taken?

Cotton on the New York exchange Veterans Of World War To Renew east of the Mississippi, there will Comradeships Of Eventful Days Of '18.

from vesterday's close at one time, tion will be interested to know that the reunion city, are arranging a cd constitutional amendment? but made up the loss just before the 81st or "Wildcat" division will The required as fostered by the Yesterday cotton had an advance hold a four days' reunion in Winof 30 points or \$1.50 a bale over ston-Salem, July 2 to 5, and from ery Wildcat is requested to write to Wednesday and on the Shelby mar- every section of the country the the National Headquarters, 2028 spot cotton is bringing 8 3-4 to former members of this historic di- Portner Pl., N. W., Washington, D of Memphis? 2.3 cents. Stocks were still strong vision will gather in the beautiful C. for full information. ing their service and to meet one pany commanders will attend the than milk? again their comrades of those her reunion to greet the men who so

In the personnel of the division mand. The Boiling Springs alumni as- were the brave sons of North and The Veterans of the 31st Wildcat ed as U. S. senators? forlation will hold its annual ban- South Carolina, Alabama, Tennes- Division association invite every 17, Which city is nicknamed "The on Saturday evering, May 20, see, New York, Florida and every comrade who served with this divi-

here will be a business meeting in. The railroad's are granting an ext. 43.7

the college dining room. The state in the union North Carolina sion, between August 27, 1917, or 18. What does Myopia mean? blon hal lthirty minutes be emission rate of te me mile from all made of which in the one by 30. Do Are

July 5, 1919, to join their divisions 19. Of what country was Mer tion, and in the name of to, bit a king?

Representative Ernest Gard ner's bill giving them that

Bill Passes To

Defer Tax Sale

The commissioners of Cleveland county now have the

right to defer the sheriff's

sale of property for unpaid

1932 taxes until the first Mon

day of November or any first

Monday between June and

right passed the senate vesterday after passing in the house. The board may delay the sale until that date for he convenience of people who have money tied up in bank and to help farmers who will have new crops on the market by fall.

Prize Winners At Flower Show

Iris, Roses And Mixed Flowers By Garden Club.

Many people attended the first urer, will compose the management annual flower show sponsored by and operation of the Ora and Dover the Garden club and held Tuesday afternoon and night in the show at rooms of the Lackey Buick garage the same time will be the transfer on West Warren street. There wa from Eton to Ora of Roland Hol- a gorgeous array of peonies, iris land as superintendent and the roses and mixed flowers, judged by transfer from Ora to Eton of C. G. L. U. Patterson. Boyce Wakefield and Mrs. Dargan E. Grigg.

Incidentally, the Eton plant is first prize a boxwood won by Mrs. now in the midst of work which B. T. Falls; peonies, second prize will bring about a change in the of flower boxes won by Mrs. R. T. product of the plant. One hundred LeGrand: iris, second prize of a potand four dress goods looms are be ted plant won by Mrs. Jessie Ram- of Chefryville, formerly said ing installed and will begin operat- seur; roses, vase of one variety first have lived in Cleveland county, was ing around the first of next month prize a garden rake won by Mrs C. Wednesday bound over to the June as the plant begins producing dress H. Sherrill; second prize black leaf goods instead of cotton and rayon forty won by South Shelby Ladies'

It was also learned this week drangia won by Mrs. Rush Stroup; ey was given a preliminary hearing that Mr. Hamrick, president of the rose collection second prize a pot- by Mayor Hoke Huss, of Cherry-Eton plant here, has been elected ted plant won by R. L. Ryburn; ville, at the county jail here Wedof the Phenix plant at mixed basket, first prize, a garden nesday afternoon. He was formally Kings Mountain with Ladd Hamrick trellis, won by Mrs. B. R. Dellinger; Mrs. R. T. LeGrand.

Outstanding vase of roses. variety, first prize, bag of Vigoro, Carpenter, is \$2,500. won by Mrs. Coleman Doggett; secat the Shelby airport this week-end. Mrs. Colin Hull. Mrs. J. H. Quinn taken to the chaingang camp near

Better Mail Service

Better mail service will be made interest and since Major Comp's ning Monday. May 15th, according at him on Cherryville's main street Greatest Power Of Any President Child Dies Suddenly cently have attracted considerable available to Shelby patrons begin- Lackey fired a shotgun point-blank having a self-starter and other new the Piedmont Limited. Southern's a get-away in a car driven by Bardevices, hundreds are expected at crack train No. 34 going north will rett. The deputy sheriff was painthe landing field during the week- carry postal clerks and will bring fully, but not seriously, wounded by

lry Answering These

questions? Turn to page two for the 1. Which president of the U. S.

2. Where is the city of Tipper-

3. To what race do Syrians be

mean? 5. From what language is the 6. To what country does most of Arctic North America belong?

be an abundance of rooms at 50c hard metal? 8. In Greek legend, who was tees representing the civic, frater- Priam? Many veterans in the Shelby sec- nal, patriotic and veteran bodies of 9. Can a president veto a propos

splendid divisional association. Ev- the World war? 11. Who is Edna Ferber?

new the comradeships formed dur, well as many regimental and com- 14. Is cream lighter or heavier night 15. In what disaster did John Hickory Minister prayely served under their com Jacob Astor lose his life?

16. How many women have serv-

points south of New York City and them welcome to the reumon. . . ports to travel in Mexico?

Pass Sales Tax; School Measure Still In Debate

May Permit Nine Months Term

Confer Again On School Machinery Bill About Voting Additional Month.

(Special to The Star)

Raleigh, May 12.-After finally nacting the highly controverted three per cent general sales tax into law by adopting the conference revenue bill report on its third read ing vesterday the Senate last night sent the public school machinery bill to conference by refusing to con our in the 25 House amendments.

With advocates of the right of loal units to vote on supplementary taxes for a nine-months term holding firm, the House passed the school machinery bill on its third as president and manager and Here Announced reading yesterday and sent it to the

The final vote was 63 to 23. CONTINUED ON PAGE EIGHT

Officer Shot By Lackey Who Once Lived In County

Cherryville Deputy, Forest Mauney. Wounded When Shotgun Is Used.

Gastonia. May 12.-Doris Lackey. 5th term of criminal court here on a charge of shooting Deputy Sheriff Forest U. Mauney, of Cherry-Rose collection first prize a hy- ville, early Tuesday morning. Lackindicted for assault with a deadly

ond prize, a potted plant won by convicted of drunkenness and given to death in the Elizabeth Carteret Mrs. Seth Weaver. Best rosebud 30 days on the roads Coy Barrett, hotel, Elizabeth, N. J., on April 12. Major Comp. World War Aviator, first prize won by Mrs Rush Stroup, also of Cherryville, who was with second prize won by Archie Archer, Lackey when the shooting occurred. Prizes were given by West View was also convicted of drunkenness Nursery. Mrs. Dargan Grigg, Patter- and given a 30-day road sentence. A German aviator. Major Otto son's Flowers, Cleveland Hardware Lackey and Barrettt began serving in Eastern North Carolina was back Comp. who was an ace in the World Co., Austin and Cornwell drug of their sentences immediately fol- in Shelby today greeting friends. war, will operate a new Waco plane store, Z. J. Thompson Lumber Co., lowing their conviction. They were

Dallas. Miss Louise Blackburn, who was also with Lackey on the night of On Piedmont Limited the shooting, was convicted of drunkenness and paid a small fine.

Deputy Sheriff Mauney said all local letter mails as well as con- the shotgun charge. Lackey, drunk nections south of Atanta, arriving and half asleep, according to offic- Franklin D. Roosevelt signed the from Kings Mountain twenty min- ers, was arrested by a squad of inflation bill today and it became a utes later than at present, or about county deputies, armed with riot Tuesday. The officers found Lackey money and agriculture. and Miss Blackburn, both drunk, in

Can you answer 14 of these test Former Shelby Man

Roland Brown who formerly ey signed shortly after noon, then conducted by Rev. J. L. Jenkins at worked in Shelby at the Dover and Vice President Garner and finally 2:30 o'clock Wednesday and the litthe Eastside Mills, fell on the wet the President. floor in the Saxon Mill at Spartanburg, S. C., on May 3rd and dislocated his shoulder. He is suffering a great deal from his injury Mr. Brown lived here for six years and has many friends in these vil-

7. Is pure gold a relatively soft or Dr. McLarty Speaks At College Finals

Dr. E. K. McLarty pastor of the Central Methodist church here will textile mills in Mecklenburg. Gas- this company recently has increas-10. Who was lord high admiral in deliver the baccalaureate sermon ton and nearby counties have rea-The reunion is fostered by the the German navy at the opening of at Rutherford college commence- son to be encouraged because of ment Sunday morning, Rev. L. B. the already noticeable pick-up in Hayes now of Waynesville, but their hours of working time and 12. Where was the original city formerly of the Central church here because of prospects for increases will preach Sunday night. Ruther- in wages in the near future, it was General 13. What is the popular name for ford cgliege exercises begin tonight learned this week from leading cot- States army. The cloth is 39 inches and some made good gains. city in the Old North State, to re- Bailey and the general staff, as the lowest caste of Hindu society? and continue through Tuesday ton manufacturers of this section.

Speaks To Kiwanis mediate section is higher, and has

Rev. R. K. Redwine Baptist pas- many other textile territories. or of Hickory was the speaker last. The general opinion expressed by Gaston county which has not renight before the Kiwanis club. He a number of manufacturers was ceived one dollar of federal relief han material matters in one's life, the corner" for the textile employes mer said.

Kidnap Heroine in Spotlight



Back at the Harwich Center school, from which she was kidnaped and held for ransom, 10-year-old Peggy McMath (right) is shown as she regaled her schoolmates with a first-hand account of her adventure. Meanwhile, Kenneth and Cyril Buck, Harwich brothers, are held in \$100,000 bail awaiting trial in connection with the abduction. They will come up for trial at Provincetown. Mass... on May 22.

Lindy Baby Killed Accidentally, Said

Means Says Baby Killed While Being Moved. Men Involved Were Killed.

By UNITED PRESS

Washington, May 12 .- Gaston Means testified today that during his connection with the Lindbergh kidnaping case he was informed that the child was killed when dropped accidentally by the kidnappers while they were moving it from its original place of concealment.

Geston Means today as allegedly involved in the Lindbergh kidnapping At the same hearing Lackey was were beer racketeers who were shot

Sheriff Allen Here Former Sheriff Irvin M. Allen who has been spending some weeks

Million Dollars.

(By UNITED PRESS)

Washington. May 12.-President

law, giving to him greater power

The giant farm relief-inflation ing.

Now, Employes Get More

Working Hours.

Although wages in a number of

it was pointed out that the wage \$151,750.

mills have not yet been increased.

scale in effect in mills of this im-

hard to get around if demand for

House today.

Greatest Power To

Historic "Wildcat" Division Meets

In Winston-Salem On July 2 To 4

Mill Men Encouraged By Outlook cotton products and prices continue

Listing Little Money In Taxes; Time Limit Near

All tax listing books in Cleveland county must be turned in at the court house by Monday, May 22, it was announced today. At that time adjusters will begin taking up complaints and it is necessary that the books be

Listing has been alow so far Troy Mckinney, county accountant, said today, A feature of the listing which gives some trouble is the fact that only a small percentage of the money in banks is being listed. Reports are that around three million dollars are in local banks but it is es timated that not more than \$100,000 of that amount is being listed for taxes.

Of Ptomaine Poison

Five Year Old Child Dies At Boil

ing Springs. Sick Only

One Day.

awarded the contract for furnish-

ing 500,000 yards of khaki cloth for

price of 30.35 cents per yard, bring-

ing the total contract to a value of

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Shelby Girl Still

Pauline Robinson, 16, Left Tuesday Evening With Girl Two Years Older.

Pauline Robinson, 16-year-old Shelby girl, who left her home here

Ray Max Pennington, five year here with a red-headed girl two guns, near Cherryville about noon than any president ever held over old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Pen- years older. They were said to have nington of Boiling Springs died sud been seen on highway 20 Tuesday The independent effice supply bill denly Tuesday night from ptomaine night where they are thought to Lackey's car, parked in the middle granting sweeping economy powers poison at the home of its parents, have caught a ride in the direction of the road near Chris Anthony's to Roosevelt to effect direct gov- The child was sick only one day. He of Forest City, but no definite trace place, two miles from Cherryville. ernmental savings of 460 million was a lovable child and had many of them has been picked up since. dollars was also approved by the friends and playmates who are Anyone having any information greatly grieved over his sudden pass- about either or both of the girls is asked to communicate with Chief Hurt At Saxon Mill bill became law today through three Surviving are his parents and Poston or the Robinson girl's par-

tle mound was covered with flowers. McLarty And Hoey

Shelby Men To Be On Rutherfordton School Closing

Rutherfordton, May 12 .- Dr. E. K. McLarty, pastor of the Central It was reported by S. W. Cramer, Clyde R. Hoey, noted orator and Charlotte, May 12.-Employes of ir., of the Cramerton mills that lawyer of Shelby, will be the speakers for the commencement exercised working hours to the effect that high school. On Sunday, May 21 at people of the community are get- 8 p. m. in the high school auditorting the advantage of a good sched- ium Dr. McLarty will preach the wide and was contracted for at a o'clock Mr. Hoey will deliver the lit-

been higher for some time, than in Cramerton mill community is that Elizabeth Church

Memorial services will be held at east of Shelby on Sunday, May 14.

Being Pushed In Washington Now Goes Before Finance Corporation

All Necessary Papers Now Before Proper Authorities In Nation's Capital.

A canvass of the banks this morning reveals nothing very materially new with reference to the situation, except that Forrest Eskridge, cashier of the First National and Union Trust Co. is in Washington, D. C. this week going before the Reconstruction Finance corporation to push for immediate ac-

Mr. Eskridge has been in Washington for a week and will probably not return until Sunday. With thousands of bankers throughout the country pressing for action on their individual cases, the Reconstruction Finance corporation is said to be submerged with work and problems. There are said to be some 3,000 banks in the country yet closed and nearly all of them are waiting their turn for approval of plans for re-opening and re-or-

It is thought, however, that the R .F. C. will act on the papers of the Shelby banks this week. In the event the loan applied for by the Union Trust Co. is approved, the next step will be to get the approval of the State Bank Commiss Gurney P. Hood to open without restrictions. After this Toan is approved, there should be only a few days delay in the opening of the As to the First National, the plan

set-up is somewhat more complicated. When the plan suggested by the Federal Bank examiner was taken to Washington, the R. F. C. proposed changes with reference to the preferred stock. These changes have been met and all necessary papers prepared and filed. However, the mass of other matters before the R. F. C. has made it impossible to get action on the Shelby bank's proposition, but word from Mr. Eskridge today indicates that action will be taken this week. However, after the R. F. C's approval is secured, depositors and stockholders must approve and this step will be taken when Washington acts. The re-opening plan as it concerns stockholders and depositors remains unchanged for that agreed upon at

Missing From Home

F. D. R. By Inflation

Tuesday evening, was still missing today although a wide search has been made by Police Chief McBride Poston and the girls parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Robinson. The girl, who is five feet eight inches tall, of slender build with blue eyes, is thought to have left

strokes of three pens. Speaker Rain- one brother. Funeral services were ents.

Speakers At Finals

Program.

Methodist church Shelby and Hon. es of the Rutherfordton-Spindale ule. This company has just been baccalaureate sermon at a union service of the churches of Rutherfordton and Spindale. Choirs of the various churches will render music erary address. Diplomas, prizes, etc., will also be awarded.

An interesting fact about the it is the only mill community in Memorila Sunday

lalked on things that count more that better times are "just around money during the winter, Mr. Cra- Elizabeth Baptist church three miles Dr. Zono Wall had charge of the and that this "corner" will not be Probability that the Elizabeth Rev. Lawrence Roberts of Greenville. S. C. will preach at 11 o'clock,