

Late News THE MARKETS Cotton, spot 9 1/4 to 9 1/2 Cotton seed, ton \$16.00 Cloudy, Warmer

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2,000 Attend Kadesh Centennial And Hoyle Reunion At Belwood

Ample Food For Over 5,000 Church History Read By J. B. Ivey, Hoyle History by Mrs. Rucker. 5 States Represented.

Between 1,500 and 2,000 people attended yesterday the Kadesh Centennial and Hoyle reunion held at Kadesh church at Belwood which is said to be the largest gathering of people in several years for an occasion of this kind.

Five States Represented. The occasion was perfect in every respect, although the weather was a bit hot. Descendants from families of the Kadesh community and friends were there from five states other than North Carolina: Texas, Oklahoma, Georgia, South Carolina, and Virginia.

Some 500 or more automobiles brought people from near and distant points and courteous traffic officers saw that there was an orderly parking of cars. There was no confusion in the program which had been carefully planned for months in advance.

Two Histories Read Devotional was conducted by former pastors of the church under the leadership of Rev. W. L. Scott, the present pastor. Hugh Hoyle delivered a short address of welcome which was responded to by Hon. R. M. Gantt of Durham.

College Opens Sept. 5; Pres. Jenkins On Vacation for Awhile With everything in readiness for a record opening of Boiling Springs College on Sept. 5, Pres. J. T. Jenkins has taken time out for a much needed vacation.

Will Close Court House On Tuesday Court house offices in Shelby will be closed all day Tuesday due to the special school election, it was announced today in order that those who have business to attend to should look after it Monday or Wednesday.

Cotton Up 25 Points On Exchange Today Cotton made a gain of 25 points on the New York exchange today. October closing at 9.65 and December at 9.87.

NRA Violators In For Tough Sledding Says Gen. Johnson already are piled with complaints. Reports of violations are coming in by the thousands from all parts of the country.

Bureau To Act On Chislers. Johnson Warns Withdrawal of "Blue Eagle" Means Death. Washington, Aug. 25.—Administrator Hugh S. Johnson's warning that withdrawal of the blue eagle would mean economic death to "cheaters and chislers" focused attention today to a new NRA bureau set up especially to handle complaints and check on violations or re-employment agreements.

Westminster Choir Singers In Shelby The Westminster choir singers, of Princeton, N. J., will appear in the auditorium of Central Methodist church this evening, in a program of sacred and secular songs.

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Johnson Endorses Trade Days Put On By City Merchants

Three Day Jubilee Sale Planned

Gen. Johnson Says "Buy Now" Movement Will Help Restore Conditions.

Gen. Hugh Johnson has given his endorsement to the big trade jubilee which Shelby merchants will observe on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

A trade jubilee for all of Western North Carolina was suggested by the Asheville Times-Citizen. Letters and telegrams went out to mayors, chambers of commerce and merchants asking that they hold three bargain days before the first of September when the governmental processing tax will go into effect.

Special bargains will be offered and some twenty or more merchants gathered in the Court House here Tuesday night to make plans for the three big days. Extensive advertising will be carried in Monday's issue of The Star and already merchants are reserving space. Copy for advertisements must be in by noon Saturday.

Gen. Hugh Johnson in endorsing the three bargain days has wired as follows: "My congratulations to North Carolina on its step toward good times. Those who do their buying now will not only aid in the general movement which is the purpose of the national recovery act but will advantage themselves. For with the recrudescence of prosperity will come the natural corollary of higher prices, through higher wages will enable higher prices to be paid if the people of your section buy now, and buy under the Blue Eagle they will be in step with the whole nation. For from every quarter comes the news of recreated confidence."

Dr. Chas. Gidney Passes In Texas Native Of Shelby And Son Of Late Capt. J. W. Gidney—Was Prominent Physician.

Relatives have received news of the death of Dr. Charles G. Gidney in Plainview, Texas, yesterday afternoon. Dr. Gidney was the son of Capt. J. W. Gidney and Mary McFarlan Gidney, pioneer citizens of Shelby. He was born in Shelby, May 17, 1867 and spent his early life here.

Truck Owners Meet Here Next Tuesday Mr. Bailey Groomer of the North Carolina Truck Owners association will be at the court house at 8 p. m. Tuesday night, August 29th to address and to help organize the truck owners of Cleveland county. All truck owners are urged to attend, especially the hire operators.

Well Known Hollis Man Dead: Funeral Saturday Afternoon Mr. J. B. Harris, prominent farmer and highly respected citizen of the Hollis community, died in the Shelby hospital this morning about 6 o'clock. Mr. Harris was 76 years of age.

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In Reported Wilson Romance



A recent picture of Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, widow of the war-time President, whose engagement to Edward N. Hurley (also above), wealthy Chicagoan and former chairman of the U. S. Shipping Board and Federal Trade Commission, will shortly be announced, according to intimate friends. Hurley's former wife was killed in an auto accident last Sept.

What Will Be The Result If The Special School Tax Is Defeated?

(Final appeal for the special school tax made by B. L. Smith. The special election will be held Tuesday, Aug. 29th.) If the 20c school tax does not carry, amazement along the following lines will many times be expressed: "What, no audit! No, the people did not provide the local tax by which to have it made."

Over 10,000 People Vaccinated Thursday

There are hundreds of sore arms over Cleveland county today as the result of the county-wide vaccination campaign yesterday in which between 10 and 11 thousand county people were vaccinated for typhoid and diphtheria.

A score of Cleveland county physicians and their nurses were kept busy all day yesterday vaccinating the record number of people. Physicians were reporting the number of vaccinations today to Dr. D. F. Moore, county physician, but with several physicians at Kings Mountain, Boiling Springs and Toluca not heard from the total was already well above 10,000. At noon today Dr. Moore said a total of 10,821 vaccinations had been reported. Of this number, 9,500 were vaccinated for typhoid while 1,321 children were given the diphtheria vaccine.

Such was the rush upon all physicians in the city and county that the vaccine ran out yesterday afternoon and scores had to be turned away. The vaccine is furnished by (Continued on Page 10)

Mrs. Gantt Will Be 99 Monday; Dinner Sunday Mrs. Mary Gantt, Shelby's oldest citizen, will be 99 years of age on Monday, Aug. 28. The birth anniversary will be observed, however, on Sunday at Mrs. Gantt's home in West Shelby.

Fifteen Year Old Youth Dead Here Alton Rector Humphries, age 15 years, died in the Shelby hospital Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock and was buried Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Zoar church, just below Shelby.

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Hoey And Falls Plead For Adequate Schools In Mass Meeting Here

Over 200 Attend Rally In Court House. They Answer All Arguments Against Special Tax. Outsiders Watch The Outcome

Clyde R. Hoey and E. T. Falls, two champions of education, made appeals last night at a mass meeting in the court house for an adequate school system that will be provided if the special tax election carries in Shelby district No. 33 on Tuesday.

Some 200 or more people attended the rally and many who had gone to the meeting opposed to the tax were heard to remark that they had been converted to the tax.

Mr. Hoey was the principal speaker and was introduced by Judge Falls as "a man who lends his sympathies to the average citizen, a man to whom the town and county owe more as a just and righteous leader than any man or woman in my day."

Citizens Are Fair The only serious objections to the special tax has been financial, so Mr. Hoey devoted much of his time on meeting this objection. He expressed the firm conviction that every citizen would be for an adequate school system if they would only take time to get the facts.

Analyzes The School Tax. "Prior to 1930 the county levied from 30 to 40 cents on property for schools and the city 30 cent. In 1931 the county removed all school operation tax, leaving nothing but the school debt service tax, and a 15 cent tax by the state on property for six months term. This left 15 cent by the state for six months and 30 cent by the city for extended term. The last legislature provided for a uniform eight months and removed the 15 cent.

School Costs Reduced 65 % In the last six years, the school cost in Shelby has been reduced 65 per cent. Last year city property was assessed at 10 millions and carried a 30 cent school tax levy which raised \$30,000 approximately. This year property values were cut to (Continued on Page 10)

W. M. U. Meeting At Boiling Spgs. Aug. 31-Sept. 1st "Launch Out Into The Deep" Is The Theme. Address By Rev. Jacob Gartenhaus.

The following program has been prepared for the W. M. U. meeting of the Kings Mountain Baptist association to be held at Boiling Springs, August 31st and Sept. 1st. The theme of the program is "Launch Out Into The Deep" with a special message to be delivered by Rev. Jacob Gartenhaus.

10:30 devotional, Mrs. L. C. Toms; organization, address of welcome, Mrs. O. P. Hamrick; response, Mrs. H. C. Royster; roll call of churches, recognition of new societies, visitors and pastors, report of superintendent, song, Jesus Calls Us; repeating of watchword, sermon, Dr. Zeno Wall; announcements, lunch.

1:30 devotional, Macedonia; address, "Launching Out with Our Young People," Prof. I. G. Greer; special music, New Hope; "Launching Out in State Missions," Dover; "Launching Out in Home Missions," Sandy Plains. Night session: devotional, Rev. J. L. Jenkins; "Launching Out in Christian Education," Boiling Springs.

Friday, Sept. 1st. 10:30 devotional, Mrs. D. B. Hughes; minutes, "Launching Out in Foreign Missions," Kings Mountain First, song, address, Rev. Jacob Gartenhaus; announcements, lunch. 1:30 devotional, Mrs. A. D. Warlick; dramatization of a Mission Study Book, Waco; report of Mission Study Superintendent, Mrs. J. W. Wood; address, Mrs. Edna R. Harris; personal service, Elizabeth; reports, minutes.

Checks Being Mailed To Farmers For Plowing Up 10 Million Acres Deadline Reached Wednesday. Range Of Prices Paid From \$6 To \$20 An Acre.

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Craig To Preach At Presbyterian Rev. Carl B. Craig of Suffolk, Va. will fill the pulpit at the Shelby Presbyterian church Sunday at 11 o'clock. It was announced today. Rev. Mr. Craig has supplied here before for his friend, Rev. H. N. McDiarmid, and is well known in the congregation.