

THE MARKETS
Cotton, spot 9.50 to 10.25
Cotton seed, ton, wagon 12.00
Cotton seed, ton, carlots 14.00

Fair Saturday

Today's North Carolina Weather Report: Partly cloudy and slightly colder, possibly preceded by rain on the coast tonight. Saturday fair.

Capture Bandit In Texas

By UNITED PRESS
Clarksville, Texas, Oct. 13.—Charles Frazier, alleged bank bandit and leader of the Angola, Louisiana, prison farm escape in which seven were shot, was captured here today.

Body Of Memphis Man Found

By UNITED PRESS
Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 13.—The body of Dr. E. A. Gillespie, 77, who disappeared Tuesday, was found yesterday to death today in the backyard of his home. Two sons were held for questioning.

I. B. Allen Dies This Morning Near Elizabeth

Had Been Suffering With Heart Trouble. Charter Member Of Elizabeth.

I. B. Allen, prominent farmer and churchman, died this morning at 4:45 o'clock at his home in the Elizabeth section, following an illness of more than a year with heart trouble. Mr. Allen was 72 years of age and a charter member of the Elizabeth church, organized in 1883.

He was twice married, the first time to Margaret Kendrick. His second marriage was to Emma White, both of whom are dead. Surviving are the following children born to the first union: U. M. and J. C. Allen of Charlotte, Mrs. L. L. McEntire of Rutherfordton, Mrs. L. T. Whisnant, Esther and Leighton who live at home, L. L. Allen of Rock Hill, S. F. Allen of Denmark, S. C. Howard Allen of Shelby. Also surviving is one brother, J. Landrum Allen of the same community.

Mr. Allen had served as deacon of the Elizabeth church since its organization and superintendent of the Sunday school longer than any other man. He was active in religious work and a thoughtful and kind neighbor and friend.

Funeral services will be held at Elizabeth church Saturday morning at 11 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. D. P. Parks, assisted by Rev. H. E. Waldrop. Interment will be in the cemetery there.

S. R. Bridges Dies Early This Morning

Well Known Farmer Living Just South Of Shelby Will Be Buried Saturday.

S. R. Bridges, well known farmer living in the Zoar church community just below Shelby, died this morning at 1 o'clock following an illness of several weeks.

Mr. Bridges was about sixty years of age. He was married to Hester Weast who survives with six children, Marcus, Morris, Bertha, Horace, Mrs. Mollie Davis and Mrs. Dollie Smith, all of this county. Three brothers and two sisters also survive. Mr. Bridges was a member of Sandy Plain Baptist church but will be buried at Union church, the funeral service to be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. D. G. Washburn, assisted by Rev. W. A. Elam.

Ellenboro Exhibit Takes State Prize

Community Exhibit Wins First Second Time. Bushong Boost.

The Ellenboro community exhibit won first prize at the State Fair in Raleigh, Tuesday and will be awarded \$50 in cash. Last year Ellenboro won first place on community exhibit at the State Fair and years ago won second place at the state's big show. Ellenboro won first honors at the Rutherford County Fair last month on their community exhibit.

The exhibit this year featured "Hearts of Successful Farming." The booth was put on by A. B. Bushong, Master Teacher of Vocational Agriculture of the South and teacher at Ellenboro. He was assisted by Miss Sue Koone, Home Economics teacher, Frank Griffin and Miss Naomi O'Neil, the latter a member of the Ellenboro school faculty. The community cooperated to make it a grand success.

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Polkville Road Also In NRA Road Project

Two County Roads In List Sent In

Chairman Jeffress Says Surfacing Of Shelby-Polkville-Fallston Road Included.

Two Cleveland county highway projects are included in the list of North Carolina road construction jobs sent to Washington for approval by the NRA public construction board, according to a message to The Star from E. B. Jeffress, chairman of the state highway commission.

Wednesday it was learned that the Zoar-Bolling Springs road was among the list of 38 projects sent to Washington for approval, but it was not known until Chairman Jeffress' letter came that the surfacing of the Shelby-Polkville-Fallston highway links was also included.

The entire North Carolina program will involve about two million dollars in road construction and plans and specifications will be issued when the projects sent to Washington from Raleigh are given final approval.

Jeffress Letter
Chairman Jeffress in his letter stated that "we submitted a surface treatment from Shelby via Polkville to Fallston, and the construction of the Shelby-Bolling Springs road, including grading structure, top soil and bituminous surface treatment."

If the two projects are approved at Washington it means that near \$150,000 of the public construction money will be spent on the two Cleveland county road projects. It was estimated by Chairman Jeffress that the surfacing of the Shelby-Polkville-Fallston link would cost about \$72,000, and the construction of the Shelby-Bolling Springs road via Zoar approximately \$75,000 if it is necessary to erect a new bridge.

In conclusion Mr. Jeffress said: "We must await the approval of Secretary of Interior Ickes before we can submit plans and specifications. I am doing all I can to expedite the projects."

Margaret J. Hasting Buried At Oak Grove

Was 81 Years Of Age And Mother Of Ten Children. Has 60 Grandchildren.

Mrs. Margaret J. Hasting, widow of the late William F. Hasting, died Saturday, October 7 at the age of 81 years. She was buried at Oak Grove Methodist church on Monday, October 9th at 11 o'clock. Funeral services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. E. Ridge, assisted by Rev. J. M. Barber of Polkville. Mrs. Hasting was married in March, 1874 and to this union were born twelve children, ten of whom survive. Also surviving are sixty grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Mrs. Hasting was a fine Christian woman and a faithful member of the Oak Grove church.

Cans All She Can Can Or 340 Quarts

That live-at-home slogan, "Can all you can," was taken at face value this summer by Mrs. J. T. Ramsey, 510 Gardner St., Shelby.

Mrs. Ramsey during the season has canned 340 quarts of fruits and vegetables. Part of what she canned she grew her self and part she purchased. Among the things canned were peaches, apples, berries, snap beans, butter beans, peas, tomatoes, soup, jam, peach and pear preserves, tomato catsup, damsons, huckleberries, pickles and salad pickles.

Can anyone beat the record of 340 quarts?

"Machine Gun" Kelly And Wife Get Life Sentences In Kidnapping Case

Will Put Urschel Kidnapper In Atlanta. Move For New Trial.

Oklahoma City, Oct. 13.—George (Machine Gun) Kelly and his wife, Kathryn, were sentenced to life imprisonment yesterday, a few minutes after a federal jury had convicted them under the "Lindbergh law" of kidnapping Charles E. Urschel, Oklahoma City oil millionaire.

The maximum sentences were pronounced by Judge Edgar S. Vaughn 16 days after the capture

\$14,912 More In Checks Here For Cleveland Cotton

Total Received To Date By Cleveland Farmers Is \$134,939.

Cleveland county farmers were today being paid \$14,912 more by the Federal government for cotton plowed up by them. One hundred and ninety-six checks totalling that amount arrived in the mails yesterday and were being distributed by R. W. Shoffner, farm agent, today.

So far 1,451 checks, totalling \$134,939.46 cents have been received by farmers of the county for cotton plowed up by them during the reduction campaign.

This means that only about \$32,000 is yet to be received of the total amount of \$177,000 due farmers of the county for more than 14,000 acres of cotton plowed up.

Comes In Fast.
The cotton checks came in slowly for the first several weeks, then began arriving in large numbers. A total of 875 checks, amounting to \$75,587, have arrived since last Friday, and all the others are expected by the first of next week.

In addition to the \$177,000 farmers of the county will receive the profit on 8,000 bales of government cotton optioned at six cents per pound.

Democrats Attend Banquet In Burke

Cleveland Men Attend Rally Where Ervin Candidacy Is Announced.

A number of Shelby and Cleveland county Democrats were in Burke county last night where they attended a rally and barbecue staged by the executive committee of the Democratic party of that county. Their host was R. V. Michaux, county chairman.

One feature of the rally was the formal announcement by Joe Ervin, Charlotte attorney and native of Burke, that he would be a candidate for congress in the next Democratic primary.

Among those attending from Shelby and the county were: C. C. Horn, Horace Kennedy, Jim Cline, Ernest Gardner, Robert Miller, Frank Hoyle, Jr., H. W. Harmon, D. Wilkins, W. A. Broadway, William Osborne, Brack Wallace, Yates Williams and D. L. Wallace.

Gardners Will See Son Play Saturday

Invited To Duke But Must See Ralph. Speaks In State On 28th.

Former Governor O. Max Gardner and Mrs. Gardner are parents first of all. They were invited to Durham tomorrow to see the big grid classic between Duke and Tennessee. It was an urgent invitation, but according to Raleigh dispatches will likely be declined. The reason is that their son, Ralph, will be playing 10 miles away, at Chapel Hill, in the game between Carolina and Georgia. The governor played tackle on the Carolina team 28 years ago and chances are that he and Mrs. Gardner will be watching another Gardner in the Carolina line-up tomorrow afternoon.

Durham dispatches also inform that Mr. Gardner, now residing in Washington, will be one of the speakers at Durham on Oct. 28 when the new post office is opened there. Postmaster General Farley and Assistant of the Treasury "Chip" Roberts are also on the program.

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NRA Compliance Board Head



D. Z. Newton (above), Shelby attorney, has been named NRA compliance board head for this section, with Attorney Joe C. Whisnant as secretary.

Newton Elected Head Compliance Board NRA Here

Board Will Help Interpret Various Phases Of NRA Program In County.

At a meeting of the six members of the local compliance board of the National Recovery administration held here this week D. Z. Newton, Shelby attorney, was elected chairman.

Joe C. Whisnant, another Shelby attorney, was elected permanent secretary of the board. According to regulations of the recovery drive the chairman and secretary of the board should be members of the legal profession and these regulations were followed by the local board. It was also stipulated that the six duly elected members of the board should name one not a member of the board as chairman, and this rule was followed.

The six regular members of the board are: O. M. Mull, representing industrial employers; T. W. Smith, representing industrial employers; John S. McKnight, representing wholesale and retail trade employers; Paul Kistler, representing wholesale and retail employers; Mrs. Mary E. Yarbrough, representing the consumers; and Joe C. Whisnant, representing the legal profession.

Regular meeting dates of the board have not been set as yet. The duty of the board will be to help interpret codes and code provisions and help straighten out tangles which may develop in the recovery drive. All complaints and queries are to be filed in written form with Secretary Whisnant. Complaints regarding codes, however, will be forwarded to Washington for final decision.

Mr. Moore Falls From Wagon, Breaks Arm

Boiling Springs, Oct. 13.—D. W. Moore, Jr., had the misfortune of falling from a wagon Saturday of last week and breaking his arm. Both bones in one arm were broken in the fall.

Ask Yourself About Our State

Answers On Page Two

- 1. How many miles of railroad are operated in the state?
2. When did North Carolina ratify the U. S. Constitution?
3. How many crimes are capital offenses in this state?
4. How much of the state's population is urban and how much is rural?
5. What North Carolinian was United States ambassador to Great Britain during the World War?
6. How many daily newspapers in North Carolina?
7. What are the three nicknames for the state?
8. The first county health department in the United States was established in North Carolina. Where and when?
9. What is the aggregate length of the rivers in the state?
10. Which county in the state has only three letters in its name?
11. How many cotton mills in Gaston county?
12. Which was the largest city in the state 50 years ago?

Exhibits Depict Advance Of Race At Colored Fair

Farm, School Booths Unusually Good

Excellent Display Of Farm, Household And School Products Shown.

The advance and progress of the negro race in this section has never been better portrayed than in the exhibit halls of the Cleveland county negro fair now on at the county fairgrounds.

Farm and field, household and school exhibits together with a wide variety of displays covering every activity and phase of life are as a whole better than at any previous fair. Colored citizens of the county together with fair officials and workers are to be congratulated, and are being congratulated upon bringing together such fine exhibits and displays in a year considered one too good for farm people.

Prize Winners
The prize for the best community booth went to Patterson Springs, while the prize for the best home economic booth was awarded to Bolling Springs. Both booths are excellently arranged and their products neatly and systematically presented. In winning, however, they were only slightly ahead of several other fine booths which ranked close in second and third places.

The best individual farm booth award went to Mason Roberts, whose booth presented everything that a successful, modern farmer should have in order to succeed in this day of intensified agriculture. Second individual farm booth award was given W. A. Alexander, of Shelby route 5, who had a booth almost as good as the blue ribbon winner.

The schools of the city and county had on exhibit a striking array of booths depicting their school work in practically every detail. Featured in a number of the

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County Schools Begin Opening On Monday, 16th

Hundreds Of Children Start Returning To School Room After Six Weeks.

Hundreds of Cleveland county school children are having their last week-end out of school until the Christmas holidays.

On Monday a big percentage of the rural schools will re-open after being closed for six weeks during the cotton picking season.

It is definitely known that the following schools will open Monday of next week: Bolling Springs, Mooresboro, Lattimore, No. 3, Fallston, Waco, and Dover.

Prof. J. A. Kiser announced today that schools of the Mooresboro district would open positively Monday, the announcement being made because there have been erroneous reports as to when they would re-commence work.

To Sing Sunday At Graham St. School

There will be a singing convention at the West Graham street school building beginning at one o'clock Sunday, Oct. 15th, according to an announcement by J. C. Bridges, director of the singing convention. He is expecting singers to report at 1 o'clock so the singing can begin promptly at 2 o'clock. Quartets are expected from Lawndale, Lily Mill, West Shelby No. 1, West Shelby No. 2, Sinai, Eastside and other quarters and duets, solos and choruses. Lovers of music are cordially invited.

Hurt Rutherford Man Is Improved

Rutherfordton, Oct. 13.—George Hall, who was seriously injured here Wednesday night in an automobile wreck, is showing some signs of improvement, and physicians at the Rutherford hospital think he will recover unless complications set in. He is partly conscious.

HEAVEN BOUND AT JEFFERSON SCHOOL

The pageant "Heaven Bound" will be given in Jefferson school auditorium Friday night, Oct. 20. Benefit Jefferson P. T. A.

In International Argument



Seated on a desk in the State Department at Washington, little Irma Francesca Welch thanks Assistant Secretary of State Harry F. Fayer (right) for his aid in restoring her to her father, James E. Welch (center). Welch, who in seeking through diplomatic channels to collect \$500,000 from Venezuela, charges the government of that country attempted to keep his daughter from him, and imprisoned him when he tried to take her out of the country.

Leisure Hours Should Be Used Now To Advance Civilization Says Miss Thomas, Member Of School Faculty

NRA Calls For Active Rather Than Passive Recreation And Entertainment.

"Leisure was the beginning of our civilization," declared Miss Ethel Thomas of the high school faculty who spoke last night before the Kiwanis club in urging the city to provide facilities for grown-ups as well as children to spend their time in more wholesome, beneficial leisure.

Miss Thomas said that in the early days of civilization, people spent their time in providing the necessities of life and then in their leisure moments, began to draw pictures on the walls of their caves and on rocks. This was the beginning of art.

She traced the gradual shortening of the hours of labor from 16 hours a day to eight, with a possible

New Jersey Paper Asks About Negro In Killing Here

Says Zim Hamrick Once Employed By Summit, N. J. Want Killing Details.

A letter from the Summit, N. J., Herald this week asked for details of the slaying in Shelby late in July in which Zim Hamrick is held for the killing of Charlie "Snowball" medicine show trap-drummer.

The letter informed that Hamrick was once employed there by the town and was well known although a "bad actor."

Hamrick is scheduled to go on trial here when Superior court convenes Monday, Oct. 30.

Milton Loy Opens Law Office Here

Milton Loy who recently passed the state bar examination, has opened a law office in the Royster building for the practice of law. Mr. Loy is the son of Prof. and Mrs. H. M. Loy, is a graduate of Duke University and the law school of Wake Forest college. He was recently sworn in by Judge Shaw at a term of Cleveland superior court. Mr. Loy made an exceptional record in his school work and has many friends who bespeak success for him.

Drys, Repealists Of State Differ In Views About Outcome Of Repeal

November 7 Vote Interpreted By Two Standards In Opposing Camps.

Raleigh, Oct. 13.—Opposing factions in North Carolina's repeal fight this week were on record as interpreting the election November 7 by two standards.

To the dries it is a battle to prevent the return to North Carolina "in any form of the legalized traffic in liquor." Repeal forces on the other hand, maintained the election was for one purpose only—to record the state for or against repeal of the 18th

Two Men Held In Alleged Attempt To Extort Money

Scheme Based Upon Death Case

Alleged To Have Tried To Get Money From Father Of Hoke King.

Herman and Arthur Walker, white men, were being held in jail here today on an alleged extortion, or false pretense, plot in connection with the Jim Chandler death case in which Hoke King is being held in the county jail without bond.

The two Walkers, it is alleged, attempted to get \$50 from T. N. King, father of Hoke King, upon the claim that they could secure the release of his son from jail.

When the case came up in county court this morning it was continued, upon plea of the defense counsel, Peyton McSwain, until Monday of next week. Bond was set at \$500 each and the two men remanded to jail.

No Bond.
Three weeks ago James Chandler, Shelby textile worker, was fatally stabbed and Hoke King, another local textile worker, was arrested in connection with the death. Bond was refused King at a preliminary hearing in county court and later by Judge Wilson Warlick.

Several days ago the two Walkers visited T. N. King, he says, and told him that they could get bond arranged for his son for \$50 and get him out of jail until superior court. King hesitated and was visited again, he says, by the two men. They told him, he says, that he should keep quiet, tell no one about their proposal and that they could work the matter when he produced \$50. King, becoming suspicious, came to his son's lawyer, Maurice R. Weathers, former county judge, and told him of the incident. Attorney Weathers promptly told Sheriff J. R. Cline what had happened and officers began to watch the two men.

Lates yesterday afternoon the Walkers headed towards Kings Mountain, and, thinking they might be attempting to get away, officers followed them. They were arrested at Kings Mountain by Sheriff Cline who was accompanied by Policemen B. E. Putnam, of Shelby, Policeman H. C. Hicks of Kings Mountain and Attorney Weathers.

In the formal warrant in court today they were tentatively charged with false pretense.

Some excitement was caused just after court adjourned when relatives of the Walker made an attempt, officers say, to take away the car in which the two men had been riding.

Orphanage Pictures At Presbyterian Ch.

Pictures of all phases of the work at the Barium Springs orphanage will be shown at the Presbyterian church here Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock under the auspices of the Woman's auxiliary. These will be moving pictures, depicting life at the orphanage. No charge for admission, but a free will offering will be taken for the orphanage work.

Only Two Arrested At Colored Fair

A remarkably good behavior record is being set by the hundreds of colored people attending the Cleveland negro fair this week. Officers said today that so far, in two and a half days and two nights only two arrests have been made. These were on drinking charges and officers are very complimentary of the excellent behavior shown.

Cotton Loses \$1 On Today's Trading

Cotton lost \$1 a bale on today's trading. At 2:30 o'clock the New York exchange quoted Oct. 9 and Dec. at 9.22.

Picks 487 Pounds Cotton In A Day

George McIntyre, who works on the J. A. Horn farm, is out after a cotton-picking record. One day this week he walked two and a half miles to work, picked 487 pounds of cotton and then walked two and a half miles back home. He explains his fortune by saying, "You see, I'm just a bachelor."

Other Sports Page 8

What will be the outcome of week-end football games in which Shelby and Cleveland county fans are interested? Here's The Star's "dope sheet":

Georgia over Carolina and Tennessee over Duke by one touchdown each—but don't be surprised if Carolina reverses that prediction and wins by six points, or if Duke wins by one point.

State over Florida by a touchdown or more.

Davidson over V. M. I. by a close score.

Bolling Springs over Presbyterian Juniors today.

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