

Late News

THE MARKETS

Cotton, spot 9 1/2 to 10 1/2

Cotton seed, ton, wagon 13.50

Cotton seed, ton, carlots 15.00

Cloudy, Colder

Today's North Carolina Weather Report: Cloudy and colder tonight and Saturday. Probably occasional rain.

"Whip Cracking" Untrue, Farley

By UNITED PRESS

Raleigh, Nov. 3.—Charges that he is cracking the whip of patronage over the heads of North Carolina voters were branded as untrue by Postmaster General James A. Farley in an interview given the United Press today at the governor's mansion in Raleigh where he was a guest.

Stevenson Out Loan Board

By UNITED PRESS

Washington, Nov. 3.—President Roosevelt accepted today the resignation of William Stevenson, of South Carolina, as chairman of the Federal Home Loan Bank board, and named John Fabey, of Massachusetts, to succeed Stevenson who will continue as a member of the board.

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Chandler Threatened By King Before Death, Witness Testifies

Witness Tells About Row Before Fatality

Threatened To Cut Chandler's Throat

Heard Scuffle Soon Thereafter Large Crowd Hears Trial.

"I'll cut you G---'s head off," Hobe King, Shelby textile worker, was alleged to have told James Chandler, 24-year-old textile worker, shortly before Chandler was stabbed to death Sunday night, Sept. 24, according to the testimony of the main prosecuting witness in the death case in Superior court here this morning.

Good Report Of Institutions By Grand Jury Here

Find Convict Camp, Jail, Court House All In Good Condition.

The following is the report made by the grand jury in Cleveland county Superior court this week:

To his honor, Wilson Warlick, resident judge:

We, the grand jury, beg to submit the following report:

Having passed upon all the business coming before us, we visited the state convict camp, and found ninety-six convicts, all black, and we found that they were well taken care of, the food well prepared, sanitary conditions good, and the only repairs necessary is one screen door in the kitchen.

We visited the county home for the aged and infirm, and found everything in excellent condition, and upon talking with the inmates they said that they were well cared for, well satisfied with the attention and spoke all highly for Mr. and Mrs. Beason, the keepers. The food for the inmates is well prepared and nourishing and prepared under sanitary conditions. We also found the county farm in a high state of cultivation, and the out-buildings in good condition. However we find that a new pair of steps with hand rail needed in the rear of the old building. We would suggest that the present ice box which is too small be replaced with some type of modern refrigeration. We further suggest that the drain at the rear of the old building be rearranged and cemented, to better drain the premises.

We also visited the county jail and found the same in excellent condition. The prisoners interrogated by us spoke highly in praise of Sheriff and Mrs. Cline. We would suggest that the basement be equipped with a drain in order that the same may be used as a laundry room.

We also inspected the court house and the various county offices, and find the same in good condition, and the various county officers considerate and courteous, the records properly filed and kept.

It has been brought to the attention of this body that a number of citizens have failed to list poll taxes. We respectfully suggest that proper steps be taken in order that all citizens who have willfully neglected to list poll taxes before the regular listing time be dealt with according to law. The purpose of this recommendation is to prevent in the future the willful and careless failure to list poll tax.

Grange And P. T. A. Meet At Beth-Ware

The parent-teacher association, the Grange and El Bethel club will have a joint meeting at the Beth-Ware school house Tuesday evening, Nov. 7th, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Dr. J. S. Dorton, R. W. Shoffner and Mrs. Bert Goforth will be the speakers on the program.

Legion Meeting

A meeting of the Warren Hoyle American Legion post will be held in the Legion hall Tuesday night at 7:30. It was announced today by Basil Goode, official of the post.

Fred Hamrick Calls For 'New Deal' In Republican Party In The State

Rutherfordton, Nov. 3.—Fred D. Hamrick, who is one of the Republican members of the state board of elections, and also a member of the state Republican executive committee, issued the following statement here this week:

"I think the present state organization of the Republican party should resign and ask that the rank and file of that party to elect an organization to succeed them, who can attract the great independent vote of the state to the party, and in addition thereto a large number of the Democrats who are dissatisfied with the present management of North Carolina's affairs.

"If the party should elect a young state chairman whose ambition is to place North Carolina in the Republican column and

New Gadgets for Gridiron Fans



Designed especially for the convenience of football fans are the two gadgets demonstrated above. At left Patricia Palmer shows the new cigarette case in a cane, and at right Arden Gumbold shows the portable "bar" in the shape of a football. The ball opens with a zipper and reveals what it takes to lighten a heavy heart.

Reynolds Will Speak On Repeal Tonight

NORTH CAROLINA TO VOTE REPEAL IS FARLEY PLEA

Postmaster General Speaks In Raleigh Today. Boosts Roosevelt Drive.

By ROBERT A. ERWIN

United Press Staff Correspondent

Raleigh Nov. 3.—Postmaster General James A. Farley, Chairman of the Democratic national committee, carried today into North Carolina, stronghold of prohibition for 30 years, his fight for repeal of the 18th amendment.

Making his last invasion of the once solidly dry South for the repeal cause, Farley spoke at 11 o'clock this morning in Raleigh's Memorial auditorium, calling upon the voters of North Carolina to go to the polls next Tuesday, November 7, and cast their ballots against the 18th amendment and in

Fox Hunters Club Enjoy Annual Feed

About 150 Gather At Coleman Blanton Farm For Barbecue And Fox Race.

The annual barbecue and fox race of the Brushy Creek Fox Hunters club was held last evening at the Coleman Blanton farm with about 150 members, their families and friends present.

A table fifty feet long was laden with tastily prepared food, including pork, fish and goat, cold slaw, cakes, sandwiches, coffee and many other good things. Members of the club began early Thursday morning preparing the event for the largest crowd that ever attended since the Brushy Creek Fox club has been serving annual barbecues.

County Roads In New N.C. Letting On Surface Job

Star News Bureau.

Raleigh, Nov. 3.—Two Cleveland county highway projects for which approval has been given and on which contracts are to be let November 8 are the road from a point two miles north of Shelby to Fallston, by way of Polkville, which is to receive bituminous surfacing, and the other is from the junction south of Shelby on N. C. 18 to Bolling Springs, a county road, on which the work will be grading, erection of structures, gravel surfacing and bituminous surface treatment.

May Make Cotton Loans For Bales Held On Options

Cleveland Farmers Interested

Have 8,000 Bales Optioned From Government At Six Cents Per Pound.

Cleveland county cotton farmers are very much interested in the announcement from Washington that farmers holding options on government cotton may be given 10-cent loan privileges on optioned cotton.

In the plow-up reduction campaign Cleveland farmers optioned around 8,000 bales of cotton at six cents per pound. If granted loan privileges, they could secure four cents per pound and still maintain their options to take advantage of a better price than 10 cents per pound.

Options Not In

R. W. Shoffner, Cleveland farm agent, said today that county farmers could sell their optioned cotton just as soon as the options arrive from Washington. These options have not come in as yet. According to the government regulations on the optioned cotton, the cotton can be sold at any time after the options are received if the market price is nine and a half cents or better. After December 1, the cotton may be sold at any time holders of the option desire. The cotton was optioned at six cents and whatever price it brings above that figure will be profit for farmers holding options.

Good Sum

If all the 8,000 bales are sold for the minimum of 10 cents a pound, which would be assured if loans are granted on the options, that would mean a profit of four cents per pound or about \$20 per bale, which would be a total profit of \$160,000 for Cleveland farmers. Farm Agent Shoffner is keeping in close touch with government moves regarding

Injured Farmers Show Improvement

Kendrick And McSwain Better. Youth Has His Leg Broken.

Two Cleveland county farmers severely injured in falls last week were reported as improved today.

Joe Kendrick, well known 67-year-old farmer of Waco, suffered a fracture of the neck in a fall from a wagon Saturday morning. He was taken to the Lincoln hospital where it was found that he was paralyzed from the hips down. Today, however, it was said that he is showing improvement and is resting more comfortably, but is still paralyzed.

Lawson M. McSwain, who lives below Earl, suffered a fractured leg last Thursday when he was thrown from a wagon. He is a patient in the Shelby hospital where it was reported today that he was better and "doing all right."

Howard Causby, six-year-old boy of near Lawndale, was brought to the Shelby hospital last night suffering with a fracture of the right leg. He was reported as getting along all right today. Details of how the injury was received were not learned.

Webb To Speak In Greensboro Rally

Greensboro, Nov. 3.—West Market Street Methodist church has been selected as the place for the address to be delivered next Sunday afternoon by Judge E. Yates Webb, of Shelby, who is to speak under the auspices of the United Dry Forces of Guilford county, it was announced by Rev. Reid Wall, director of the local dry forces campaign against repeal of the 18th amendment. Judge Webb will speak at 3:30 o'clock and Mr. Wall said a crowd equaling as large as that which heard Clyde Hoey at the same place last Sunday is expected.

Air Races On Sunday At Charlotte Field

Official American air races, which will include many thrilling and daring stunts in the air, will be put on at the Charlotte airport, Saturday and Sunday, it is announced by Henry Byers, Shelby representative of the Eastern Air Transport. Some of America's most distinguished flyers and best flyers will participate.

Webb Urges Repeal Defeat In Address

Jurist Speaks To Large Crowd

Paints Evils Of Alcohol, Declares Prohibition Has Advanced Nation.

Federal Judge E. Yates Webb on Wednesday afternoon spoke against repeal at a mass meeting of the county dry forces here, the court house being filled with Cleveland citizens who heard the distinguished jurist and orator in his plea that North Carolina retain prohibition. In addition to the crowd in the court house, a number of others heard the address on the square through a loud-speaker system.

The meeting was called to order by Robert H. Cooke, chairman of the Cleveland county dry forces. After prayer by Rev. H. E. Waldrop, the speaker was introduced by Dr. E. K. McLarty.

Judge Webb at first seemed touched with emotion at the cordial greeting of so many of his home citizens, whom he represented in congress for over seventeen years, but soon controlled himself and entered upon a masterly discussion of "Prohibition and Repeal."

"Alcohol," said Judge Webb, "is the essential ingredient of beer, wine and whiskey, and all dictionaries and encyclopedias call alcohol a narcotic poison. You can't have the beer, wine or whiskey without the alcohol or poison."

Judge Webb took up, one after another, the alleged arguments of the wet forces against the 18th amendment, and answered them in a most able manner. The amendment has been a great success, compared with other laws; there is far less drinking now than during bar-room days, and much less bootlegging; the wets who point to the fact that they know not whereof they speak; a jurist states that bootleggers "are as plentiful as fleas on a dog's back." Judge Webb quoted Thomas Jefferson, Abraham Lincoln, Gladstone and others in denunciation of the liquor traffic. He spoke of the political power of the brewers and distillers, and quoted President Wilson's Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer, in denunciation of their efforts to control the press and both political parties.

Judge Webb quoted the statement of ex-Congressman John Small that if North Carolina gave a large majority for repeal, the wets would bring pressure to bear upon the governor to call the legislature together in special session to repeal North Carolina's dry law before Christmas. He closed with a quotation from Henry W. Grady and by urging every voter present to cast his ballot for no convention and for George P. Webb, the dry candidate for the convention.

Final preparations are being made here today and tomorrow for the Cleveland county voting in the state-wide repeal election Tuesday of next week.

John P. Mull, chairman of the county elections board, said today that some of the ballots had already been distributed among registrars and judges and that the remainder would be placed among the various precincts by Monday.

All voters will be expected to vote two tickets, one a purely county ticket and the other a state-wide ticket. These tickets are explained elsewhere.

No sample tickets are to be distributed in this election, he said, but at each precinct officials are asked to put out a few samples so that voters may see just what they are to vote before entering the polling places. A total of 18,000 tickets of each type is being distributed. The county registration eligible for voting is around 15,000 but the highest estimate of the Tuesday vote is 8,000, and many believe that the total vote will not go above five or six thousand.

Boxing Bouts On In City Tonight

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The second boxing program of the season is to be put on at the Company K Armory in Shelby tonight.

"Tough Boy" Blanton, of Cliffside, meets Ted Eaves, of Bessemer City, in the main 10-round bout. "Cyclone" Cook and J. B. Blanton are billed for the semi-final of eight rounds with other preliminaries.

With Sterchi Firm

Bob (R. L.) Moser, who has been with the Cleveland drug store for some time, has resigned to accept a position with the sales force of the Sterchi store. He is already at work with Sterchi's.

Cleveland Voters Will Vote Two Tickets In Election On Tuesday

All Voters Should Vote Two Tickets When They Go To Polls.

When Cleveland county voters march to the polls Tuesday of next week to say their say about repeal, they should vote two tickets, it is announced by the election boards.

Unusual Method Used In Damage Case At K. Mtn.

Hambright Death Suit Against Railroad And Oil Mill Is Aired.

(Special To The Star.)

Raleigh, Nov. 3.—"This record reveals a rather ugly picture," Industrial Commissioner J. Dewey Dorsett writes in an opinion in the workmen's compensation action of Mrs. Margaret Nettie Hambright, widow and administratrix, and Sara and Mary Ellen Hambright, minor children of G. C. Hambright, deceased, against the Kings Mountain Cotton Oil Co.

The deceased was killed by the Crescent Limited Southern railway train at a Kings Mountain crossing while returning home from a business trip to Charlotte, which trip was held not to have been executive or administrative work, although he was president of the cotton oil firm. Commissioner Dorsett awarded the widow and children \$18 a week for 333 1-3 weeks.

Mr. Dorsett brought out that there was a statement that \$1,200 had been paid Mrs. Hambright by the railroad, \$1,000 for burial expenses and incidentals and \$200 for automobile damage, on a settlement of the action she planned to bring against the railroad. He held this was not an action within the meaning of the compensation law, as there was no court record of such payment.

He relates that Mrs. Hambright

Shelby Men Attend N. Y. Rayon Meeting

Former Governor Gardner Tells National Group Of Roosevelt's Recovery Efforts.

New York, Nov. 3.—North Carolina was well represented here Tuesday at first annual meeting of National Rayon Weavers association at Hotel New Yorker.

Former Governor Oliver Max Gardner came from Washington to declare President Roosevelt is doing everything possible to establish sound social and financial rehabilitation of America.

"No one in the world knows where the Roosevelt program will lead us," Gardner said. "Roosevelt will be like Columbus and may discover a new world."

Other Carolinians participating included O. M. Mull and N. E. Burgess, Cleveland Cloth Mill, Shelby; A. C. Lineberger, Jr., National Weaving company, Lowell; Albert G. Myers and J. B. Reeves, Dilling Mills company, Kings Mt.; K. S. Tanner, Stonecutter Mills company, Spindale; M. B. Smith Jr., Dutchess Fabrics corporation, Statesville; W. J. Carter and J. Spencer Love, Burlington Mill company, Burlington; E. M. Holt, Plaid Mills, Burlington.

D. A. R. Urges Speed On Kings Mtn. Park

Chapel Hill, Nov. 3.—Resolutions urging the government to speed its handling of matters concerned with making a national park of Kings Mountain, and protesting the destruction of timber at the foot of Grandfather mountain by the Champion Fiber company were adopted at a meeting of the sixth district of the North Carolina Daughters of the American Revolution here this week. It was announced by Mrs. I. H. Manning, the new district chairman.