#### Wet And Dry Heads Talk

By UNITED PRESS

Jouett Shouse, Democrat, head o which lost in the national repeal fight, said: "American voters were deceived by millionaires who want liquor to pay their income taxes. I predict the pendulum will swing

### Mrs. Ledford Is Welfare Officer For This County

Succeeds Lineberger In Office

Federal Relief Office Work

Mrs. L. Holly Ledford, of Shelby, was appointed Cleveland county of the board of county commission-

Mrs. Ledford, who before marage was Miss Corinne Spurling.

tered upon his duties

### Cotton Up \$1.50 Bale On Report

op is Estimated At 13,100,000 Bales, Up 215,000 From Last Estimate.

Cotton took a jump of \$1.50 a bale oday after the government had ised its estimate of the 1933 crop. ing it at 13,100,000 as comparwith an estimate of 12,885,000 a th ago. Although the estimate 215,000 bales above the previous ecast, those who study and trade the market, had evidently exted a larger crop estimate. Cotton had declined last week

t when trading was resumed afthe estimate this morning it a sed twenty points and has since own firmness, increasing the in to thirty points.

There has been ginned in the up to Nov. 1st, 12,361,404 bales orth Carolina had ginned 571,462 s and Texas, 3,522,231 bales.

## oman Loses Eye

Sisk Left Hospital Yesterday After Accident On Sunday.

It. E. E. Sisk, of South Shelby misfortune to lose her lef a week end accident. was brought to the Shelby dal Sunday morning suffering an injured eye, said to have

burst. It was found necessary to ove the eye and Mrs. Sisk was ved to the extent of being to return home yesterday.

#### Milky" Gold Gets On Wake Grid Team

Wake Forest, Nov. 8 .- "Milky" ng on the No. one Wake For-Demon Deacons eleven yesteras the squad engaged in a another change on the var- contests. Perk Rinehart, who starred Clemson, had been ed to first-string center. Gold ed drive against Clemson.

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# Cleveland County And State Vote Dry; County By Seven To One

# King Given 12 Years Prohibition Now Dry Vote In The County Is 7,053

# Term In Killing afraid of it." Dr. Howard Russell, Of His Relative

Pathetic Scene In Court Room

Children And Wife Cling To Side As Sentence Is Passed. Touching Pleas.

Hoke King, Shelby textile worker, must serve 12 to 15 years at hard labor in the state prison for killing Jim Chandler. young textile worker, and first cousin of King's wife, in a drunken brawl north of Grover on Sunday evening, Sept. 24.

Sentence was passed by Judge Wilson Warlick in superior court structure. here this morning just as the court reconvened after recessing last Fri-system all school building projects Harry Woodson Heads State And day when King pled guilty to sec- in the city or county must go ond degree murder.

Emotions Shaken welfare officer at a joint meeting emotions. Half choked sobs were audible here and there, and tears Of interest in the proposed new ers and the board of education held trickled down many cheeks as pleas building for the Dover mill is the were made for and against King fact that the ownership of the texand as Judge Warlick passed the tile plant agreed to pay for half of awaited with abated breath.

> Relatives There Weathers. On his lap was his little three-year-old daughter, who play- half. was debated and settled. Just to approved, it is understood, under ready arrived and only 99 are yet and his little blonde daughter sat approval by the board in view of arrived Monday and Tuesday. er and the defendant's sisters. But there was still more to the works building program.

touching background. Just to the right of Solicitor Spurling sat the youth. All through the court proben associated with the state re- ceedings she sat with her head howed in her hands, tears flowing steadily. She was listening to the fate of her niece's husband who

ad killed her boy. With that background, the scene was one of the most touching in the Cleveland county court house

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#### Shelby Girl Still Unconscious, Hurt In An Auto Wreck

Miss Lois Buice Believed To Be Better, However, Others Improve.

Lois Buice, Shelby girl, daughter of \$90,000 of that amount, according Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buice. was to Mr. Wagoner. still unconscious in a Gaffney hospital from injuries received in an tober 31, but around \$85,000 had alautomobile wreck near Blacksburg ready been paid back before due last Friday night. Miss Buice's con- he said. dition, however, was said to be a A total of 886 loans were made

exact injuries. Miss Buice and four others in Wagoner stated. her party were hurt in a wreck involving three cars. D. L. Willis, jr., and Charlie Magness. Shelby boys, loans, paying up almost 100 per-As Bottle Bursts girls with them. Magness is able to cleveland farmers throughout the services will be held Thursday aft- position all the way through "He declared that the victor of the services will be held Thursday aft- position all the way through "He declared that the victor of the services will be held Thursday aft- position all the way through "He declared that the victor of the services will be held Thursday aft- position all the way through "He declared that the victor of the services will be held Thursday aft- position all the way through "He declared that the victor of the services will be not after the services will be held Thursday aft- position all the way through "He declared that the victor of the services will be not after the services will be not his home after being a patient at nation. Now it appears as if the ernoon at Greenville. the Shelby hospital where he was loans this year are to be paid in the brought following the accident.

# Shelby Man Gets School Building Work In County Is Approved

New Dover Mill School And Additions To Shelby Schools Are Approved.

Three school building projects or additions in Shelby and Cleveland county were approved at the month ly meeting of the county commissioners here this week

One was the erection of a new school at the Dover mill village, another was a needed addition to the colored school in Shelby, and the third the construction of a covered walkway between the two Shelby high school buildings, the main building and the junior high

Under the new state-wide school through the commissioners for approval before being granted by the The packed court room at the state school commission in order time sentence was passed was a that loans be made through the Only 99 Checks Yet Due With 1,944 and conflicting county officiall.

approved its erection. The board up during gave official approval Monday but drive has King sat between his lawyers, has not decided as yet, it was said McSwain and Maurice today, upon the exact method of securing the necessary loan for

the right of King and his lawyers the new state policy which requires to come in. A batch of 101 checks his weeping wife and two little the fact that the money for the sons, aged about five and six. Near high school walkway connection them were King's gray-haired fath- an othe colored school addition have brought \$164,436 into the counwill be secured from the public ty of the \$177,000 total. The arrival

# LOANS TO THEM

Cleveland Makes Fine Record, Representative Here

Savs.

"Cleveland county farmers certainly believe in paying their debts," says F. T. Wagoner, representative here of the federal crop production loan office.

In the spring farmers of the county borrowed \$100,005 from the government office with which purchase seed, fertilizer, etc., with which to make this year's crop. Reports today had it that Miss They have already paid back around

The loans were not due until Oc

without "solicitation from me." Mr.

"Last year the county set an ensame admirable manner.

### College Home-Coming Game Here Saturday; Nights Play Cliffside

Week. Expect Big Day On Saturday.

Two football games are schedulday afternoon the Shelby high outfit, still smarting under a defeat by Morganton last week, will attempt

With Saturday set as home coming day for the Baptist junior coled for Shelby this week-end. Fri- ed for the game here Saturday afternoon with Lees McRae. There will be several home coming exer- City tomorrow. cises on the program at the college over the week-end and old former to take it out on Cliffside here. On students in the county and those Shelby youth, was quarter Saturday Boiling Springs junior back on a visit from other sections college eleven will play Lees Mc- are being asked to take in the Rae on the Shelby gridiron in the home coming clash with Lees Mc-Rae. The latter eleven has been defited drill for the North Caro- school's annual home coming day feated only once this year and initiated into the University chap.

### 600 Is Number For Fire Calls

IN CASE OF FIRE, TELE-

That was the request made today by J. R. Robinson, chief of the Shelby Fire Department. For several weeks, he said, people calling for the fire trucks have called No. 601. Every minute counts in case of fire and citizens are urged to remember the correct number-600.

#### **COUNTY FARMERS** RECEIVE NEARLY ALL COTTON COIN

Received. Money Totals \$164,000.

Practically all the money due Cleveland county cotton farmers by sentence with which the spectators the building in cash if the board the government for cotton plowed

> Of the 2,044 checks due Cleveland The two Shelby projects were farmers a total of 1,944 have al-

The 1,944 checks received to date of this money plus other money being received on the 10-cent cotton loan on the present crop is evident in the trading about Shelby.

#### Former Citizen Of County Dies In Mo. REPEALS DEFEAT

the death last week of Mrs. H. E. Meddick at Lamar, Missouri. Mrs. Meddick before marriage was Miss Kate Hoyle and was born at Bel-She had been sick for a long time

brothers, Robert, Frank and George

## Dead; Native County ed last night.

little better and x-ray pictures are Cleveland farmers and the amount ty, was found dead in bed near to be made today to determine her paid back so far was voluntary and Gaffney, S. C. yesterday morning. stand. It has been a great victory The cause of his death was not for the Republican forces. learned, Mr. Champion is an uncle viable record in paying back crop Shelby merchant. He lived at are the only Republicans, accordwere injured as were two Gaffney cent," the field representative add- his wife and five children, six this position before our national girls with them. Magness is able to ed, "and that record spoke well for brothers and three sisters. Funeral convention and maintained that

#### Ed Roberson Dies Early This Morn

Ed Roberson, age 28, died this morning at 1 o'clock in the Shelby ient on yesterday. He had been in declining health for some time and his home near the Arrowood lumber plant. Mr. Roberson is survived by his wife and three children. Hubert, Katherine and Edwin. Funeral services will be held in Forest

#### Ray Weathers Wins A High Honor

Ray Weathers of Shelby was one of the ten new members recently

Lattimore high school.

# Doomed In Land; Latest Returns

Four States Appear For Repeal

Two Carolinas Seem Only States Against Change. See Political Upheaval.

By UNITED PRESS Repeal of the 18th amendment and conclusion of 13 years of prohibition in America were accomplished facts today despite the unexpected defeat of the repeal cause in the two

Two Sure Pennsylvania and Ohio were the 34th and 35th states to ratify repeal and Utah is apparently safely wet. The vote is being counted today in Kentucky, but a wet victory there is also expected.

N. C.'s Third Break North Carolina traditionally Democratic, wrote the third chapter in its history of rebellion against party mandates when the state turned back yesterday, by a majority of 140,-000 votes, the repeal wave started by the Democratic national convention. Other North Carolina revolts were the refusal to follow President Wilson's request to ratify the woman suffrage amendment and the giving of 63,000 majority for Hoover

against Al Smith. Comeback Seen Political seers are predicting, as the result of yesterday's election, the possibilities of a comeback for Cameron Morrison and possibly Furnifold Simmons, who were unhorsed by the repeal senators, Reynolds and Bailey.

North Carolina Vote With 1.475 of the state 1,821 precincts reported North Carolina voted 109,279 for repeal convention and 255,337 against, thus electing 104 dry delegates and 16 wet.

# GLOATING ABOUT OTHER VOTES Double Shoals

News has been received here of Newell And Jonas Say G. O. P. Won In N. C. Called First Victory.

Charlote, Nov. 8 .- The Republiwood, the daughter of the late cans in North Carolina virtually Capt. and Mrs. Lemual J. Hoyle. won yesterday's prohibition victory and thereby delivered the first jolt but bore her suffer with almost un- that has been given President Franklin D. Roosevelt since the Besides her husband who resides Democratic administration went in in Missouri, she is survived by three to office, and North Carolina Republicans thereby become the nu-Hoyle of Shelby and one sister cleus around which national Re-Mrs. James W. Beam of High Point publicans must build a ne worganization, Jake F. Newell, former Re-Mr. Champion Found publican candidate for the senate and ardent prohibitionist, declar-

"I feel like a young colt," said R. T. Champion, native of the Mr. Newell. "I can surely sleep well Flint Hill section of Cleveland county tonight. Every Republican county in the state went dry. I under-

"We have given the Democratic of R. Henderson Champion, South repeal forces their first jolt. And Greenville, S. C. and is survived by ing to my information, that took

He declared that the victory of the Republicans, who followed their leaders in opposing repeal will put them squarely in the fron' of the Republicans of the nation "We are the first Republicans

to show an organization of any strength since the last election and we have won a great victory, for without the Republicans the proospital where he entered as a pa- hibition forces could not have won yesterday. It is the first time the national Democratic administration confined to his bed part of time at has been jolted and we did it. That naturally gives us an enviable position in the national Republican

> Charles A. Jonas of Lincolnton, former Republican congressman and former district attorney, declared he was also feeling "like a

#### Mr. McMurry Grows Gradually Weaker McKnight.

game Saturday at Chapel Hill game. Both promise to be good ranks just behind Boiling Springs ter of Phi Beta Kappa, national oldest and most beloved citizens, ing amateurs in radio experimenta- Yan" from his daughter, and a reand Mars Hill in the race for the scholastic fraternity. Membership in grows gradually weaker at his home tion, has for some time had his ply radiogram was sent back this The high school eleven deterministate junior college championship. Phi Beta Kappa represents the on West Marion street. He is in a own sending and receiving set with week. From now on the two radio given by Mrs. Roosevelt at the ed to make up for the Morganton Coaches Paul Hutchins and Bud highest scholastic honor that can stupe part of the time, but rallies which he talks, by code, with other wizards plan to keep in close touch white House Tuesday afternoon defeat faces a still test, however, for Raker say that the boys on their come to a student to the University now and through former Governor and Mrs. Gardwas 84 years of age last May.

# Repeal Strength Is Only 1,097 Repeal Carries In 4 States; Ends Dry Law

#### **ELECTION TIDBITS**

DRY AS POWDER!

Just before the polls closed in Shelby yesterday afternoon the city fire trucks were called out. As the votes were being counted-dry, one by one-the fire trucks were called out twice

aid: "Gosh a'mighty! The bloomin' town is so dry it's catching on fire all over."

MISSED A CHANCE

tion party reminded Frank Connor, upsets. operator of 'The Star's loud-speaker system announcing the returns, that he missed a good bet by not bringing along a phonograph record of "How Dry I Am" to play in between bulletin announcements.

And just about that time some youngster turned a court square corner tooting one of those horns which sings "How Dry I

CASAR??

It has long been considered that started at 10 o'clock today. No offithe major moonshine industry in cial figures were available, but drys Cleveland county is conducted in conceded defeat. the Casar mountain section. Other sections may make more, but when, for several years, anyone has been

recinct of the 26 in Cleveland the "Roosevelt honeymoon."

oun'ty. The repeal vote there was 3. The biggest repeal vote of any precinct was cast in Shelby ward This Section Solid one, the repeal vote being 156 to 310 dry. East Kings Mountain cast the second largest repeal vote, 135, and Shelby ward two the third largest, 125.

MUM AND DRY Watching and talking to office

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### START FIGHT **UPON BEER** IN STATE

Raleigh, Nov. 8 .- Assured of a three-to-one lead in the repeal fight, drys of North Carolina today began a fight to reneal the sale of beer in the state. The beer repeal drive was announced by Rev. Arthur J. Barton, Wilmington, pastor of the Temple Baptist church.

Jake Newell, prominent Charlotte Republican, was in the meantime hailing yesterday's election as a Republican tri-

ed in the United States since latest returns today show that four of the six states voting favored repeal.

Democrats Win And

By UNITED PRESS

National prohibition has end-

The Utah state dry law was also Over in the crowd one punster repealed. In Pennsylvania

In Pennsylvania, 3,901 of 7,926 precincts voted 1,006,721 for repeal

elected a mayor of Pittsburgh and Star last night gave: Several people at The Star's elec- city offices in Philadelphia in two S. C. Vote In South Carolina with 905 of 1 .-222 precincts reported the repeal

and 256,340 against. Democrats also

vote was 32,651 and the anti-repeal vote 34.974, giving the drys a scant lead of 2,323, but repeal leadrs conceded defeat. Ohio For Repeal In Ohio, with 7,553 of the state's

8,585 precincts reported, the vote was 1,246,244 for repeal and 538,238 Kentucky Wet In Kentucky the vote counting

New York Vote The loss of New York city by the Youngs

Roosevelt candidate for mayor Boiling Springs \_\_\_\_\_ asked where he got his liquor, he broke in as a warning today while Sharon would reply, "Oh, up about Casar," the Roosevelt administration ob- Patterson Springs ..... But Casar didn't vote that way yes- served the first anniversary of the Earl terday-not by a long shot. The landslide which restored the Demo- E. Kings Mtn. vote was 369 dry and four for re- crats to power a year ago. In many W. Kings Mtn. other parts of the country scattered Grover election returns showed a sag in Waco Democratic strength. Some viewed Shelby No. 1 Double Shoals was the dryest the results as marking the end of

# In Opposing Repeal Lattimore

All Counties Neighboring Cleveland Vote Dry In Tuesday Election.

This entire section voted dry yesterday with all counties neighboring Cleveland turning in a repeal opposition vote of about the same proportion as voted by Cleveland. Incomplete votes from neighboring

Burke Catawba \_\_\_\_\_ 1,725 Gaston - -----Lincoln Rutherford \_ \_\_\_\_ 1.125

#### Banks And B. And L.'s Close Saturday

Local banks and building and ett Spurlin was chairman for the oan associations will be closed on drys in this precinct. Saturday, Nov. 11th, Armistice day. It is understood, however, that the stores will all operate as usual, but the 26 precincts in the county to this being a legal holiday the banks have over 100 votes on their side: and building and loan associations East Kings Mountain with 135:

### Shelbyite, Former Shelbyite Have Exchange Of Messages Over Radio Holly Springs, two at Delight, three

Edwin Webb And Colbert McKnight John McKnight, Associated Press Both Radio Fans, Talk To Each Other.

boy, both of whom have radio ex- a call message from Atlanta for now exchange messages through the air between Shelby and Atlanta, a wife and Mrs. Elizabeth Costner, a gray election day in Kentucky. The distance of several hundred miles, neighbor, who is the daughter of vote on repeal of the 18th amend-They are Edwin Webb, jr., of At- "Uncle Yan" Weathers, of Shelby ment and on state issues served to lanta, son of Federal Judge E. Y. had just finished listening in on bring out a large number of voters Webb, and Colbert (Pete) Mc- Judge Webb's dry speech at Greens- in most counties.

correspondent, Pete McKnight has Bloody Election been working on his sending and receiving outfit at his home here. A former Shelbyite and a Shelby Sunday while at his set he caught perimentation as their chief hobby, North Carolina. He tuned in on it voting and outbreaks of violence and was soon exchanging messages that caused five men to be killed with Edwin Webb there. Webb, his and five wounded marked a chill, Knight, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. boro and were sending a message to

Young Webb, long interested in In the exchange Webb sent to J. J. McMurry, one of Shelby's radio and one of the nation's lead- McKnight a radiogram to "Uncle Cuba, where he visited his brother themselves or rebuilt

### Surprising Vote Here; All County Boxes Vote Dry

Second Largest Vote In The County

Every Precinct In The County, Otty As Well As Rural, Rolls Up A Large Dry Majority. A dry tidal wave swept over Cleveland county from Ben's Knob

In Utah 543 precincts of 852 voted to the Ellis Ferry in Tuesday's re-8,048 for repeal and 42,022 against. peal election. The dry majority was many times greater than the most optimistic dry leaders had hoped 5,956 Majority

Unofficial returns gathered from every precinct in the county by The

No convention \_\_\_\_\_ 6,987 Convention \_ \_\_\_\_ 1,148 Majority . Geo. P. Webb, dry \_\_\_\_ 7,053 W. J. Arey, repealist \_\_\_\_ 1,097

Dry majority \_ Every precinct in Cleveland county voted overwhelming dry. There was not a wet spot, even in the city precincts of Shelby and Kings Mountain where the wet strength was supposed to be. The dry ma-

Votes By Precincts (Dry) (Wet) Holly Springs

Shelby No. 2 South Shelby \_\_\_ Queens Double Springs Double Shoals - --Mulls \_ \_

jorities, however, were highest in rural Cleveland, Casar taking the banner with only four voting for 3,035 repeal as against 369 against repeal. 5,945 J. C. Downs, precinct chairman for 10,095 the dry forces in the Casar precinct, was here last night to get the dry 7.377 banner offered by Robert H. Cooke. county dry chairman, to the precinct that had the largest percentage of dry votes. Fallston came second with 21 for repeal as compared with 512 against repeal. Ever-

Casar

Wet Strength In Cities The repealists found only four of and postoffice will observe the day. Shelby No. 1 with 156; Shelby No. 2 with 125 and Shelby No. 4 with 111 votes. However, in each of these precincts the drys had strong majorities. There were only 9 repeat votes at Patterson Springs, five at

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## In Old Kaintuck

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 8 .- Heavy

#### Gardners Guests At White House

Washington, Nov. 8 .- At a teathe Deacons in its only sus- Cliffside has a strong outfit and squad are in good condition for the Mr. Weathers a graduate of bers of his family. Mr. McMurr lea Since 10 mg recently from outfits which they have made out and Judge and Mrs. J. Crawford Biggs were among the guests.

# hurt when a bottle exploded Two Grid Games In City This licking.

will be out to hand Shelby another game.