

THE MARKETS

Cotton, spot	9.75 to 10.75
Cotton seed, ton, wagon	14.50
Cotton seed, ton, carlots	16.00

Fair, Colder

Today's North Carolina Weather Report: Fair and slightly colder with heavy frost tonight, Thursday with slowly rising temperature in afternoon.

CABINET HAS SHAKEUP

By UNITED PRESS
Washington, Nov. 15.—Henry Morgenthau Jr. was today named acting secretary of the United States Treasury by President Roosevelt to take the place of William Woodin who has taken a leave of absence due to ill health. Woodin had submitted his definite resignation but the president, declining to part with his service, asked that he reconsider and the leave of absence be extended. Simultaneously the White House announced that Dean Acheson, under secretary of the treasury, had resigned effective Saturday. The same day Morgenthau is to assume his new duties, leaving his present office as administrator of the farm credit work. Roosevelt has not yet selected a man for that job.

Two Rulings For Industrial Cases For This County

Hambright Death and Moore Death Judgments By Industrial Commission.
Judgments in two Cleveland county death cases have been handed down by the N. C. Industrial Commission. They are in connection with the death of G. C. Hambright, Kings Mountain, and Harry Moore, who was employed at a Kings Mountain drug store. The Hambright case is that of his family against the insurer of the Kings Mountain Cotton Oil Co. The Moore case is that of the widow against the insurer of the Summers Drug Co. The judgments follow: The Moore case being given first.

"You, and each of you, are hereby notified that a hearing was had before the full commission on May 11, 1933, in the above entitled case, Raleigh, N. C., and a decision thereupon was rendered by Commissioner T. A. Wilson, for the full commission, on November 9, 1933, in which an award was ordered and adjudged as follows:
"Upon the finding that the deceased did not sustain an injury by accident which arose out of and in the course of his employment on July 15, 1933, and that the death of

Wife No. 1 Fined Husband Is Freed In Unique Case

Triangular Affair Is Aired In Court With Broad Lattimore And First And Second Wives.
A unique case was aired in the recorder's court here yesterday when a man's first wife was convicted on charges brought by his second wife. The case involved a triangular relationship between the husband and his first and second wives. The husband, Broad Lattimore, was acquitted, while his first wife, Naomi Lattimore, was fined. The second wife, Lois Lattimore, was the complainant. The case was a rare one in the court's history.

Editor Miller Coming To Ladies Night Here

Editor Julian Miller of the Charlotte Observer will be the speaker at the ladies night program of the Swains club to be held Friday night at the Hotel Charles. The time has been changed from Thursday until Friday to avoid a conflict at the hotel. Ladies night is a real event in the club's life and there will be fun, frolic and souvenirs in addition to Dr. Miller's speech, says Dr. J. S. Dorris, chairman of the program committee in charge.

Bandits Hold Up And Rob U. S. Mail Truck In Charlotte This Morn

County Cotton Crop Climbs Near 40,000 Bales; 38,648 To Nov. 1

Think Cleveland Might Again Top State In Cotton

Crop Larger Than Anticipated
Ginning In County To November 1 Is 2,000 Bales Ahead Of 1932.

The 1933 Cleveland county cotton crop is turning out better than had been expected and it is possible that the county may again lead the state in cotton production despite a poor season and the plowing up of 14,000 acres in the government reduction campaign.
Up to November 1, this year, the county had ginned over 2,000 bales more than to the same date last year, and last year the total county crop ranged around 45,000 bales.
Ginning Figures
To Nov. 1, this year, according to the report announced today by Thamer C. Beam, ginning agent, 38,648 bales had been ginned as compared with 36,324 bales ginned to the same date in 1932. This is a lead of 2,324 bales over the crop to Nov. 1 last year, and although the season was earlier this year and more of the crop is out to the same date, there is a possibility that the 1933 crop may not fall very far short of last year's total.
Among cotton men, buyers and farmers, many believed that the present crop would do well to reach 35,000 bales. The highest estimates ranged around 38,000, and only a few close observers had any idea the crop would go beyond that figure or into 40,000. While most all of the cotton has been harvested and ginned in the southern and eastern sections of the county it is said that quite a bit remains to be ginned in the northern and western sections.

Wat Veterans Gathering Here

Spanish-American Soldiers Urge Return Of Veterans Pensions.
A movement to restore pensions to Spanish-American war veterans who have been cut off was urged at a meeting of the Junius T. Gardner camp held in Shelby Monday night.
Attending the meeting were numerous state and department officers of the Spanish-American group and auxiliary.
The meeting was presided over by Ben G. Logan, commander. The address of welcome was by Capt. Peyton McSwain, representing Mayor S. A. McMurtry.
J. M. Mabry, chief of staff of the war veterans organization, served as toastmaster and introduced several speakers who made interesting talks. Among them were Mrs. Mary S. Stredley, Mrs. John L. Booth, A. W. Hamilton, D. V. Carter, John L. Booth and others. After the business meeting ladies of the auxiliary served refreshments.
Purchases Home
Howard Hall, of the Shelby Carolina store, has recently purchased the Elbert Ponder residence on Clegg street. Mr. and Mrs. Hall and child moved into their new home last week.

County Court Biggest Attraction Between Other Events In Shelby

Court Room Filled With Spectators Nearly Every Day In Week.
When the summaries are made for 1933 in the Shelby section it is likely that the county recorder's court will stand at the head of the list in the standpoint of attendance.
The court operating almost every day in the week has been drawing many spectators all year, and no other attraction, holding forth throughout the year, will have drawn as many people insofar as the folks about the court house can estimate.
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All-Stars And Highs To Play Friday; Big Turkey Day Game

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Grid fans of the Shelby section are assured at least two more good tilts before the curtain is rung down upon the current football season.
The first is Friday of this week when Zeno Wall's—Shelby high school eleven tests its strength against youths who have starred at Shelby High in bygone years.
The other game comes two weeks from tomorrow when the flashy Oak Ridge Cadets come to Shelby to play the strong Bolling Springs Bulldogs.
Both are in the nature of charity affairs with good football assured and the proceeds scheduled for good causes. The high school an allstar clash is for the purpose of helping defray the school's football expenses as there was no budget allotment this year for grid play. The former high stars are donating their services free. The Bolling Springs-Oak Ridge game is sponsored by the Shelby Rotary club, the proceeds to go for Christmas gifts for needy children of the city.
Some Players.
A tentative line-up of former stars who will go against Zeno Wall's team is as follows: "Shorty" McSwain and Bub Hulick, ends; Ledbetter and Cooper, tackles; Duncan and "Pat" Williams, guards; H. A. Logan, center; Bucky Connor, quarterback; Halg Poston and Yates Wall half backs; "Purp" Barrett, fullback. The high school lads will have to "strut their stuff" to hold down that outfit which includes some of the best performers in recent years at the local school. The all-stars have been training this week and hope to be in fair shape for the clash Friday.
Thanksgiving Day.
If the Oak Ridge-Bolling Springs game turns out as is hoped it may become an annual Turkey Day event for Shelby. The local Rotarians mean to make it turn out that way. They are going at the ticket-sale proposition in a serious manner and expect to have a record crowd for the game. The Bulldogs are travelling at a fast clip for the junior college title and should be able to meet the Cadets on even terms or better. But the Cadet eleven is a heavy and powerful outfit and fans who do not take in any of the larger Thanksgiving classics are expected to get their money's worth and more before the afternoon is over.

Health Board In Routine Session

Discuss Control Of Contagious Diseases Not Covered By State Law.
At a meeting in Shelby this week of the Cleveland County Board of Health regulations and control of contagious diseases not covered by State law were discussed. Other than this discussion the meeting was devoted to routine business coming before the board.
The board members attending were: Joe E. Blanton, chairman by virtue of being county commissioner chairman; J. H. Grigg, county school superintendent, secretary; S. A. McMurtry, mayor Shelby; D. F. Moore, county physcian; Drs. B. H. Kendall, E. B. Lattimore, A. Pitt Beam and J. S. Dorton.

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State Dry Stand Given Praise Of Baptist Session

Shelby Pastor Leads Convention Move
Dr. Zeno Wall Asks Convention To Applaud Dr. Poteat's Work.

Greensboro, Nov. 15.—Preaching the introductory sermon at the opening session of the Baptist state convention here yesterday afternoon, Dr. William Louis Poteat, president emeritus of Wake Forest college, used as his theme "The Light of the World," taking text from the eighth chapter of John.
In presenting Dr. Poteat to the convention, Dr. Zeno Wall, president of the convention, requested the members to stand in recognition of the capable leadership of Dr. Poteat as chairman of the United Dry Forces in North Carolina in the recent campaign against the repeal of the eighteenth amendment.
Sees State Leader
In opening the convention, Dr. Wall stated that North Carolina is now in a position to lead the nation in a great dry parade, and called upon Dr. B. W. Spillman, former president of the convention, to lead in a special prayer of thanksgiving for the great moral victory in the state on November 7.
The convention was organized with the enrollment of more than 500 registered messengers at the opening session. More than 1,000 are expected to be in attendance during the convention which will close Friday at noon.
Charles B. Deane of Rockingham was re-elected general secretary with a rising vote of appreciation for his efficient service during the past year. The president and other officers of the convention will be elected at the closing session Friday morning.
Huggins Reports
General Secretary M. A. Huggins presented his report to the convention, and called special attention to
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College Students To Give Programs At 2 Places In Cleveland

On Thursday night at 8 o'clock, and on Friday night at the same hour, the physical education department of High Point college, will present at Polkville and Piedmont high schools of Cleveland county, respectively, a publicity program composed of acrobatic tumbling, clowning and jokes. The freshman basketball team of the college will meet each of the high school teams preceding the tumbling act.
This program, which has attracted quite a lot of attention among the high schools around High Point, and central North Carolina, is under the personal direction of C. Virgil Yow, athletic director of High Point college.
It stresses the major part that physical education is playing on the campus of High Point college, as well as, points out the importance of physical education to not only the college student, but to the high school student as well.

Webb Boys Go Good In Pinehurst Golf

Shelby's golfing Webb brothers, Pete and Fred, both professionals now, made an impressive showing yesterday in the best ball match opening the Mid-South golf tournament, a national classic, at Pinehurst.
They turned in a card of 147, a 74 and a 73, to rank among the highest North Carolinians in the play. Honors went to Paul Runyan and Willie McFarlane, former national champs. Of the scores of famous golfers playing more went above 150 than under it as did the Webb youths.
Mrs. Lila S. Ebeltoft suffered an injured arm late Saturday afternoon when she fell from her automobile while motoring on South DeKalb street. She was riding with her daughter, Miss Elizabeth, when she fell from the car at a curve. She was taken to the Shelby hospital where it was found she had a dislocated arm. Today it was said that she was resting comfortably and was able to return to her home in a few days.

Nearly 12,000 Bales Cotton On Storage

Nearly 12,000 bales of cotton is now on storage in the Planters and Merchants bonded warehouse, according to J. O. Propst, manager. Two extra warehouses have been rented and licensed to accommodate farmers wishing to store their cotton and secure loans of ten cents per pound on cotton, that meets grade and staple requirements.

Big Judgment In Asheville Affair

By UNITED PRESS
Asheville, Nov. 15.—A superior court jury today returned an award of \$1,057,000 for land and buildings and \$50,000 for the Appalachian railway to the Ravensford Lumber company for 23,000 acres of land condemned for the Great Smoky Mountain park.

Stage Daring Daylight Robbery On Street There

Officers Of This Section Seek Machine-Gun Bandits After Holdup.

By UNITED PRESS
Charlotte, Nov. 15.—Four unmasked bandits armed with two machine guns today blocked a mail truck at the corner of Third and Graham streets just before 11 o'clock and escaped with four packages of registered mail which had just been taken from the Piedmont limited which arrived at the local station from Washington.
The truck had just been loaded and was ready to proceed to the post office when the bandits, using a 1933 Plymouth coach, blocked the truck, covered the driver, Tink Honecutt, and Clerk Z. L. Kontz, who were seated in front, with machine guns. A third bandit went to the rear and robbed the truck. The four escaped in a sedan or coach, dark-colored, bearing a Georgia license number, and headed toward Gastonia. The contents of the mail bags were not determined.
Local Officers Out
When the police alarm spread of the daring daylight mail-truck robbery in Charlotte this morning Shelby police officers and Cleveland county officers hurried to the eastern section of the county to watch all highways as it was reported that the bandits were headed west toward Gastonia and Shelby. The car used to block the mail truck was abandoned and the bandits escaped in another bearing a Georgia license. It is likely, it is believed, that this license will be changed as license plates from several states were found in the abandoned blocking car. At least one of the four bandits was believed to be an Italian.

No Bird Or Rabbit Hunting Here Until Monday; Law Is Explained

NEW AUTO PLATES GO ON SALE SOON IN SHELBY OFFICE
Start Selling License Tags December 1st Instead Of December 15.

The new state automobile license plates for 1934, nearly a third smaller and much lighter than the present ones, will go on sale at the Shelby office of the Carolina Motor club on December 1, instead of December 15 as in former years.
A shipment of the new black tags with their yellow figures already have arrived for distribution and they will be placed on sale the first of next month.
The license cards have not been mailed out from Raleigh yet, but motorists will receive them late this month. The state-wide sale of tags to date stands at 404,852, or 10,581 more than the 394,271 that had been sold on the same date last year. The state sale for all of last year amounted to approximately 397,000, or 7,000 less than the number already sold this year.
Native Of County Sets Her Clothing Afire, Burns Fatal
Mrs. Maggie Helms Set Fire To Clothes After Soaking Them In Kerosene.
Gastonia, Nov. 15.—Mrs. Maggie Helms, 28, died in a hospital here this week from burns sustained Sunday afternoon when she soaked her clothes in kerosene and set them afire at her home in Dallas.
Mrs. Helms had been separated from her husband for about four years. Her three children, John, Billy and Joe, make their home with their mother's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Moes, in Cleveland county.
Funeral services were held at Knob Creek Methodist church in Cleveland county at 2 p. m. Tuesday with interment in the cemetery there.

Woman Dry Leader Says Prohibition Will Return--In Two Generations

W. C. T. U. President Says It May Require A Couple Of Generations.
Evansville, Ill., Nov. 15.—Mrs. Ira B. Wise Smith, recently elected head of the W. C. T. U. this week declared that prohibition will return—probably within two generations.
In her first interview since the eighteenth amendment was annulled by 37 states approving the 21st amendment, Mrs. Smith, a motherly person, forecast that the 21st amendment was doomed to be supplanted.
"I may not live to see it," she said, "but eventually there will be another amendment to the Constitution repealing the 21st amendment. Possibly this younger generation will see it. If not, the next will."

Brother-In-Law Of Mrs. F. O. Gee Dies

Ben W. Montgomery, retired textile manufacturer and wealthy Spartanburg citizen, died this morning at 4 o'clock in Spartanburg, S. C. Mr. Montgomery had been in bad health for sometime. He was married to Miss Mary Bergen Presnell of Morganton and was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Felix O. Gee of Shelby. Funeral services will be conducted there Thursday morning at 11 o'clock and the Gee family will attend. Mr. Montgomery was a prominent member of the First Baptist church of that city.

Cotton Firm About Seven Points Rise

Cotton was firm today at an advance of seven points from yesterday's close, according to the two o'clock quotation from New York exchange. December was quoted at 10.01, January 10.08 and May 10.36. What is off about two cents and stocks are easy.

Hoey Still 'Mum' On Politics; Has Backers Guessing

Not After Committee Place, Says
Reporters Still Fill Columns Guessing What He Will Do.

Clyde Hoey still has them guessing and that assures a good space-filler topic for North Carolina newspapers for some time to come.
Pushed back into the political limelight by the repeal election, the Shelby man has been discussed as a possible candidate for almost every office. Which means that prospective bidders for some three or four offices are wondering what he will do. The political dopesters and writers are guessing too, and, as a result, it must be a standing order around North Carolina newspaper shops to "make a story out of Hoey" when there is no other news from the political front. And the reporters are doing just that.
For a week or more they have been coming to see the Shelby man or telephoning him.
"Going to run for governor in 1936?" they ask.
When that query is parried with super diplomacy, the next question is:
"Well, are you going to run for the United States senate in 1938?" and the answer to that question brings just about as much information as the answer to the first.
Hoey just isn't talking—at least, not in definite terms—about his political future. But that doesn't keep the boys from writing. They can write two columns of speculative matter when there is nothing definite to write about where only four or six inches of space could be filled with a positive yes or no. All of which means valuable publicity for the Shelby man, although he may not care to cash in on it.
Who'll Scoop?
But the newspaper boys will not give up. They keep coming and telephoning. They reason, perhaps, that sooner or later, wearied down
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ROAD REPAIR IS RESUMED TODAY

Twenty Road Maintenance Men Go Back To Work After A Lay-off Of Thirty Days.
Twenty road repair and maintenance men resumed work in Cleveland county under Capt. W. A. Broadway, road supervisor, after a lay-off of thirty days. The lay-off was due to a shortage of funds in the state highway department.
Cleveland county has ten sections with ten foremen and helpers under them. They are engaged in keeping the road system in repair in the various districts. During the lay-off the dirt roads held up fairly well under traffic, due to the dry weather.
The road crew will work five days a week, eight hours a day as they did before the work was suspended thirty days ago.
Captain Broadway did not learn when the construction force would reach Cleveland county to begin applying the bitulite treatment to the Shelby-Polkville and Polkville Fallston roads. However, it is expected this work will be started as soon as material can be placed and that it will be finished before the severe part of winter comes.

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