Warmer Tonight

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Weather Forecast for North Carojina: Fair. Slightly warmer northeast and extreme west portions tonight. Tuesday, cloudy and warmer, probably followed by rain at night,

#### Courthouse Is Guarded

By UNITED PRESS

Decatur, Ala., Nov. 20.-Fifteen armed guards were placed on duty here today as seven negro youths, charged with attacking two white somen near Scottsboro, Ala., on March 25, 1931, were placed on trial for the third time in circuit court.

#### Two Men Off For Stratosphere

By UNITED PRESS

Akron. Ohio, Nov. 20 .- Eyes focussed on the mysterious region of the stratosphere, Lieut. Commander T. W. G. Settle and Major Chester Fordney shot upward this morning encased in a metal gondola sling beneath a huge baloon. Equipped with devices for measuring air intensity and temperature, they hope to take observations ten niles or more above the earth.

#### Goodwill From Russia

Moscow, Nov. 20 .- Hailing recognition of his country by the United Shelby people of all denominations The Rev. J. S. Gibbs was anlations with Russia were resumed ing here. last week after a series of conferences between President Roosevelt STIFFER FINES FOR ences between President Roosevelt noff, who remains in Washington to discuss trade relations with , the United States.

#### D. L. Hoyle Dies At Belwood, Age 75; Buried Today morning, to the woe of twenty week

Leaves Four Children, Three Brothers And Three Sisters. Buried Today At Kadesh.

David Lemuel Hoyle, age 75, died Sunday morning at 1 o'clock following a decline in health extendng over a period of six or eight creased from \$50 to \$90 and costs.

ost esteemed citizens, noted for his honesty and sterling Christian filling station on Highway 20 was ualities. He was married to Susan fined \$150 for receiving liquor for him to the sale, Deputies R. B. Kendrick, Coin grave 17 years ago. Funeral services Powell and John Hord brought him clock at Kadesh church of which shine and a gallon of brandy. he was a member by Rev. W. L. Scott and a large crowd was present to pay their last tribute to him Eskridge Off To for his noble and uplifting life. Surviving are four children, Maron Hoyle, Cooleemee, Hugh Hoyle, of Belwood, Addie Hoyle, Coolee-

mee, Mrs. George E. Gold of Ellenoro. Three brothers, N. A, Hoyle of Blacksburg, Rev. J. W. Hoyle of burham, Max Hoyle of Hendersonalle and three sisters, Mrs. W. F. Campbell of Greensboro, Mrs. W. M. Boggs of Olin and Mrs. Homer senhour of Newton also survive. In his passing the county loses one of its most substantial citizens places. who lived a life which was frought with high and noble influence upon hose with whom he came in con-

#### Dry Majority In The State 173,284

Official Canvass Of Votes Made In at present qualify for the insurance Raleigh Saturday. Total Vote 413.674.

(Special to The Star.)

of prohibition was favored by 293,ng any convention to ratify the week. wenty-first amendment, while 120,-190 voted for the convention, which a the recent election of November according to the official figures announced by the state board of elections when it met here Satur- Unpleasant Taste Has Been Eli- two-tenths of chlorine to one milday to canvass the returns. The total vote for dry delegates to the onvention, although this convention will never be held, was 300,054 total vote for delegates 415,536. The to eradicate it.

1932, was over 711,000.

## Three M. E. Pastors Changed In County

Dr. McLarty Returns;

Returned Here

LIQUOR VIOLATORS

Twenty Week-End Drinkers Pay \$5

and Costs. Drunk Drivers To

Stiffer fines for prohibition vio-

laters were announced by Judge Joe

Wright in recorder's court this

end celebrants with headaches.

They had to pay \$5 and costs where-

as in the past many offenders had

been assessed costs and dismissed

intoxicated, the penalty was in-

Tom Yarborough, operator of a

Bankers Meeting

President Of State Bankers Asso-

ciation Filling Eight Ap-

pointments.

Forrest Eskridge of Shelby, presi-

dent of the North Carolina Bank-

ers association, left this week for

various points in North Carolina to

hold group conferences at eight

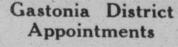
ers association, together with Guer-

ings also concerns the insurance of

bank deposits beginning January 1

and obtaining preferred stock for

of deposits



Trice, Wise And Gibbs Succeed Randall, Barber And Jenkins In Cleveland County.

Retention of the Rev. E. K. Mc-Larty as pastor of the Central Methodist church here and changes in three Cleveland county pastorates were announced at the Western North Carolina conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, which closed at Charlotte to-

Shelby citizens, many of whom called The Star office for information, hailed the news that their popular pastor, the Rev. Mr. Mc-Larty, would remain here.

The Rev. R. M. Courtney, presiding elder of the Gastonia district for the past four years, has been transferred to Statesville, and the Rev. J. V. Craven, pastor for four years of the Main Street church at Gastonia was elected presiding eld-

States, President Kalinin of the rejoiced today to learn that Dr. E. nounced as the new pastor for Polk-Soviet Union today addressed a K. McLarty has been returned to ville. The Rev. F. H. Trice was message of good will and hope to Central Methodist church to con- named to succeed the Rev. W. R. the American people. Diplomatic re- tinue the fine work he has been do- Jenkins at the LaFayette Street church, and C. M. Wise was appointed pastor for the Shelby circuit, succeeding the Rev. J. N. Ran-

> New Presiding Elders The Rev. J. S. Hiatt was elected presiding elder of the Gastonia dis-

Other appointments announced Boy, 19, Is Killed vesterday were:

Belmont, Main Street church, W M. Smith; Mark Street, G. E. White. Belwood, W. L. Scott, reappoint-

Bessemer City, E. L. Kirk. Cheryville, W. H. Willis. Cherryville circuit, C. R. Allison. Cramerton, G. G. Adams. Crouse, J. W. Bennett. Dallas, R. L. Young.

#### will Moore of Cliffside was the first Dr. Frank Lackey Child Dies Today

(Continued on page six.)

year old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. and Sam Boyd, of Charlotte, and sere conducted this morning at 11 in with three and a half gallons of Frank Lackey, died this morning Willard Boyd of Maiden, and three and will be buried Tuesday morn- sisters, Mrs. R. U. Shuford, of Lining, the funeral to be held from colnton, Mrs. Everett Schrum and Friendship Methodist church at 11 Mrs. Guy Hoyle, all of Lincolnton. o'clock in charge of Rev. Mr. Shel-

> Miss Lackey had never been in good health since birth and had been gradually growing worse for the past four months. Surviving are the parents and two brothers. F. H. Lackey, jr. and Euell Lackey.

#### Child Is Recovering From Injury By Car

James Hockholt, of Kings Mountain, was brought to the Shelby Mr. Eskridge and other officers of the North Carolina State Bankhospital last Tuesday in an unconscious condition as a result of a Emergency Relief Administration, ney P. Hood, state commissioner of head injury he received when Mrs. Thomas O'Berry, state adminbanks, are on a tour to explain the struck by an automobile. bankers code and set up the North young fellow seems to show some Carolina Clearing House associa- improvement and is now in a semition which will put all banks on the conscious condition. For several days Mrs. O'Berry gives assurance that ame basis of operation. The meet- his condition was critical.

## Stockholders Of

the weaker institutions that cannot Mr. Eskridge and the other bank the Cleveland County Fair Associa- like activities. No contracts will be tion) and secretary of the NRA officials have a group meeting at tion has been called by Dr. J. S. given, the work being done by day Goldsboro tonight. Lumberton Dorton, secretary-treasurer, to meet labor after approval by the state urday, Lenoir Monday of next week report of the association will be hour week. 84 persons who voted against hold- and Hickory on Tuesday of next submitted and other business trans-

#### Acrid Tang In Drinking Water Was Nothing But Harmless Chlorine Gas

minated From The City Water Supply, Says Mr. Toms.

and for wet delegates 115,482, the your drinking water last week was the mains were flushed, and today South. official dabulation shows, giving a nothing but harmless chlorine gas, the slightly acrid taste should be otal of 2862 more votes cast for a chemical used at the pumping all gone.

stal vote cast in the state in the

lion parts of water is used; week, you had a little more.

question of holding the convention probably good for you, but Super- bers of complaints had been re- lege. The total vote cast on the conven- intendent of Water and Electricity ceived by his department and that The conference opened its fifth of postage. the cast on the conven-intendent of water and Electricity certed by the department of the conven-intendent of water and Electricity certed by the department of the conven-intendent of water and Electricity certed by the convenient of the co ing drinking water from deep well Bishop Edwin D. Mouzon on perimenting with a two-cent local pondering arguments heard at Ra-home near here in July 1932-be-The leak started at 3 a. m. Fri- on the court house square. He em- "Christian Intolerance" L. B. Hay- rate to see if under generation ap- leigh. Oct 20, as to where Reynolds came the father of a daughter by tiel election in November, day, and came through a cracked phasized the fact that the added bit es of Waynesville was elected to the plication it will halt the affect of will should be probated and the

Before Slaying-Kidnap Tragedy

The Cleveland Star



Made shortly before he was kidnaped, this picture shows Brooke Hart with his family in the grounds of their home at San Jose, Cal. Left to right, Alex Hart, wealthy merchant father, Mrs. Hart, Miss Aleese Hart and Brooke Hart. Seated in front, a younger brother, Alex, Jr. Two suspects arrested in the kidnaping confessed young Hart was beaten and drowned in San Francisco Bay before demands for \$40,000 ransom were made on his family.

#### Cameron Shipp, Trained Newsman And Native Of State, With The Star

As Auto Upsets

Homer Boyd, Of Maiden, Is Victim On Highway 150; Two Passengers Escape.

Lincolnton, Nov. 19.-Homer Boyd, Gastonia, Bradley Memorial, J. highway 150 a mile from Lincoln-W. Hoyle; East End, E. W. Hager; ton this afternoon about 5 o'clock. with him were not injured.

### 86,000 To Be Put To Work In State

Mrs. O'Berry Estimates This Number Will Be Given Jobs In Carolina.

Raleigh, Nov. 20.—Sixty-eight thousand idle North Carolinians are to be put to work soon under the new Civil Works Administration. which takes the place of the former The istrator, announced following a conference in Washington last week.

While details are not complete 68,000 men and wone will be put to work on small local projects which can be done in a short time, such as repairing public school County Fair To Meet buildings, minor construction, drainage sanitation, building swimming A meeting of the stockholders of pools, parks, playgrounds and other

## Rutherford Gets

E. M. Cole Of Charlotte Establishes Scholarship Fund As Methodist Conference Opens.

A gift of \$10,000 to Rutherford College, establishing the E. M. Cole Scholarship Fund, was announced Saturday at the closing of the Saturday, the leak was discover- Western North Carolina Conference That funny taste you noticed in ed and repaired. Over the week-end, of the Methodist Episcopal church,

Iglass in the vacuum jar. Normally of chlorine was perfectly narmless general conference of the church. diminishing returns.

#### Interested In Civic Affairs

ney. Experienced On Big NewYork Dailles, A Rotarian.

Cameron Shipp, native of North know about this." 19-year-old Maiden youth was in- Carolina and widely experienced A meeting of business men stantly killed when the automobile newsman, comes today to be local he was driving turned over on news editor of The Cleveland Star. discussed and a delegation plans to succeeding Renn Drum, For driving an automobile while Main street, John W. Moore; May- Several other persons in the car been a faithful member of the gagement can be had with Mr. staff for the past ten years.

Young Boyd's machine is said to Mr. Shipp comes from a distinhave careened from the road when the driver swerved sharply to newspaper experience, from weeklies the driver swerved sharply to newspaper experience, from weeklies to metropolitan dailes such as on the The youth is survived by his par- copy desk of the New York World, ents, Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Boyd, of re-write man on the New York Biss Virginia Lackey, fourteen Maiden, three brothers, John Boyd Evening Post and for five years editor of the Forest Hills-Kew Gardens Post, a weekly on Long Island, a suburb of New York.

From Western Carolina He began newspapering at the age of 13 years as a printer's devil on the Western North Carolina Times at Hendersonville. During the summer vacations he was successively reporter and then news editor of The Times at Hendersonville and was reporter on the Asheville Times

for awhile. After two years in the University at Chapel Hill and a year and a half at Columbia university, New York in the school of journalism, he had his experience referred to above on the metropolitan dailies. later selling stories and news articles on The Brooklyn Eagle, The Herald-Tribune, the Presbyterian Magazine, the DKE Quarterly, World's Work and Popular Science

Civic Interests A year ago he went to Florida where he was connected with the Winter-Garden Journal and was active in civic affairs of that city. He has been president of the chamber of commerce, chairman of the president of the Cross-State Canal association (a state-wide organizacompliance board.

The Star has checked Mr. Shipp Raleigh, Nov. 20.—The retention Tuesday night, Rockingham Wed- in his office in the Lineberger board, the rate of pay being 45 from every angle and gets more exthe eightcenth amendment and nesday, Durham Thursday, Win-building on Thursday afternoon, cents an hour for common labor cellent reports on his personality, ston-Salem Friday, Asheville Sat- Nov. 30th at 3 o'clock. A financial and \$1.10 for skilled labod for a 30- equipment and training as a news

> Mr. Shipp has a most excellent family background, being a son of the late Attorney Bartlett Shipp of Gift Of \$10,000 Lincolnton and Asheville, nephews of Miss Kate Shipp, founder of Fassifern school for girls, a grandson of the late Judge William Shipp who served North Carolina as Attorney general.

#### Postoffice Revenue Drops Over A Third

Washington, Nov. 20.—Postmaster than were cast on the station to purify the water. It was Mr. Toms said today that numdebtedness due him from the colinception of the business depression, whose violent death has never been aviation enthusiast—who completed insurance. "notwithstanding the higher rates solved.

## Shelby To Grover **Proposed Highway**

Says Funds Must Be Federal

Is Investigating Dangerous Ap-proach To Buffalo Bridge Where 2 Were Killed.

The Star recently wrote to Hon. E. B. Jeffress, state highway chairman urging that the Shelby-Grover road be built as promised at an early date and also that the dangerous approach be eliminated at the Buffalo bridge where two were killed a week ago Sunday and two others

and says the immediate attention will be given to the situation at the

Awaits Park Highway

"Things are moving more rapidly in Washington now and I am hopeful that they will eventuate in an additional appropriation for highways. If you have noted the costs at our recent lettings you will find how fast prices are going up and it naturally takes more money to do a job. Our commission has gone slowly in committing because we have no latitude of state funds to fill up the gap. We have to depend on federal funds.

"There are two things that are going to help the situation. One, the proposal to construct the Park-to-Park highway, which from yesterday's report seems assured. This may enable us to transfer certain mountain roads to the new route but it will be a few weeks before this Son Of Late Bartlett Shipp, Attor- can be determined. The other is the large amount of funds to be allotted under the C. W. A. program and elected president of the North Caroit will be Monday or later before I lina Baptist convention by acclama-

recently held at Earl at which the Shelby-Grover road project was Rev. Charles B. Howard, who has go to Raleigh as soon as an en-

# Kiwanis Speaker

125 Guests Are Present At Annual tality. Ladies Night Program: Personal Integrity.

Dr. Julian Miller, guest speaker before the annual ladies night program of the Kiwanis club at the Hotel Charles Friday night made a plea for personal integrity and education as methods by which this country will get out of its "much and mire." Dr. Miller is editorial writer on the Charlotte Observer.

"You can't take a holiday with childhood. Children won't wait" said Dr. Miller as he urged education as a means of uplift for civilization. He pointed out that thirty war draft could not read and write died suddenly at the home of hi and that forty eight per cent could daughter. Mrs. J. E. Gibbs. into the army. "We will never get Seay street, was visiting his daughourselves out of this situation our ter when he became suddenly ill country finds itself in today if we and died in a short time. trust ours elves to the uneducated."

and disrepute. What we need is survives. men who can stand up under! crushing misfortune," he added.

Music and a playlet by members past several years. of the Community Players were alothers were distributed.

## Jeffress Writes On Make Ready For Red Cross Roll Call On Cleveland This Week

#### Heads Baptists



Dr. Zeno Wall, pastor of the First Baptist church who has been reelected president of the State Baptist convention. The convention met in Greensboro last week.

#### DR. WALL IS AGAIN **HEAD OF BAPTISTS**

Vext Meeting Will Be Held At New Bern. Will Push Enlistment Campaign.

Greensboro, Nov. 17.-Dr. Zeno Wall, pastor of the First Baptist church at Shelby, today was re-

John D. Berry, Raleigh, the Rev. Arch C. Cree, Salisbury and the were elected vice-presidents.

mittee was named to direct enlist- Starnes. ment members throughout the state, with the Rev. Eugene I. Olice, the business district committee North Wilkesboro, as chairman.

The convention adjourned this offices. orning to meet the second Sun day in November, 1934, at New Bern after thanking Greensboro and her serving as county chairman, will Baptist churches for their hospi- act as chairman of a special com-

\$450,000 Goal Set Accepting a goal of \$450,000 as its corners. financial objective next year, the

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#### John T. Hawkins Of Spartanburg Passes Mr. Lineberger said, more than

Has Sister And A Half Brother Living In Cleveland County. Buried On Sunday.

John T. Hawkins, 72, for the last per cent of the men in the World 10 years a resident of Spartanburg, not pass the mental and physical South Church street, at 1 o'clock test applied to them for entrance Friday. Mr. Hawkins, who lived on

He is survived by his wife. Mrs. "All the imaginable wealth that Clara Hawkins, and the following has been lost does not compare to children: Mrs. A. M. McKinney, Elthe greatest default of all, the loss lenboro, N. C.; Mrs. J. E. Gibbs, of of personal character and common Spartanburg; Belton Hawkins, Mamorality. Tall men have fallen to con; Mrs. Isaac Gantt of Atlanta; the earth like burnt-out stars. Doz- Mrs. Nallie Fite, Lattimore; and C ens of them in America have fall- B. Hawkins, of Valdese; one half en from high places into distrust brother, Lane Green of Shelby, also approximately \$185,000.

Mr. Hawkins has operated several barber shops in Spartanburg for the

Funeral services were conducted so features of the program. Each from the High Shoals church near lady guet received a vanity case as Henrietta, at 2 o'clock Sunday afta souvenir while three dozen prizes ernoon by the Rev. J. L. Vippergiven by Kiwanis members and man, pastor of Southside Baptist

### Tangled Question Involving Twenty Million Dollar Reynolds Estate

Court Is Studying What Disposition mer wife, and a child by each. To Make Of Smith Reynolds Estate.

The gift was made by E. M. Cole al revenue to the government had tangled affairs of the estate of his death. of Charlotte, who cancelled an in- dropped more than a third since the Smith Reynolds, young tobacco heir

relative rights of his widow, a for-

period between the time of Reyn- a weekly pay roll of approximately olds' first marriage, to Anne Can- \$4,000. Winston-Salem, Nov. 20.-The non, daughter of a Kannapolis tow-General Farley said today the post- state supreme court is studying the el manufacturer, and the time of

a leisurely solo hop around the With the disposition of \$20,000,- world just before he was found fat-

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#### Goal Of \$2,500 Is Set For County

Health Nurse May Be Employed. Committees Are Named For County-wide Canvass.

In an effort to obtain two Red Cross nurses for Cleveland county Henry Edwards, county chairman, and J. D. Lineberger, Shelby Roll Call chairman, will inaugurate on Wednesday a house-to-house and office-to-office canvass as their part of the national Red Cross Roll

Cleveland county has never had a Red Cross nurse, and should have at least two immediately, Mr Lineberger said this morning. The quota for the county has been set at \$2,500, and the drive closes Sat-

Local Chairmen.

Mrs. Clyde R. Hoey, vice-chairman, is assisting Mr. Lineberger She will have charge of the rural have not been named, but will be announced in Wednesday's Star. In charge of a special gifts com

mittee; which will make an inten-

sive drive for large contributions, is

O. M. Mull. John F. Schenck, jr. is chairman of the group enrollment committee, which will appoint key men for each plant and actory in the county. To Canvass Mills.

Under Mr. Schenck are the following workers: Shelby Cotton mill, Roy Cale and Clarence Will-

Byrum Hosiery mill; Zeno Wall. r., and Miss Louise Wilson. Belmont cotton mill; Miss Jane Anthony and Mrs. Miles Baker. Dover mill; Mrs. E. T. Bailey

and Mrs. Floyd Tate. Ora mill; Mrs. J. F. Alexander and Miss Muriel Wall.

Corporation), Coley Bianton and J. Pounders Eton mill: L. W. Green and B. O

Ella mill; (Consolidated Textile

M. A. Spangler is chairman of which will canvass all stores and

Henry Edwards, in addition to mittee, which will establish booths on the square and on prominent

Miss Charline and Miss Jane 103d annual session of the North Stamey will be Faliston chairmen, and George Hart will have charge

> of Lawndale. When you make your contribution to the Red Cross, fifty cents of your dollar stays at home, for purely local relief. Since Jan. 1

> \$6,000 has been spent by the Red (Continued on page six.)

#### \$185,000 Blaze At Statesville

Underwear Plant And 900 Bales Of Cotton In Warehouse Destroyed. Origin Unknown.

Statesville, Nov. 19.-The entire plant of the Dillon-Vitt Underwear company on North Center street and the adjoining warehouse containing around 900 bales of cotton were totally destroyed by fire today, representing an estimated total loss of

The fire started from some un known origin in the cotton warehouse and the building was envel oped in flames before the alarm was turned in.

Statesville's entire fire-fighting equipment was brought into action with all regulars and volunteers or duty, but in spite of the efforts of the firemen the flames spread to the Dillon-Vitt building. Noting but the walls of the two building were left standing after the fire.

The Dillon-Vitt Underwear company's loss in equipment and mate rial is estimated at \$100,000 with \$50,000 insurance. Jack Dillon, the manager, stated this afternoon he hoped to rebuild later. His plant The court's study embraces the gave employment to 285 people, with

> The warehouse, a branch of the Statesville Bonded warehouse, contained \$45,000 worth of cotton which is thought to be covered by

> Both the warehouse and the Dillon-Vitt building, the property of company, now in process of liquidation, are listed at \$40,000, there being \$25,000 insurance on both build-