

Former Merchant, Postmaster And in the Textile Union Hall Saturday Teacher Is Buried This Morning at Concord Baptist Church.

as one of Cleveland county's foremost citizens, died at his home in cers from North and South Caro-Mooresboro January 8th, at 4 lina. o'clock P. M. Mr. Smart, father of The full program for the evening

the age of 81 years after a lingering by the members of this tribe; and illness of several months.

Born in Rutherford county near by the addresses. Ellenboro, Mr. Smart married Miss Polly Ann Walker on September 17,

1878. After several years service invited to take advantage of the teaching in the public schools, he opportunity of hearing two such entered the mercantile business in noted speakers, and all guests will Bostic, continuing for 15 years, and be welcomed. There will be no adserving as postmaster 12 years dur- mission charge. ing this period. In 1901 he moved to Caroleen and worked in the Caroleen Company store, and was also the efficient postmaster of Caroleen in the years from 1908-1912. In 1918, he moved to Mooresboro where he was associated with the Moores-

boro Oil Mill until 1929. From this date until his death, he was receiving agent for the N. C. Cotton Growers' Co-operative Association.

Not only active in civic affairs of his community, Mr. Smart served the Sandy Run Baptist Associawas a deacon in the Sandy Run Baptist church, and served as Sun- Hoey delivered the principal adday school superintendent for 50 dress of the evening.

Shelby, John Smart, and Mrs. J. from all over Cleveland county. W. Greene, Mooresboro; four brothers, Seth Smart, Forest City, State; one sister, Mrs. J. E. Bostic, Charlotte, and seven grandchildren.

Funeral services were held this morning at 11:30 o'clock at Concord) Baptist church, near Bostic. The services were conducted by Dr. 8. E. Welchel and Dr. Zeno Wall.

Pall bearers were: J. A. Kiser, J. C. Rollins, A. I. Jolley, E. G. Whitaker, D. R. Philbeck and V. B. of a high school building is disfrom the Mooresboro school.

FALLSTON WOMEN MEET AT CLUB FRIDAY P. M. organization.

The Fallston Woman's club will night's meeting of the organization meet at the club room Friday aft- to get all information he could "moon at 2 o'clock with Mrs. E. G. concerning the project on a fact-Spurlin, Mrs. D. E. Hoyle and Mrs. finding h e w the C Lloyd Hamrick as joint hostesses "Commerce and Merchants Associa-

onee Tribe No. 23 Improved Order out that any person not yet seen of Red Men of Shelby to be held can become a member and secure membership card by seeing Mr.

night January 13th. Lineberger, or Everett Houser, the In adition, Eugene Grayson, the secretary. It is believed that prac-Great Sachem of North Carolina tically every business firm and pro-Mr. A. L .Smart, long-respected will deliver an address The meeting fessional man in Shelby will be will be attended by Red Men offinumbered among the members.

Mr. Gary Smart of Shelby, died at is as follows: At 6:30 a dress parade at 8 o'clock a musical entertain-ment by two string bands, followed To Seek Clerkship

> The general public is cordially Has Been Scouting Around For **Two Years.** Definitely Decides

> > To Run For Office. Lander F. McBrayer is the first candidate to announce for a county office. He authorized The Star

this week to say definitely that he **Postal Workers** is in the race for clerk of the court, Hold Quarterly a four year term of office now held by A. M. Hamrick. Meeting Here

Mr. McBrayer has been scouting about for the past two years, sound-Regular Quarterly Meeting Held. ing out the sentiment of the peo-Hon: Clyde R. Hoey Delivers ple and he says the encouragement Address. is such that he is already running.

"If elected, I shall give the very The Cleveland County Service best service I am capable of giving; if defeated, I will have no ill will council of the post office department held its regular quarterly or malice toward any one," said Mr. meeting in the basement of the McBrayer. Mr. McBrayer is a nation both as clerk and treasurer, Central Methodist church last tive of Cleveland county, widely night at 7:30 p., m. Hon. Clyde R. connected with family ties and acquainted throughout the county. The Democratic primary will be

Dinner was served the members held in June at which time all Mr. Smart is survived by his wife of the council by the D. Z. Newton county offices are to be refilled. and the following children: E. E. Sunday school class. The meeting Nominations will be made in the Smart, Cheraw, S. C., Gary Smart, was attended by postal workers June primary and election take place in November.

George and Will Smart, Ellenboro, Houser Reports Steps To Be Taken For A School Building

Two Ways Of Getting Money To tion taking the position that recommendation either for or against by **Erect New Building. Question** Of Election. it is not in order.

The statement prepared for mem-The method of approach to sebers of the association follows: cure federal funds for the erection "I have been directed by the membership of the Chamber of Lovelace. Flower girls were selected cussed in a report to members of Commerce and Merchants Associathe Chamber of Commerce and tion to get all available informa-Merchants Association made today tion about necessary machinery to by Everett Houser, secretary of the secure a new high school building for Shelby with the use of Federal Mr. Houser was asked at Monday Emergency funds.

Two Avenues Of Approach. After consulting several peop ho apparently have inve 1115270 Per al

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western edge of the bridge. When way was let to Nello L. Teer of Dur- the bank underwent a reorganizathis road was put down, the as- ham at the low bid of \$32,593.15. It tion and assets not considered col-

phale surface seemed to have is understood that contract for the lective were charged off. All real es-; J. J. Lattimore, manager of yet whether the government would crawled and become rough and un- surface treatment of this road will tate held by the bank was taken out even. It has been repaired several be let next summer after the and the bank started off in fine times but fails to stand up under grading and top-soiling has been cash position. It was shown Tuesthe heavy traffic. J. S. Bowers of done under the contract awarded day that it has no borrowed money Whiteville has the contract to put yesterday. and no bills payable. C. C. Blanton was re-elected pres-

## Lions Pledge Roosevelt Support; Ask C. W. A. Census For N. C. Blind

Here As Guests Of Shelby Club: Dance Follows.

"Vigorous and enthusiastic support And Out Of City of the Roosevent recovery program was the keynote of the 31st district Lions club conference here last

night, attended by more than 200 Effort Being Made To Speed Up members, who enjoyed a lively pro-Shipments By Express In gram of music and dancing as guests of the Shelby club at the Hotel Charles.

As a result of efforts being made District Governor John Barclay by the chamber of commerce and Wilson, in the main address of the evening, urged full support of the administration during the next few trying months, as did O. Lee officials of two motor Horton, who responded to the express speech of welcome by the Shelby plans to

president, J. W. Osborne. speed up service or rather to give Ask Survey Of Blind deliveries more often than the one The Lions cheered the announcenow offered Shelby merchants on ment that their directors, who met shipments from out-of-the state late in the afternoon, had passed a resolution urging a census of the

The railway express agency, which blind in North Carolina. Mr. Baroperates into Shelby over the Sea- clay made a point of this in his board road, states it can do nothaddress, saying that such a survey ing to give additional deliveries un- could be made by CWA workers, til the Seaboard adds another train, and that it was a humantarian

which is believed possible. Two move imperatively necessary now. Mr. Osborne, in address of welmotor services, one an interstate line having daily service into northcome, cited the civic activities of ern points, the other doing a local the local club, which has grown business in this and adjoining rapidly in the past few years.

Music was furnished during dinstates, are now trying to formulate a joint service which will speed up ner, and afterward for dancing, by package shipments into Shelby and a colored orchestra. Miss Betty this entire territory from northern Eskridge won applause with a plano points.

accordian solo and later with a tap dance; Colbert McKnight played piano solo, and a colored quartet **Refuse Permit For** 

sang. Negro Dwellings Lions were present, many of them

with their wives, from Wilson, Mur-The board of aldermen in their phy, Durham, Asheville, Raleigh, neeting last night refused to issue Morganton, Statesville, Gastonia. permits for the erection of several Charlotte, Salisbury and Concord. negro dwelling houses on East The state directors are B. J. calendar year with a net cost to the Warren street, between the Will Asheborough, Zack L. Roberts, Jo- taxpayers of only \$3,188.86. That's like this:

Hoey home and J. R. Osborne's. seph Day, E. W. Davis, Rufus John-one way to look at it. A little more Petitions were signed and submit- son, W. M. Fain, J. B. Reynolds and figuring, and you arrive at the con-missions collected by T. V. McKind by a hundred or more white Thigh Mitchell. tents, a time that this section. The times' state a mution will profit of \$2,003.39.

be, restricted to white people, be held in Salisbury in June

And Out Of City.

points.

200 Attend Conference And Banque Chamber Works On Bétter Express In

of the Roosevelt recovery program Mrs. S. F. Tuggle, 18 Year Old Mother

Dies At Hospital provision will be made to extend Young Wife's Death Result Of Three Weeks Illness. Survived

By Family. and now realize that they should Mrs. S. F. Tuggle, age 18, died be back on the farm, are urged to vesterday at 1 o'clock at the Shel- register, Mr. Lattimore, says and by hospital, where she had been a give the government an opportunpatient for ten days. Her death ity to help find the employment came as a result of three weeks they prefer. sickness.

ident, John F. Schenck and George

Blanton, vice president; Forrest

Eskridge, cashier, Roy Sisk and

Directors are as follows: C. C. Blan-

ton, John F. Schenck. Clyde R.

Hoey, O. Max Gardner. J. F. Rob-

erts, Paul Webb, R. T. LeGrand.

Lee B. Weathers, George Blanton

and Forrest Eskridge.

Clarence Mull, assistant cashiers, are urged to register.

Surviving the young mother are Surprise Bouts At her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Proctor of Lowell, her husband, Ray Tuggle who is employed at the Eton mill here, and her two-year-A surprise card will be featured

old baby daughter, Mattie Carolyn at the company K armory Friday Tuggle. night, it was announced today. The Funeral arrangements have not fight will be resumed Friday, after been definitely decided. It is plan- skipping a week, but none of the

ned to hold the services and burial names of the fighters were disclosat Gastonia sometime tomorrow.



Auditor McKinney's Report Shows aried officers to the county was \$16.333.96. Big Saving Over Last Year: In other words, during 1933, all Fees, Fines Increase.

In a summary of the salaries of and the tax office collected fees, fines, forfeitures, etc., over and above the salaries paid the offiin The Star today, County Auditor cers. The grand total of all Cleve-McKinney shows-if you're slick land county salaries was \$25,247.35. enough to read between those long The fees, fines, etc., amounted to figures-that the county ended the \$22,058.49-difference, \$3,188.86 Itemized, these collections were

Tax refunds and collection com-

Last year, the net cost of sal-Continued on page cight.)

Lattimore.

this new free employment service

plying for work on the farm who

made. Under certain conditions.

help to such families, he said.

is offered farmers.

to cotton farmers. It is not known Cleveland county re-employment buy or lease land for the station and how many acres would be reoffice anounced today that his ofquired. fice is now ready to register land-

Letters recommending that th lords and farmers who are in need station be set up in Cleveland of any kind of farm labor. Like- | county are going out from the wise, families desiring to rent a chamber of commerce and merchants association, O. M. Mull, J. S. farm and unemployed farm labor Dorton, R. W. Shoffner and others and if necessary a delegation will

It is through the efforts of Major go from the county to Washington A. L. Fletcher, state commissioner to place the county's case before the of labor, Mr. Lattimore stated, that department of agriculture.

s offered farmers. There may be some families ap- 14-YearOld Girl do not have enough food and cloth-ing to "run" them until the crop is Implicates Click In Assault Charge

Families, who in the past left the Witnesses Examined Before Jury In farm for work in town or factory Crowded Court Room; Negro Is Guilty.

A crowded courtroom leaned forward this morning to hear scraps of evidence in the only sensational case to come before this term of superior court so far, that of Creed Click, Shelby mill worker, who is charged with assault upon a four-Armory On Friday teen-year-old girl. Doctors, character witnesses, and a servant who worked in the little girl's home were examined by prosecuting and

defense attorneys. The assault is alleged to have ocsurred last September and the case continued from recorder's court.

**Dave Wilson Guilty** A true bill against Dave Wilson. colored, charged with the murder with a mattock of Sam Payne, also a negro, was returned by the grand jury yesterday. Judge Oglesby, finding the facts in the case, found

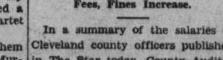
Wilson guilty of manslaughter. Robert Webb, pleading guilty to charge of assault, was given 60 days on the roads. Eight true bills were turned in yesterday and 10 prohibition cases disposed of. Seven true bills were found on Monday.

Prohibition Cases The court rapidly disposed of a number of prohibition cases and petty larceny charges, withholding

judgment in most instances.

This week's jury is composed of R. G. Adams, T. M. Ware, Wayne Brackett, F. A. Greene, A. G. Ramsey, H. Lee Beam, S. Lee Cook, Miller Sparks, E. C. Kiser, Charles, Rhinehardt, Wilbur Cash and A. D. Harris

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offices except the commissioners Cleveland county officers published