

THE MARKETS
Cotton, spot 11 1/2 to 12 1/2
Cotton seed, ton, wagon 26.00
Cotton seed, ton, carlots 28.00

Cloudy, Showers
Weather forecast for North Carolina: Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday, showers in west and north central portions Tuesday. Not much change in temperature.

Japan Warns All
By UNITED PRESS
LONDON, April 23.—Britain addressed a communication to Japan today seeking clarification of the recent Tokyo pronouncement of policy in the Far East, Sir John Simons, foreign secretary, told Commons.

Coal Peace Set
By UNITED PRESS
BIRMINGHAM, April 23.—Both mine operators and striking workers will accept the compromise wage order settling the long controversy in the Alabama coal fields, it was indicated this morning.

Dillinger Battles
By UNITED PRESS
EAGLE RIVER, Wis., April 23.—John Dillinger and eight gangsters escaped a federal trap today after three gun battles in which, according to meagre reports from officers, two to four persons were killed and a number wounded.

Cannon Defiant
By UNITED PRESS
WASHINGTON, April 23.—Bishop Cannon today defied the government to prove that he was guilty of mishandling campaign funds in his war against Alfred E. Smith in 1928 as he took the stand for the fourth day.

Denies Charge
By UNITED PRESS
SHANGHAI, April 23.—Categorical denials that United States cotton and wheat loans were used for political and military purposes were made tonight by Finance Minister H. H. Kung in an interview with the United Press.

Set Wage Scales
President Roosevelt yesterday requested striking miners, who now number about 50,000, to go back to work, and at the same time assured the South that its wage differentials were not endangered.

Mr. Wilson To Be Buried Tuesday, At The Age Of 80
Aged Citizen And Deacon Of Elizabeth Church For Sixty Years Passes Quietly.
William Poston Wilson, age eighty years, died at 11 o'clock last night at his home on East Marion street.

Merchants To Meet Tomorrow Morning
Members of the Shelby Merchant's Association will meet tomorrow morning at the Hotel Charles, Everett Houser, secretary, announced today.

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Leads Bankers



Forrest Eskridge of Shelby, President of the North Carolina Bankers Association, who will preside at the convention to be held at Pinehurst this week.

Carolina Bankers Annual Convention Set For Pinehurst

Forrest Eskridge Will Open Meeting 26th

Governor Eugene Black of Federal Reserve and Representative, Bulwinkle to Speak.

(Special to The Star.)
RALEIGH, April 23.—Official program for the 38th annual convention of the N. C. Bankers association, to be held at the Carolina hotel, Pinehurst, April 26-27 has been completed and announced by Paul P. Brown, secretary.

"Donnybrook" at Hitler Fete



Police officers are shown battling anti-Hitler rioters who attempted to break up meeting of "Friends of New Germany" in Brooklyn, N. Y., to celebrate birthday of Germany's Nazi Chancellor.

Municipal League To Push Road Plan Against Governor

Mayor Says FERA Labor Not Ready

Ask PWA Funds To Pay For Highway Repairs Inside The City Limits.

"There's no use making applications for FERA labor until after May 1," Mayor S. A. McMurry, who attended the Municipal Assembly in Raleigh last week and talked with Mrs. Thomas O'Berry said on Saturday, Mrs. O'Berry made a special request, he declared, that all applications for labor be withheld until after the new administration had been set up.

The mayor went to Raleigh to attend the assembly, as a member of the executive committee, and to try to arrange for new sewers and water mains for Shelby. He said yesterday that the FERA would grant no materials, and that if the projects could be put through, they would have to be inserted in next year's budget, beginning July 1.

Opposed By Governor.
Governor Ehringhaus, he reported opposed the plan of the assembly to use PWA funds allotted to the state for federal highways on state highways leading through cities.

"North Carolina got \$9,500,000 of this PWA money," he said, "but we can't use 25 per cent of it because it's only for Federal highways. Take Shelby, now. We did get \$11,700 for work on highway 20 inside the city, and could get that highway repaired right on through if we needed it. But we don't. We're due about \$25,000 more but can't spend it because we have only one Federal highway running through town. What the assembly wants is permission to spend that money on other highways that badly need improvement.

Committees To Act.
"As I say, the Governor was against it, but our legislative committee will take it up, and it will be considered again by the executive committee at a meeting sometime before July 1."

Mr. McMurry is serving his third term as a member of this committee.

"High Point, for instance," he continued, "obtained \$60,000 worth of work on highway 10, running right through town.

Hit At Gas Tax.
"We also asked removal of the gas tax on gasoline burned by city cars and trucks. Now we use 1,500 gallons a month in Shelby—that would mean a saving of \$90 a month."

The mayor said that repairs are needed on highway 18 through the city. "It's wearing out," he declared, "but we can't get that money to repair it."

Wooded with Pistol?



Marjorie Crawford Wellman, pictured in Los Angeles court, where she testified about her alleged kidnapping by R. C. Dowling, dance director. The lady, who is a film actress and aviatrix, said Dowling had forced her to accompany him to Yuma, Ariz., at pistol point in an attempt to make her marry him.

Seven Passengers Injured As Autos Crash At Midnight

Washburn Car Hits Rear Spangler's Car

Four Of Night Riding Party Still In Hospital, But None Seriously Injured.

Six persons were injured painfully but apparently not seriously, shortly after midnight when a Ford V-8, operated by Jimmie Washburn and carrying four passengers, hurtled through the darkness into the rear of a Model A driven by A. D. Spangler of Double Shoals on Highway 18 near Mull's Chapel. Mr. Spangler's car was tossed 43 yards, by police count, turning over more than three times, before it brought up in a ditch. The Washburn car, although telescoped as if picked in a hay baler, did not overturn.

Passengers in the Washburn car were Miss Annie Ruth Dellinger, Miss Aileen Harris, Guy Laughbridge and C. L. Austell. In Mr. Spangler's car was another man, said to have been his nephew, whose name could not be obtained early this morning. He was not seriously hurt.

Spangler In Hospital.
Mr. Spangler, however, is in the Shelby hospital with a fractured rib and numerous cuts and bruises on face and hands.

Miss Dellinger suffered many cuts and bruises and an injured knee, and is still in the hospital, but Miss Harris was released after first aid.

Jimmie Washburn, driver of the car, was cut and bruised, but needed only first aid treatment. Mr. Laughbridge, severely cut and bruised, and Mr. Austell, with injuries undetermined this morning, are in the hospital.

Bring First Aid.
First to bring aid after the crash were W. W. Crawley and "Shine" Blanton, who called an ambulance and helped carry the wounded in Bob Kendrick, township constable, was also called.

Dr. Gold Confined To Home From Accident

Was Shot In Foot By A Stray Bullet Saturday, March 31st, Bone Is Fractured.

Dr. Tom Gold has been confined to his home for the past ten days, nursing the wound in the foot which he received on the evening of March 31st when a stray bullet struck him. The bullet shattered the bone in the arch of his foot and was not thought to be serious at the time. Dr. Gold remained up and going for awhile, but was forced to stay off his feet and at home for the past ten days.

Two negroes engaged in a pistol and knife duel on South Washington street. The street was crowded with Saturday shoppers. Dr. Gold was standing on the street talking with his friend Jim Probst, when a stray bullet from Russ Lockridge's pistol shattered the arch bone in the doctor's foot.

Hamrick Heirs Ask \$60,000 Damages From R. H. Rogers

Administrators To Sue Driver Of Car That Killed Aged Father Last January.

Asking \$60,000 damages, A. V. and O. V. Hamrick, administrators of the estate of Leander S. Hamrick, who was killed by an automobile operated by R. H. Rogers on January 27, have entered suit against Mr. Rogers through their attorneys, Peyton McSwain and John P. Mull.

The complaint, which was filed on Saturday afternoon, asserts that Mr. Rogers did not slow down when he saw Mr. Hamrick crossing the street, made no signal of warning, and was driving at an unlawful rate of speed. It also alleged "gross carelessness and negligence." Mr. Hamrick was dragged 30 feet after being struck by the car, the charge says.

Off Large Earnings.
Mr. Hamrick, according to the complaint, was capable of earning from ten to fifteen thousand dollars a year at the time of his death, and was in the best of health and vigor, although 79 years old.

The suit will come up in the July term of court. It is understood that Mr. Rogers is amply covered by insurance.

Name Registrars For June Primary In This County

John F. Mull Releases Names Of Officials Chosen For Election Duty.

John F. Mull, chairman of the Cleveland county board of elections, today made public the list of registrars for the various voting districts who will officiate in the approaching June primary. The names of the judges has not been announced yet. The complete list of registrars follows:

Holly Springs, M. B. Bari; Youngs, Sam J. McCluney; Bolling Springs, W. C. Hamrick; Sharon, B. R. Moore; Patterson Springs, C. F. McSwain; Earl, S. H. Austell; E. Kings Mountain, Thomas Thompson; W. Kings Mountain, W. E. Blakeley; Grover, C. E. Byars; Waco, M. C. Whitworth; Shelby 1, Mrs. Annie Smith Long; Shelby 2, J. A. Ellis; Shelby 3, Mrs. Pansy Fetzer; Shelby 4, C. B. Austell; South Shelby, Harvey Blanton; Queens, Alonzo M. Hamrick; Double Springs, G. T. Cabaniss; Lattimore, Wade Harrell; Mooresboro, R. W. McBrayer; Polkville, P. S. Gettys; Delight, E. M. Eaker; Lawndale, F. L. Rollins; Fallston, Stough Bean; Double Shoals, C. E. Spangler; Mulls Chapel, Edgar Cook; and Caser, Chester Downs.

Woods Opens Office Over Charles Store

Robert U. Woods has opened an office for the Continental Casualty Co. over the Charles Store.

Woods makes a specialty of writing group insurance for large industrial plants. He has been appointed south eastern manager for this company.

Dixon To Speak At Kings Mtn. Thursday

(Special to The Star.)
KINGS MOUNTAIN, April 23.—Tom Dixon, who was originally scheduled to speak here on Friday, April 27, has changed the date of his appearance to Thursday night, April 26, and will make his appearance here on that date. He will speak under the sponsorship of the U. D. C.

Negro Is Killed As Car Overturns

James Inman, 30-year-old Shelby negro, was instantly killed late Saturday afternoon when the car he was driving on Carolina Avenue near the Cleveland Cloth Mill dropped a wheel and turned over.

Two other negroes with him were only slightly hurt.

Inman was driving a heavy Buick coupe, which was thrown off the road when the wheel dropped.

Walker Child Taken To City Specialist

Mary Ann Walker, six year old girl who had her jaw bone broken on Saturday before Christmas when struck by a car on the Fallston road was taken to a Charlotte specialist over the week end, but the specialist advised against an operation at this time. She is the daughter of A. C. Walker and was struck while crossing the highway by a car driven by James Eskridge.

Movies, Gambling, Dancing Destroying American Home, Declares "Big Jim" Kramer

Peak Attendance At First Baptist With 1500 Present

Dr. Kramer Will Preach Both Morning And Evening For Four Days.

A new high record of attendance was established for Sunday school at the First Baptist church Sunday as a result of the Dr. James Kramer meeting when 1,500 were present.

Earlier in the week, plans were made to beat the 1342 attendance record established last summer and the goal was achieved.

After the class records were made, the classes adjourned to the mammoth auditorium where every available seat was filled. Dr. Kramer extended his first invitation after explaining the plan of salvation and many went forward. At the morning church service, others joined and 87 offered themselves for membership during the four Sunday services.

Rutherford G.O.P. Meeting Called

County Chairman J. S. Dockery, has issued a call for the Republican convention of Rutherford county to meet in the court house, Saturday, April 28 at 2 p. m. for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the legislature and to name candidates for the various county offices.

A county executive committee will also be elected and other business transacted that might come before the convention.

It is likely that an able speaker will be secured to address the convention here on April 28. If so, due announcement will be made.

Bibles Awarded

At the 2:30 service Sunday afternoon the large auditorium was packed to capacity with 1,500 people. A group of 30 men from the Goodfellow club of Kings Mountain came over in a body and sang one special number. Dr. Kramer announced that he would give a Bible to the oldest man present and this was presented to Squire J. Z. Falls, West Marion street, age 87. His 84 year old wife was the oldest woman present, while Mr. and Mrs. J. Tom Spangler received a Bible for having the largest family.

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The seventeen children and both parents are living. Mr. and Mrs. Flay Ledorf received a Bible as the more recent newly-weds. They were married on March 11th.

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75,000 Brilliant Tulips Glow In Chorus Of Color As A Father's Memorial To Boy Who Died In France

Thousands of North Carolinians and hundreds of visitors from other states came this week-end to the country town of Lattimore on an annual pilgrimage to the vividly living shrine of a soldier who died in France.

You follow the curved clay road around the school house, past the sleepy railroad station, and seek the home of Gideon Price, retired rural mail carrier. Cars line the road, and crowds obscure the yard of a simple home. Brush through, and there—floating and dancing in summer sun, marching in flamboyant regiments of color—there is the glowing, tapestried field of tulips. Seventy-five thousand of them this year form his host of memorial flowers for the son Ed, his only boy, who was killed in France.

For eight years Mr. Price has tended this unique garden with his own hands, steadfastly declining to commercialize it, although many offers have been made for bulbs. Starting with a handful, he has each year increased the number—40,000

in 1932, 60,000 in 1933, and this year a glorious 75,000. Sunday, the flowers were probably at their height, but the winds have not yet begun to shatter the blooms, so if you'll hurry to Lattimore, you may yet be able to see the garden in the full glory of its multiple color.

Probably 4,000 persons came on Sunday to walk through Mr. Price's garden. They were greeted by a tall, white-haired man who showed not only endless patience but real interest in answering their many questions, explaining again and again the names of his flowers. Mr. Price charges no fee, sells nothing, but is genuinely delighted when people come to admire.

"That bright clump yonder? They're Mistress Moons. One of my favorites is over there, the Siren." He pointed to a plot of brilliant blossoms of motiled red and gold. And he trudged along with this and that party, naming the showy flowers that are most popular. These were the Rembrandt, so named because it rivals the old master in

coloring mixture of colors; the Pride of Harlem, a standard red, the bronze and gorgeous Louis XIV. To a visitor who asked about a tulip, he grinned, "Why that one's named after the fellow who played the devil in that opera—you know, Faust. And these, they have French names. This one is a Miss. How you say it? Ma'mselle? Yes, that's it, and this is the Mister, you know, I just call it Monsieur.

"Oh, when they get me talking about my flowers, why I'm just like one of those old patent medicine men at court week."

Perhaps the greatest charm in this amazing chorus of color—when the wind blows quickly through, it's like girls in flaming dresses dancing on the grass—perhaps the greatest charm is the simple informality of the garden. You walk on stone flagged walks, and on different levels, down aisles between beds of different shapes and sizes. Here will be a brave smear of scarlet, there a slash of pale yellow, and yonder a great handful of color, like painted candles thrown on the

ground. Interspersed between beds, and lining the walks, are other flowers—candytuft, rosemary or old fashioned camomile.

Many of the bulbs Mr. Price buys, but many are sent to him by admirers. He has one patch he doesn't know the name of, long stemmed and graceful, bright red. He likes them, and has ordered more, and until he finds they have another name, calls them the Gideon Price tulips.

The fame of these gardens has spread so widely that Mr. Price now receives hundreds of letters from gardeners asking advice and information about his speciality. He frequently sits up until late at night answering inquiries and giving directions for setting out.

October is the month to set them out, he said, but he has often put bulbs in late into the winter. Now that the tulip season is waning, and his gay flowers will soon shatter, he is preparing to set out 15,000 glad-loll. Then he has 30 varieties of tulips, hyacinths, jonquils, and many other flowers yet to come.