

THE MARKETS
Cotton, spot 12 to 13c
Cotton seed, ton, wagon 23.00
Cotton seed, ton, carlots 25.00

Cloudy Tonight

Weather forecast for North Carolina: Mostly cloudy tonight and Saturday, possibly showers tomorrow in extreme west portion. Somewhat cooler in extreme south portion tonight.

Spread Petition

By UNITED PRESS
WASHINGTON, June 8.—Insurgent House members, angered because the inflation, farm relief and labor aid bills were sidetracked, secretly circulated a petition today pleading House members to vote against adjournment measures to be acted upon. Senator Joseph Robinson, majority leader, informed Roosevelt that congress could adjourn next week, although he explained it was not yet practicable to fix the date.

Factions Meet

By UNITED PRESS
WASHINGTON, June 8.—Warring factions of the Amalgamated Association of iron, steel and tin workers were brought together for a conference in Secretary of Labor Perkins' office today to attempt to obtain an orderly discussion of the threatened strike.

The March Of Events

Get John's Pal

Napoleon met his Waterloo—Yesterday in Waterloo, Iowa, blazing police guns brought an end to another Dillinger henchman and lieutenant, Tommy Carroll who was shot and fatally wounded by peace officers. Carroll, five bullets in his body, fell as he reached for his weapon to resist arrest by detectives who spotted his car on a tip from a mechanic. Captured with him was Jean Crompton, "Carroll's wife of a week or ten days." The death of Carroll intensified the hunt for "Wooden John" himself who was thought to be hiding in the neck of some Iowa woods.

Call On F. D. R.

Embattled leaders of the steel union's militant faction yesterday vowed they would "camp on the president's doorstep" until he interceded in their dispute with the financiers who control the industry. They challenged the president to prove that the government is stronger than the steel trust. They were given no assurances that they would be able to arrange a future meeting with the president.

Fletcher Pets GOP

New National Chairman Henry P. Fletcher gave the GOP a gentle pat on the back last night as he urged the committee to get out and work hard in order to regain a few congressional seats in the fall election. Fletcher, arriving from his home in Green Castle, Pa., told the committee that the new party platform, written yesterday, was a banner the G. O. P. could take into battle with pride.

Rain Aids West

Rainfall smeared the national drought picture while government relief machinery, compelled by the need of 50,000 victims in the farm belt, stood ready Thursday to alleviate the misery, idling temporarily for President Roosevelt's Saturday message to congress. The president, having estimated that more than 125,000 families in the west had suffered, prepared to ask congress for a \$25,000,000 purse with which to spread relief.

Bob Turner To Bring Circus Here

South Carolina Aviator Brings Two Ships Here For Week-End Flights.

Local citizens who are interested in flying have a treat in store for them this week-end as Bob Turner, Spartanburg, S. C. aviator, is slated to bring his flying circus to Shelby Saturday. A fast three-place Fleet and a single motor Curtis-Robin will operate off the Byers airport, three miles out on the Patterson Springs road. The Curtis-Robin is a cabin ship, large enough to carry three passengers in addition to the pilot. Passenger hopping and stunting will be done both Saturday and Sunday, the stunts to take place at 4 o'clock each afternoon. Turner, who owns and operates the Turner Flying Service of Spartanburg, is an experienced pilot with quite a number of flying hours to his credit.

Asks Probe



Representative William I. Sirovich, of New York, who introduced a resolution in the House, demanding an investigation of the NRA, covering preparation, operation and effects of every code thus far adopted. A special house committee would also probe activities of all NRA officials.

Shoffner Requests Farmers To Obtain Record Book Early

Urges Farmers to Keep Crop Records With Accurate Details.

R. W. Shoffner, agent, announces that the farmers' record books have been given out in the following townships: No. 4, 6, 8, 9, 10 and 11. The books have been put in the hands of the committeemen in their respective townships.

Mr. Shoffner requests that the farmers call on their committeemen to obtain their record books, provided they have not been distributed to each grower individually.

Each farmer is urged to obtain his book as early as possible in order that he may be enabled to start keeping an accurate record of his crops. Mr. Shoffner desires to have a large percentage of accurate record books by fall.

Meetings will be held, for No. 1 township, No. 2, No. 3 and No. 5 on Tuesday, June 12, at the following places:

- Township No. 2: Boiling Springs 9:00 a. m.
Township No. 2: Boiling Springs school, 10:30 a. m.
Township No. 3: No. 3 school 1:30 p. m.
Township No. 5: Waco school 3:30 p. m.

Burke County Farmer Acquitted Of Murder

MORGANTON, June 8.—Avery Stamey, 41, Burke county farmer, was acquitted in superior court here today of second degree murder in the slaying of Frank Carswell on November 1. The jury deliberated one hour and twenty minutes before returning the verdict which held the slaying as justified in self-defense.

Stamey admitted striking Carswell on the head with a plank, but stated that Carswell had thrown a rock and was reaching toward his pocket when he struck.

City Directory Project Gains Lions Club International Fame

Shelby has received international notice through the city directory project recently completed by the local Lions Club. In the June issue of "The Lion," international publication of this organization, is a paragraph about the above mentioned project which states: "Shelby, N. C., has just completed an activity which has been carried out by very few Lions Clubs before. It has published a city directory of 350 pages, well bound in cloth, comparable in style with the directories issued in the larger cities. The issuance of the book entailed a lot of other service to the community. As soon as the Lions began their census, they found that many streets were not marked on the maps, some were not even named, and many houses were improperly numbered. The Lions in-

Low Attendance In State Schools May Mean Less Tutors

Commission Meets On Allotment Plan

RALEIGH, June 8.—Decreased average daily attendance in public schools of the state during the year just closed will mean a reduction in the number of teachers next year unless the state school commission lightens the teacher load. LeRoy Martin, secretary to the commission, says.

Last term was the first in many years that average daily attendance has shown a decrease. The attendance figures have not been worked out but reports from all but 40 units indicate that there will be a decrease. The average daily attendance for 1932-33 was 725,000.

The commission is to meet to begin a study of policy to be followed for allotment of teachers for 1934-35.

The average daily attendance for 1932-33 was approximately 725,000 and the figure for this year has not yet been worked out, though preliminary reports show it will be smaller.

The present teacher load is: High schools, four teachers for the first 80 pupils and one additional teacher for each 35 additional pupils; elementary, six teachers for the first 180 pupils and one additional teacher for each 36 additional pupils.

Two Reasons
Mr. Martin attributed the decrease in attendance to two factors: Epidemics of state-wide nature and the fact that the reports are based on eight months of school rather than on six months as has been the case in previous years. "There have been an unusually large number of epidemics," he said, "and attendance always is better for six months than it is for eight months."

Make Survey For M. E. Conference

Dr. J. B. Craven and J. B. Ivey Over From Charlotte To Consider Shelby.

Dr. J. B. Craven and J. B. Ivey of Charlotte were in Shelby Thursday afternoon to make a survey of the city to determine whether it has the proper facilities for entertaining the Western North Carolina conference which has been invited to meet here in the early fall by the congregation of Central Methodist church.

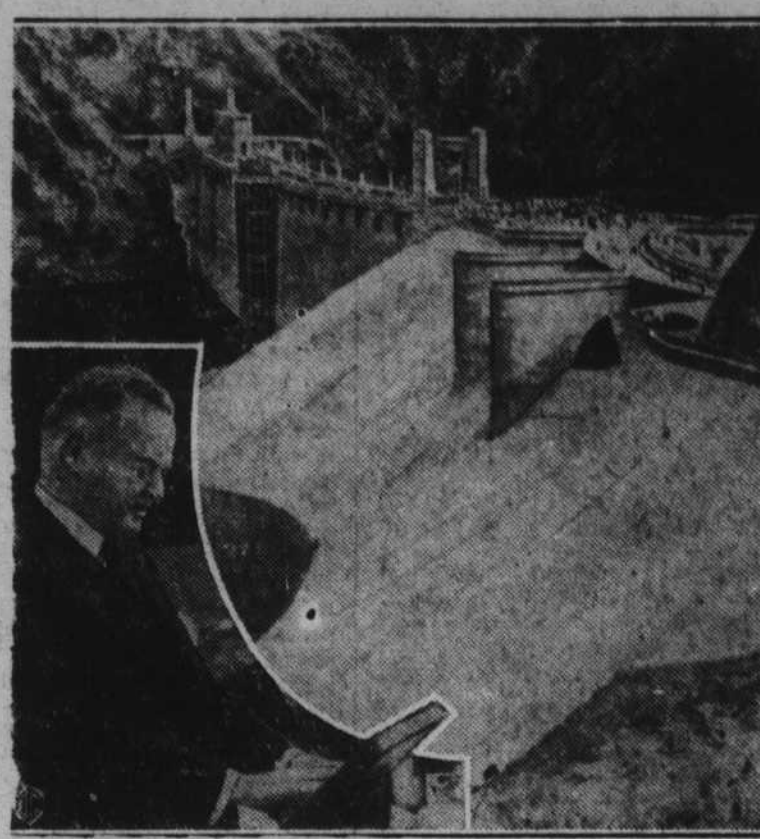
Around 700 people usually attend the conference and to make sure that there are enough beds and eating places to care for this number, Dr. Craven and Mr. Ivey made a visit here, consulting with the church stewards and inspecting eating facilities. While there are not sufficient commercial hotels to provide sleeping accommodations, the Methodists will open their homes and the people of other denominations will co-operate.

The committee has asked eating places to furnish a sample menu and establish uniform prices for meals. As yet, no decision has been made as to where the conference will be held, but it is understood that Shelby is looked on with favor.

The conference pays for two meals daily for the delegates during the five days of the meeting.

Miss Sara Fussell of Warsaw will arrive today to visit Miss Mildred Boyles.

Hoover Dedicates New Dam



A general view of the Morris Dam in San Gabriel Canyon, Azusa, Cal., which is the newest link in a mighty chain of lakes and aqueducts that will join Southern California to the Colorado River. It was dedicated by former President Hoover, who is shown in insert making dedicatory address.

Child Welfare Survey In Cleveland County Begins

U. S. Guarantee Will Be Doubled On Bank Deposit

House and Senate Agree On Compromise. Defeat Payment To Depositors.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Disputes over one form of federal aid to depositors in closed banks and extension of the temporary plan for governmental insurance of bank deposits were brought to a compromise yesterday by senate and house conferees.

They agreed upon legislation to authorize RFC loans to closed banks on "reasonable" security rather than the requirement of "adequate" security specified in the present law.

In addition they agreed to double the maximum deposit guarantee, raising it from the present \$2,500 to \$5,000 and to extend for one year the period in which state banks must become members of the Federal Reserve system in order to participate in the deposit insurance plan.

Agitation for government relief to citizens with deposits tied up in closed banks has been vigorously carried on throughout the session, particularly in the house where administration leaders have resorted to much parliamentary maneuvering to defeat the McLeod bill, to pay such deposits in full.

Banking Opposition
The dispute over the deposit insurance extension is tied in with banking opposition to the permanent insurance law, which was to have become effective within a few weeks.

The permanent law, the effective date of which is postponed for one year, would guarantee deposits to a maximum of \$10,000 in full, with larger deposits partially insured on a sliding scale.

Under the present temporary law, the participating banks are assessed a small percentage of the deposits insured to which the government adds \$50,000,000, forming a pool from which to pay the claims of depositors in failing banks.

Lincolnton Negro Killed By A Truck

LINCOLNTON, June 8.—A 10-year-old negro youth, the son of Leroy Lewis ran into the side of a passing truck on the Charlotte-Lincolnton highway on the eastern outskirts of this city yesterday afternoon and was thrown to the ground with such force that he died instantly. An investigation of the affair was made by Sheriff A. F. Reinhardt, and it was deemed an unavoidable accident. No inquest will be held. The truck was the property of the Lincoln Wholesale Grocery company of this city.

FERA Approves City Pipe Project; Work Begins Soon

Will Employ 30 Men For Seven Weeks

A \$4,284.60 water pipe and sewer project submitted to the Federal Relief administration by the city of Shelby May 29 has been approved in full by the Raleigh bureau, and work will begin the first of next week.

This is according to Harry Woodson, head of the local bureau, and Mayor S. A. McMurry. The work will be under the direction of R. V. Toms, city water and light head. The project calls for the labor of 30 men for approximately seven weeks. The labor will be furnished without cost by the FERA, and the materials, costing \$2,522.20 will be furnished by the city.

The plan is to lay 1200 feet of 3-4 inch pipe in the public cemetery; 2100 feet of 6 inch pipe on Morton street; 200 feet of water pipe on Royster avenue; 1060 feet of 6 inch pipe in Beam street; 12 feet of 12-inch water pipe in Morton street.

Work will be started in the cemetery first, and the other streets will follow.

Community Players Give Play Tonight

The Community Players will present a three-act farcical comedy, "The Heart Exchange," at the high school auditorium at eight o'clock tonight.

This play has been under the direction of Paul H. Neal of Belmont, and is the first of a series of two, the last of which will be given Friday night.

"The Heart Exchange" is one of the most entertaining nonsensical comedies ever presented to a Shelby audience, and is well known throughout amateur dramatic circles for its sparkling wit, its clever lines and its hilarious situations.

A cast of 12 local people will take part in the performance. They are: Lindsay Dail, Pete McKnight, Carabel Lever, O. V. Hamrick, Jr., Elizabeth Austell, Mrs. James Sheppard, Peg LeGrand, John Hoyle, Frances Doster, J. B. Spangler, Charles Wray and Louise Austell.

Party Of Four Home From 10,000 Mile Trip Through West

A party of four composed of Dr. Joe Osborne of Shelby, Garland and Graham Green of Boiling Springs, and Ruffin Wilkins of Brevard returned last night from a month's tour of the West, touching Mexico, the Pacific ocean and Canada and covering a distance of ten thousand miles.

On their trip they saw Dr. Harlan Shoemaker, former Shelby surgeon, the Thompsons in Washington and Marvin Willis, also a Cleveland native.

For days they were in snow, then in a heat wave of 120 degrees. Dr. Osborne says the sand storms and drought have ruined the crops in the northwest and cattle perish for water.

Sunday Services At Eastside Church

The Rev. H. E. Waldrop, pastor of the Eastside Baptist church, announces the following services Sunday: Sunday school, 9:45 o'clock; preaching at 11 o'clock on the subject "Soul Winning"; B. Y. P. U. at 8:30 o'clock followed by the evening preaching service at 7:30 o'clock on the subject "Repentance."

Abandon Price Fixing In Codes Except In Emergency Cases

WASHINGTON, June 8.—NRA officials and definitely turned its back on price-fixing in outlining a new policy that will require the revision of scores of codes to permit freer competition. The force of the anti-trust laws against covert, price-maintaining combinations was made unquestioned by the new plan, which reduced all code restrictions on prices to the simplest terms, on a basis which would make arrangements to keep prices up difficult if not impossible.

Only in definite emergency would even a minimum price be fixed for any industry or any item. NRA men said they believed the new policy represented the first agreement of either government or any business agency on what constituted desirable price competition. The declaration was a product of months of economic study, which was affected indirectly by activities of groups such as the Darrow board. It responded partly to earlier public criticism and observation of officials on result of the experimental codes. Announcement of the new policy was made simultaneously with disclosure that the 50 or so industrialists who have worked with NRA as members of the industrial advisory board—some of them with names known to the whole nation—have arranged to meet in Hot Springs, Virginia, within 10 days to compare views on NRA operation and pass upon ideas for changes. The meeting will be strictly private, and Hugh S. Johnson may or may not attend. It was understood he had

Board Will Consider Farm, Home Agents And Health Division

Has Prize Job



A job coveted by every officer in the Navy falls to Captain Walter B. Woodson who has been appointed commander of the cruiser Houston, on which President Roosevelt will leave later this month for a trip to Virgin Islands, Panama and Hawaii. The Houston is being groomed for the trip at Brooklyn Navy Yard.

Adjourned Meeting Set For Monday

State Wants Assistant To County Agent. Will Consider Health Dept. Employing Two.

An adjourned meeting of the board of county commissioners will be held next Monday when the budget for the incoming fiscal year will be considered.

Most important besides the budget will be the consideration of the commissioners, Joe E. Blanton, J. D. Morris and Lester Herndon will give to contracts for a farm agent with an assistant and a home demonstration agent. The state has laid before the commissioners a contract calling for a county agent and an assistant, since the work has grown beyond one agent. At present the county and state share jointly in the salary while the state pays the traveling allowance for R. W. Shoffner. Mr. Shoffner's time since the recovery program started, has been limited to crop control measures. The state feels that he should have an assistant and is willing to share in the expense of both.

Home Demonstration Agent

When the new board of county commissioners went into office, the home demonstration work was suspended under a storm of protest from the club women of the county. Now that the county finances are in better shape, the commissioners are considering re-instating this work and Chairman Blanton says the club women have been asked to recommend an agent who will be suitable to them. There are certain state requirements, however, in the matter of experience and training, since the state pay a part of the salary of the home demonstration work. It is not known whose names will be submitted by the club members. The commissioners are willing to re-instate this work beginning with the first year July 1st.

Health Department

It has been known for sometime that the commissioners have considered a public health department and attention will probably be given to this at the adjourned meeting to be held Monday. The state board of health will supplement the cost of a health department and outline the work to be done. The local board looks with more favor upon a "two-piece" health department with a graduate physician in charge, assisted by a graduate nurse. The state offers to pay fifteen percent of the cost of the health department and it is understood that the Red Cross will pay the nurse. After these two supplements form the state and Red Cross, it is felt that the county can maintain a "two-piece" health department for about \$2,400 a year. Heretofore the county physician has been paid from \$1,000 to \$1,200 annually.

The county has had no physician since the resignation of Dr. D. F. Moore because of a cut in quarantine fees. It will be recalled that the commissioners and the physicians disagreed over the health clinic conducted last year. More people were vaccinated than anticipated and the clinic cost has never been paid, but Troy McKinney says the balance will be paid after the new budget is set up. In case a health department is set up with a physician in charge, he would attend the sick at the jail, county home and approved charity cases, while the nurse and the physician would conduct vaccination clinics.

Bills Paid

At the regular meeting on Monday of this week, the two commissioners present, Joe E. Blanton and J. D. Morris paid the usual monthly bills and postponed consideration of other matters until Monday when Lester Herndon will be present with them. Mr. Herndon was away on Monday of this week to attend the graduation of his daughter, Marie, at N. C. C. W. Greensboro.

Goforth Child Dies In Earl Section

George Arthur Goforth, two year old child of Mr. and Mrs. George Goforth of the Earl community died Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock following a five day illness with colitis. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. J. N. Wise and interment was in the cemetery at Pleasant Hill church. The child was the only one in the Goforth family and the parents have the sympathy of their host of friends.

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