

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

Showers Saturday

Weather forecast for North Carolina: Partly cloudy tonight and tomorrow, with probable local showers Saturday.

Congress Speeds

By UNITED PRESS
WASHINGTON, June 15.—Congressional leaders today applied full pressure toward passage of the four major administrative bills before recessing tonight.

Green Cheered

By UNITED PRESS
PITTSBURGH, June 15.—President Green of the American Federation of Labor today pleaded with embittered steel workers to cancel their plans for a walk out.

Carnera Crippled

By UNITED PRESS
NEW YORK, June 15.—Primo Carnera, who last night lost the heavyweight championship of the world to Max Baer after 11 rounds of terrific fighting, will not be able to walk for two weeks because of a badly swollen ankle, his physician, Dr. Farnon, said today.

Raise Announced

By UNITED PRESS
REIDSVILLE, June 15.—More than 3,000 American Tobacco Co. employees were notified today of "equitable" increases made in their wages on a hourly and weekly basis. The new rates were made effective as of June 6.

Electrocuted

By UNITED PRESS
RALEIGH, June 15.—Ossie Smith, twenty-year-old Northampton negro, was electrocuted at State Prison this morning for the murder of J. E. Hedgepath. The prisoner maintained his innocence until the last.

The March Of Events

Tugwell O.K'd
North Carolina's Senator Bailey notwithstanding, Dr. Rexford Tugwell was confirmed by the senate last night as under secretary of agriculture by a vote of 53 to 24.

Dictators Meet
A meeting of dictators that may make history occurred yesterday when Benito Mussolini and his imitator, Adolf Hitler conferred in Venice.

12 Defaults
The United States had to write up 12 nations in the profit and loss column last night—and a fraction of cents out of every dollar owing to us in war debts has been defaulted.

Huns Won't Pay
Germany has declared a moratorium on payment of all foreign debts, her most dramatic step yet in an effort to avoid national bankruptcy.

Cry For Strike
Leaders of the "strike now" labor movement in the steel industry are joyful over conference victories this morning, and declare there is no way to avert the strike unless President Roosevelt steps in.

Job For Son
President Roosevelt's son Elliot was yesterday elected vice-president of the Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce of America, Inc. He is an aviator and a student of transportation problems.

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Smallest Girl



Here is dainty two and one-half pound Lorraine Delaine, smallest of the Wycoff quadruplets, in the arms of Dr. G. H. Swearingen of Sac City, Ia., who helped deliver her into the world.

Chief Of Police Injured In Fall Pursuing Negroes

D. D. Wilkins Suffers Injuries As He Falls From Moving Automobile.
Chief D. D. Wilkins, head of the Shelby police department, is confined to his bed at his home suffering from injuries received in a fall Saturday afternoon.

Ask Re-Employment Bureau Continue Here

Shelby citizens, backed by the chamber of commerce, are protesting abolition of the U. S. Re-employment office here. Under a new set-up, announced more than a month ago, employment offices in Lincoln and Cleveland were to have been absorbed by the Gastonia office.

No Slot Machines Whirl In Charlotte

The whirl of slot machines and the occasional tinkle of rewarding nickles was checked in Charlotte yesterday. The city council had ruled the day before that they must be stopped, just as Judge Joe Wright ruled more than a month ago here.

North Carolina Remembers Her Veterans With \$1 A Day Pension

North Carolina, who sent more men and boys to the Civil War than any other Southern state, has not forgotten her old soldiers, though three generations have passed since they first shouldered their muskets. At least, none of them who has asked for help is forgotten in the semi-annual payments.

Mill Owners Ask New Valuations On Vast Holdings Urge Tax Adjustment In Meeting Here

County Equalization Board to Act On Request Affecting Plants Worth \$4,400,000.
Twenty mill owners representing property listed on the Cleveland county tax books at \$4,400,000 met at the court house yesterday afternoon to protest certain alleged discrepancies of valuation placed on their plants and to try to work out with the county commissioners an equitable way to adjusting their complaint.

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At a meeting presided over by Joe E. Blanton, chairman of the board of commissioners, mill men pointed out that valuations have not been taken since 1927, and that vast changes have taken place in textile properties since then. Some feel that their plants, in comparison with others, are not being properly valued.

Of the twenty owners represented, six were completely dissatisfied with the present set-up and asked a review or re-valuation of their plants.

Falling to reach an agreement yesterday, the mill men left with the understanding that their problem would be laid before the board of equalization on Monday, that the board would take the matter under consideration until Friday, when another meeting with the mill representatives will be held.

The equalization board, recently appointed by the commissioners, is composed of J. B. Nolan, W. J. Arey and E. L. Campbell. The board will cooperate with the mill men in an effort to reach a satisfactory agreement.

Dr. Wall's Brother Honored In Miss.

Roland R. Wall of Brookhaven, Miss., was last week re-elected president of the Municipal Officers Association, an organization of mayors of the various towns and cities of that state.

Swimming Pool To Open On Saturday

The Cleveland Springs swimming pool, under the management of Charles Wells and Wallace McGinty will open for business Saturday morning. A new and better system of supplying water for the pool has been put into use.

Charlotte Attempts To Shift Bond Load

Members of the city council in Charlotte, meeting Wednesday afternoon, asked the board of county commissioners to assume \$1,708,000 of school building bonds. This would decrease the city tax rate 13 cents and increase the county's 10 cents.

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Been Married 66 Years



Squire and Mrs. J. Z. Falls of Shelby who have been married 66 years. On December 26th next they will celebrate their 67th wedding anniversary.

City And County Finances Excellent So Reports The Mayor And County Auditor

Mayor McMurtry and County Auditor Troy McKinney gave reviews of the city and county finances at the weekly luncheon of the Kiwanis club, showing that both governmental units are in splendid financial condition.

Newton Receives Threshing Cards

Register of Deeds A. F. Newton has just received a batch of special blanks which threshermen are required to use this year.

Information Wanted
The purpose is to provide reliable information on acres and production of small grains and peanuts. It is best for this information to come directly from the growers and threshing records.

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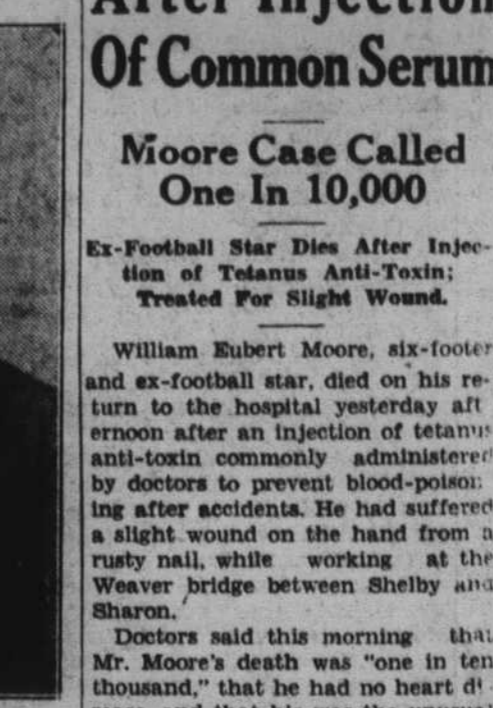
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Athlete Succumbs After Injection Of Common Serum



William Eubert Moore, six-footer and ex-football star, died on his return to the hospital yesterday afternoon after an injection of tetanus anti-toxin commonly administered by doctors to prevent blood-poisoning after accidents.

Free Beans To Cases On Relief

Families on relief are asked to come at once to the office of Harry Woodson, relief administrator, and get a quantity of snap beans, shipped here yesterday from Eastern Carolina where the market is glutted.

300 Bushels Beans To Be Canned Here As Relief Project

Three hundred bushels of fresh Kingston snap beans, which will produce 9,000 quarts when canned, arrived yesterday at the Cleveland county federal relief office.

Few Responding To June's Vernal Urge

That's To Say, Only Seven Marriage Licenses Have Been Issued In Cleveland This Month.
Moonlight and roses and June nights notwithstanding, or even sitting on laps—romance chills before the cold figures of A. F. Newton's office.

Bob Turner To Fly Here Over Week End

Bob Turner, air pilot of Spartanburg, S. C., will be in Shelby Saturday and Sunday and fly his Curtis-Robins cabin plane.

3 Get Diplomas At State College

Three Cleveland county seniors received their diplomas from State college Tuesday, among the 284 who were graduated.

Slight Rise Shown In County Budget For Year to Come

Cleveland's county commissioners have drawn up their budget for the fiscal year ending July 1, 1935, and are advertising it today in itemized form so that taxpayers may suggest or criticize before final adoption after 20 days.

County Tax Rate Lowest In State And Will Remain Same If Budget Is Approved

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Shows Rise Of \$6,784 Over Previous Year; No Salaries Busted This Time.
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In their tentative estimate, set forth in easily understandable form by County Auditor Troy V. McKinney, the commissioners set up the sum of \$176,655.34, just \$6,784.80 more than last year. This difference is found in increased appropriations for a contingent fund, in a larger sum for maintenance of school buildings, and in slight increase for office expenses in all departments.

For The General Fund
The total amount set up for the general fund is \$46,365, which includes all salaries, administrative expenses, tax collection costs and election expenses. The total for the poor fund, which carries an increase from \$800 to \$1,050 for a welfare officer, is \$23,650. This compares with \$19,500 for last year.

The total for bond maturities and interest is \$96,640.34, which includes the No. 6 township hospital fund. For the county schools, exclusive of debt service, the total is \$10,900, as against \$6,000 last year.

A sum of \$700 for a home demonstrator, which does not appear on last year's budget, and an increase of \$1,000 in the contingent fund swell the total for the general fund, which is approximately \$3,000 more than last year.

In studying the estimates, it is well to bear in mind that practically all offices in court house are self-supporting. Such departments as the recorder's court, for instance show a large profit for the county.

Players Will Give Barry Play Tonight

Famous Comedy, "The Youngest," Will Be Presented At High School.
Winding up a month of intensive dramatic study under the direction of Paul H. Neal, the Community Players will present Phillip Barry's famous "The Youngest" tonight at the high school auditorium.

The play will present an entirely different cast from "The Heart Exchange," which was given by the club last Friday night. Heading the cast are James Sheppard, in the role of the youngest, and Harriet Gidney. Six other talented persons will appear in the production.

The program will begin at 8:15 o'clock. As a result of an invitation by the South Shelby P. T. A., the players will repeat "The Heart Exchange" at the South Shelby school on Thursday night, June 21. This play caused such favorable comment, that many requests have been received by the club to present it again here.

Baptists To Hold Drive In November

Southern Baptists will hold their annual every member canvass November 4 to December 9 this year. The dates were fixed yesterday by the convention executive committee in Nashville, Tenn.

Raleigh Will Get Radio For Police

RALEIGH, June 14.—A short wave radio station is soon to be established for the Raleigh police department. Five patrol cars and two motorcycles will keep in touch with headquarters.

Buy Causeways

Examination of title to the Wrightsville Beach and Atlantic Beach causeways, which the state budget commission has decided to purchase with highway funds, begins today, and formal transfer of the property will take place shortly.