

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

Thundershowers

North Carolina Weather Report: Local thundershowers this afternoon and tomorrow.

Hitler Asks Aid

A new crisis in the Nazi government sent Chancellor Adolf Hitler speeding by plane to appeal for help to President von Hindenburg...

Get Big Raise

Railroad workers have approximately fifteen millions more to spend now, with one-fourth of their 10 per cent deduction from pay checks restored on July 1.

Hits Speculation

Violent opposition to gambling in stock market was disclosed by Joseph P. Kennedy, chairman of the new securities and exchange commission.

Name Miss Cobb

Mrs. Palmer Jernan's successor as national committee woman from North Carolina will provide a real contest within the Democratic party...

Fight In Frisco

Amid fierce fighting between police and union pickets, and despite repeated appeals by the president for peace, heavily-laden trucks began to move cargoes yesterday from the strike-locked docked of San Francisco.

To Check Banks

The first unified check-up of all the banks of the country was ordered yesterday by the United States treasury. Statements as of June 30 are called for all national banks...

Abandon Arcade To Regain Grants For Two Schools

High School Project Is Sacrificed to Get PWA FUNDS for the Dover and Negro Schools.

By abandoning plans for the Shelby High School arcade, members of the boards of county commissioners and education in joint session yesterday afternoon, saw a way clear to retain PWA school grants...

Superintendent of City Schools Captain B. L. Smith, just back from Raleigh; had acted swiftly on receiving a telegram from PWA officials telling him that unless work started immediately on the Dover, negro and high school projects, funds would be withdrawn.

Work could not start at once because contractors' bids on these three projects exceeded the amount of the grants, and had therefore been rejected.

Withdrawal of the long-talked-of arcade was seen as the only measure which would allow the other two important projects to continue. This grant, of \$4,000, will be applied to the other schools, with the PWA permission, and contracts will be let to the previous low bidders.

Quinn Will Attend Postmasters Meeting

Postmaster J. H. Quinn of Shelby will attend the state convention of the National League of District Postmasters to be held in North Wilkesboro Friday and Saturday of this week.

Company K Ready For Trip To Coast

Shelby's Company K boys will leave Saturday for their annual encampment at Morehead City - 64 men and three officers. A complete roster of the company will be published in Friday's Star.

Figures In Grim Drama Of German Revolution



With a ruthlessness and completeness reminiscent of the French revolution, Adolf Hitler, German chancellor and Nazi chief, crushed a reported rebellion that brought scores of executions among his own subordinates and monarchist "conspirators".

(3) Gen. Hermann Goering, Prussian prime minister; (4) Chancellor Adolf Hitler in a typical oratorical pose; (5) Dr. Joseph Goebbels, minister for propaganda and enlightenment; (6) Ex-Crown Prince Friedrich Wilhelm; (7) Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, president of the Reichsbank; (8) Nazi storm troopers; (9) the famed "Brown House" at Munich, national headquarters of the Nazis in which "mutinous" leaders were trapped; (10) Reichswehr, Germany's official army.

Women's Appeal Gets Home Agent; Board Gives \$950

State Contributes Like Amount; Selection to be Made Soon After Consultin Club.

The board of county commissioners, which declined to pay the expenses of a home demonstrator when it took office almost two years ago, on Monday acceded to the pleas of a group of Home Demonstration club women and allotted \$950 to pay the salary of an agent.

The state will contribute another \$950 bringing the salary to \$1,900, and the agent will be selected by the commissioners after consultation with members of the home demonstration clubs.

The commissioners have for some time recognized the need of a demonstration agent for Cleveland, and in June set up the sum of \$600 in the budget for this purpose.

It is expected that the selection will be made soon.

Official Canvass Upholds Reports In Second Primary

Only One Small Error Made In Telephone Figures At Star's Election Party Saturday.

Only one error was contained in the unofficial report of Saturday's second primary contest for Democratic nomination to the State House of Representatives.

In the report from Ward 1, Shelby, Ernest Gardner was credited with 244 votes instead of 240. This changes his official majority over J. B. Smith from 367 votes to 363.

In Gardner's home town of Fallston, he won 217 votes against 61 for Smith. Although this was prominently mentioned in the Star's news story on Monday, some confusion resulted from a misprint in the tabulation.

\$9,000 In Taxes Paid In Advance, But It Irks The McKinney Scotch

More than \$9,000 on 1934-35 taxes have been paid to Cleveland County during the past week.

You can wait until January to pay your 1934-35 taxes and receive neither discount nor penalty.

This month, the premium is 2 1-2 per cent and so on until November when it will be one-half of one per cent.

That 3 per cent is for paying taxes five months ahead of time.

County Changes Budget for Farm Agency Work Here

County Schools Open July 23

Just 19 more days for county boys and girls to frolic before the school bell rings.

The Cleveland county board of education yesterday announced that the 68 county schools would open this year on July 23 in the 16 districts, 36 white schools and 32 colored.

Gardner To Fly To Brazil Soon

Spending July In Shelby, Then Takes Flying Trip To South America.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—Former Governor O. Max Gardner left Washington tonight for Shelby, where he will spend the month of July.

On August 1, Mr. Gardner will leave New York for Brazil on the new 45-passenger Pan-American airship "Sikorsky" which was built for transatlantic service but will first be placed on a South American run.

The former North Carolina chief executive is counsel for the aeronautical Chamber of Commerce, as well as for shipping and textile interests of the government and has one of the largest practices in Washington before governmental departments.

Miss Allie Nooe of Charlotte arrived this week to spend some time here visiting her sister, Mrs. J. T. Gardner on West Marion street.

New Home Agent Will Arrive Tomorrow To Enter Duties—Shoffner Assistant to Leave

Unless the county commissioners let their agreement remain, to appropriate \$1,200 for the maintenance of the office of county farm agent Shoffner and his assistant A. D. Stuart, the assistant which came upon the job about two weeks ago will be called away by the State Extension Department.

Considerable negotiations have been under way between the state extension department and the county commissioners within the last month relative to the county farm and home agents.

With reference to the farm agent, the state department proposed that if the commissioners would appropriate \$1,200 a year, Shoffner would be given an assistant and the balance of the pay for the two men would be met by the state and Federal department as long as the Agricultural Adjustment Administration functions.

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Self, it was pointed out, is not a customer of the Duke Power company, using current produced locally by a steam plant, which, it was said, is included as a part of the proposed project in order to supplement the water power.

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The Duke company also said the project would cost more than estimated and would not be self-liquidating, and that its operation would be unfair to the Duke interests, ultimately decreasing if not destroying the foundation's share in the profits.

Ladies Appeal To Board For Library

A delegation of ladies appeared before the city council last night and made an appeal for an increase in the city's monthly appropriation to maintain the Shelby Public Library.

At present the city contributes \$30 per month to the support of the library. No action was taken by the board last night. They have taken the matter under advisement until the city's budget is finally set up within the next few days.

Max Gardner Acts As Duke Counsel In Power Dispute

Former Governor Appears Before PWA Board In Effort To Bar Grant.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—O. Max Gardner, former governor of North Carolina, appeared yesterday before the Public Works Review board as counsel for the Duke Power company in its efforts to block allotment of \$2,767,000 to Greenwood county, S. C., for construction of a publicly owned power plant.

"It would be unfair and unjust for one textile manufacturer, under the guise of federal control, to come into use of 80 per cent of the power that would be produced by the proposed Greenwood plant," Mr. Gardner declared.

Beneficiaries Protest. Beneficiaries of the Duke foundation, created in 1924 by the late James B. Duke, North Carolina power and tobacco millionaire, joined in asking the Public Works Board of Review to disapprove the allocation, granted last week but held up pending a hearing.

Henry T. Hunt, chairman of the review board, indicated an early decision would be made. He said no adverse action would be taken without giving representatives of Greenwood county an opportunity to be heard, and added the board might decide tomorrow whether or not to call them to Washington.

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Files Protest

J. Hayden Burke, candidate for judge in the 17th, yesterday filed protest against alleged irregularities in the victory of J. A. Rousseau with the state board of elections.

Postpone Tagging Of Old Cotton to First of August

Announce 2nd Delay In Bankhead Act

Law Will Be Carried Out as Simply as Possible, Cotton Ginners Told By Revenue Department.

Tagging of cotton ginned prior to June 1 will be deferred until August 1, according to a letter received here today by J. O. Propst of the Planters and Merchants Warehouse Co., from John J. Parks, regional supervisor of the department of agriculture.

M. R. Biggers of Patterson Springs is official cotton tagger for Cleveland County. R. W. Shoffner, county agent, estimates that between twelve and fifteen thousand bales will be tagged here.

Second Postponement. Postponement of the tagging is the second delay. It has meant, and means again, considerable confusion at railroad centers, where it is not known whether certain loads of cotton can be dispatched or not.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—Cotton ginners throughout the cotton belt were advised today by the agricultural adjustment administration that there will be very little "red tape" connected with their responsibilities under the Bankhead cotton act. The administration based its statement on an interpretation of the Bankhead act in relation to ginners prepared for it by the bureau of internal revenue.

The statement was issued because numerous ginners who have misunderstood the provisions and operation of the Bankhead act have complained recently about the "red tape" which they feared would be connected with its administration.

The act levies a tax of 50 per cent of the average central market price per pound of lint cotton, which has been determined as 11.34 cents, on all cotton ginned above the 10,460,251 bales of 478 pounds net weight fixed as the maximum to be ginned tax-free. Under the statute the average central market price may be again determined should the secretary of agriculture deem it desirable. In no case, however, may the tag be less than five cents a pound.

Bale Tags are to be issued to ginners who will attach them to all producer surrenders tax-exemption cotton ginned this season when the certificates covering the amount of the cotton ginned, or when he pays the tax.

While these bale tags must be stored safely, the act does not require them to be kept in a safe. The same office equipment used for safekeeping gin records under lock could be considered, in the judgment of some ginners, a safe storage place for bale tags.

Enlarge Cotton Warehouse Here

Will Have A Capacity Of 15,000 Bales When Completed, 100x 100 Foot Addition.

An addition of 100 by 100 feet is being built to the Planters and Merchants Warehouse on the Southern railroad near the Southern Cotton Oil company on S. Morgan street that will store from 1,500 to 2,000 additional bales of cotton.

This is a bonded warehouse and one of the largest in this section. An addition was built a year or so ago and when this unit is completed the entire storage space will care for about 15,000 bales, it was learned this morning from R. T. LeGrand, one of the officials of the warehouse company.

Governor Ehringhaus Asks End Of Gas Price Discrimination

RALEIGH, July 3.—Unusual discriminations against North Carolina seemed to have been uncovered today when Governor J. C. B. Ehringhaus summoned gasoline dealers to Raleigh and asked them why North Carolina pays so much more for its motor fuel than Virginia does.

His excellency with a large number of wholesalers in his office asked them to end the discriminations against North Carolina. Travelers who have been going north have been good Virginia advertisers on their return. The Virginia filling stations undersell North Carolina much more than the service differ-

Lincoln Man Seeking Vast Grant From PWA In New Power Project

Parents' Eyes



"Eyes of the world" for his blind parents, Danny Gutilla, above, four-year-old son of Dr. and Mrs. Anthony Gutilla, of Bellefontaine, O., keeps his father and mother abreast of current news by reading to them from the daily newspapers, although it will be two years yet before he is concerned with school. Some of the big words, of course, he cannot read, so he spells them out.

W. H. Childs Offers Plan To Serve All Nearby Towns

Offers Idea To Shelby, Declaring He Has Received Encouragement.

Possibility of towns and cities in this section of the state producing their own power at greatly reduced rates through erection of a plant with PWA funds was discussed yesterday with W. H. Childs of Lincolnton, one of the incorporators of the Piedmont Electric Company, Inc.

Mr. Childs, who has received considerable encouragement from PWA and other government officials in his endeavors to obtain a PWA grant for a non-profit power producing company, hopes that Shelby will be one of the cities to join the group, provided the grant is secured.

While no definite commitment has been made by the PWA, Mr. Childs says that the request is being given favorable attention in Washington and that he believes with enough interest being shown by towns and cities in Piedmont North Carolina the grant will be made.

If the plan of the Piedmont company is made, all construction will be under the supervision of PWA engineers who will likewise decide where the plant will be located to be most economical in operation in relation to towns served and all contracts will be supervised by the PWA to see that the entire operations of the company will be on a non-profit basis, Mr. Childs states.

Harrelson Named To Be New Head Of State College

Cleveland County Man Is Selected Under "Greater University" Plan for Carolina.

Col. J. W. Harrelson, native of Lawndale, has been appointed dean of N. C. State College at Raleigh, President Graham of the University of North Carolina announced yesterday. His mother and aunt, Mrs. Andrew Spangler live on Lee street, Shelby.

President Graham named W. C. Jackson dean of Woman's College in Greensboro and R. B. House dean at Chapel Hill.

Naming of the administrative deans was seen as the step completing the merger of the three schools which was started by a legislative act of 1931. Last month at Raleigh, when the plan to name the dean was announced, former Gov. O. Max Gardner, who sponsored the consolidation legislation, described the proposal as completing the merger.

Favor Graham Policies. Each of the new deans to work under President Graham is known to favor the policies of the head of the "greater university," and without delay they are expected to take the helm of each institution.

When the posts of "dean of administration" were created by the board of trustees last month, it was planned that the new officers take charge yesterday, but their appointments could not be made before today.

As a result of the trustees' action in June, yesterday saw the retirement from active service of Dr. J. I. Foust of Woman's college and Dr. E. C. Brooks of State college. Each had served as head of his institution before and after the merger, and now they are presidents emeritus of the respective colleges.

The proposal, briefly, is that each town or city entering into the agreement as a member will be entitled to one member on the board of trustees, the person representing the city being its mayor in all cases. The other members of the board of trustees will be a man named by the PWA and, possibly, one named by the state corporation commission.

No money will be raised locally. No bonds will be issued and sold. The only requirement is that the cities enter into a contract with the corporation for a period of 30 years to buy current at cost, guaranteed cost to be not more than one cent per kWh. Opinion of PWA engineers, it is understood, is that current can be produced and distributed to the towns and cities suggested at a cost of less than half a cent per kilowatt hour. Any saving under the cent will at the end of each year be credited to each city, based, of course, on the kWh. consumption of each city.

20-Year Amortization. The arrangement is for amortization during a period of 20 years, the one cent maximum being deemed sufficient by PWA engineers to take care of operations of the plant, distribution of the power, maintenance of lines, and amortization of costs during this period.

At the expiration of the twenty years stock in the corporation will be issued to the towns and cities on a basis of amount of power used. The corporation will not sell power to any firm or individual; sales will be made only to cities or towns. These municipalities, in turn, may make any necessary arrangements to sell to industries and individuals, such as textile and other plants. While each town can set its own rate for sale to manufacturing plants it is proposed that a rate of 1.002 be set, the .002 being a guaranteed profit to the town and any cost under 1 cent per kWh being that much additional profit to the town.

It is also recommended that the towns decrease the rate to its citizens with the view that with a rate reduction, which can easily be granted on account of reduced primary cost, larger amounts of electricity will be used with corresponding increase of profit to the city.

New Air Mail Rate Is Put In Effect

Postmaster J. H. Quinn announces a new rate on air mail which went into effect on July 1. The former rate was eight cents for the first ounce or fraction thereof, and thirteen cents for each additional ounce. The new schedule calls for six cents for the first ounce or fraction thereof, and six cents for each additional ounce.

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