

THE MARKETS
Cotton, spot 13 to 14c
Cotton seed, ton, wagon 23.00
Cotton seed, ton, carlots 25.00

Probable Showers

The Weather forecast for North Carolina is as follows: Generally fair Monday and Tuesday, except for scattered afternoon showers.

Strike Ties Up San Francisco

By UNITED PRESS
SAN FRANCISCO, July 15.—Strikes in all lines spread in the city today as National Guardsmen were rushed to the scene to prevent violence. A food shortage, threatening the population of 1,300,000 persons is imminent. The number of strikers number 60,000. Portland, Oregon faces a general tie-up by Wednesday and in Houston, Texas, docks were cleared of longshoremen pickets after three strike-breakers had been killed. In New York, labor leaders threatened to call a general shipping strike. In Alabama, the state is threatened with a strike of 20,000 textile workers demanding higher wages.

Held For Killing

CHICAGO, July 16.—Margaret Pedro, aged 19, and Edward Bertensson, 37, are being held for questioning about the shooting last night of Highway Patrolman Gilbert Cross and Fred McAllister. Cross is not expected to live.

The March Of Events

Strike Grips City
Vandalism and violence accompanied the general strike in San Francisco yesterday, throwing the city's 1,300,000 citizens into a state of virtual siege. Paralyzing effects of the strike affected every home in the city, despite the fact that the walkout was not scheduled to begin until this morning. Sixty thousand union workmen in all lines of endeavor are on strike in sympathy with longshoremen.

See Naval Race

The United States may be involved in a threatened naval race, now that preliminary naval negotiations have broken down and the American delegation is leaving London to return to Washington. A deadlock has been reached. Talks will be resumed in October.

Ask Clean Films

Catholics started it. Protestants took it up, and now the Jews have joined it. The movement to force the moving picture industry to abandon immoral films has been taken up by practically every general church organization in the country. Yesterday, the chairman of the central conference of the rabbis' social justice conference said that Jewish groups would not limit themselves to work with their own members but would help the other organizations.

Seeks Cheap Power
President Roosevelt has created a national power policy committee, headed by Secretary Ickes, which will act to obtain cheaper electricity for every person in the United States and has notified the big power companies that their rates were going to be equalized under regulations of the new committee. Frank R. McNinch is a member of the committee.

Set For Strike
Alabama textile workers affiliated with the United Textile Workers yesterday authorized the newly-formed state textile council to issue a general strike call, affecting 22,000 workers. The date of the strike will not be made public until 12 hours before the employees are ready to leave their looms.

Escapes Lynchers
Hinsley Tom Williams, prominent Nash County farmer, was shot and instantly killed by a 17-year-old negro, Booker Watson, yesterday afternoon. After a chase by bloodhounds, the negro was captured and is being held in jail. He narrowly escaped a mob of 300 that set out to lynch him.

Borders Reunion To Be Held August 9th

The sixth Borders family reunion will convene at Antioch Baptist church, near Grover, N. C., just over the State line in South Carolina, on Thursday, August 9th, 1934 at 10 o'clock, A. M. An interesting program has been arranged and a picnic will be served on the grounds. All relatives and friends are cordially invited to attend without fail. Well-filled baskets will be highly appreciated.

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Leads Lions



Vincent C. Hascall
Here is Vincent C. (Stub) Hascall of Omaha, Neb., first vice president of Lions International, who will be inducted into the office of president of the organization at its convention in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Methodists Open Conference Today For Young People

Church Expects More Than 500 Will Attend Assembly At Junaluska. Features.

LAKE JUNALUSKA, July 15.—With an estimated enrollment of more than 500, the Young People's assembly of the Western North Carolina conference, Methodist Episcopal church, South, scheduled to meet here July 16-20, promises to launch the banner week of the Methodist assembly, in point of attendance and program. With Rev. Fletcher Nelson of Rutherfordton, conference director of Young People's division in charge, North Carolina young people from the western section of the state will move to Junaluska by the hundreds, arriving by train, truck and private cars from Shelby, Asheville, Charlotte, Greensboro, Gastonia, Marion, Mount Airy, Salisbury, Statesville, Waynesville, Winston-Salem, Hickory, and other points.

The program according to Rev. Mr. Nelson, is crowded with special features, including two platform addresses by Rev. Dr. W. A. Stanbury of Greensboro, an illustrated lecture on the Oberammergau Passion play by Dr. Herbert Yeuell of Washington, D. C., and Oberammergau, a pageant directed by Mrs. Carl King of Charlotte.

16-Year-Old Girl Victim Of Attack; Assailant Is Held

Accuses Her Date On Return From Auto Ride; Officers Arrest Woodrow Hendrick.

Charged with attacking a 16-year-old county girl last night, Woodrow Hendrick is being held in jail for preliminary hearing in the Recorder's court.

He was arrested by Policeman Paul Stamey, who was accompanied by Officers Upton and Pytnam. Solicitor C. C. Horn said this morning that a hearing would be held as soon as the girl's condition permitted her to testify. Officers said that she was badly bruised.

According to the story as they pieced it together, she went for a ride last night with Hendrick. When she returned home, she reported the attack to her parents. Hendrick was arrested on Highway 18, south of the city.

Inter-State Liquor Load Halts In Shelby, And Here It'll Stay

"Just passing through," said Mr. Gault, alias Mr. Brown.

"Oh, stay a while. It just costs you \$100, your automobile and your bottled in bond whiskey," said Judge Joe Wright.

That's the upshot of T. M. Gault's stop last night in Shelby with a car loaded with Virginia liquor destined, he said, for South Carolina palates.

What his operations in Shelby were before his arrest, Sheriff Cline declined to divulge. Anyway, the Sheriff did some detecting and concluded that all the liquor was hot destined to reach South Carolina. He called in Deputy-Constable

Contracts Signed For Hog Control; No Pacts On Corn

Payment Is Based On Last Year Average

29 Cleveland County Farmers Agree to Reduce Pigs This Year; Will Get \$5 for Each Animal.

Twenty-nine Cleveland County farmers have signed contracts with the Agricultural Administration agreeing to produce fewer grunts this year. They will be well paid for it.

The corn-hog reduction contracts statements of members of the corn-hog control associations are published today in The Star as an advertisement.

Assistant County Agent Stuart explained this morning that, according to the contracts, hog growers will be paid \$5 a head for each hog less than 75 per cent of the adjusted average for market purposes for 1932-33. This figure is to be set by the county committee.

No corn contracts have been signed in the county.

Farmers who have signed the contracts are:

No. 3 Township: W. L. Sutherland; No. 4 Township: B. P. Dixon, B. O. Goforth, E. B. Herndon, J. C. Randle, Quinn Wells; No. 5 Township: A. J. Putnam, W. C. Whitworth, G. A. Spake, William Wright; No. 6 Township: Joe W. Spangler, John L. Wright; No. 7 Township: Walter Davis, B. M. Jones, Plato Lee, R. W. McBrayer, J. P. McSwain, W. J. Towery, J. B. Willis; No. 8 Township: Hubert L. Mauney; No. 9 Township: James N. Harris, H. D. Hoyle, Sallie Williams, R. W. Wilson; No. 10 Township: P. M. Mauney, D. F. Newton, D. M. Norman, J. C. White; No. 11 Township: J. B. Ramsey; Mecklenburg County: Henderson L. Auten.

Plummer Assigned To Philadelphia Duty

Former Grover Youth Is Transferred by the United States Marines, Says Report.

Raymond L. Plummer, of the United States Marine Corps has been assigned to duty at the Marine Barracks, Philadelphia, Pa., according to information received today from Major Louis E. Fagan, in charge of recruiting for the Marine Corps in this state with offices in the Post Office Building, Savannah, Ga.

Plummer was accepted for service in the Marine Corps at the Savannah office in January 1932, and received his basic training at Parris Island, S. C. Prior to being assigned to duty at Philadelphia, Mr. Plummer served at Norfolk, Va., New York, N. Y., Quantico, Va., and with the Marines in Nicaragua during the revolution uprising.

Mr. Plummer is a graduate of the Grover High School, class of 1928, and the Coyne Electrical School, Chicago, Ill. Prior to entering the Marine Corps he made his home with his father Mr. John A. Plummer, Route No. 2, Grover.

Tax Discounts Exceed Penalties

Prosperity takes a 10 to 6 lead over Depression in Cleveland county—well, that's the way it looks. Here are the figures:

Discounts for early payments of taxes in 1933, \$1,041.23.

Penalties for late payment, \$631.32.

A search through the tax books indicated that this was the first time in history that discounts have exceeded penalties.

Kidnap Suspect



Don Rodriguez
Arrested at La Junta, Colo., in connection with a plot to kidnap a wealthy banker, Don Rodriguez, above, is being held as a suspect in the kidnapping of June Robles, six-year-old Tucson, Ariz., girl held captive in a desert cave for 15 days.

Masons To Have Barbecue At Lake Wednesday July 18

Free Barbecue Will Be Served To Masons and Their Families. Expect 2,500.

The first county-wide Masonic picnic will be given at Pineview Lake in the Union community ten miles northwest of Shelby on Wednesday afternoon, July 18th when a free barbecue will be served to the Masons and their families, as well as the widows and orphans of Masons. It is expected to be the largest fraternal order gathering that has ever been held in the county. No charge will be made to the invited guests and the management of the lake is offering free swimming to the ladies and children during the afternoon.

The barbecue will be served at 7:30 o'clock but the guests will no doubt gather earlier and enjoy the outing together. No program has been arranged other than the friendly intercourse of Masonic members and their families. The invitation is extended to members of every Masonic lodge in the county as well as Masons who live in the county and retain their membership with lodges elsewhere.

Sheriff Cline Nabs Store Theft Suspect

Trail Grows Cold After Three Months, But Sheriff Surprises Suspect.

Sheriff Raymond Cline, single handed, last week figured out who broke the glass in Campbell's Department store window three months ago and stole some shoes, and Friday night went out and nabbed a suspect Mose Johnson, Alias Mose Bury.

The negro, who had been up before court on two previous cases, was given a preliminary hearing before Judge Wright this morning on a charge of breaking and entering and was bound over to the next term of Superior court for trial. He has served time for two violations of the law, a turkey-stealing charge and a charge of breaking and entering a local dry cleaning establishment.

Sheriff Cline added a feather to his cap in making the arrest, for trails grow cold after three months. It will be recalled that the store was entered the same night that 14 negro convicts escaped from the state prison camp.

Yadkin Must Vote On New School Bond

RALEIGH, July 15. — The supreme court of North Carolina has ruled that the proposed \$2,150,000 issue of PWA school bonds for Yadkin county must be submitted to a vote of the people, upholding a previous decision made by Judge T. B. Finley in superior court.

Members of the board of county commissioners had voted by a vote of two to one not to hold an election on the matter maintaining that the schools were a necessary expense and an election for this purpose was unnecessary. The objection was filed by a number of Yadkin county citizens including C. J. Hemrick, Sant Mandlin, W. L. Mackie and others.

N. C. FERA Rolls Will Be Purged Of Relief Drones

Time Come To Decide Fate Of Jobless

Administrator Hopkins Orders Action to Determine Disposition of Thousands of Families.

WASHINGTON, July 15. — The federal relief rolls in North Carolina are to be studied at once and purged of every person who is able to work, it was stated today at the offices of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration.

In sending orders to various state directors of federal relief, it was said at the office of Administrator Hopkins, that it was regarded that the time had arrived at which the administration should determine as a finality the future of thousands of cases which have been carried from month to month for the sole reason that the recipient of relief had no work.

In order to get the relief rolls down to a basis whereby only aged, helpless, widows and orphans and incapacitated who have no means of maintenance, remain on the rolls, Mrs. Thomas O'Berry, North Carolina director, is to comb the rolls thoroughly and eliminate every person possible.

Seek Self-Support

The reason for this move is that it is thought that with millions of dollars pouring into North Carolina on highway and public works projects, that people who are able to work should be shifted to government work, so that they may be self-supporting.

This plan was pointed to as one of the chief activities of the allotments by the Public Works Administration under the recovery act without their being able to draw people able to perform manual labor from the relief rolls, the purpose would be defeated.

In connection with the work of Mrs. O'Berry as a state director, it was pointed to as among the best in the country.

General Average

For instance, the general average over the United States to administer relief has been found to be 8.3 per cent whereas in North Carolina it is only 6.7 per cent, or far below that in a number of states. This low administration figure in North Carolina was said to be due to the careful administration of Mrs. O'Berry and her ability to shift many people who were on the relief rolls into administrative jobs.

The large number of persons on the Tar Heel relief rolls have been taken into consideration by the PWA in making allotments for projects in the state, and with the expectation that every person able to work will be given employment.

Deputy Bob Makes Haul Of 12 Gallons

Two Snatches Made By Deputies In No. 3 Township Total Twelve Gallons.

R. B. "Bob" Kendrick, the dread of every bootlegger in Cleveland county, Saturday snatched two Cleveland county corn hiding places in No. 3 township, and made a haul totaling 12 gallons. Bob was assisted by E. J. Cordell and J. Y. Kendrick.

His first raid was on the home of R. B. Littlejohn, negro, where 17 1/2 half-gallon bottles were found. A John Doe search warrant was used here, since Bob knew that the liquor was in that vicinity, although he didn't know who possessed it.

In the second raid, three one-half gallon bottles were seized at the home of Landus Wilson, white, who also lives in the No. 3 township section.

Dr. Wall Addresses 1,000 At Ridgecrest

Dr. Zeno Wall, pastor of the Shelby First Baptist church, addressed more than 1,000 young people at Ridgecrest Friday night at the closing session of the B. Y. P. U. assembly.

He talked on "The Call of the New Day," as expounded from seven expressions in Fifth Ephesians: 1. Wake Up, 2. Get Up, 3. Look Up, 4. Fill Up, 5. Step Up, 6. Sing Up and 7. Go Up.

Says Baptists Will Ask Better Movies

North Carolina churches haven't yet taken an active stand in the organized church movement sweeping the nation in an effort to obtain better moving pictures. Dr. Zeno Wall, pastor of the First Baptist church here said yesterday, "But I am sure that our Baptist convention, to be held in New Bern next November will go strongly on record," he added.

Cinderella Gets Her Man



Helen Fleming
As in the story of old, a modern Cinderella marries her Prince Charming at Louisiana State university, Baton Rouge. Pretty Helen Fleming, above, of Baton Rouge, former "Cinderella", or track sponsor, goes to the altar with W. E. Butler, who was "Prince" of the university track men four years ago, and captain of the team, for which Miss Fleming was sponsor.

Enroll Today In The Star's Campaign For Free Trips To Fair With All Expenses Paid

Falls Off Roof Chasing Ball

Crack! a batter, warning up before the Cleveland Cloth-Oragon game here Friday afternoon, knocked a fly ball over the grandstand at the city park. Play Kale, former high school grid and diamond star, who was on top the grandstand watching balls for the management, started after it.

Play took several steps too far and stepped off the western side of the roof, hurtling to the ground 28 feet below.

Slightly shaken up by the impact, and with facial bruises and lacerations, Play was examined by a doctor, and pronounced "fit as a fiddle."

2 Morganton Men Get Commissions

MORGANTON, July 15.—Appointment of S. J. Ervin, Jr., as captain and commanding officer, and H. J. Hatcher as first lieutenant, in the North Carolina National Guard, became effective this week as the two prominent Morganton attorneys took over the direction of Company "B," 10th Engineers, of the North Carolina National Guard, stationed here.

Mr. Ervin succeeds Capt. Alex L. Shuping, who has resigned active service as commanding officer, and who will hold a place in the National Guard Reserves. James Amos, who has held the post of first lieutenant, will serve as second lieutenant under the reorganization of the local troop.

PWA Spends \$8,276,000 In N. C.; Fairground Nearing Completion

A total of 188 different non-federal projects in 86 localities, involving an expenditure of \$8,276,000, which were handled through the State Public Works administration offices, have been approved by Washington, a summary of the first year's work of the PWA in North Carolina shows.

In Cleveland, which last winter had payrolls of \$100,000 a week on CWA projects, 60 men are now employed at the fairgrounds. They have completed the stone walls for the grandstand and will complete the Casar gymnasium this week. Another project is the transfer of 1,500 feet of water pipe near Ramseur Street, Kings Mountain, to Wallace Street, leading to the school. Seventeen men are on this project.

Club Members Are Rapidly Enlisting for Opportunity to Visit Century of Progress Exposition.

Already the line is forming to board the big vacation special headed for the Century of Progress Exposition in Chicago. On this wonderful tour will be fifty lucky persons who will be honor guests from the moment they leave Shelby until every amazing exhibit in the world's fair has been seen.

This marvelous trip, free to fifty persons in Shelby and Cleveland County, has been made possible by a plan inaugurated by The Star, and every day brings scores of inquiries from boys and girls, men and women, eager to enroll in the club.

The rules governing the free trip are extremely simple. A little perseverance and well directed effort will result in victory, and rich, indeed, is the reward.

An outline of the trip sounds like a dream of fairyland. Luxurious travel accommodations, service at the best hotels, and special courtesies extended by Exposition officials throughout the eight day stay—all at the expense of The Star.

Easy to Win

You can easily win a free ticket for this once-in-a-lifetime tour by enrolling in The Star's World Fair Tour Club and securing 44 city or 52 mail yearly, new or renewal subscriptions. These new or renewal subscriptions will entitle you to receive a \$40.00 ticket for the personally conducted all expense DeLuxe tour conducted by the Big Bus Lines.

This is not a contest in which the first to reach the goal will receive the award. Every participant who turns in the prescribed number of subscriptions will be eligible.

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Carolina Editors View State Affairs On Mountain Top

Convention Is Held At Banners Elk

They Hear Able Addresses on Proposed Constitution, Insurance And State Advertising.

By M. R. DUNNAGAN
BANNERS ELK, July 15.—With the majestic Grandfather mountain as a background and many other towering peaks around this remarkable development of Lees-McRae College, orphanage and hospital of the Presbyterian church and the handiwork of Edgar Tufts, the North Carolina Press Association held one of the most delightful and successful of its 62 annual meetings last week for three days. The attendance was fully 200, the largest in years.

Able addresses, dealing with State and national problems and conditions were delivered, notables among which was that of Judge John J. Parker, Charlotte, giving a discussion of the proposed Constitution of the State which every citizen should have heard, regardless of his beliefs. Dr. John Dickinson, assistant Secretary of Commerce, was the outstanding out-of-state speaker, discussing ably the "new deal". The State's own Walter "Pete" Murphy, attorney for the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, discussed the results of insuring the bank deposits. Senator Robert Reynolds gave a brief resume of the recovery and social legislation enacted by the recent congress, and phases of the Roosevelt program.

He'd Tell The World

Coleman Roberts, active head of Carolinas, Inc., inspired his hearers with his complete summary of the hopes and ambitions of this organization of Carolina men and women to "tell the world" of the good things these states offers for tourists and home-seekers, at the same time striving to make the States citizenship conscious of their opportunities and improve the natural resources. He announced that a series of stamps will be issued, the first in August, the complete set of which will depict the historical and scenic incidents and places of special interest to this area and to the whole state was the address of G. O. Gillingham, of the Washington office of the information department of the Tennessee Valley Authority, who outlined the work done and that planned for the development of the Tennessee river valley, to cost \$150,000,000 to develop power especially, with its incidental development of soil erosion, flood control, reforestation, mineral and other projects. Dr. J. H. Stallings told in interesting and graphic manner of the value of the soil erosion projects being carried on in Guilford and Anson and Union counties, with its value in saving land, as well as preventing filling of reservoirs for city and industrial water supplies.

Explains Constitution

Few addresses have been as clear, complete and convincing as that of Judge Parker on the proposed Constitution. He spent an hour taking up sections of the present and proposed constitutions and pointing out the improvements in the new. Many newspaper men were heard to remark that he had given them complete understanding on points not previously clear, and many who had been questioning the proposal were "sold" on the proposed basic law.

D. Hiden Ramsey, Asheville, was elected president for the next year; F. Grover Britt, Clinton, vice-president; Miss Beatrice Cobb, Morganton, secretary-treasurer; Bill Arp Lowrance, Charlotte, historian. Members of the executive committee, in addition to President Ramsey and Secretary Cobb, are as follows: C. C. Council, Durham; L. C. Gifford, Hickory; Talbot Patrick, Goldsboro; Manton Oliver, Reidsville; Jonathan Daniels, Raleigh; T. J. Perkins, Lincolnton.

Memorials paid tribute to the lives of the late J. B. Sheriff, Concord, for 32 years the association's secretary and its president one year this in charge of R. R. Clark, Statesville, while the late T. J. Robertson, Madison, and R. C. Rivers, Boone, were paid tributes by Sanford Martin, Winston-Salem, and Wade H. Harris, Charlotte, the latter read by Miss Cobb.

Resolutions included one to Edgar Tufts and the Banners Elk folks for the entertainment; one asking for a highway from Morganton to Banners Elk, and a third for building the parkway connecting the Shenandoah and the Great Smokies by way of Mt. Mitchell.

J. A. Robinson, Durham, "old hurrtygraph", celebrated his 60th year as a member of the convention, the best of which was attended in ship.