

THE MARKETS
Cotton, spot 12 1/4 to 13 1/4
Cotton seed, ton, wagon 23.00
Cotton seed, ton, carlots 25.00

Fair Tonight

North Carolina: Fair tonight, Thursday partly cloudy. Probably local thundershowers in extreme west portion.

Estimate Is Low

By UNITED PRESS
WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—The 1934 cotton crop, restricted even more than Uncle Sam planned by the drought, will total 9,175,000 bales the department of agriculture predicted today in its first formal production estimate.

Cotton at noon today, in response to the government's estimate, jumped forty points, and December was selling at 12.75.

Lauds Mayos

By UNITED PRESS
ROCHESTER, Minn., Aug. 8.—Speaking at a program honoring the famous Mayo brothers today, President Roosevelt declared that the unselfish service of medical leaders is vitally necessary to his own social program.

Merchants Sponsor Trade Sales Event

Plans Laid At Meeting This Morning For Special Event In September.

Shelby merchants in meeting today decided to hold a special sale event in connection with the Cleveland county fair this year.

Special bargains will be arranged for the interest of fair crowds who will be able to shop in Shelby in the morning and spend the afternoon at the fair. Free checking service will be furnished all purchasers by the Merchants association. A checking place will be provided at the fairgrounds and another in the city.

Free entertainment programs will be arranged each morning so that the crowds will have things to interest them all day long, either at the fairgrounds or in Shelby.

George Wray, chairman of the Merchants association will today appoint a committee to work jointly with Dr. J. S. Dorton of the fair association, to complete details for the event which it is thought will interest people from a large section of this state and adjoining South Carolina counties.

Gardner Won't Go To South America

Believe Approaching Mill Crisis Is Keeping Former Governor In Capital.

It was announced in Washington yesterday that O. Max Gardner had cancelled his proposed trip to South America with officials of the Pan American airways, of which he is one of the attorneys.

This action in this respect is regarded in some circles as having a bearing on the fact that the present truce between employes and mill owners of the cotton textile industry expires August 25, when a new arrangement must be made as to hours of employment and pay. The operatives are asking shorter hours and that the work be staggered. Governor Gardner is chief counsel of the American Textile Institute from which George A. Sloan has resigned as president without any explanation. Sloan's resignation becomes effective in September.

Kiwians To Meet At Boiling Springs

The regular weekly meeting of the Shelby Kiwanis club will be held at Boiling Springs college Thursday night, instead of at the Hotel Charles, as is the usual custom.

The feature speaker of the occasion will be the Rev. J. L. Jenkins, president of the college. Members are urged to be present and take their wives, friends, and any other guests.

T. P. Lail Joins Staff At Tillmans

T. P. Lail of Lenoir is the new superintendent of repair work at Tillmans service station on North Lafayette street. Mr. Lail was connected for several years with the Chrysler agency at Lenoir. He started work here Monday. He will move his family here later.

Judge Frank Hill Will Preside Over Fall Term Of Court

Complete Jury List Is Announced

Is One of the Youngest Members of the State's Superior Court Jurists.

Judge Frank Hill of Murphy will preside over the September term of Superior court it was learned today as a complete list of jurors for this term was released by the county commissioners. Judge Hill is one of the youngest of the state's Superior court jurists and the coming term will be his initial appearance in Shelby.

Two capital cases remain on the unfinished docket of the August term, presided over by Judge W. F. Harding. They are the well known Sentell murder case and the Hendrick assault case.

Want Special Term
It is understood that the local bar has entered a petition to Governor Ehringhaus for a special term of court here in October to provide for a complete clearance of the civil docket.

September's court will be held during the last two weeks of the month, and following is a list by townships of the jurors drawn Monday for the term:

- Jury List
No. 1 Township, R. E. McCraw; No. 2, Zem Bridges; No. 3 Lander Putnam; No. 4, R. D. Daves, J. H. Dillingham; No. 5, Stough Miller, J. B. Smith; No. 6, A. E. Blanton, J. S. Hamrick, and O. P. Allen; No. 7, Cletus McSwain, A. L. McSwain; No. 8, J. D. Lattimore, C. C. Dalton; No. 9, R. Frank Stamey, Vance Royster; No. 10, Ben Crofts; No. 11, William N. Buff.

The July term under Judge W. F. Harding, just completed, proved rather void of attraction for the crowds which jammed the courtroom expecting to hear the Sentell and Hendricks cases.

The Sentell case was postponed for the second time because "It was too hot to try a murder case," and the Hendricks trial was put off until the defense had more time to prepare their case.

"Death Valley" Road Gets 1 More Victim

Frank Gulley Injured, Car Destroyed, On Road Near Wesson Bridge.

Frank Gulley was slightly injured and a 1928 model Chrysler coupe was completely destroyed by fire Monday night when the car plunged off an embankment on the Wesson Bridge road.

The accident occurred just beyond the river bridge as the road curves toward a lesser creek bridge. Gulley stated that the loss was covered by adequate insurance.

"Death Valley" is the caption given the above strip of road, as for a number of years it has been the scene of numerous accidents. The driver stated no reason for losing control of his car other than the treacherous road. He is one of eight salesmen of waterless cookers in the county, and at the time of the accident had eight or ten of the utensils with him. They were destroyed.

Beam Reunion Set For August 16th

Thursday August 16th is the date set for the annual Beam reunion to be held at New Prospect church near Shelby. Dinner will be served in picnic style and there will be speaking, music, etc., according to the secretary, Miss Ruth Beam of Shelby.

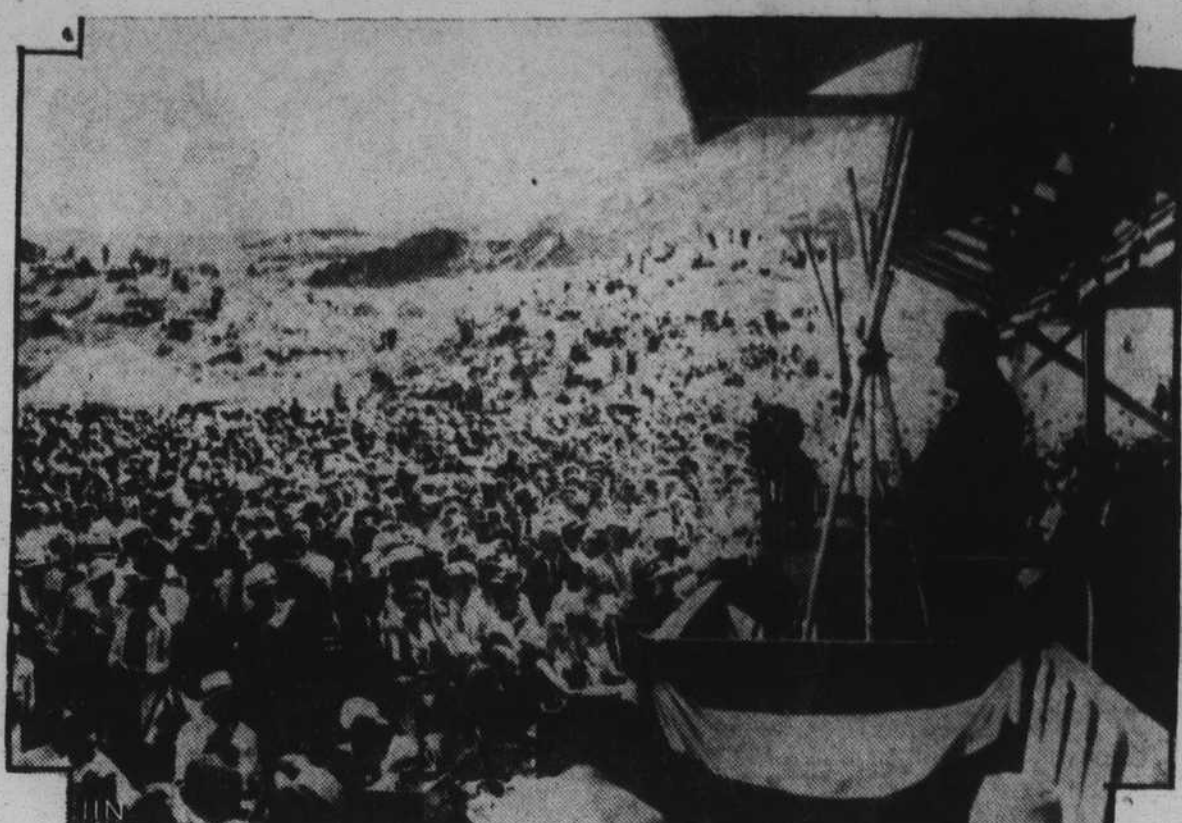
Mooresboro Plans Gala Fair Day; Bulwinkle To Be Guest Of Honor

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It will be a gala day for the Mooresboro folk. The jubilee will include all kinds of athletic contests, addresses, and other events which naturally fall into this type of entertainment.

Congressman A. L. Bulwinkle will be the chief guest at the function, and will arrive at 10 o'clock Saturday morning. He will probably make some sort of speech to the vast crowd expected.

Hear President Praise New Power Era



On the high bluffs overlooking the Columbia river in Washington, President Roosevelt is shown while 30,000 people hear him describe the dawn of a new era of power brought by the Grand Coulee dam project. The president predicted a day when thousands of easterners will move into the northwest, attracted by opportunities the Coulee hydro-electric power and irrigation project makes possible.

Fair Premium List Printed; To Complete Building Soon

Oates Lived With 6 Women

"I have lived with six different women of the worst kind and have never been married to any," wrote Joseph F. Oates, textile worker who took his own life last Thursday when he shot himself in the heart with a .22 caliber rifle at the Eton Mill boarding house.

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Huge Grandstand Is Near Completion

With the premium list for Cleveland county's 10th annual Fair on the presses, and with the FERA financed alterations nearing completion, Cleveland is preparing for the biggest agricultural and livestock exhibition in its history.

Commerce Body To Ask City For Several Projects

A committee of business men, named by officials of the Shelby chamber of commerce and merchants association, will this week investigate what seems to be suitable FERA projects for the city and will then ask city officials for a special meeting of the board of aldermen to go over the proposed projects as a result of the meeting Tuesday night of directors of the organization.

Miss Nannie Wiseman Dies In Danville, Va.

Miss Nannie Wiseman, age 88 years, only aunt of Mrs. Henry E. Kendall and Mrs. Lee B. Weathers of Shelby died at 3 o'clock Tuesday morning in Danville, Va., and was buried there this morning at 11 o'clock. Attending the funeral from Shelby today are Mr. and Mrs. Lee B. Weathers, Mrs. Henry E. Kendall and Mrs. A. P. Weathers who will return to Shelby tonight.

Howard-McCurry Buy Tailor Shop

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Young Elliott Gets Job In U. S. Mint

William Martin Elliott, 3rd, a last year's graduate of the United States School of Mines at Golden, Colorado, has recently been notified of his election as assistant assayer in the government mint in New York city.

Cleveland County Below Lint Quota First Reports Say

Seven Percent Under Is Shown By Reports Of Measuring Committeemen.

Initial reports from the 75 committeemen measuring and checking cotton and government-rented land in Cleveland county show that the county as a whole is approximately seven percent short of its quota.

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All Three School Projects In County Will Be Completed

County To Issue Full Amount Of Bonds

Federal Government Refuses to Abandon Arcade Project and Use Those Funds.

Cleveland County and Shelby will get all three of its school construction projects, in spite of the previous opinion that the high school arcade would have to be abandoned to make the funds allocated sufficient to cover the contractors' bids.

When it was seen a short time ago that the bids would be above the funds available for the construction, the county board of education proposed to abandon the arcade, and turn those funds in the Dover mill and colored school channels.

Superintendent J. H. Grigg carried this proposal to Raleigh but the Federal government which had agreed to pay one-third of the total cost, turned thumb-downs on the proposition.

The Dover Mill company had agreed to appropriate \$8,000 toward the construction of the school in that community, and this amount, with the total \$28,000 bond issue agreed upon by the county, would have been sufficient to cover the cost.

The county however, wishes to cut the bond appropriation as much as possible, but the Federal government threatened to withdraw its allotment if the full \$28,000 issue was not subscribed.

So the total cost of the three construction projects is now as follows: Dover mill, \$27,773; Shelby high school arcade, \$4,297; colored school addition, \$13,629; architecture fee, \$2,285; land cost, \$500, and contingencies, \$1,000, making a total cost of \$49,484.

The amount set aside for the buildings is divided as follows: Federal PWA grant, \$13,709; bond issue, \$28,000; Dover mill company grant, \$8,000 making a total of \$49,709 available for construction.

The county, although subscribing the bond issues, will not pay for the arcade at the high school, nor the colored school. Both will be paid for by the city school board.

Mrs. Will Page Buried Monday

Former President of Shelby Passes At Ivanhoe, Near Wilmington.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at three o'clock at Sandy Plains church for Mrs. Will Page who died last Sunday night at her home in Ivanhoe, near Wilmington. Mrs. Page has been suffering with a serious cancer for more than a year.

She is survived by three children, Dan, Ellen, and Hassel; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Allen of Ivanhoe; four brothers and three sisters, Mrs. Ras Hamrick of Kannapolis, Mrs. Arthur Huskey of Shelby, Mrs. John Harrill of Beaver Dam, Gaither Allen of Ivanhoe, Joel and James Allen of New House.

The husband of Mrs. Page preceded her to the grave almost six months ago and since that time she has made her home with her parents in Ivanhoe. Previous to Mr. Page's death the family lived in Shelby.

Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Rush Padgett of Grover and the Rev. R. C. Campbell of Texas.

Probes Nazis



Congressman Charles Cramer, above, who presides over the congressional committee on un-American activities, is acting on information that a California organization of "Silver Shirts" is allied with the German Nazi movement. A San Diego resident who has made several trips to Germany recently was to be subpoenaed by the committee, according to advices from Los Angeles. The "Silver Shirts" were reported drilling armed forces called storm troops.

Too Many Pupils In County Schools Says J. H. Grigg

County Superintendent of Schools Attempts to Relieve Congestion in Schools.

With Cleveland County public schools running full way for the six to eight weeks summer term, county superintendent, J. H. Grigg is trying this week to get at least eight more teachers in both elementary and high school divisions.

Their presence will help greatly to relieve the pressing congestion caused by increased school enrollment and the fact that the state department allocated the county four teachers less than last year's quota.

City's Budget Published Today

Shows An Increase Of \$15,700 Over Last Year. Debt Service Requires \$113,500.

The city's budget for the fiscal year of 1934-35 is published today, showing appropriations for the various departments amounting to \$261,476 as compared with \$245,773 last year. This is an increase of \$15,700 over the previous year in the operating expenses of the city.

However, a year ago there was a reduction in the budget of \$90,000 under the fiscal year 1932-33. Debt service, interest and bonds, requires \$113,536, the largest expenditure, while the water department comes next with \$61,460 and the light department third with an appropriation of \$21,575. This year the budget is published showing the appropriations for the various departments.

Cleveland Spent \$450,509 In '33 In Service, Amusement Concerns

An interesting table of statistics sent out by the United States Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, shows that Cleveland County spent \$450,509 for shaves, hair cuts, beauty treatments, shoe shines and amusement in 1933.

This, as compared to the neighboring counties of Rutherford and Lincoln, shows Cleveland citizens go in for such things to a marked degree. Lincoln spent only \$89,093 and Rutherford \$197,180.

On the other hand, the sister county of Gaston, with a large population, spent \$721,576. Cleveland county has 91 service establishments and places of amusement, with 99 proprietors. Full time employees total 139, and part time, 24. The total salaries for full time employees in such establishments reach \$94,911 and for part timers, \$9,306.

Mecklenburg spent the most in service establishments and places of amusement in 1933, a total of \$8,303,834, while Camden was in the cellar with only \$2,000 expenditures. The table covers all counties in North Carolina, and was compiled during the recent nation-wide business census sponsored by the Federal government.

The state total shows that there were 5,832 establishments in North Carolina, which reported total receipts of \$26,882,334. These establishments gave employment to an average of 6,862 full-time employees, 2,327 part time employees, and 6,599 proprietors. The total payroll (exclusive of compensation of proprietors) aggregated \$5,583,251, of which \$4,970,718 was paid to full-time employees and \$612,533 to part-time employees.

Aug. 29 Deadline To Obtain Tickets For Ginning Cotton

Must Get Them to Gin Cotton Tax-Free

Shoffner Designates Places Where Certificates May Be Obtained.

County Farm Agent Bob Shoffner has set August 29 as the absolute deadline for obtaining cotton ginning certificates.

In a statement released this morning, Mr. Shoffner says:

"The main thing is that the Washington office has set 15 days for allotments to be made. If applications for ginning certificates are not received in this period, the farmers not making applications will have to pay tax on all the cotton they have ginned.

Working Under Law
"We are working under a law and not a voluntary project. The law in question is the Bankhead bill.

"The committee will be stationed at the designated places for one week beginning August 13. August 29 is the deadline at the county agent's office.

"We are sending cards now to all farmers who have signed contracts with the government and to all we know who have not signed.

Applies To All
The above announcement applies to both signers of contracts and non-signers. All signers who gin above their allotment will have to pay a tax of one-half the market price on all above their contract.

The non-signers who obtain certificates will be allowed to gin sixty percent of their five-year average production tax free, and all above that, will have to pay the tax.

Committees Station
Committees will be stationed at the following places during the week beginning August 13:

- No. 1 township, Holly Springs school; No. 2, Hamrick's store, Boiling Springs; No. 3, No. 3 school; No. 4, Bethlehem school; No. 5, Waco school; No. 6, Court House; No. 7, Lattimore school; No. 8, Polkville school; No. 9, Fallston school; No. 10, Belwood school; No. 11, Casar school.

Mr. Shoffner warns the farmers that they will have to pay a tax on all their cotton if they do not obtain their ginning certificates during next week. August 29 is the absolute deadline.

Hatchell Hearing Set For Tomorrow

Suspect In Hotel Liquor Raid To Be Tried Before Mull At 11 O'Clock.

Carl Hatchell, who gave himself up in Chester, S. C., last week and was placed under a \$2,000 bond for alleged connections in the fake liquor racket in the Isaac Shelby Hotel, will appear before Commissioner John P. Mull for a preliminary hearing tomorrow at 11:00 A. M.

Commissioner Mull stated this morning that thus far no new developments have occurred, but that he expects to hold the hearing tomorrow.

It will be remembered that Hatchell's name has been connected with several criminal occurrences in the county in recent years. He was sent to the Federal penitentiary in Atlanta several years ago for a three year term, later paroled, and was allegedly connected with a \$500 cigarette robbery of the A. Blanton grocery.