

THE MARKETS
Cotton, spot 12 1/2c to 13 1/2c
Cotton seed, ton, wagon 33.00

Generally Fair

Weather forecast for North Carolina: Generally fair Monday and Tuesday; slightly colder in interior Tuesday.

Aviator Finishes Hop

From way down under, the other side of the world—Australia—winged Sir Charles Kingsford-Smith, British flyer, he took off from Brisbane and landed at the Oakland municipal airport yesterday, completing 2,408 miles from Honolulu in 14 hours and 59 minutes. He was an hour ahead of scheduled time, and apologized for it.

Farmers Pay Debts

The Kinston and Greenville, N. C. production credit associations reported yesterday that they had collected all loans made by them to farmers this year, thereby becoming the second and third associations in the nation to pay in full.

Hold Kidnap

A man identified as Julius Riddle was arrested last night and placed in the Hopewell, N. J., jail by police seeking two bandits who stole two automobiles and kidnaped a federal reformatory guard. Hopewell is the scene of the Lindbergh kidnaping.

Smuggle Chinese

Eighteen Chinese sewed into potato sacks, by which means they were smuggled into the United States from Trinidad, were nabbed yesterday in Keyport, N. J. Four other Chinks, who became sick, were thrown overboard on the trip, it was reported.

Wilkesboro Fire

Damage estimated at \$75,000 early today was wrought in the business district of North Wilkesboro by fire that raged more than two hours. Companies from Lenoir and Statesville helped fight the flames. The losses were not fully covered by insurance.

N. C. Relief Load Drops In September

Mrs. O'Berry Releases Comparative Figures; Cleveland Figure High.

RALEIGH, Nov. 5.—North Carolina's relief load showed an appreciable drop during the month of September, as compared with August, the report of Mrs. Thomas O'Berry, state relief director, shows. The cases handled were 3,000 fewer in September, than in August, or 89,022 as compared with 72,187. The amount of money spent was \$1,472,590.36 in August and \$1,055,542.39 in September, while the number of individuals receiving some form of relief decreased from 346,759 in August to 333,210 in September.

Avery showed the largest percentage of its population on relief, 31.8 per cent, while Greene showed the smallest, 3.4 per cent. Cleveland county had 559 families, representing 2,906 persons, and a total of 574 cases, aggregating a grand total of 2,920 persons, on relief in September. The increase in numbers of persons on relief was 42.7 per cent, the total amount spent in the county was \$3,351.08 and the part of the population of the county on relief was 5.6 per cent.

40 Per Acre Not Bad For Cleveland

C. F. Morrison Grows 160 Bushels Of Good Corn On Four Acres.

Not raising cotton and getting money for it, is not the only thing Cleveland county farmers do well in. In fact, they are not so bad as raising corn. Listen to this:

C. F. Morrison, of Lawndale, comes forward with the announcement that he raised 160 bushels of corn on barely four acres of land this year, which he thinks is pretty good corn for this section.

The average for the county is much less than 20 bushels per acre and Mr. Morrison has more than doubled it. It was grown on the lands of T. S. Morrison. It is good corn too, and the grower thinks now that he has learned how, he can do even better next year.

Postoffice Shows Continued Gains

The Shelby postoffice, which has been showing phenomenal increases every quarter, took another long step toward that very desirable first class rating with another upswing last month. Receipts for October were \$5,491.36, an increase of \$1,036.85 over October, 1933, or 23 1/4 per cent. Since January 1, including last month, receipts were \$41,894.79 as against \$35,798.34 for the same period in 1933. That is an increase of \$6,096.45, or 17 per cent.

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Held As Aid Of Hauptmann



D. L. Sanders, above, photographed in the Troy, O., county jail, where he is held on charges of impersonating a federal officer, assertedly has told police that he had aided Bruno Hauptmann dispose of the Lindbergh kidnap ransom.

Invitation Given To Enter Legion March On Saturday

Want Children To Ride Ponies, Bicycles, Tricycles; Public Asked To Take Part.

Cleveland county individuals and organizations are all asked to take part in the Armistice day parade to be held in Shelby at 11 o'clock Saturday morning, says E. A. Houser, Jr., commander of the Warren F. Hoyle post of the American Legion. It is hoped that no one will wait for a verbal invitation since there is so little time to plan for the parade. Everybody is invited to take part. Organizations and individuals can march or ride in cars. All fraternal and civic clubs are asked to take part as well as are the school children of the entire county. All horse owners are invited to ride their horses; children who have ponies will be welcomed. Children who have riding devices of any sort—bicycles and tricycles—will likewise be welcomed. The parade will be formed on South Washington street below Quinn's drug store around 10 o'clock Saturday morning. The line of march will be up Washington street to Marietta St., thence to North LaFayette street and on LaFayette street to Grigg street. It is expected that the Gastonia (Continued on Page Eight)

Fox Hunters Club Has Big Barbecue

Between two and three hundred members of the Brushy Creek Fox Hunters Club and their friends gathered at the home of Coleman Blanton Friday afternoon where the annual barbecue was served. Three kinds of meat, plenty of cold slaw, cakes, pickles, pies and other good things to eat were served, after which there was a fox race. The Brushy Creek club has about 35 foxes in that section and many fine chases are enjoyed during the winter.

Vote Against Bankhead Bill Is To Ruin Profitable Lint Price

COLLEGE STATION, RALEIGH, Nov. 5.—A vote against the Bankhead act will be a vote against North Carolina's cotton crop, Charles A. Sheffield, of State College, declared today. The only way North Carolina can hope to stay in profitable cotton production, he said, is for the government to continue its program of adjusting production and bolstering prices. Discard the act, he went on, and southwestern growers will be free to expand their production to the point where prices will fall far below the point at which North Carolina growers can make money. Producing cotton at about half the cost of raising it in this State, the southwest can easily force competing growers out of business. Texas alone, he said, can produce 25,000,000 a year—more than enough to supply the world. "And where would the majority of

Last Taps Sound For War Veteran Claude M. Conner

Shelby Natl. Guard In Body To Grave

First Sergeant Co. K Succumbs To Effects Of Gas Attacks On The Battlefields Of France.

First Sergeant Claude M. Conner of Company K, North Carolina National Guard, who was felled in a gas attack repulsing German advances on the fields of France, where he fought for 14 months with the 81st division, 317th artillery, died at his home here early Saturday morning of war disabilities from which he had never fully recovered. His last request for a funeral with military honors was carried out Sunday afternoon, when the entire company K, with Captain Peyton McSwain commanding, marched to the First Baptist church, where services were held by the Rev. Dr. Zeno Wall, and the Rev. C. V. Martin, and then to Sunset Cemetery, where the roar of guns echoed through the final sweet notes of taps as the coffin was lowered into the grave.

Sergeant 9 Years. Mr. Conner was 41 years old. After the war, he returned to his home in Shelby, and, too badly gassed for regular employment, served Co. K for nine years as first sergeant.

He was married to Miss Anne Hamilton 14 years ago, and is survived by his wife, by his mother, Mrs. L. P. Conner, and by three sisters and three brothers. They are Mrs. E. B. Ross of Kings Mountain, Mrs. O. C. Lewis of Shelby and Mrs. S. A. Poston of Shelby; E. C. Conner of Honeath, S. C., and O. C. and L. S. Conner of Shelby.

The Shelby American Legion Post acted as honorary pall bearers. Sergeants of Company K were active pall bearers. Mr. Conner had been ill 13 months before his death.

Dr. R. C. Ellis Marks His 78th Birthday

Today Dr. R. Charles Ellis, venerable physician and surgeon, of Shelby, is celebrating his seventy-eighth birthday. The doctor appeared on the streets early, as usual, spry as a cricket, well-groomed and erect. He is well preserved and could easily pass at an age many years younger. Dr. Ellis came to Shelby about 39 years ago, from Lumberton, in Robeson county. Several years ago he retired almost entirely from active practice and has devoted his time with business affairs.

Edney To Speak At Court House Tonight

The Republicans will have the last say in the campaign, before the election Tuesday, Calvin Edney of Mars Hill, Republican nominee for Congress against Major A. L. Bulwinkle, will speak tonight at the Court House at 7:30. This is the first and only speech Mr. Edney has made in Cleveland, although he has been active in all of the counties, particularly Gaston and Mecklenburg where the largest votes are cast.

Mrs. Ragland Is New Shelby Teacher

Mrs. Dorothy McBrayer Ragland of Shelby has been named by the school board to the vacancy in ninth grade history and tenth grade history at Shelby High school. She will start teaching on Tuesday.

F. D. R. Buys Red Cross Button



President Roosevelt opened the annual Red Cross membership drive for funds after buying his own button from cute Phyllis Smith, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. De Witt Smith, of Edgemore, Md. This photo shows Phyllis pinning the button on the president in the latter's executive offices.

No Issues Up In Election But Test Vote On New Deal

Democrats In County And State Certain To Sweep Tickets; Plea Of Democracy Is Support Administration

In an issueless campaign, devoid of color and no more than a political gesture so far as actual elections returns are concerned, Cleveland County goes to the polls tomorrow to vote in her Democratic candidates, as usual.

Hudson's Mother Dies In Florida

Lived Here For Two Years; Bury Wednesday In Louisville, Georgia.

Mrs. Belle Hudson, 79 year old mother of Hill Hudson, prominent Shelby traveling salesman, died last night at 10:20 at her home in Largo, Florida. News of her death was received here during the night and Mr. and Mrs. Hudson will attend the funeral in Louisville, Ga. Wednesday afternoon. They expect to leave Shelby Tuesday. Mrs. Hudson had many fine attributes of character and is pleasantly remembered in Shelby where she lived for two years. She was twice married. Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. W. S. Walker and Miss Isabel Carswell of Largo, Fla., four sons, E. R. Carswell of Tampa, R. W. Carswell of Daytona, and J. S. Hudson of Orlando and W. H. Hudson of Shelby.

Lily Mill Woman Buried Saturday

Mrs. Ollie Walker Wortman, 69, Leaves Large Family; Funeral At Moriah.

Funeral services were held Saturday at Moriah church for Mrs. Ollie Wortman, 69 year old resident of the Lily Mill village in South Shelby. She died at her home there Friday following a protracted illness.

Mrs. Wortman leaves seven children, 17 grandchildren, and two great grandchildren, and a large number of other relatives. Her husband, the late David Wortman preceded her to the grave 10 years ago. In early life Mrs. Wortman joined the Methodist church but later transferred her membership to the Baptist church where she has been a faithful member since that time. The children are Mrs. Will Robertson, Mrs. Ves Cook, Mrs. Irvin Parker, McClure, Elam, John and Ocie Wortman, all of Shelby. The Rev. Mr. Cook conducted the burial services.

Mrs. A. M. Long Dies In Kings Mountain

Funeral Services Held Today For 84-Year-Old Mother Of School Principal.

Funeral services were held today for Mrs. A. M. Long, mother of Mrs. Charles Rhyne, principal of the West End school in Kings Mountain, who died at her daughter's home on Saturday. Mrs. Long was 84 years old. Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. C. K. Derrick, pastor of the Kings Mountain Lutheran church, and burial was at the Emmanuel Cemetery in Union County, S. C. Besides her daughter, Mrs. Long is survived by three grand-children and three great-grandchildren.

Slight Opposition By Republicans To County Slate

Four Democrats Not Opposed Tomorrow

G.O.P. Has Candidates For Town Offices And For Board Of County Commissioners.

Four Cleveland county candidates on the Democratic ticket will automatically sail through this election Tuesday with unanimous victories. No Republican candidates are opposing them. They are: L. S. Spurling, solicitor 16th judicial district; Carl S. Thompson, state senate, 27th district; C. C. Horn, solicitor for Cleveland Record-ers Court; Roscoe Lutz coroner and D. R. S. Frazier, surveyor.

Commissioners Opposed. These candidates have opposition: Democratic county commissioners Joe Blanton, J. L. Herndon and J. D. Morris vs. Republicans P. M. Mauney, P. F. Richards and J. R. Price.

For the house of representatives, Ernest Gardner (D) vs. F. B. Hamrick (R); for clerk of the superior court, A. M. Hamrick (D) vs. B. D. Hulick (R); for sheriff, Raymond Cline (D) vs. Gilbert Jones; for county treasurer Mrs. Lillian Newton (D) vs. Terry Smart. For Congress Congressman A. L. Bulwinkle (D) as everyone well knows, is opposed by Republican Calvin Edney.

For state offices, Stanley Winborne (D), utilities commissioner, is opposed by Calvin Zimmerman (R). The Republican party has put forth three candidates for the supreme court and two for the superior court.

Officers Elected At Teacher Meet

Three From Cleveland County Chosen To Lead Year; Hoey Speaks.

The South Piedmont Teachers Association ended its twelfth annual convention in Charlotte Friday night after electing a new slate of officers for next year and hearing Clyde Hoey make a powerful appeal for the teachers to take the lead in the fight for progress in education. S. G. Hawfield of Concord, and superintendent of Cabarrus county schools succeeded Capt. B. L. Smith of Shelby as president of the district next year. The meeting will be in Wadesboro.

County Accountant Re-Appointed Today

The regular first Monday meeting of the county commissioners adjourned today at 2 o'clock and announced the re-appointment of Troy McKinney as county accountant for a two year term. This will extend his time until the first Monday in December in 1936.

Upon adjournment the board left at once for a joint meeting with the board of commissioners of Gaston county for the consideration of a proposed subsistence homestead project.

Shines Hide 'Shine Under Jolly's Nose

But This Story Starts With A Stolen Coat, Which Somehow Got Lost In The Shuffle.

This story starts with Andrew Earl's coat. Andrew, who's colored, reported it stolen from his automobile, and another report said it was seen on the back of C. O. Phillips, another negro. So Deputy Jolly started to investigate, went to Bolling Springs with a search warrant to see Phillips, and on the way encountered negroes Harry Ross and Simon Morgan, in a car. Harry and Simon ducked into a hollow. Mr. Jolly looked in their car, found five gallons of shine.

Then—at Harry Ross' house in Shelby, he found a five-gallon keg and demijohn, and while he was inspecting them, up rolled Morgan. He got arrested, pronto. So they docked 'em all for recorder's court for possession.

360,000 More Pounds Of Gin Certificates For County Farmers

Ten Per Cent Reserve Allotment Received Here; Growers Will Be Notified When To Call; \$35,000 Surplus Tickets Sold

While designated groups of the almost 3,000 Cleveland farmers who reduced cotton acreage were receiving their share of the \$203,000 rental allotments here this morning Alvin Propst, Bankhead administrator for the county, announced another allotment of gin certificates amounting, all told to 360,000 pounds, had arrived.

EPIC Plan Up To California

Notices Sent Out

These reserve certificates are issued to farmers who "had a bad year," figuring 1-3 less than their five-year averages. The allotments are figured in Raleigh, and are not made on application, either by the farmer or by the agent.

Surplus Certificates. Incidentally, \$35,000 in surplus certificates have been sold here during the past two weeks, Propst said, and \$10,000 in tickets have been transferred between private owners.

Now there are more surplus tickets to sell—the rate is four cents a pound, which saves the grower almost two cents tax at the gin. Mr. Propst offers to arrange private sales when he can for Cleveland farmers. He is particularly eager to do this in order to keep the sales within the county, and asks holders of surplus certificates to write to him, giving name, address and amount of cotton so that their names can be posted on a bulletin board in the court house.

The government gets none of this money, he wanted emphasized. In fact, the government loses, having to pay handling charges, for all of the receipts from sale of these surplus tickets goes to farmers here or in other states who have lost their crops.

Mrs. A. M. Jenkins Dies At Great Age In Kings Mountain

Beloved Old Lady Succumbs At 94 From Infected Finger; Mother Of Postal Manager.

Mrs. Anzie Morgan Jenkins of Kings Mountain died shortly after midnight Saturday in her 94th year as the result of an infected finger. She had been ill since Monday. Mrs. Jenkins, one of the most beloved old ladies of the Kings Mountain community, the mother of Miss Nettle Jenkins, manager of the Postal Telegraph office. She was born in Newberry County, S. C. but (Continued on Page Eight)

Week-End Accident Toll Is Lighter

Accidents over the week end were not up to par according to word from the hospital. Only two or three cases reported for treatment.

Clyde Melton, white, and Plyner and Frank Osborne, colored, were treated for minor cuts and bruises following an auto accident Saturday night and William Smith was treated for a severe cut in the back, received in a fight at a negro church Sunday. All were thought to be in little danger. Martin Roberts was resting well following an examination in which it was revealed he had suffered a fractured hip when he fell near Cleveland Springs Sunday afternoon.

Six New Pupils At Central High

Six new pupils from three states were enrolled in the Shelby high school this morning. They are Miss Mildred Crockett, who has moved to town from Oklahoma, Nathaniel Burgess, Gaffney, S. C., Buck Fox and his sister, Louise, from Ellenboro, Nell Webb from Forest City, and LeRoy Gordon from Bethware.

Unemployment Insurance To Be Used Says Lexington Senator

Winston-Salem with the last one to be held in Raleigh just before the convening of the 1935 General Assembly in early January.

"We want to give everybody interested in insurance for the jobless a chance to be heard for or against the proposition," said Senator Burgin, who as a member of the 1933 state senate strove valiantly for the naming of a commission to study plans for a state system of insurance for the jobless.

Dr. Wolf, who is on leave of absence from the University of North Carolina to gather data for the commission for a report to be given the next legislature on insurance for the unemployed, has gathered quite a bit of information and he is confident also that the legislators will find insurance for the jobless a subject that will provide plenty of debate this winter in legislative halls.

Compensation Cases In Raleigh Tuesday

RALEIGH, Nov. 5.—Industrial Commissioner J. Dewey Dorsett makes no difference in his work regardless of the election on Tuesday, but goes out on a trip of a week Monday to hear 22 workmen's compensation cases in the piedmont and west, evidently using the much cussed absentee ballot.

Mr. Dorsett has one case in Albemarle, three each in Gastonia and Shelby, one in Newton, three in Lenoir, two in Rutherfordton, one in Hendersonville, four in Franklin, three in Robbinville and one in Sylva.

The Shelby cases will be heard on election day, Nov. 6

Election Returns Tuesday Night

Election returns will be received at The Star office Tuesday night and posted on the bulletin board as usual. Election officials in the various precincts of the county are asked to report to us the vote at their boxes as soon as counted, giving us the results only on the county ticket in which there is a contest—that is, a Democratic and Republican nominee. The Star does not care for returns of offices not contested.

Returns from various pivotal states in the union will be received by wire and announced during the election party here Tuesday evening.