

THE MARKETS
Cotton, spot 12 1/4 to 13 1/4
Cotton seed, ton, wagon 43.00

Cloudy, Rain

Weather forecast for North Carolina: Generally fair Wednesday and Thursday; not much change in temperature.

Killer's Mate Held

Mrs. Helen Gillis, blonde widow of the late No. 1 Public Enemy Baby Face Nelson, regarded as No. 1 in the feminine public enemy division, is a federal prisoner in Chicago.

Munitions Probe

The senate munitions inquiry resumed hearing yesterday with the disclosure that former President Herbert Hoover had invited American munitions manufacturers to Washington in 1925 to discuss a forthcoming Geneva conference on arms control.

To Aid Builders

A direct government gift of one-fifth of the cost of building homes for individuals was proposed yesterday in high administration quarters as a method of opening a four billion dollar tap of private spending.

Sees Lower Tax

"I am thorough convinced that there will be an easing up of the tax burden," Chairman of the Congressional Ways and Means committee Robert L. Doughton, of North Carolina, said in Washington yesterday.

Textile Dispute

Both sides of the dispute which has raged in Roanoke Rapids since the end of the textile strike were heard yesterday by the Textile Labor Relations Board in Washington, which has reserved decision on charges of discrimination against 150 men employed at four mills.

Airplane Lost

The monoplane "Star of Australia" flying from Oakland, Calif., to Honolulu, fell into the sea yesterday when its motors stopped for lack of fuel.

Hit At Huey

Affidavits by students at the Louisiana State University accuse Senator Kingfish Huey P. Long of cursing and threatening to fire Jesse H. Cutterm editor of "The Reveille," college campus publication, for printing a letter criticizing Long's campus burlesque over a football player.

Nursery School Receives Gifts; Needs More Toys

The Nursery School, FERA project for children of parents on the Cleveland county relief rolls, has made grateful acknowledgment of numerous gifts from Shelby civic clubs and individuals.

Among recent gifts were 20 coats from the Kiwanis club, blankets from the Woman's club, soup bowls, plates, glasses, knives and forks from Mrs. Cameron Shipp, play blocks from the Thompson Lumber company, sheets and towels from Mrs. Clyde R. Hoey, picture books, crayons and a fruit shower from children of the South Shelby school.

The school has 22 girls and 13 boys, between the ages of two and five. They are fed and cared for daily until late afternoon.

Business Men Act To End Traffic Jam

Forty automobile owners whose places of business are located between Warren and Morgan streets on Lafayette—between Woolworths and the bank—yesterday signed an agreement proposed by George Way not to park their cars on the west side of the street until after Christmas.

According to a check Tuesday morning, there were 17 cars belonging to business men parked in this block on the west side. The plan is to relieve congestion during the Christmas shopping season.

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Mrs. Ben Suttle Seriously Hurt; Hamrick Better

School Teacher Is In Critical Condition

X-Ray Reveals Accident Effects Are Worse Than Thought; Wright Greenway Seen O. K.

Mrs. Ben Suttle, Graham street school teacher, one of the 13 victims of automobile mishaps here last week-end, is suffering from a serious head injury, it was revealed at the Shelby hospital yesterday.

Shannon Hamrick, 19-year-old Double Springs boy, injured with seven others in a crash on highway 20 early Sunday morning, is in a critical condition, with a double broken pelvis bone and severe internal injuries.

H. A. Greenway, highway patrolman, who suffered a broken leg and deep cuts when he ran into a car said to be operating without a tail light, is resting fairly comfortably, and although painfully hurt, is not thought to be in a critical condition.

Earl Byrum, owner of the Byrum Hosiery mill here, is still in the hospital, badly bruised and shaken, although not seriously hurt. He was the driver of the car that collided with one in which Hamrick, Vemo Wright, Elijah Brooks, Pleas and Marvin Gold, all of Double Springs, and Harvey Crawley, of Lattimore, were riding.

Wright Badly Hurt
Vemo Wright, with a broken pelvis bone and many deep cuts, was doing well this morning, although badly hurt.

Others hurt in the 13 accidents are at home, some of them suffering keenly, but none seriously hurt. E. M. Hamrick, father of Shannon, said this morning that the report of investigators at the accident on highway 20 was incorrect in the statement that Shanon was driving the car. The car belonged to Elijah Brooks, and Brooks was driving, Mr. Hamrick said.

Jenks Short 70, Buried Monday At Zion Church

Funeral services were conducted at Zion church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the midst of a large crowd of relatives and friends for Jenk Short who died Sunday night at 10:30 after an illness of several days. Hemorrhage of the brain is thought to be the cause of his death.

In young manhood he was married to Miss Lindy Logan, sister of Andy Logan of Lincoln county. To this union three children were born, Ruffin and Zero Short of Casar, and a girl who died in infancy. In May 1898 he was married to Miss Nancy Long, and to this union was born three children who survive, Mrs. George Hunt, Carl Short and Mrs. Moten White, all of Casar. He also leaves 32 grandchildren and three great grandchildren. He was a member of New Home Methodist church for 25 years.

The funeral was conducted by the Rev. Otis Cook of Lawndale, and the Rev. L. W. Gain of Casar. His grandsons acted as pallbearers and his granddaughters as flower girls.

Melody for Man on the Street Is Aim of Charlotte Orchestra

The Charlotte Symphony orchestra, composed of 55 skilled musicians, can probably play music in any key that can be written—but the keynote of this orchestra, says the premier violinist, Dr. C. E. Kremer, is melody appreciation.

The first number on the program, to be played here Thursday night in the high school building, under the auspices of the Junior Civic League, is known as the Symphony in G, by Haydn. That forbidding title should frighten no one, for

Youngest President Of Mexico



These photos show scenes at the inauguration of General Lasaro M. Cardenas as nineteenth president of the republic of Mexico. The retiring president, General Abelardo Rodriguez, left, embraces his successor, and right, Cardenas takes the oath of office in the national stadium in Mexico City. Cardenas is 39 years old, the youngest president to hold office in Mexico.

Five-County Mass Meeting To Discuss Tithing Here

Four To Five Hundred Delegates Expected In Shelby Dec. 16; Presbyterians Approve Biblical Financing

A system of church financing more than 3,000 years old, harking back to the system of Father Abraham, was invoked by modern laymen of the Presbyterian church at a meeting in Gastonia last night.

Tithing, as proposed here on Nov. 27 by the Rev. G. L. Whitley of Roanoke, Va., is the idea. To carry out the plan, a mass meeting of all elders and deacons of the Presbyterian synod, comprising five counties, will be held in Shelby on Sunday, Nov. 16, at the Presbyterian church. The meeting will begin at 2:30, and will be attended by between 400 and 500 laymen.

Dr. Gillespie Speaks
At the Gastonia meeting last night, 116 lay delegates from Cleveland, Lincoln, Rutherford, Polk and Gaston counties heard the Rev. E. G. Gillespie, D.D., of Greensboro, superintendent of home missions, in a plea for more and better work in this field, and followed the example of Fred L. Smyre, prominent Gaston manufacturer, in both pledging themselves to and approving tithing system.

Hugh Query, editor of the Gastonia Gazette, made the address of welcome, and the Rev. H. N. McDermid, pastor of the Shelby church, introduced the speakers. Scores Modern Generation
Dr. Gillespie declared that the present generation is not any where near up to the standard of the previous one in the home mission field, and said there were scores of good workers eagerly awaiting an opportunity to work, but lacking finances. He made the startling assertion that only 49 per cent of the population in the synod belonged to any kind of church.

Delegates from Shelby were the Rev. Mr. McDermid, J. S. McKnight, J. A. White, E. J. Cooper, L. U. Arrowood, C. B. McBrayer, and D. A. Lefler.

The store room in the Hamrick building will be completely remodeled and new machinery added for the making of cream buttermilk, cottage cheese, butter and the processing and bottling of raw and pasteurized milk. Mr. Browning and Dr. Till were here yesterday completing the deal and making arrangements for the opening of the new plant. Work will be rushed to completion. Dr. Till will be active in charge of the Shelby plant and move his family here shortly.

Mr. Haas is planning to resume his former work as traveling salesman.

Associational Heads To Meet

In preparation for the Southwide Sunday school conference to be in Raleigh in January there will be a meeting Friday night at the First Baptist church for all Associational Sunday school officers and leaders in Cleveland county.

Also, leaders from the Gaston, South Mountain, Sandy Run and Green River associations will be here for the meeting. Dr. Zeno Wall will speak to the group.

The main purpose of the meeting will be to discuss ways and means of getting a large body of Sunday school officers from this section to the Raleigh meeting. 5, 500 persons are expected at the January conference.

All group superintendents, officers, and others who are interested are invited to be present at 7:30.

Meteor?

A mysterious explosion shook Kingston yesterday, and is supposed to have been caused by a meteor. Police searched the neighborhood for the cause of the detonation that shook buildings and cracked china.

Capus M. Waynick Appointed Head Of Highway Dept.

High Point Editor Is Jeffress Successor

He Is Assistant Chairman, Clothed With All Powers Of Executive. Salary Is \$416 Month.

RALEIGH, Dec. 4.—Capus M. Waynick, High Point Enterprise editor, late director of federal re-employment in the state, member of the state senate of 1933 and of the lower house in 1931, today was chosen assistant chairman of the state highway and public works commission, which reiterated its ultimatum to the Wright Memorial Bridge company as to paying \$125,000 for that bridge over the Currituck sound, and in the day's work brought the prison division of the highway and public works commissioner under the district engineers.

He will serve in the absence of Chairman E. B. Jeffress, of Greensboro, who has been seriously ill since late in August, and will be "clothed with all the powers and duties of the chairman." His salary will be \$416.33 1-3 per month.

Acts On Board
Mr. Waynick sat with the commission this afternoon and would be with it tomorrow morning if an engagement made before he knew he was to be the assistant had not taken him elsewhere. While he is not a member of the commission, he is to be the executive and has the full power and authority of the chairman in acting for the commission. Mr. Waynick, who has been at his editorial post in High Point only a fortnight since he resigned his federal office, will return to Raleigh shortly and give his full time to the duties.

Mentioned Often
The appointment gives a great deal of satisfaction to friends of Chairman E. B. Jeffress, who was stricken at his home in Greensboro August 26, when he was getting ready to return to Raleigh for his duties. The necessity for an executive in an office, whose duties undoubtedly wrecked the health of Mr. Jeffress, had been sensed from the start. There was no person who could do this work without giving his entire time to it. Mr. Waynick the temporary executive officer had been more often mentioned as than any other man.

Red Cross Seals Offered In Fight On Tuberculosis

Members of the Shelby Woman's club under the chairmanship of Mrs. Billy Davis began this week their campaign to sell Red Cross Christmas seals. Proceeds from the stamps will be used to fight tuberculosis, and for the establishment here later on of a tuberculosis clinic, details of which were not available today.

The Woman's club, of which Mrs. H. T. Hudson is president has issued the following appeal to Cleveland county residents:

"The little red cottage Christmas seals will be sold for a penny each to help ward off the terrible disease that will take away so many children, and adults, too, within the next 12 months. It is estimated that 90,000 lives will be taken during that length of time.

"Won't you, as true citizens, buy freely of these seals to help the great cause?"

Mt. Sinai Clubs To Meet Thursday

The Mt. Sinai community club meets with Mrs. C. T. Ellis Thursday and home demonstration club will meet with Mrs. C. T. Ellis Thursday afternoon of this week. The subject will be making fruit cake.

Holidays Announced For County Schools

The Cleveland county public schools will close for the Christmas holidays on December 21 and reopen on the 31st, the board of education announced this morning. The Shelby city schools, as already announced, will close on the 14th and open again on the 31st.

Mr. Cline's Hotel Had Fewer Guests

Sheriff Raymond Cline in his November report on the county jail reveals that there were fewer inmates last month than during October. One hundred and seventy-nine persons were jailed in November, at a cost of the county of \$377.55.

Roosevelt Approves Cotton Control Act; Sees Price Parities

President Voices Agreement With Design Of Bankhead Bill; County Speakers Begin Series Of Addresses Today

Cleveland's Bankhead Bill spokesmen begin their series of explanatory addresses this week with encouraging news to spur their efforts. President Roosevelt has endorsed the Bankhead control measure as the "salvation of the South."

The president, however, is in favor of exemption for farmers producing no more than two bales.

Control Means Parity
On the eve of his departure from Warm Springs for the capital Mr. Roosevelt hailed control as the means of obtaining parity for the farmers between the price of his product and the price of the goods he buys.

The president cited figures showing that parity price for farmers in 1932 would have been about 13 cents, while in actuality it was only 5 1-2 cents. Today, he said the parity price is 15 cents and the actual price is 12 1-2 cents. He regards this as a tremendous accomplishment.

Exports Not Hurt
He added that cheap cotton does not mean increased exports, and therefore the reduction of the huge surplus must be accomplished by acreage control. He believes that the existing 10,250,000 bale surplus can be cut to 8,750,000 by next August.

County Agent R. W. Shoffner, his assistant H. B. James and Bankhead Administrator Alvin Propst are backed by these statements in their school house talks throughout the county this week. They are explaining the Bankhead bill, its virtues and its faults, in an effort to prepare all cotton growers to vote intelligently in the referendum to be held Dec. 14, when the fate of cotton control by legislation will be decided.

Speaking Dates
This morning (Wednesday) Mr. Propst spoke at No. 3, Mr. James at Lattimore and Mr. Shoffner at Polkville. At 3 this afternoon, they spoke at Mooresboro, Grover and Casar.

Tomorrow (Thursday) morning at 10, Mr. Shoffner speaks at Ballston, Mr. James at Waco and Mr. Propst at Kings Mountain. The remainder of the schedule follows:

Friday, Dec. 7, 3:00: Washington (col), Mr. Propst; Beaver Dam; Mr. James; Bethlehem, Mr. Shoffner. Friday, Dec. 7, 10:00: Bolling Springs, Mr. Propst; Belwood, Mr. Shoffner; Bethware, Mr. James. Friday, Dec. 7, 7:00 p. m.: Holly Springs, Mr. Propst; Piedmont, Mr. Shoffner.

Saturday, Dec. 8, 2:00: Court house, Shelby. Friday night at 7 o'clock, Mr. James will speak at the Douglas (colored) academy in Lawndale.

Traveling Studio To Show Fans How Pictures Are Made

Through the influence of Bill Webb, manager of the Webb theatre, arrangements were made today to have the elaborate Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer traveling motion picture studio visit Shelby on its extensive goodwill exhibition tour of the world.

The lavishly equipped studio on wheels, constructed by the great motion picture company at a staggering cost of \$150,000, is scheduled to arrive here at 5 o'clock, Monday, Dec. 17.

Studio On Wheels
The studio, which has traveled across the continent from the famous MGM studios at Culver City, California, has aboard it more than \$60,000 worth of costly and intricate sound motion picture recording and projection equipment. It is completely equipped Hollywood studio on wheels.

A Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer director, and a complete staff of camera, soundmen, electricians, and mokie upkeep experts compose the personnel of the outfit, but motion pictures will not be filmed in this city.

Salvation Army Asks Shelby Play Santa Claus For Needy Children

Destitute children in Shelby, or out in the county, too, who might not be visited by Santa Claus this year will have their own huge Christmas tree with toys and all the trimmings at the Salvation Army headquarters on Morgan street.

That is to say, they'll have these things if you and you and you will help the Salvation Army play Santa Claus. Ask For Old Toys. Captain Jack Wynn, district commander, and L. W. Morton, local executive, this morning issued an appeal to Shelby people to help prepare this Christmas tree. They were met with the immediate and hearty co-operation of the fire department, which annually offers to repair broken toys for these children, and will be glad to receive donations for the Salvation Army.

The Webb Theatre at the same time announced a special picture to be shown at 9:30 a. m. Saturday, Dec. 15, at which admission will be one toy—not money, but just one toy for these children who otherwise will have none. "You will help make some little toy or girl happy if you will gather up your discarded toys and notify the Army," Captain Wynn said. If you wish, you may call The Star, telephone 4-J.



Helen Gillis

Here is America's first woman public enemy—Helen Gillis, wife of George (Baby Face) Nelson, who escaped with a companion after her husband had been fatally wounded in a gun battle with two federal agents at Barrington, Ill. Mrs. Gillis, who assertedly was armed and took part in the Barrington fight, was being sought by federal agents, police and sheriffs throughout the middle west.

More Marriages During November Here And In S. C.

November stands as the marrying month of the year, so far, topping June by a large majority. Register of Deeds Andy Newton said this morning that 27 licenses had been issued in his office during the month, but that in almost every instance the couples asked that their names be withheld.

Not so down in Cherokee county, where Probate Judge Lake B. Stroup conducts a Gretna Green for North Carolina couples. Over the week-end he had a long list of North Carolinians.

His list: Dewitt Street, 22, and Osie Parris, 19, Shelby; Will Lane, 24, and Mary Green 22, Forest City; Zeno J. Jones 26, and Lucille Dagerhart, 19, Lawndale; Harold Sparks, 21, and Violet Davidson, 16, Marion.

Woody Bomar, 20, and Evangie Proctor, 19, Lawndale; T. P. Newton 42, and Annie Sue Allen, 27, Henriett; Sam Kirby, 21, and Jennie Austin, 20, Caldwell; T. B. Connor, 22, and Grace Cox, 19, Forest City; Woodrow McCraw, 20, and Julia Mae Huskey, 18, Gaffney, route one.

Auto Hits Child At School Bus Stop

William Jones, second grade student at Lattimore, was struck by a car operated by Joe O'Leary of Bolling Springs Monday afternoon. The child, who is not believed to have been seriously injured, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Jones.

He was struck by Mr. O'Leary's car as he alighted from a school bus, spectators said.