

John Sprunt Hill Liquor Measure Opposed By Jonas

Lincolnton G. O. P. Representative Sees Stimulant To Idleness And Drunkenness.

Representative Charles A. Jonas of Lincolnton, former congressman from the tenth North Carolina district and now a member of the lower house of the general assembly said last night he opposed the John Sprunt Hill liquor bill.

"Some of us do not favor collecting funds for the relief of poverty from the legalized sale of an article which friends of the bill admit causes a large measure of the suffering," declared Mr. Jonas, long looked upon as a leader of the dry forces in the state. He discussed the Hill bill in some detail and his statement emphasized the belief that should the sale of liquor be legalized in North Carolina it would result in an increase of the poverty that the revenues from the sale of liquor would be used to allay.

"The money derived from taxes provided in the Hill liquor bill is to be used for relief purposes. In a statement by the author it is said that most of this relief money is attributable directly to the misuse of intoxicants," said Mr. Jonas.

"The more liquor sold under the proposed law, the more relief funds will be available and the more people who can be induced to drink, the more drunks there will be who waste their substance for legalized, the sales from which will be used to feed their neglected families. Therefore, the more the people drink, the more revenue will be produced to take care of shanty camps, admitted to result directly from the misuse of the poison proposed to be taxed and sold."

Double Wedding Of Young People In Zoar Section

(Special to The Star.) ZOAR, Feb. 5.—Miss Vesta Hamrick and Cleo Hoppel, Miss Irene Workman and Everett Hamrick surprised their many friends by marrying at Guilford during the week-end when they were quietly married by Judge Cook.

Mrs. Hoppel wore a lovely dress of blue with accessories to match. Mrs. Hamrick wore a dress of light brown with accessories to match. Mr. Hamrick is the youngest son of Mr. John Hamrick and the late John Hamrick of the Dravo community. Mrs. Hamrick is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Workman of Shelby. Mrs. Hoppel is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Hamrick of the Dravo community. Mr. Hoppel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hoppel of the same community.

Both couples will make their homes in the Dravo community for the present.

Ballots Mailed To UNC Alumni

CHAPEL HILL, Feb. 4.—Ballots upon which members of the University Alumni association will vote their preferences for 1935 officers were mailed here today by the Central Alumni office.

The annual alumni assembly nominated two candidates for each office as follows: President, Dr. Howard E. Rondthaler, of Winston-Salem, and William C. Woodard, of Rocky Mount; first vice president, J. Harper Erwin, Jr., of Durham, and Leo H. Harvey, of Kinston; second vice president, Dr. George L. Carrington, of Burlington, and Robert C. deRosset, of Raleigh; alumni representative on the University Athletic council, James S. Picken, of Greenville, and Bowman Gray, Jr., of Winston-Salem. All officers are for one-year terms except that of Athletic council representative, which is for a three-year term. The balloting will close March 1, and results of the elections will be announced by a tallying committee shortly thereafter.

Name Postmaster At Lincolnton

LINCOLNTON, Feb. 5.—Congressman A. L. Bulwinkle has announced that J. Frank Seagle, democratic candidate for sheriff last November has been appointed acting postmaster for the Lincolnton office to succeed Giles B. Goodson, whose term expires March 1. Mr. Seagle will not be the permanent postmaster as the permanent appointee will be named after examinations are held, which will be some time later in the spring. The announcement of Mr. Seagle's appointment comes as a surprise to him and to his many friends over the county who rejoice that he was named by Congressman Bulwinkle to fill the vacancy which will exist March 1st.

Through Capital Keyholes By BESS SILVER

G.O.P. CANDIDATE—Some Republican members of the general assembly are inclined to view with favor the suggestion that former Congressman Chas. Jonas, now the representative from Lincolnton county in the legislature, may become a candidate for governor next spring in opposition to Gilliam Grison who already has voiced intentions of making the race. Mr. Jonas attracted wide attention with his bill to provide discretion between capital punishment and life imprisonment, and in first degree criminal cases and his attitude favoring removal of tolls from bridges in Eastern North Carolina. It might be well to observe his smile.

DON'T LIKE IT—Some members of the joint legislative finance committee can't take the idea of Representative McDonald of Forsyth, to introduce a substitute to the sales tax on the floor of the house of representatives. Representatives R. Gregg Cherry, of Gaston, and Thomas O'Berry, of Wayne, made certain remarks indicating that they though Dr. McDonald was "holding out" on them by not giving the committee the benefit of his views. The Forsyth representative is a member of the house finance committee.

PATROLMEN—It's entirely possible that you may soon catch sight of a state highway patrolman in your county. Bills have been introduced in the general assembly to transfer the patrol back from the revenue department to the highway department and to increase number of patrolmen. Also, patrolmen would be relieved of duties of collecting gas and oil samples for inspection and required to do nothing except watch automobile drivers and attempt to reduce slaughter on the public roads.

HAND-OUTS—Various and sundry bills have been introduced in the legislature to use state highway gasoline and license taxes for purposes other than building roads. Some of the measures would have gas tax money reduce local government roads; debt while others would require the highway commission to pave streets in cities. One million dollars in highway money is already going into the general fund and the budget commission has endorsed this policy for the next two years. If you have any definite ideas on the subject of how gasoline and license taxes should be spent the present might not be a bad time to make them known.

LIQUOR—Many legislative and political leaders believe that the Day house bill to call a referendum on two wet and one hard-day proposition should be "snuffed out" to perpetuate the prohibition law in North Carolina. They figure that the two proposition for legalized liquor would split the wet vote and that the drys would stick together on proposal to retain present absolute prohibition. Another bill now circulating around legislative halls would provide a referendum as to a system of state sale of liquor. What will happen in, of course, in the future but it is comparatively easy to strike out the section calling for a referendum. The drys realize that and are on their toes.

PUBLIC HEALTH—Senator Griffin, of Franklin, introduced a bill to require your child (if you have one) to be vaccinated against diphtheria between the age of six and 12 months but it ran into some rocks in the health committee. It developed that diphtheria antitoxin sensitizes some patients against other vaccination with "horse" serums. The committee couldn't agree on whether it was better to allow the child to be exposed to diphtheria or take chances on barring it from vaccination against certain other contagious diseases.

NOT BEHIND—Lieutenant Governor A. H. Graham isn't letting any grass grow under his feet in the race for the gubernatorial nomination on the Democratic ticket next year, in the opinion of many political wise-acres around Raleigh. They opine that his committee appointments in the senate and his conduct in presiding over that body are not hurting his chances of nomination even if Clyde R. Hoey, of Shelby, and Congressman R. L. Doughton are getting the publicity breaks right now.

Three Are Killed In Burke Accidents

WILKESBORO, Feb. 5.—Two persons died from injuries received when struck by trains at two widely separated points on the Southern Railway company line in Burke county Saturday, and a third died after being struck by a truck which was bringing the mother of one of the injured to Grace hospital at Morganton. The dead are Will Bowman, who lived on the Rutherford College-Granite Falls road in Burke county; George Worley, 25, of Marion; and Mrs. Ellen Branch aged Burke county woman.

Old-Fashioned Quilting Held At Mt. Pleasant

(Special to The Star.) MT. PLEASANT, Feb. 5.—Mrs. W. S. Hicks entertained her friends with a quilting party Friday evening. Those present were Mrs. Eldon Hamrick, Mrs. Rosalee Jolley, Mrs. A. B. Hamrick, Mrs. Timon Bridges, Mrs. Henry Hamrick, and Mrs. Edley Hicks. After the quilting the hostess served cakes, peaches, sandwiches and coffee. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hamrick and daughter, Ruby, visited her mother, Mrs. McKinney Sunday. Mrs. McKinney is ill at the home of her son, Charlie McKinney of Ellenboro. Mrs. H. F. Hamrick is in bed with the flu, but is improving. Miss Minnie Lou Newton of Mooresville visited Miss Hazel Horne Saturday. Mrs. Marvin Sparks, one of the teachers at Mt. Pleasant, has been ill but is back in school this week. Henry, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Scruggs, fell from the porch at his home Sunday and cut his lip seriously. L. M. Hamrick visited his brother-in-law, Will Hawkins, who is in bed with a broken hip, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hicks and son, Don, of Shelby, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hicks Friday night. Grady Beason and family have moved to the Race Path community. Miller Jenkins and family moved into the house Mr. Beason vacated. At the pie supper given by the Mt. Pleasant school Saturday night Paul Price sold pies; Mrs. Eldon Hamrick received the prize for the prettiest pie. For entertainment, James Jolley, Allen Jolley and James Gillespie furnished string music and Miss Grace Scruggs of Cliffside gave a reading. Many novelty contests were held.

See Re-Organization Of N. C. Government RALEIGH, Feb. 5.—Reorganization of the state government where necessary to prevent duplication and to provide economy and efficiency in operation was provided under a joint resolution passed to-night by the house calling for the appointment of a joint committee to make investigations and recommendations as to changes.

"PRESCRIPTIONS FIRST" SUTTLE'S DRUG STORE PHONE 370

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NOTICE State of North Carolina, County of Cleveland. In the Superior Court. Vernon Randall, Plaintiff vs. Gertrude Eruss Randall, Defendant. The defendant, Gertrude Eruss Randall, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior court of Cleveland county, North Carolina, for the purpose of obtaining an absolute divorce, based upon statutory grounds, and that the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the clerk of the Superior court of Cleveland county in Shelby, North Carolina, and within thirty (30) days after the service of this summons by publication and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint. This the 21st day of January, 1935. A. M. HARRICK, Clerk of the Superior Court for Cleveland county, N. C. 41 Jan 35

NOTICE SALES OF REAL ESTATE Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by the two deeds of trust, dated April 23, 1932, executed by J. B. Harris and wife, Mary E. Harris, to D. E. Newton, trustee, said deeds of trust being of record in the registry of Cleveland county, N. C. in book 177 at pages 128 and 129. I will at the request of the holders of the indebtedness secured thereby, and under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said deeds of trust, and for the purpose of discharging the indebtedness secured by the said deeds of trust, proceed to sell to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in Shelby, N. C. at 12 o'clock P. M. on Monday, February 25, 1935, the following described real estate: Lying in No. 8 township, Cleveland county, N. C. and being a north and eastern portion of that tract of land conveyed to J. B. Harris and wife, Mary E. Harris, by deed of record in the registry of Cleveland county, N. C. in book L.L. 41 page 165, and being described as follows: Beginning at a stone in center of Harris Creek in line of Elijah Bowen's, thence and road crossed the creek, and thence north 12 west 4 poles to a stake; thence north 37 west 14 poles to a red oak; thence north 2 east 43 poles to a stake; thence north 12 west 4 poles to a stake; thence south 19 west 44 poles to a stake; thence south 28 west 44 poles to a stake; thence north 33 east 28 poles to a stake; thence north 28 east 34 poles to a stake; thence south 53 east 50 poles to a stake; thence south 70 west 28 poles to a stake; thence south 7 east 18 poles to a stake; thence south 48 west 4 poles to the center of Harris Creek; thence with the center of Harris Creek as it meanders to the place of beginning, containing 93 acres, more or less. This property is sold subject to any and all prior encumbrances existing against said land. This the 22nd day of January, 1935. 41 Jan 35 D. E. NEWTON, Trustee.

COHEN'S FIFTH and GREATEST ANNIVERSARY SALE Starts Thursday, Feb. 7th

8:30 A. M. SHARP! There's Been Hurry... There's Been Bustle... There's Been Planning... Stocks Have Been Checked Over... Special Merchandise Has Been Purchased At New Low Prices... And Now Cohen's Is Ready To Offer You One Of The Biggest And One Of The Most Important Sales Events In Their History. You will Find Every Department Literally Loaded With Bargains Which You Won't Want To Miss. Read Them All— And Then Attend Shelby's Biggest Sale Event In Years. COME TO SAVE!

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YOU DON'T NEED TO BE A HIGH-POWERED FINANCIER, OR A COLLEGE GRADUATE TO REALIZE WHY COHEN'S ARE ABLE TO SELL FOR LESS. HERE IS THE REASON: Statistics show it cost the average department store 30 percent of their sales to do business. Being a small, independent store, without any high-salaried executives, and doing all our own work, we naturally have an overhead that's just about half what it costs the fancy stores to do business. This is why you can always do better at Cohen's. Associated with us are all local people living at home, whom you all know, ready to serve you at all times.

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