

North Carolina: Partly cloudy; showers in west portions Monday and Tuesday; little change in temperature.

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ROGERS-POST FUNERAL PLANE WINGS TO LOS ANGELES

Take Further Action On Soil Conservation In Township Meetings

Advisory Board Plans 13 Additional Conferences This Week; 2,600 Acres Submitted For Terracing; Other Plans

Further action on organization of township bodies of soil erosion committees was taken here Saturday afternoon when representatives from every township in the county worked out a schedule of meetings next week.

D. H. Osborne, contact man for the CCC, and county agent, John S. Wilkins, explained the purpose and set-up of the Cleveland Soil Erosion association formed here last week, as well as the details of the purpose and proposed activities of the body in connection with the CCC workers.

Meetings will be held at central points in the 11 townships when Mr. Wilkins and Mr. Osborne, along with the members of the advisory board, will be present to explain terracing and soil erosion projects just as it was explained here Saturday.

Interest Shown The body here Saturday was enthusiastic about the work which in a few months time will insure thousands of acres of Cleveland farm soil erosion against the ravages of heavy rains, or improper drainage.

Voational leaders were present and voted whole-hearted co-operation. More than 1,500 acres of land have already been submitted to be terraced, with 1,100 more, already offered, to be improved.

Meeting Places Following are the meeting places and times set for each township: No. 1, Wednesday, August 21, Holly Springs school, 7:30 p. m.

No. 2, Wednesday, August 21, Bohling Springs auditorium, 9:30 a. m. No. 3, Wednesday, August 21, No. 3 school, 2:30 p. m.

No. 4, Thursday, August 22, Grover school, 10:00 a. m.; Kings Mountain school, 2:30 p. m. No. 5, Friday, August 23, Waco school, 2:30 p. m.

No. 6, Saturday, August 24, Shelby court house, 3:00 p. m. No. 7, Saturday, August 24, Lattimore school, 10:00 a. m. No. 8, Monday, August 26, Polk.

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MRS. MARY MILLER DIES IN LINCOLN

LINCOLNTON, Aug. 19.—Mrs. Mary E. Miller, 85, member of one of Cleveland county's oldest and most prominent families, died early Saturday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Burgin, of this city. She has been ill for several months.

Morning Cotton LETTER

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—There was a fairly good demand for cotton Saturday mainly by the domestic trade. Hedging was moderate but there was some increase in sales during the final half hour evidently liquidation by recent buyers.

THE MARKETS Cotton, spot 12 1/4 to 13 1/4 Cotton seed, wagon, ton \$25.00 Seed, car lot, ton \$27.00

Cleveland Towns To Share In Sum For Street Work

Half Million Dollars Set Up By State

Shelby, Kings Mountain, Grover, Waco And Mooresboro Included On List.

By M. R. DUNNAGAN RALEIGH, Aug. 19.—Tentative mileages and expenditures for the half a million dollar set aside by the 1935 general assembly for maintaining state-numbered streets through municipalities have been set up by the state highway division on the basis of engineering needs, rather than population, and sent to all municipalities for any suggestions. Capus M. Waynick, chairman, announces.

Table with 4 columns: Towns, Miles, Cost, Pop. Rows include Shelby, Kings Mtn., Grover, Waco, Mooresboro.

Maintain Owns Shelby and Kings Mountain ask permission to maintain their own streets.

The order will be held open until September 1, after which date it will be made permanent, unless valid reasons are shown for changes, or any changes made will be made before that date.

The mileage to be maintained is \$75.53, to cost an estimated \$470,546.10, and in the municipalities are 1,047,845 people. Twenty-nine of the municipalities, usually the larger ones, request that they be permitted to carry on the maintenance with funds furnished by the state.

County Farmers To Visit Coker Demonstrations

A large body of Cleveland county farmers will leave at 7:00 Wednesday morning for an all day tour, the greater part of which will be spent at the famous Coker seed demonstration farms at Hartsville, S. C.

Recalls Will Rogers' Unusual Entry At Big N. C. Celebration

Rated as not the least impressive entry which the late Will Rogers ever made into North Carolina is recalled by Rev. J. W. Suttle, Baptist minister who preached for a number of years in Johnson county.

President Signs Security Bill



A beginning of federal protection for the aged, jobless, dependent mothers and children, the blind and the ill, was assured when President Roosevelt approved the social security bill in Washington.

Kings Mtn. Grade Crossing Doomed by Highway Plan

A plan to eliminate one of the most dangerous grade crossings in Cleveland county has been submitted by the state highway department to Mayor J. E. Herndon and the town council of Kings Mountain.

Immediate action and possibly construction is expected some time this week or next. The council is studying plans submitted by the commission, and will decide on a course of action this week.

The crossing to be eliminated is on highway No. 20 at the corner of Railroad avenue and Mountain street, which has been the scene of numerous serious accidents during the past several years.

The Star To Issue De Luxe Historical and Fair Edition

In years past, The Star has been uncommonly slow in entering into any form of what is known as "Special Edition" work.

At this time, however, it has seemed to us that with the depression rapidly passing behind us, the opportunity is presented to do some real constructive promotional work for Cleveland county.

Happy Dollars Are Released; Teachers Paid

Glad dollars were circulating more freely in Cleveland county over the past week-end as 287 school teachers received their first pay checks for 1935.

Jurors Are Named For 2 Weeks Term Of Superior Court

Special Judge Yet Unnamed

Civil Term Will Last Two Weeks; Large Number Of Cases Await Trial.

A list of jurors for the regular civil term of the Superior court to be held here beginning September 9, was released by the office of the clerk this morning.

The term, which will be two weeks in length, has been made a regular civil term for this county. A special judge will preside, but he has not been assigned yet.

The docket is well filled with civil cases, a majority of which have been carried over from previous terms. Clerk Hamrick said there were possibly some 200 cases, all of which would not reach trial in the September term.

The list of jurors for the term is as follows:

First week: Robert McCraw, A. B. Buchanan, Dewey Rollins, T. A. Harmon, I. Ben Goforth, W. C. Murray, J. A. Whitworth, P. P. Grigg, W. T. Roberts, Fred W. Blanton, Forrest Lovelace, F. Bate Blanton, W. W. Mauney, P. A. McIntyre, Vance Royster, Clesno R. Wright, Edney Willis, Denny Downs.

Second week: Daver Jolley, J. C. Beason, L. Y. Putnam, Otto Kiser, A. J. Siskew, A. J. Putnam, Stowe Miller, Everette Blanton, D. Edgar Hamrick, Dewey Hawkins, C. J. Hamrick, Joe Jones, Jr., A. A. McIntyre, L. Z. Grigg, Lee Cornwell, Ray Wilson, Jessie Willis and O. C. Downs.

TRAFFIC WARNING ISSUED BY BOARD

City hall this morning issued a warning to Shelby motorists who are inclined to make a joke of the new traffic ordinances.

Rigid enforcement, beginning Tuesday morning, was announced. This applies particularly to double parking, parking across lines, parking near fire hydrants and in driveways.

The 20-mile speed limit will not be enforced, the mayor and board of aldermen said, but they are irked because so many persons have failed to report to city hall when their cars have been ticketed for traffic violations.

The administration so far has made no arrests for traffic violations—but it will, beginning August 20.

Weevil Damage Is Heavy In S. C.

H. A. Harris, Shelby man, returning from a trip through South Carolina brought home a report that weevil damage is heavy in cotton fields of that section.

Ties Plow Shoes In Tree Top, Leaves Farm To Become Dentist

MOORESBORO, Aug. 19.—There's home here in Mooresboro, he took off his dusty and rough-sided plow shoes, broke a switch, beat the dusty cow-hides unmercifully, and then tied the laces together.

Bring Back Bodies For Burial Thursday; Funeral To Be Private

Comedian To Lie In Grave Near Marie Dressler And Flo Zeigfeld, Who Gave Him His Big Chance Years Ago

The bodies of Will Rogers, who girdled the globe with humor, and Wiley Post, who spanned the hemispheres in world-record plane flights, were today being brought back for burial by Pilot Joe Crosson while the nation, still stunned by the air tragedy that took their lives, went into mourning for two beloved citizens.

They died Thursday afternoon as their great plane crashed in a take-off from the northernmost tip of Alaska.

Flight To Los Angeles. Crosson landed his plane Sunday night at Vancouver, to remain overnight. Today, the bodies have been transferred to a Pan-American liner for the flight to Seattle, where they will be transferred for the remainder of the flight to Los Angeles.

Crosson used a twin-engine land plane to bring the bodies to Vancouver. He used a pontooned ship to make the 500 mile flight across the arctic wastes between Barrow and Fairbanks on Saturday.

He had two aides, Bill Knox, copilot, and a radio operator.

Private Services. At Los Angeles, private funeral services will be held for Rogers at 2 p. m. Thursday at the Wee Kirk o' the Heather in Forest Lawn Memorial Park, where every effort will be made to avoid demonstrations.

Near Zeigfeld. He will lie near Florens Zeigfeld, who gave the gum-chewing philosopher his first chance when Rogers appeared before a Folies Audience years ago and stopped the show with his wit.

At her funeral, the services were so efficiently handled that none of the mawkish mob scenes of the Rudolph Valentino funeral in New York, or of Lilyan Tashman's funeral, were re-enacted.

Belongs To Family. Simple people to the last, the Rogers want to give Will a simple burial. He belongs to the nation, but now, in their grief, the family feels that he belongs to them.

Admission to the Rogers funeral will be by card only. Whether the body of the great comedian will lie in state after its arrival here by airplane from Alaska has not been determined.

Members of the Rogers family asked Forest Lawn officials to obtain the Rev. J. Whitcomb Brougher of the Glendale Baptist church to officiate at the services.

To Lie In State. In the central mausoleum of the cemetery, rich in sculpture and stained glass, the body of Rogers will be placed in a temporary receiving vault pending final disposition.

Other celebrities of the stage and screen buried there include Lon Chaney, Wallace Reid, William Rus sell, Fred Thompson, Earl Williams, Ernest Torrence, Jack Pickford, Harry Pollard, Charles Mack, Lowell.

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John W. Jones, 86 Dies Early Today At Double Springs

Death Breaks 65-Year-Old Marriage Tie; Leaves Large Number of Descendants.

A home begun 66 years ago was broken up this morning at 7:30 at the death of John Willis Jones, 86 year old farmer and churchman of the Double Springs community.

The death occurred at the home of his son, L. C. Jones, of the same community, where he and Mrs. Jones, who is two years his senior, have been staying for some time. Mr. Jones had been in declining health for a year, but was seriously ill only a little more than a week.

Funeral services will be at the home of L. C. Jones Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment will be at Double Springs Baptist church where he has been one of its most faithful members for 70 years.

Mr. Jones was the father, grandfather and great grandfather of one of the largest and best known families in the county. There are besides his wife, six children, Mrs. W. C. Barnett of Dover Mill, Shelby; Monroe Jones and C. A. Jones of Lattimore; Mrs. C. O. Lee and L. C. Jones of Double Springs, and Mrs. Sam Lovelace of Racepath. There are 43 grandchildren and 28

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