

ADDIS ABABA OCCUPIED BY 30,000 ITALIAN TROOPS

Re-Elect City Teachers 100% For '36-'37 Term To Set New Precedent

Entire Force Of 95 Teachers And Office Workers Named By Board To Continue Work; No Vacancies Now

A 100 percent re-election of the 95 teachers and office workers in the public school system of Shelby was announced here today by Superintendent B. L. Smith, following a meeting of the city school board.

In making the announcement Superintendent Smith said "It is a distinct compliment to the entire teaching force, and I am happy to say I think we have one of the very best in the state."

The elections included the six elementary units of Washington, Jefferson, LaFayette, Graham, Marion and Morgan schools; the high school, special teachers in music and expression and three units of colored public schools.

Superintendent Smith will continue as head of the system and Walter E. Abernethy was re-named principal of the high school. A precedent-setting election was made when Mrs. G. P. Hamrick, for 54 years a teacher in Cleveland county schools was named principal-emerita of the Jefferson school where she will continue work as a classroom teacher. The entire city faculty will be:

Washington School Agnes McBrayer, principal; Mrs. Marian McCord Nash, Mrs. Viola Dixon Tiddy, Mrs. Margaret D. Eskridge, Ruby McDonald, Augusta Alexander, Clara Edwards. Jefferson School Mrs. Helen Dobbins Eskridge, Mrs. Martha Matheson Mills, Mrs. Madge

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Redrafting Plans For Postoffice Work In Shelby

When it was learned in Shelby that all bids were rejected on finishing up the Shelby postoffice building to provide rooms in the basement, The Star inquired of Congressman A. L. Bulwinkle in Washington whether the work has been abandoned entirely or postponed.

In a letter received today from Mr. Bulwinkle, he says the department found that the bids ran higher than expected and that new plans and specifications will be drawn in order to keep the cost within the amount set aside for the job. As soon as these new plans are drawn, it is understood that bids will be called for again.

It is understood that bids ranged around \$8,000 to \$9,000 for providing two addition rooms and toilets in the basement under the postoffice work room with an entrance from East Warren street.

Morning Cotton LETTER

NEW YORK, May 6.—Covering of the May position for trade account gave steadiness to the spot month in yesterday's market while foreign buying in new crop months with later hedging sales resulted in advancing prices of the late positions 7 to 9 points. The average price of the ten spot markets was 11.40 yesterday and at eight delivery points 11.49 compared with May closing price of 11.52 with gradual liquidation of their May future holdings by producers pool we feel continued steadiness likely in spot month. The discount of new crop under old narrowed yesterday. May-Old spread being 128 points at close against 137 the previous day. We believe in purchase of new crop months on periods of easiness.—E. A. Pierce & Co.

THE MARKETS Cotton, spot 11 1/2 to 12 1/4 Cotton seed, wagon, ton \$33.00 Cotton seed, car lot, ton \$36.00 Close on New York cotton for today: Jan. 10.28, Mar. 10.30, May 11.53, July 11.15, Oct. 10.25, Dec. 10.27.

Farm Leader Dies



Milo Reno, 70 year old farm organizer who died of heart attack in Missouri.

Seven Candidates File For Primary

Seven candidates for Cleveland county offices subject to the Democratic primary of June 6 were filed yesterday and today with elections chairman John P. Mull. They were: A. L. Calton, of Lattimore, Coy McSwain, of Shelby route 4, C. D. Forney of Lawndale, J. L. Hord of Waco and O. F. Austell of Earl, all for the county board of education. All are incumbents, and thus far there is no opposition.

Others filing were Ed Dixon for justice of peace in No. 6 township and incumbent Judge Bynum E. Weathers for judge of recorder's court.

Fruit Stand Owner Captures Tarantula

A ferocious, eight-legged tarantula spider was captured by Jim Wortman, fruit dealer who said the animal dropped from a bunch of bananas.

The reportedly deadly poison creature jumped and hopped around for quite awhile before Mr. Wortman could corral it and put it in a jar.

Shelby residents will recall that one found last year received quite a little comment when it was put into a battle with a giant black widow spider, and came out best by calmly eating the poisonous widow.

Mrs. G. P. Hamrick Has Taught 54 Years, Planning Trip To Europe

New dignity was placed on Cleveland county teaching in public schools when trustees announced the election of Mrs. G. P. Hamrick as principal-emerita of the Jefferson school. Mrs. Hamrick will next year begin her 55th year as a teacher in schools in the county and can now count her former pupils by the thousands. At her own suggestion she has retired from the active principalship of the Jefferson school but will continue her work in the school as a classroom teacher. Not only has Mrs. Hamrick taught reading, writing, arithmetic and a varied number of other subjects for 54 years, but she has for 54 sum-

\$5,000 In Initial Adjustment Money Here For Farmers

First Checks Of CAP Are Ready

Notices Being Sent Out; Total Will Be \$1,500 By August.

Notices were being received today by 250 farmers in Cleveland county telling them that \$5,000 is in the hands of the county farm agent which is the first money received here for the cotton adjustment payment, of which the total will be close to \$150,000.

The payments are made to growers who sold their cotton grown in 1935 and is the government's guarantee to make up for the difference in the spot market price and 12 cents per pound.

Due May 15th The agent said today that applications are still being made rapidly and that if cotton has been sold, it is very important to get applications in by May 15 as the headquarters offices at Raleigh and Washington are having to trim workers and it will take much longer, if the applications are not in early.

No other checks are expected before June 1 as a new procedure has been adopted, but sometime between June 1 and August payment of approximately one-half cent per pound on 40,000 bales of Cleveland cotton will be made.

An important item which the agent wished today to call to the attention of the farmers is that they may still file worksheets. "It is very important that you file, if you are for the program," he said "because there has been \$470,000 appropriated by congress for the farm work, and if it is not accepted, congress will cut the budget next year."

No estimate of the number of Cleveland acres signed under the new program, but a summary will be made this week-end.

Manslaughter Case Deferred A Week

Charge of manslaughter against Baxter Sain, upper Cleveland county was being continued in the Lincoln county Recorder's court until next Monday it was learned today.

The charge was lodged against the young man after his car is alleged to have struck and instantly killed John Elam Davis, 75, prominent farmer of the North Brook community. The accident occurred last Thursday.

Young Sain had just been married. He is free under bond.

U.D.C.'s To Dine Remaining Veterans

What few remaining Confederate veterans there are in the county will be served their annual dinner on Saturday May 9 at the Cleveland hotel. Mrs. Zeb Mauney, president of the local chapter, says there are only ten in the county and many of these are too old to attend. However, their wives and widows are invited and guests as well as daughters who expect to attend, are asked to notify Mrs. Mauney in advance of the meeting.

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Roosevelt, Landon Leading Primaries In Big Majorities

Have Control of Huge Delegation

Summary of Primaries Given Incompletely; Borah Trailing.

(By Associated Press)

Political primaries throughout the nation yesterday saw Governor Alf. Landon leading the field in the GOP preference and Franklin Roosevelt polling large majorities for the Democrats.

Uninstructed delegations for the most part will attend the national conventions in Cleveland and Philadelphia.

South Dakota—An uninstructed delegation will represent this state with a slight lead said to favor Landon over Senator Borah of Idaho. The eight Democratic votes were pledged to Roosevelt as he had no opposition.

Alabama—Senator James H. Bankhead and his brother William B. Bankhead, received a large majority in the primary here yesterday.

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Seniors Combine Pleasure, Learning To Top Honor List

Lead High School With 37 Percent On; Other Lists Are Given.

Leading the scholastic parade for the seventh month with 27 percent on the honor roll of the Shelby public school, the senior class of the high school did not let extracurricular activities interfere with study.

The freshman class contained 24 percent honor roll members, the ninth grade 17 percent and the tenth with 16 percent. The average for the high school was 21 percent. Complete lists of honor students in all the elementary units in the city were released today by Supt. B. L. Smith.

High School

Eighth grade: Thelma Bumgarner, Carolyn Carrick, Barbara Cook, Margaret Dorsey, Ina Louise Forney, Sara Graham, Celeste Hamrick, Sara Hamrick, Josephine McWhirter, Sara Mull, Elise Putnam, Betsy Roberts, Elva Thompson, Phyllis Yates, Russel Craig, Alfred Gene, Gene LeGrand, Benjamin Smith, Roy Toms, Charles Webb, Mary Ella Apple, Mildred Bates, Marjorie Buice, Evelyn Carter, Jean Collins, Cat. Dendy, Mable W Doggett, Flora Hubbard, Elizabeth Pott, Virginia Washburn, Pearl Weathers, Elaine Wells, Arthur Grigg, Eugene Lail, Walter Laughridge, Henry Quinn, Robert Thompson, Buck Archer, Shirley Costner, Vera Hamrick, Jack Gladden, John Kendrick, D. L. Peek, Walter Wilson.

Ninth grade: Martha Arrowood, Catherine Bailey, Martha Eskridge, Edith Fitch, Mary Glenn, Rachel Roberts, Ann Smart, Virginia Toms, Ruth Wilson, Ruth Toney, Margaret Trammel, Mildred Whitener, Margaret White, Sims Blanton, Julian Byers, Grady Dover, Rush Hamrick, Frederick McBrayer, Avery McMurry, Bill Smart, Margaret Elliot, Mary F. Williams, Dockie Glascoe, Josephine Curry, Ruth Dixon, Edna Downs, Ethel Patterson, Ruth Thompson.

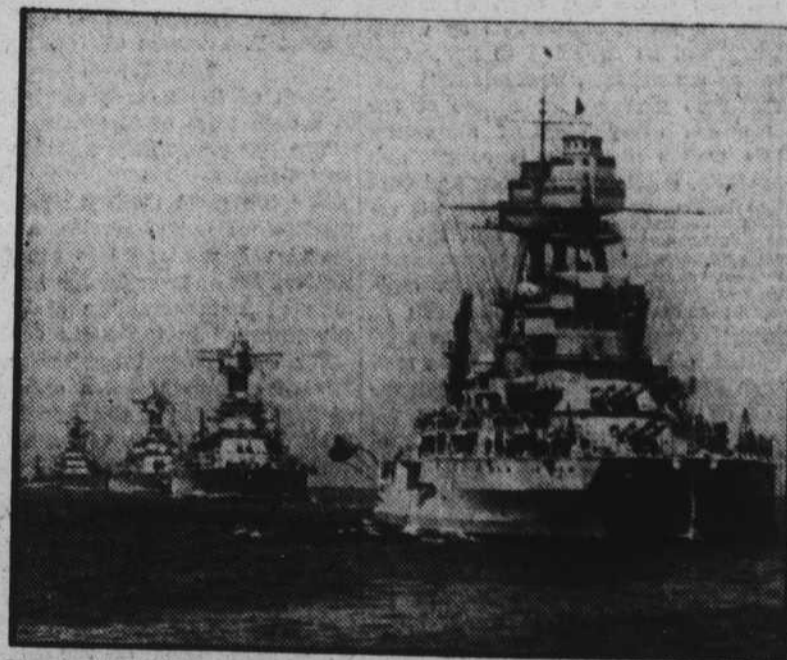
Tenth grade: Catherine Apple Elizabeth Falls, Dorothy Greene, Louise Hardin, Ruth Lewis, Dorothy Magness, Catherine Roberts, Lloyd Bost, Floyd Bost, Calvin Donnan, Carl Gallimore, George Morgan, George Watson, Bill Beheler, Fred Callahan.

Eleventh grade: Louise Brown, Gwyn Davis, Juanita Eskridge, Germaine Gold, Eleanor Hoey, Marjorie Lutz, Dovie Logan, Jeanette Post, Mary Beth Toms, Jane Washburn, Pantha Weathers, N. C. Blanton, Earle Hamrick, Richard Jones, Evans Lackey, Billy Miller, Jack Price, Benard Clark, Clyde Grigg, Mamie Rayle, Mary K. Wise, Truman Blanton, James Kendrick, John Dorsey.

Jefferson School First grade: Barbara Rook. Re-

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U. S. Warships On Maneuver



The bulk of Uncle Sam's sea power is stationed in the Panama Canal region for participation in six weeks of secret maneuvers. More than 150 ships, of which several are shown above, left San Diego and San Pedro, Calif., to take part in the annual demonstration of American naval might.

'Naphtha' and 'Promiscuous' Trip High School 'Spellers'

No cheering stands and no tremendous applause were in evidence, but school officials will vouch for the fact that it takes real ability.

To spell "naphtha," "promiscuous," "connoisseur," and 57 other similar words.

The annual contest for which all Shelby high school students contest for the T. W. Hamrick Memorial spelling medal was concluded yesterday at the high school with Helen Ewing, a junior, being named the winner.

Students in the semi-finals were George Weldon, Paul Dover, Catherine Apple and Bill Miller. Preliminary contests have been

held from time to time this spring and the final contest yesterday was between some 40 of the best spellers.

The contest departed from the old type "spelling bee" in which the boys and girls had to "spell down" the opponent, but was conducted in a way to let all spell the same words. Miss Ewing missed only eight in the long list of unspellable words.

A few others which caused the downfall of a number of the spellers included, Occurrence, supersede, siege, allege, chautauqua, neuralgia, incessant, syllables, valise, weird, rhythm, ineligible, inconvenienced, and almanac.

600 Wilson People Protest Election Of Dr. McDonald

WILSON, May 5.—Assailing Dr. Ralph W. McDonald, candidate for governor and his policies, F. W. Boswell, former Wilson county legislator, told a gathering of around 600 people here at the court house tonight that a Democratic sticks by a Democrat always but McDonald's speeches don't sound like Democracy to me.

The gathering tonight was called by a group of local business and professional men who have banded themselves together into an organization they call the "Good Government Committee" in an effort to foster better and saner government.

Telling the gathering that policies in the state had recently taken a dangerous trend, Dr. C. A. Woodard, chairman of tonight's meeting told the gathering that credit in North Carolina ranks high and should be treasured jealousy and that the meeting was called in an effort to help retrace it.

Boswell declared he was using as his text "beware of false prophets" and declared that he was again only one man, McDonald. He said that he had to give McDonald credit for one thing though.

"He's got nerve. A man who can come into this state and indict all governors and school officials, and legislators, has nerve all right." Dr. S. H. Crocker of Stantonburg also spoke, urging the gathering to help bring better government into their midst and to cease all political bickering.

Will Graves, prominent local man, declared that the worst thing that could ever happen to North Carolina would be the election of McDonald.

J. W. Cox, of Elm City, Allison Farmer of Bailey, and a number of others also spoke. Hunter Arraigned NEW ORLEANS, May 6.—(P)—Fred Hunter, associate of Alvin Karpis, and captured in a raid here last Friday was arraigned today before U. S. Commissioner Reginald Carter and placed under a \$200,000 bond. He waived extradition and will be taken to Cincinnati, Ohio, where he will answer charges of being connected with a mail robbery at Garrettsville, Ohio.

Population Turns Out En Masse To Welcome Conquering Soldiers

Mussolini Tells World Rome Will Dictate Spirit Of Peace; Seek To Break Sanctions At League Meeting

(By Associated Press) The population of Addis Ababa turned out en masse today to meet the conquering armies of Italy which paraded the streets and natives gave the Fascist to the 30,000 soldiers as they passed.

League Must Be Continued Says Anthony Eden

(By Associated Press) "The league of nations must go on," Anthony Eden, British cabinet minister told London today.

The cabinet minister on who has developed the relationship of Great Britain to Italy and the Ethiopian war crisis, said his cabinet will begin immediately study and consultation on the matter and what stand England will take when the League meets Monday.

"In the modern world it is as indispensable as life itself. A severe blow has been struck at the League and as well at the conception of collective security it carries." The foreign minister side-stepped an explanation of what Great Britain might choose as a policy from now on.

Late Bulletins Reach Agreement

NEW YORK, May 6.—(P)—Pennsylvania anthracite miners and coal mine operators were almost agreed today on a new point, after a hectic 14 hour session. A statement devoid of details, said a two year contract is due today.

Hindenburg Ready

FRIEDRICHSAFEN, Germany, May 6.—(P)—Motors of the Hindenburg, giant air liner were put through final tests today, preparatory to beginning her North American cruise tonight.

Clyde Spangler, 34, Dies At Kinston

Funeral services will be held at the Lutz-Austell funeral home Thursday at 11 o'clock for Clyde Spangler, 34 year old Cleveland county native who died Monday at Kinston of creeping paralysis. He had lived there 20 years.

His body is being brought here at the request of his grandfather, Jake Anthony. Mr. Spangler is survived by his father, Will, and one brother, Yates Spangler, in Akron, Ohio. His mother died in 1913.

Women Asked To Go In Politics; Share Precinct, County Offices

Women will come into their full constitutional rights in the coming Democratic primary and will be given a chance and are even being urged to take an active part in the various political maneuvers of the campaign. Democratic chairman Oliver Anthony said today that the women will be asked to come to the voting precincts Saturday, May 9 at 2:30 in the afternoon when county-wide precinct elections will be held in the 28 polling places.

At that time the regular chairman will be in charge of election of new officers, of which either the chairman or vice-chairman is expected to be a woman. Other officers and committees for the next

Italy sealed her triumph over Ethiopia by establishing rule in Addis Ababa and hastened to defend her conquered territory by raising the Fascist flag. Major Giuseppe Botta, former governor of Rome was named civil governor.

Premier Mussolini permitted the mass celebrations in Rome to continue but directed business to combat the League of Nations sanctions. He disavowed any other colonial and said, "The terms of peace will be marked with the Roman spirit."

In meantime, Emperor Haile Selassie continued his journey toward Palestine where he will reside. French officials said they will oppose the direct annexation of Ethiopia as an Italian colony, preferring a treaty permitting nominal sovereignty. They will seek a way to break the sanctions on next Monday when the League of Nations convenes.

Great Britain is in favor of a drastic reconstruction in the whole affair. She first favored and proposed the sanctions and many believe she will now step aside and allow other nations to make the first move.

GREENSBORO, May 6.—Mrs. Helen Robertson Wohl, of Guilford county, first Democratic woman in the history of North Carolina to file for a state office, presented her platform today as she opened her active campaign for the nomination for state treasurer, subject to the Democratic primary of June 6.

Mrs. Helen Wohl Is First Woman N. C. Candidate

Mrs. Wohl's platform is in the form of a challenge for the state to make active the state board of education and the council of state. Both are established under the constitution, and both are composed of elective officials, but in the past their functions have become perfunctory rather than active.

She expressed vigorous opposition to any further centralization of governmental powers and responsibilities in Raleigh. Public schools and public education in North Carolina would have a vigilant supporter in Mrs. Wohl as a member of the state board of education and state school commission if she is elected to office, she promises.

Mrs. Helen Robertson Wohl was born on her father's farm in Deep River township in Guilford county, where her Quaker ancestors settled in 1772. She attended the rural public schools and was graduated from Guilford college in 1923.

Subsequently she taught in the Gaston county schools at High Point college. Later she obtained her A. M. degree at Teachers' College of Columbia university. In 1926 she was married to Stanley S. Wohl, a prominent World war veteran, and they have two children. Mrs. Wohl is a member of the Religious Society of Friends (Quaker church).

Farouk Arrives

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt, May 6.—(P)—Egypt's new sovereign, Farouk, arrived at his native land today after he has been enroute from London since hearing of his father's death.