

FIVE KILLED AND 24 INJURED AS BIG BUS WRECKS

Battle Lines Tighten In Governor's Race

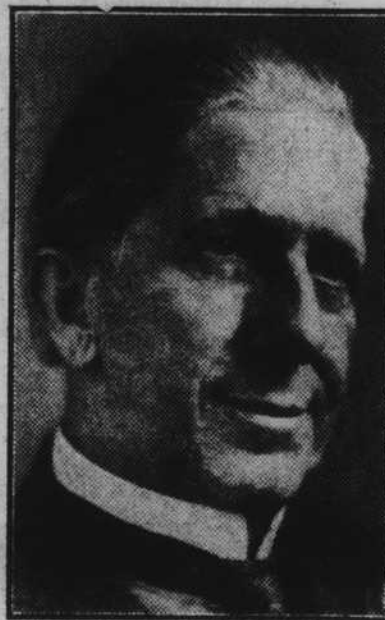
Hoey Supporters Ready For Final Push On Saturday

Olive Predicting A Large Majority

State Manager Olive Predicts Overwhelming Victory For Shelby Candidate.

Thousands of friends of Clyde Hoey were flocking to his support today in this county and in other parts of the state in preparation for the final push which will "finish the job" of electing him governor by a great majority over his opponent, Ralph W. McDonald.

Makes Appeal



Mr. Hoey Speaks To Citizens Of Cleveland County

To The People of Cleveland County: Words are wholly inadequate to express to you my gratitude for the magnificent support which you have given me throughout my race for Governor and the unparalleled vote which I received in the first primary on June 8th.

It means a great deal more to me than either the nomination or election as Governor, and I assure you that I shall always remember it with feelings of both pride and humility.

May I express the hope that the citizenship of Cleveland County will not neglect to go to the polls on Saturday, July 4th, and finish the job which we began on June 8th.

There was much activity also in two other State-wide races, but as before the first primary the gubernatorial contest held the center of interest.

Morning Cotton LETTER

NEW YORK, July 1.—Selling was decidedly more active yesterday representing to a large degree profit taking but the market showed resistance to the sales due to substantial trade purchases on a scale downward.

THE MARKETS Cotton spot — 11 1/4 to 12 1/4 Cotton seed, wagon, ton — \$27.00 Cotton seed, car lot, ton — \$30.00

Hoey Says Program Of Professor Will Blast Foundations

Favors Few Changes In Personnel

Shelby Candidate Says McDonald's Tactics Recently Have Been Disgusting

ROXBORO, July 1.—Clyde R. Hoey last night continued his campaign for nomination in the second primary here last night by voicing a constructive plan in contrast to Dr. McDonald's which he called destructive.

"It will be my purpose as governor to improve the schools, the road system, the State's institutions and services," said Hoey. "These must be developed and made more effective."

Few Changes Needed

Mr. Hoey expressed the opinion that some changes in the personnel of the various departments of the state government would probably improve the efficiency, but stated "I will not engage in a program of punishment and vengeance by firing everybody, regardless of the service they render the State, as McDonald has threatened to do."

"Perhaps McDonald doesn't know it, but his tactics, especially during this second primary campaign, have so disgusted the people of the state that McDonald is going to be beaten even worse than he otherwise would have been."

DURHAM, July 1.—Dr. Ralph McDonald last night went on record as favoring an eight-hour day for labor as he charged his opponent, Clyde R. Hoey, with favoring "longer hours and lower wages for the men in the mills."

"Liberty Leagues"

"Corporation connection," the Winston-Salem man declared, and "Liberty League support" cause "Mr. Hoey's lack of sympathy with the workers of our State."

Banded Together

"Then these corporation presidents banded together to oppose Roosevelt and the New Deal. They had rather keep the workers in industrial slavery than pay them decent wages and give them decent hours of work."

Cleveland Agents To Speak On Radio

Cleveland radios will be tuned in on Charlotte Thursday at 12:15 to hear boosters given this county by members of the Extension Department.

Gaffney Officials War Against Strike Violence And Disorders

GAFFNEY, S. C., July 1.—Gaffney officials this week took drastic steps to stop the violation of peace and order which has resulted from the strike at the Gaffney Manufacturing company village.

Zioncheck Escapade Enacted As Accident Victim Flees Hospital

A veritable "Zioncheck escapade" was enacted in Shelby yesterday as W. L. McWhorter, narrowly escaped death after being struck by a Southern passenger train and then while in a serious condition at the Shelby hospital last night, managed to escape and was ducking and dodging about the city for two and a half hours.

Mr. McWhorter was struck by the passenger train yesterday, about 11:30 o'clock. He was sitting at the time on the end of a cross-tie, near the overhead bridge at West Sumter street. The engineer blew his whistle several times and when he saw the man didn't move, he put on the emergency brakes, striking his slightly.

Sworn Statement Building And Loan Associations Pay \$13,000 On Shares

Wilmington Paper Obtains Statement; Preacher, Merchant And Women Named

WILMINGTON, July 1, (P)—The Star-News said today it had obtained a sworn statement naming a preacher, a merchant, and three women as leaders of a hooded band of night riders accused of flogging a number of Columbus county women and men in the last few months.

Solicitor J. J. Burney was shown the statement but withheld comment pending further questioning of the informant. The informant was quoted by the Star-News as saying the night riders called themselves the "Vigilantes" and operating with a slogan "to charge or kill," set out to rid the Beaver Dam country of persons they considered undesirable.

Casar District Leads In County With \$1.12 Rate

Casar school district in No. 11 township leads all the townships and special districts in the tax rate under the new financial set-up in the county for next year.

To Settle Strike

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 1, (P)—State officials today sought to end the lengthy strike and lockout at the Mallohon mill in Newberry county, scene of South Carolina's worst labor conflict at present.

CCC Enrollment Quota Given County

Announcement of another CCC enrollment was made today by Mrs. T. W. Hamrick, associate in county welfare work.

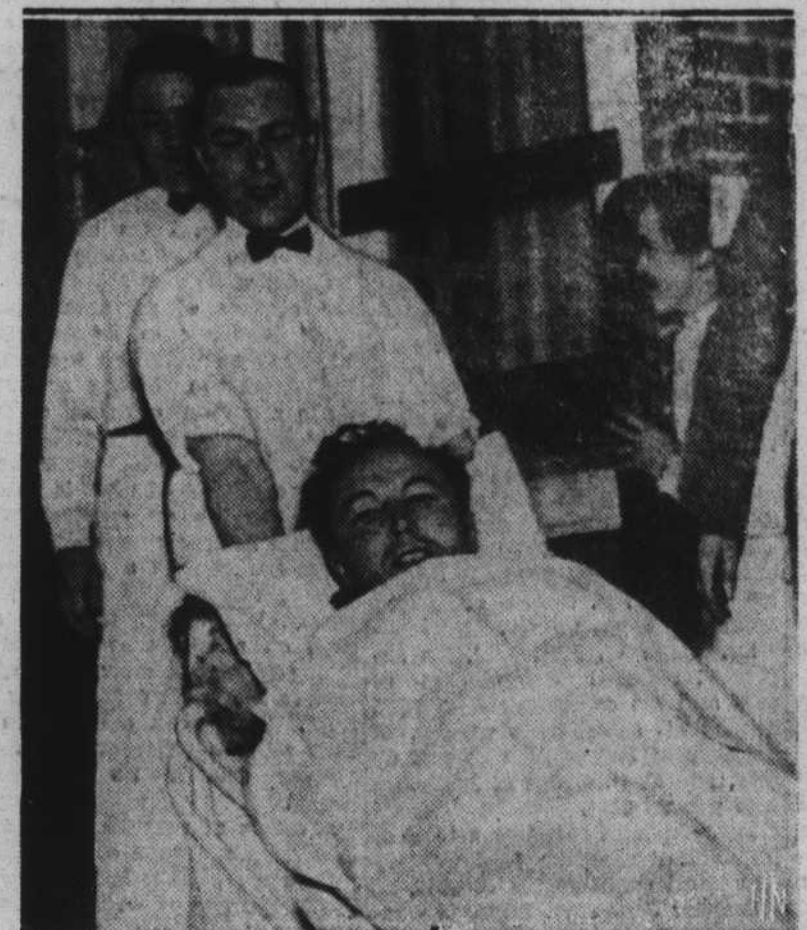
Cleveland county's quota this time will be 14 whites and four colored boys. Mrs. Hamrick has already begun with applications, and said today she expects no trouble in filling the quota.

Hoey Will Make Final Radio Talk

Clyde R. Hoey will make one of his strongest bids for additional support in the race for the governorship Thursday night in another state-wide radio hook-up. He will speak over Charlotte, Raleigh and Asheville stations from 7 o'clock until 7:45.

Political friends of Mr. Hoey over the State are expecting him to "beat down" and "shoot the works" in this final address to the voters of the state.

Zioncheck "Checks For Home"



Representative Marion Zioncheck, impulsive solon from Seattle, Wash., appears securely bound with sheets to the Gallinger Hospital stretcher as he is wheeled to the door for transfer to a private sanitarium at Towson, Md., for further observation. This move releases him from appearing in court on a mental charge.

See Diversity Of Activity In Celebration Of July 4th

Banks And Building And Loans To Close On Saturday; Merchants And Court Attaches Off Monday

A diversity of activity will mark the Glorious Fourth in Shelby and Cleveland county, and the holiday season will extend through Monday, July 6 for some it was learned today in a check-up on what various business houses will do.

A check with all the banks and building and loan associations indicates that they will close on Saturday, resuming regular operations on Monday. Banks and building and loan associations in Kings Mountain will observe the same rule.

The majority of the merchants contacted said they will remain open on Saturday, but will close Monday with clerks and supervisors taking Monday as a holiday.

WPA Workers Resume Jobs; Raise In Pay Is Announced

All the wheels of the WPA industries in Cleveland county will begin to turn again Thursday at the regular time, following a two-day halt while local officials were awaiting instructions about prevailing wage scales, adjustments of projects, and other information from headquarters.

A telegram to John Hudson, Cleveland supervisor said today that the schedules will be resumed as soon as possible. This will include men and women, working on streets, sewers, roads, buildings, in sewing rooms and recreation projects.

Mrs. Pansy Fetzer said this morning that supervision for the up-town playground will be resumed from 9 until 11:30 and from 4 until 6:30 in the afternoon. Other recreation projects in the county will start at regular hours.

Scorching Sun Sends Shelbians Seeking Safety, Soothing Shade

High marks for hot weather were set here yesterday and today as thermometers shot to 100 degrees and above, with a number of reliable thermometers being checked 102 and 103 degrees in the shade, with no estimate of how hot it was in the sunshine.

Actually, eggs were being fried on the side-walk by negro boys, one man had a sunstroke, and old timers vowed that in 50 years they had not experienced heat so intense, nor had nights—even after midnight, been so unsleepable.

Accident Occurs On Natural Bridge At Famous Resort

Misses Plunging Into Deep Gorge

Driver Plunges Uncontrollable Machine Into Road Bank

(By Associated Press) NATURAL BRIDGE, Va., July 1.—A passenger bus-careening out of control on top of Virginia's famous natural bridge crashed into a bank early today in a heavy rain killing 5, and injuring 24.

The bus was driven into the bank by the driver to save the skidding vehicle from plunging over the brink of the 215 foot gorge. The bus rolled over and stopped within only a few feet feet of the edge.

When the bus got out of control J. J. Olderson of Roanoke, the driver, threw his weight on the wheel and turned it abruptly into the bank. The front end was crushed and he and others in the forward seats were killed.

The dead: J. J. Olderson, J. P. Hamilton, Birmingham, a bus driver, an unidentified white woman of about 38, another unidentified white woman, a man tentatively identified as John Keese, of Tazewell county, Virginia.

The injured were at Jackson hospital, Lexington, and at Natural Bridge hotel here. Those being cared for here included: Virginia Nelson of High Point, who was bruised, and her companion Katherine Stimler, 22, Salvation Army lieutenant of Durham.

Band To Be Here For Army Concert

A telegram was received here this morning from Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred Tyler, division commander of the Salvation Army in the two Carolinas, that he will arrive here tomorrow with Statesville's 40-piece band to conduct the formal opening of Shelby's new Salvation Army post.

Beginning at 7 o'clock tomorrow evening the Salvation Army band will give an open air concert on the court house square. At the conclusion of this program the group will march down South LaFayette street to the Ella mill where the Army's tent has been set up for the revival going on this week.

At 8 o'clock the Thursday program schedule for the formal affair will begin in the tent with special singers giving several presentations.

Captain Ben Jones, recently appointed head of the new post who has just arrived, will be the chairman of this session. Lieutenant-Colonel Tyler will be the feature speaker of the event. Shelby's newly named advisory board which is headed by Attorney C. E. McBrayer will also be present.

Six-Year Child Is Electrocuted But Will Recover

If little Ben Norman, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Norman continues to improve, he will soon know what it is to be electrocuted and get over it.

He is now in a serious condition at the Shelby hospital minus the greater part of one hand and with deep burns on his neck and shoulders, after he became entangled late Wednesday in an electric wire which was said to be charged with 2,300 volts.

Except for the heroism of an old man by the name of A. B. Hutchinson who happened to be passing that section of McBrayer street and the aid of John Norman, jr., 15-year-old brother Ben, the lad would likely have been killed.

"I was just walking along, and the wire fell on me—and that's all I know," Ben told his father in the hospital, hours later, after he had been unconscious for a long time. Physicians at the hospital said that with great care, it may be possible to save two of the fingers on the child's hand. He had sought to throw the wire off his body, crasping the wire with his hand.