

State And National News Condensed In Brief Form

—State News—

SMITHFIELD, Aug. 14.—Camelia Price, who was 17 years old at the time of the alleged kidnaping today related from the witness stand in Johnston county Superior Court her story of being forced by eight persons to go to New York for immoral purposes.

EDENTON, Aug. 14.—John Horne, former Edenton cotton mill worker, early today nearly severed his wife's head from her body with a razor and then turned the blade on himself, inflicting wounds in his throat and wrist not considered fatal by attending physicians.

The crime occurred at the Edenton cotton mill here, where Mr. Horne, who was separated from his husband, was at work. Horne is said to have walked up behind his wife and without a word slashed her throat, her head remaining attached to her body only by the neck bone.

Fearing mob violence, chief of police G. A. Helms of Edenton and Sheriff J. A. Bunch of Chowan county carried Horne by ambulance from a doctor's office here to the Pasquotank county jail in Elizabeth City for safe keeping.

WILMINGTON, Aug. 14.—Various problems of county management today engaged the attention of the State Association of County Commissioners which entered its second day here.

The State Association of County Accountants, which is meeting jointly with the commissioners held its first session this morning.

Speeches by Charles K. Johnson state treasurer, and various commissioners were highlights of today's program.

CHARLOTTE, Aug. 14.—Both sides of an alleged "mas attack" of policemen on unoffending negroes here the night of August 3 were before the city civil service commission today following a two-day formal investigation.

Frank N. Littlejohn, assistant chief of police, testified last night that 13 police officers and the chairman of the civil service commission were in Brooklyn, a negro district, about the time a group of negroes charged they were beaten.

HICKORY, Aug. 14.—Sheriffs from all parts of the state arrived here today for the annual convention of the North Carolina Sheriffs Association.

Clyde Hoey, of Shelby, a candidate for the Democratic gubernatorial was to be the principal speaker of the day.

FAYETTEVILLE, Aug. 14.—An inquest into the mysterious death of Police Chief J. Ross Jones, who was found shot to death in a hotel room late Friday night, is scheduled to be held sometime next week.

RALEIGH, Aug. 14.—Unusually bright crop prospects existed in North Carolina on August 13 with yield indications 12 per cent better than the ten-year average and with tobacco and corn leading the list, federal state crop reports.

LENOIR, Aug. 14.—Charles W. Broach, Jr., 22, an unlicensed pilot flying an unlicensed Heath monoplane which crashed into a cornfield near here late yesterday, today remained in a critical condition with a concussion of the brain.

RALEIGH, Aug. 14.—Five new cases of infantile paralysis were listed by the state board of health today from as many counties after none came in yesterday, the first day without a case since May 20.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—World wide gains in the international movement of arms, munitions and the raw materials of war were disclosed today in a survey of the statistics of the United States and other nations. In most cases these movements gained in 1934 over 1933; and also in the first half of 1935 as compared with the same period of 1934.

—National News—

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—Howard C. Hopson, long missing "master mind" of the Associated Gas and Electric rebellion and the Philippine insurrection today by failing to report to a senate subpoena to appear immediately before the senate lobby committee.

Both Harry F. Sinclair, oil magnate, and William P. MacCracken, former assistant secretary of commerce, have served jail terms for contempt.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—The names of approximately 50,000 veterans and dependents of veterans of the Spanish-American war, the Boxer rebellion and the Philippine insurrection were restored today to the governments pension rolls.

This came about through approval by President Roosevelt late yesterday of the so-called Spanish-American war veterans bill. Officials estimated the increased cost to the government would be \$45,581,000.

GENEVA, Aug. 14.—Charging that Italy is preparing to massacre a peaceful people, Ethiopia today protested to the league of nations that she is unable to purchase arms abroad to defend her soil.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—President Roosevelt called his aides around him today for a little ceremony enacting into law what he considers one of the most important measures passed during his administration, the social security legislation.

The stroke of the pen attaching the presidential signature to the bill was the last formality needed to write into law a measure calling for a new and far-reaching social experiment, and the largest tax program ever approved by Congress.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—With quiet prevailing in the strike of labor unions against the \$93.50 monthly wage on WPA projects, the first test came up today of the ultimatum of the works progress director, General Hugh S. Johnson — that strikers must return to work or get off the relief rolls.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—NRA observers have reported to headquarters that some 12,000 to 13,000 American employers have cut wages or increased hours or both since the old Blue Eagle met its death.

It was said that the bulk of the wage cutting and hour increasing is among smaller firms.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—While the President's cabinet textile committee worked on its recommendations for assistance to the cotton textile industry, a resolution to suspension of cotton processing tax pending Supreme Court determination of their validity was introduced in the house today by Representative Martin, R. Mass.

The resolution provides for payment of processing tax commitments from work relief funds until the issue is decided by the Supreme Court.

HAMPTON BEACH, N. H., Aug. 14.—Drawing upon the 1932 Democratic platform for his material, Colonel Frank Knox, possible Republican candidate in 1936 today outlined a party platform which he declared represented "the utter repudiation of Roosevelt and his new deal administration of sacred promises."

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—A church movement even larger in scope than a united Methodism their primary goal confronted three groups of Methodists who met to find a path to unity after 100 years of separation.

A Methodist union with Presbyterians will be the next step if the conferees realize their hope of celebrating the century old three way split in their own denomination.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—Senator Long, Democrat, Louisiana, has told colleagues in the Senate he has decided definitely to run for the Democratic presidential nomination.

SUPPLY PASTOR



Above is Rev. J. F. Jackson, supply pastor of the Central Methodist Church, who is now conducting a Young Peoples' Revival. The special services started last Monday and will continue through this week. Mr. Jackson is being assisted in this revival by Rev. W. McFerrin Stowe, assistant pastor of the Cherryville Methodist Church. Even though the services are primarily for the young people everyone is invited to attend.

TEAM NAMED FOR CAPTAIN DIXON

We publish below the following quotation from the column "Along The Avenue" of the Gastonia Gazette as it will be of especial interest to Captain Ben Dixon's friends in Kings Mountain where he spent his childhood and young manhood days and where the Dixon family is so well and favorably known:

"An interesting fact brought out by the presence of the Asheville team and visitors here is that the region post in that town is named after the Dixon post after a world war soldier well known in Gastonia and the county, Capt. Ben Dixon, brother of Mrs. W. L. Balthis, and a half brother of Stonewall J. Durham, of Bessemer City. Capt. Dixon was one of the casualties of the world war. He commanded a company from Raleigh in the 30th division and lost his life in France.

"It is singular that the athletic officer and coach of the Asheville team, Rufus Routh, was wounded in the same engagement in which Capt. Dixon lost his life, and that he has a boy named Ben Dixon, after his captain. This is a tie that binds our community singularly to the victim, lost and his ball players."

NEW SHOE STORE TO OPEN THURSDAY IN SHELBY

Johnny Brewer and George Houser Shoe Store in Royster Building.

Shelby's only shoe store opens Thursday in the Royster building, a room formerly occupied by the Bee Hive on Warren street.

The store is owned and operated by Johnny Brewer and George Houser, both well known local boys. Mr. Brewer formerly managed the Miller ones Shoe Store here and was manager of the shoe department of the Charles Store. More recently Mr. Brewer was manager of the local Eagle 5c and 10c store of King Mountain. Mr. Brewer married Miss Beverly Jones of Shelby.

George Houser is a Kings Mountain boy who comes to Shelby from Surfresboro, Tenn., where he was manager of a Brownbill shoe store. Prior to that time he was with the Brown Shoe factory in St. Louis. He married Miss Laura Mauney of Kings Mountain.

Both young men will be actively identified with the operation of the store.

A complete line of popular priced ownbuilt shoes for every member of the family, as well as Buster Brown shoes for children will be featured.

Souvenirs will be given on the opening day Thursday. Messrs Houser and Brewer extend cordial invitation to all their friends in Kings Mountain to visit them in their new store at Shelby.

With crops laid by, many farmers in Piedmont counties are making tours of their own and neighboring counties to inspect farming operations on demonstration farms.

New Highway Submitted For Kings Mountain

REMODEL HOME STORE

The Home Store which is located on North Piedmont avenue has been completely remodeled and painted, new fixtures have been added. Manager Carl A. Martin extends a cordial invitation to all his friends and customers to visit his remodeled store, and says that he quality groceries at money saving prices.

OXFORD SINGING CLASS HERE

The Oxford Orphan Singing Class pleased the crowd which heard them in their program which was presented here last night at the Central High School auditorium. The class was brought to Kings Mountain by Fairview Lodge of the Masonic Order. An entertaining program of singing and recitations were given the class.

REV. BRAWLEY AT A. R. P. CHURCH

Rev. J. G. Brawley of Tampa, Fla. will preach the morning service at the A. R. P. church Sunday in the absence of the pastor, Rev. W. M. Boyce who is out of town. There will be no evening services on account of the Union Service at the Methodist church.

JAMES MORGAN TO COACH HERE

James Morgan, star athletic of Davidson College, will definitely coach and teach in Kings Mountain this coming year. It had been rumored that he had decided not to come to Kings Mountain. Mr. A. H. Patterson, member of the School Board, in the absence of Supt. Barnes, communicated with Mr. Morgan and found out that Mr. Morgan will definitely be ready to start to work when the school bells of Kings Mountain are calling the pupils back to school.

THE BORDER CLAN REUNION

The annual reunion of the Border Clan of Cleveland and adjoining counties will convene at Antioch Baptist church just over the state line in South Carolina, three miles east of Grover, on Thursday before the Fourth Sunday in August, which will be Aug. 29th, this year. All persons related by blood or marriage to this clan are urged to attend without fail and to take with them well-filled baskets.

An interesting program is being prepared. The principal speaker on his occasion will be Hon. Clyde R. Hoey, of Shelby. The President of his organization is Mr. Hugh Wray, of Gastonia, N. C.

AGED WOMAN ACCIDENT VICTIM

Mrs. Beattie Goforth, beloved woman of the El Bethel community, who has passed her 90th birthday had the misfortune to fall in the yard of her home last Wednesday, breaking her hip bone and since that time, her condition has been very serious. She is the mother of I. B. and Clarence Goforth of Kings Mountain. Mrs. Ship Falls of Patterson Grove, Miss Violet Goforth and Ormond Goforth, El Bethel.

SMALL FIRE MONDAY

The local fire department was called to the home of Luther Ware on East Mountain street Monday afternoon to extinguish a small fire. No damage was done.

NEW THEATRE FOR KINGS MOUNTAIN

Plans are underway for the erection of a modern up-to-date theatre for Kings Mountain. The building is to be erected by the W. L. Plonk estate on the property between Plonk Brothers & Co., and D. F. Hord Furniture Co., on the west side of Railroad avenue. It is understood that the most modern equipment is to be installed and is to be modern in every respect. The theatre is to be under the management of Messrs D. E. and C. E. Cash who will continue to operate the Imperial Theatre. Further announcement will be made by the Cash Brothers in the near future.

RECORDER'S COURT HERE

The following cases were tried in Recorder's Court here yesterday afternoon, with Judge Bynum Weather residing and Cobby Horne prosecuting. This was the first Recorder's Court held here in about a month.

Fred Crawford, driving drunk, was fined \$50.00 and cost and was ordered not to drive a car for 12 months.

The case against James Mathfield charged with violating the prohibition laws was continued.

The same action was taken in the case of James Rusin under the same charge.

The case against Horace Barrett was continued for the payment of county liability.

The case against Jack Mintz charged with assault was not prossecd.

The old case against Fred Owens was left open.

The case against Floyd Clark, charged with violating the prohibition laws was continued.

George Dixon charged with violating the prohibition laws was called and failed to appear. A capias was issued for his arrest.

Bright Blackwell charged with violating the prohibition laws was continued.

John Fulton, charged with illegal possession of home brew was fined \$5.00 and cost.

New Wholesale Establishment For Kings Mountain

"HAG" GOFORTH COMING HOME

H. A. "Hag" Goforth who has been in the Gastonia Hospital for the past several weeks recuperating from serious injuries to his right leg is planning to come home this week end. It was thought at first that Mr. Goforth's leg would have to be amputated, but the wound is now healing.

HOYLE McDANIEL RELIEVING POLICEMAN BURNS

Hoyle McDaniel is relieving Policeman Burn who was injured last week in attempting to make an arrest. Mr. Burns was carried to the Gastonia Hospital for treatment.

UNION SERVICES AT METHODIST CHURCH

The Union services will be held Sunday evening at the Central Methodist church with Rev. P. D. Patrie pastor of the First Presbyterian church, in charge. Lots of interest has been shown in these services and everyone is invited to attend.

Now Under Consideration By Town Board

Mayor Herndon and the Town Council have under consideration the plan submitted by the State Highway Commission for a new highway for Kings Mountain.

The new road has been surveyed and blue prints submitted to the town council for study. A member of the State Highway Commission appeared before the board last week and explained the plan to the council.

The plan is to eliminate the dangerous railroad crossing by the highway at the corner of Railroad avenue and Mountain street.

The new road from Gastonia through Kings Mountain to Shelby will be hard surfaced. It will come into Kings Mountain down King street, and cross the railroad by an overhead bridge, and keep straight on and come into the old Shelby road about one mile down the road. The plan as suggested the State will stand all the cost of building the overhead bridge, and the additional road, and the town will stand the cost of the damage done to the property by the side of the highway. By this plan considerable property will be opened up beyond the railroad. To get the necessary height for the overhead bridge a fill will have to be put in which as the present plans call for, will start about 300 feet east of the railroad tracks on King street.

It was thought by those interested in this plan that Highway No. 29 from Kings Mountain to Grover would connect with the new highway on King street just east of Railroad avenue.

Railroad avenue will be kept open by an underpass, under the fill to the overhead bridge.

If the plan as listed above should not go through it was thought by some, the new highway might sometime later go under the railroad south of Kings Mountain about where the Kings Mountain Ice and Coal Company is now located.

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J. M. Rhea and Co. Inc., Wholesale Grocers Opened This Week.

Another business enterprise for Kings Mountain is announced in this issue of the Herald. J. M. Rhea & Co., Inc., wholesale grocers, have opened a store on North Cherokee street. They will carry at all times complete stock of heavy and fancy groceries for the wholesale trade of Kings Mountain and surrounding territory.

Mr. Monroe Rhea will be in active charge of the new business. Mr. Rhea is an experienced groceryman, having managed the Margrace Mill Store for several years. He will continue to be in charge of the Margrace store.

Mr. Rhea will have associated with him in the new wholesale business Mr. P. D. Herndon and Mr. Lloyd Wolf. Mr. Herndon will work the local trade and Mr. Wolf will call on the surrounding territory. Both Messrs Herndon and Wolf are experienced wholesale grocerymen.

Mrs. Rhea will assist with the office work.

A cordial invitation is extended by the new firm for all to visit their place of business.