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## State And National News Condensed In Brief Form

### State News

Fayetteville, Sept. 29.—A coroner's jury held Norman L. Smith of Raleigh, blameless in the death of Betty Farris, 25, a negro, who was fatally injured Saturday night when struck by Smith's automobile.

Gastonia, Sept. 29.—A deal through which the city of Gastonia and county of Gaston for a purchase price of \$6,500 acquired joint title to approximately two and a quarter acres on West Franklin avenue here for construction of an armory was closed yesterday, Mayor E. B. Denny announced.

Besides the \$6,500 purchase price, the city and county will jointly furnish an additional \$8,500 and the WPA will spend \$25,000 on the project, making its total cost \$40,000. Mayor Denny said local authorities had not been definitely informed when actual work on the armory will begin but it is expected to start within the next three weeks.

Raleigh, Sept. 29.—Gurney P. Hood State Bank Commissioner, said today that by the end of this year North Carolina should have adequate banking facilities to cover its needs and liquidation of all closed banks should be practically completed.

Hood said the opening of a new industrial bank here and of several branches in places over the State should provide adequate facilities. The industrial institution here is being organized.

He said he expected to complete liquidation of all but seven closed banks in the State by the end of the year.

Salisbury, Sept. 29.—The body of John Young, 44, a prisoner in the Rowan county jail, was found hanging from the bars in his cell early this morning. The coroner said it was a clear case of North Carolina hanging. Young was being held on charges of breaking and entering, larceny and receiving, and violating prohibition laws. An improvised rope made of ticking torn from his mattress was used.

Tarboro, Sept. 29.—Lucius Smith, 65, a negro, was killed today by a southbound Atlantic Coast Line train at Mildred, four miles south of Tarboro. Coroner J. G. Babby said the negro crossed the track in the path of the train.

Charlotte, Sept. 29.—Woodrow Wilson Shropshire, the negro whose legs were amputated 13 months ago after he had suffered exposure in a county convict camp, was found guilty today of being drunk and disobediently resisting arrest and of assaulting an officer.

Recorder Ben Whiting sentenced him for a year and seven months on the three charges—30 days, six months and one year respectively—the sentences to run consecutively. Shropshire noted an appeal and his bond was fixed at \$1,000 for appearance in Superior Court.

Raleigh, Sept. 28.—Forest fires did \$24,798 worth of damages in 58 counties cooperating in prevention work during August, the Department of Conservation and Development reported today, which was the lowest estimate for any month since February.

Careless smokers were charged with starting 25 of the 71 fires last month with incendiaries accounting for another 14.

### National News

Lakehurst, N. J., Sept. 29.—The German zeppelin Hindenburg, completed its ninth east to west crossing of the north Atlantic, dropped mooring lines at the naval air station here at 5:54 A. M. (eastern standard time) and was moored, 12 minutes later.

The huge airship made the voyage from Frankfort-on-Main, Germany, in 63 hours and 12 minutes. Forty four passengers, including three U. S. navy officers, were aboard.

Rio De Janeiro, Sept. 29.—Brazil's "Green Hell" forced a party of 30 explorers to give up their search today for Col. P. H. Fawcett, his son, and his companion, who disappeared into the wild Matto Grosso jungle 11 years ago.

"Prudence dictates turn back notwithstanding the valor of the men," Joe Morbeck, leader of the expedition, radioed the outside world.

Their retreat left the valley of the Death river and the Koloune river, known to Brazil as 'Green Hell' still as much a mystery as the fate of the Fawcett party.

Detroit, Sept. 29.—Eleven of the 12 men charged with plotting the Black legion execution of Charles A. Poole on an isolated suburban road last May 12 were convicted today in circuit court.

Of the 11 men convicted, all but four were convicted of first degree murder. The jury of nine men and three women held two of the others guilty of second degree murder and Judge Joseph A. Moynihan returned a second degree murder conviction against the two defendants who have waived a jury trial.

The jury, which had listened to the prolonged testimony in the case since September 10, required an hour and 25 minutes to reach its decision.

Boston, Sept. 29.—"Taps" will sound in Arlington National cemetery Thursday for Admiral William Sowden Sims, caustic-tongued commander of America's European fleet in the World War.

Shreveport, La., 29.—A fast passenger train was wrecked with two deaths and a bridge burned out early today between Shreveport and New Orleans on the Louisiana and Arkansas railroad line whose transportation employees are on strike. Three other trainmen were injured. None of the less than a score of passengers on the train was hurt.

## Cleveland County Fair Next Week

Preparatory work at the Cleveland County Fair grounds are moving along at a fast pace for the opening of the 1936 edition of the ever popular Cleveland Exposition.

Stables are being made ready to house the large number of trotting and pacing thoroughbreds which are already arriving to make ready for the opening race events on Tuesday Oct. 6. This year an entirely new feature has been added, that is running races, the first of this type in this section of the South. Fair Secretary Dr. J. S. Dorton, announced today that many of the fine stables now racing this week at the Richmond Fair in Richmond, Va., would come to Shelby from there to take part in these running race events.

## Reception For New Church Members At Central Methodist

On last Wednesday a reception to which the entire church membership was invited was held at Central Methodist church, as a special compliment to new members received by letter and on profession of faith since the beginning of the pastorate of Rev. E. W. Fox.

Following a short devotional service which took the place of the regular mid-week prayer service, Rev. Mr. Fox, made a timely talk after which a receiving line was formed headed by the pastor and consisting of the officers of the church, new church members, Mrs. E. W. Fox, out-of-town teachers and others.

The guests passed from the receiving line to the basement of the educational building where refreshments were served by the ladies and an informal get-together meeting enjoyed.

## Baptist Men Entertain Dr. Little

About fifty men from the First Baptist church entertained Dr. Luther Little, of Charlotte, who conducted a week of special services here, at the Mountain View Hotel last Thursday evening.

A delicious supper was served at which J. R. Roberts presided as Toastmaster. After the invocation by Rev. A. G. Sargeant, the address of welcome was made by J. B. Keeter, which was responded to by Dr. Zeno Wall, Pastor of the First Baptist church of Shelby.

Dr. Wall told the men present to do the three "P" for their pastor, Rev. Sargeant, as he was a fine christian man. The three "P" being: Pray him up, Praise him up, and Pay him up.

Words of welcome to Dr. Little were expressed by Supt. B. N. Barnes, after which Dr. Little thanked the gathering for their hospitality.

Haywood E. Lynch, Editor of the Herald, being the only non-Baptist present, was called on for a few remarks.

During the supper musical selections were rendered by Messdames B. Ron Keeter and Harold Crawford and the Baptist quartette composed of Messrs Glenn White, Curtis Falls, Kenneth Crook and Rev. Sargeant.

## HOME STORE ROBBED

The Home Store, located on North Piedmont Avenue, was broken into Tuesday night and robbed of a quantity of merchandise. Four 100 pound bags of sugar, 36 cartons of cigarettes, and several cartons of tobacco were taken.

The robbers gained entrance by prizing iron bars from across the back window. A sack of meal was poured out on the floor, it was thought the robbers used the empty meal sack to put the cigarettes and tobacco in.

A complete check of the stock was being taken by company officials to determine the exact amount stolen.

The local police department is checking every clue to track down the guilty party.

Mr. C. J. Gault is manager of the store.

## To Attend State Convention

Mrs. D. C. Mauney, president of the Woman's Missionary Society and Mrs. Aubrey Mauney, president of the Young Women's Society of St. Matthews Evangelical Lutheran church accompanied by Mrs. E. C. Cooper an officer in the State organization, expect to leave early Friday for Wilmington where they will attend the annual State Convention of the Missionary Societies of the Lutheran Church. The party expect to return Monday.

Exhibit halls in the Agricultural Department have been enlarged to capacity to take care of the largest array of such exhibits ever to be presented at a Cleveland Fair.

New dustless Midway grounds have been prepared with the placing of hundreds of tons of white rock dust on these grounds leading from the picturesque grey room grandstands down the entire Midway.

Reports have come in from auto racing circles of the Eastern Dirt Tracks that many of the East and Middlewest's most noted drivers will be in Shelby on Saturday to try their skill on Cleveland's fast Half-Mile oval.

With the greatest Free Act and Midway entertainments obtainable and a mammoth Educational and Agricultural presentation, all Cleveland county is looking forward to a gala week next week to become the annual feature of the Western Carolinas, and possibly the South.

## Bride Of Only Two Weeks Passes In Gainesville Ga.

Soon after the Herald correspondent received an announcement of the marriage of Miss Ruth Lindsay, former Kings Mountain girl, to Mr. Henry J. Shepherd, of Gainesville, Ga., news came to relatives and friends, of her critical illness and subsequent death. Brothers and sisters living in Kings Mountain left for Gainesville immediately upon hearing of her illness but she passed away about the time they were leaving Kings Mountain.

Mrs. Shepherd, who for many years, since early girlhood, was a constant sufferer from diabetes, was stricken suddenly ill Friday night following a dinner given for the couple and lapsed into unconsciousness soon after. She never rallied, soon passing into a state of coma and death came Saturday afternoon shortly after four o'clock. She died in the Gainesville Hospital where she was carried when stricken.

Her untimely passing has cast a pall of sadness over her many friends and relatives here and elsewhere. For many years she was a popular member of the telephone force at Kings Mountain and by a strict adherence to duty, her patience and painstaking efforts to please her patrons made a host of admiring friends.

Her faith in her Master bore her up under her trials and afflictions and her sweet Christian character radiated a cheer such as would make more fortunate ones ashamed.

Her body was brought to the home of her brother, Clyde Lindsay, of this place and funeral services held on Monday afternoon at the First Baptist church, of which she had been a member since childhood.

Rev. A. G. Sargeant, pastor of the church, was in charge and the funeral was preached by Dr. C. J. Black of Bessemer City, former pastor of the deceased in Kings Mountain, interment followed in Mountain Rest cemetery. Pall-bearers were cousins of Mrs. Shepherd.

She is survived by her husband, her father, B. F. Lindsay, of Kings Mountain; the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Raymond Milles and Mrs. John Cook of Gastonia, Mrs. John Woody of Canton, and Houston Lindsay, of Gastonia. Her husband who accompanied the remains to Kings Mountain, left Monday night for his home in Gainesville, Ga.

She was married to Mr. Shepherd, a prominent contractor of Gainesville, on Sept. 10, the marriage taking place in quiet ceremony at the Baptist parsonage of that place with Rev. James A. Crumby, officiating.

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## LON CAMBY GETS NINE MONTHS

Lon Camby, of near Cherryville, was sentenced to nine months in a Federal Prison in Virginia. He was tried and found guilty in Federal Court of violating the Prohibition Laws.

Camby was out on bond from an appeal for stealing a number of chickens from Mr. Wiley McGinnis over year ago.

## Attend Meeting Of 3rd District D. A. R.

Mrs. Paul Neisler, Regent Colonel Frederick Hambright Chapter, D. A. R., accompanied by Mrs. W. A. Ridenhour and Mrs. A. A. McCorkle attended the meeting of the Third District D. A. R., which was held at the Woman's Club, in Charlotte Wednesday.

## Much Interest Shown In Offer Of Cash Prizes

### DEMOCRATS TO ORGANIZE

All Democrats of No. 4 Township are urged to meet at the Town Hall this evening at 7:30 for the purpose of organizing a Democratic Club. Husbands are invited to bring their wives and wives are invited to bring their husbands.

The meeting was originally planned for last week, but was postponed on account of the Special Services at the First Baptist church.

## C. E. TREADWAY DIES IN GREENSBORO

C. E. Treadway, 63, whose home was formerly in Kings Mountain died from a shot gun wound at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Newsome, the latter his daughter in Greensboro, Saturday evening about 6:15.

After finishing supper with the family, Mr. Treadway went upstairs and according to members of the family the report of a shot gun and sound of some one falling was heard. When investigation was made, Mr. Treadway's body was found lying on the bath room floor and the gun across his body. Death was apparently instantaneous and it was thought that the shot was accidental as there was no apparent reason for suicide. Dr. W. W. Harvey, county coroner, after viewing the body, deemed no inquest necessary. Mr. and Mrs. Treadway had been staying in the Newsome home for the past three months.

Funeral services were held Monday morning at the Newsome home and interment made in Forest Lawn cemetery, Greensboro.

Members of the family from here and elsewhere attended the funeral rites.

Mr. Treadway is survived by his widow, six sons, E. Treadway of Greensboro; C. C. L. E. and Clyde Treadway of Kings Mountain; W. C. Treadway of Shelby; G. M. Treadway of Lowell; two daughters, Mrs. C. N. Newsome of Greensboro and Mrs. Glenn Grubb of Hemp. Two brothers Joe and Mitchell Treadway, of Marshall, survive.

### GIANTS WIN FIRST GAME

The New York Giants, with Carl Hubbell pitching, defeated the New York Yankees with Red Ruffing on the mound to the tune of 6 to 1 yesterday in the first game of the World Series.

### Cow Shot By Mistake

Mr. Paul Roberts, of the Bethlehem section, heard a noise near his chicken house Sunday night. Taking his shotgun along, he went out to investigate. As he approached he heard something running off. Thinking it was the would-be chicken thief, he fired his gun the direction of the noise. As he got closer, Mr. Roberts discovered he had shot some one's cow. The cow was so badly injured it had to be killed. Later Mr. Roberts found out the cow belonged to Mr. Alf Arwood who lives about one half mile from Mr. Roberts.

## District Meeting of Federation of Woman's Clubs

The annual District meeting of Federation of Woman's Clubs will be held at the First Methodist church in Lincolnton next Wednesday, October 7, and members of the local club who expect to attend are asked to telephone Mrs. W. K. Mauney. Luncheon will be served in the basement of the church at a reasonable price per plate.

### PROBABLE CONTEST WORKERS

The following have been given subscription receipt books and may take an active part in The Herald's \$800.00 subscription drive. Others who are interested in making extra money during their spare time and who wish to solicit for renewals and new subscriptions are urged to send their name in to the paper at once:

- Mrs. Ted Gamble Kings Mountain
- Mrs. Gillie Falls Kings Mountain
- Mr. J. D. Hullender Kings Mountain
- Mr. Eugene Mathis Kings Mountain
- Miss Marie Ware Kings Mountain
- Mr. John Gladden Kings Mountain
- Mrs. Martha Cornwell Kings Mountain
- Mrs. Bryan Hord Kings Mountain
- Mrs. Hunter Ware Kings Mountain
- Mrs. Less Stewart Kings Mountain
- Miss Mary Jane Logan Kings Mountain
- Mrs. Jess Stewart Kings Mountain

PRIZES — \$400—\$200—\$100—\$50 and thirty cents on each renewal or new subscription to the non-winners.

## Room For Many More Who Want To Share In Money Offered.

The Herald publishes today the first list of contestants or those active and energetic people whom the paper feels are ambitious and willing to work whole or spare time in making some extra money.

Next week's issue of the paper will carry the names of those only who have turned in subscriptions and so many who have a book and whose name is not now on the list and any others who might care to participate are urged to get busy and send in renewals or new subscriptions. It cost nothing to make the try and all taking part will be paid something for their efforts. Either they win one of the four cash prizes offered or they will have been paid for their work by the liberal cash commission of thirty cents that go on every renewal or new subscription.

### \$400.00 THE LEADING PRIZE

First of the four prizes to be awarded on Nov. 7th to the best workers in the contest is \$400.00; then comes \$200.00 for second best; \$100 for third and \$50.00 for fourth and final award. Not too bad for a few hours each week of asking neighbors and friends to either renew their subscription or take out a new one.

### TIME NOW TO ENTER

The time to enter the contest and be successful in a big way is now while the drive is just getting started. It will take a week or two more to get things lined up and the various workers enrolled. Those of course who join up early in the affair will have the advantage over the others because there is just so much territory to be covered, and then again the voting schedule is so arranged that during the first part of the campaign the maximum of votes are being given.

## Reunion Held Of Patterson Family

A reunion of the family of the late Ira Hardin Patterson and wife, Angeline Whitesides Patterson, was held at the home of Mrs. Patterson, at Patterson Grove, last Sunday. A beautiful picnic luncheon was served and later a watermelon feast was enjoyed.

Members of the family present from other sections were Mr. and Mrs. Price Patterson, Ravenel, S. C., Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Pigott, Charleston, S. C., Mr. S. L. Patterson and members of his family, Rock Hill, S. C., Miss Isabell Patterson, Mooresboro, Miss Martha Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smaathers, Charlotte, Mrs. C. E. Warlick and children and Miss Madeline Patterson Belmont, Miss Janet Falls, Mooresboro, Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Patterson and children, Grover, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Herndon, Kannapolis, Mrs. Neill Caskey and little daughter, of Fort Mill, S. C., Harold Cole Ware of Rock Hill.

A large number from Kings Mountain and neighboring vicinity were present.

### ATTEND FUNERAL IN VIRGINIA

Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Beam and Mrs. Madeline Ligon returned Monday from Clarksville, Va., where they attended funeral rites for Mr. W. C. Harrell, father of Mrs. Beam and Mrs. Ligon.

## Will Rogers' Humorous Story

By WILL ROGERS  
SOME women don't mind making their husbands feel like thirty cents. And some even have a kind



of a talent for making 'em feel that way. At the Dour's house they had company, and Jim Dour went out to mix up a little lemonade or something for the guests. When he heard his wife say, "Oh, Darling!" Jim come scotching out. "What is it?" he says. "O, Jim," she says, "be yourself! I was talking to the dog, of course! He was about to knock over the fern on his poor little back." (American News Features, Inc.)

## Laughing Around the World With IRVIN S. COBB

### Probably Stewed Kidneys Ran Third

By IRVIN S. COBB

BACK in the days when crowned heads were more numerous in Europe—and more popular—than at present, Carlos of Portugal paid his first visit to the British Isles. At the conclusion of his trip



King Edward, so it is said, asked young Carlos what, of all things in England, he liked best. Now, Portugal's king was by way of being a consistent and sincere trencherman. He thought for a moment and then made answer: "The roast beef," he said. "Is that all that has impressed you?" inquired His Majesty of England. "Well," replied Carlos, "the boiled beef is not so bad." (American News Features, Inc.)