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State And National News Condensed In Brief Form

—State News—

Beaufort, Oct. 13.—Rep. Graham A. Barden announced at New Bern he had been notified that Morehead City will be designated as a port of entry because of recent development of a \$500,000 terminal and \$1,500,000 channel from the terminal to the sea.

The action, observers here said, would give Carteret county two ports of entry, since Beaufort has been one since 1722.

Franklin, Oct. 13.—The waters of Cullasaja river, treacherous with rapids, whirlpools and log jams, were dragged yesterday for the body of Bob Cunningham, 26 year old filling station operator.

Cunningham was believed to have been drowned yesterday when the car in which he and three companions were returning from a dance plunged down a 100 foot embankment and landed upside down in the stream.

The injured were taken to a hospital. They were Charles Penland and Misses Bernice and Agnes seay, sisters. None, however, was believed to be seriously hurt.

Rockingham, Oct. 13.—Lawrence Spradley, 29 year old taxi driver, today faced an 18 to 25 year sentence after a jury convicted him of second degree murder in the killing of John R. Moore.

Moore, a World war veteran of Lancaster, S. C., was found murdered near here, his body floating in an old pond. Spradley was arrested after he was found in possession of the victim's new car he had bought with bonus money.

Elkin, Oct. 13.—An automobile taking a male quartet to sing at the funeral of a friend bounded down an embankment here yesterday. Glenn Swain, 37, was killed and Guy Myers 24, was seriously injured.

Myers, with a fractured skull, was put in a hospital room adjoining that of Sam Brown, a former member of the quartet, who was seriously burned in a gasoline explosion a few days ago.

Raleigh, Oct. 13.—Organization work among the democratic women of the state is proceeding rapidly and by the time of the election on November 3, strong women's organizations will be formed and functioning in almost every one of the 100 counties. Mrs. J. B. Spillman, vice chairman of the state democratic committee, in charge of women's organization work in democratic headquarters here, said today.

Raleigh, Oct. 13.—Much interest is being shown here in the forthcoming hearing to be held in Asheville October 30, by the special commission studying the liquor control question in North Carolina, of which Victor S. Bryant, of Durham, is chairman.

For this hearing, at which all those interested in the liquor problem are invited to be present, is expected to reveal for the first time the sentiment of the western North Carolina counties with regard to liquor control and county liquor stores.

—National News—

Greenwood, S. C., Oct. 13.—A coroner's jury decided that Ernest Burkett, 23, former WPA worker who died at his home here Friday night, came to his death "by taking poison."

Chicago, Oct. 13.—A widespread urge to travel tripled the number of coach trailers on United States highways this year and put more than three quarters of a million people into rolling homes, reliable estimates of the mushroom growth of an infant industry indicated today.

Next year this flowering business is expected to triple again the number of trailers and occupants living and vacationing in them—the so-called "tin can tourists"—it was disclosed in a survey by Karl Hale Dixon, publisher of a journal devoted to the field.

Oregon, Ill., Oct. 13.—The attractive red-haired widow for whose love the prosecution charged Embalmer Guy Tallmadge slew his ailing wife faced the bespectacled undertaker's assistant today as a state-summoned witness in his trial on a murder charge.

She was Mrs. Frances Birch, 30, of Moline, Ill.—24 years younger than the wife whom State's Attorney S. Donald Crowell killed so he could marry the widow and retire with her to a chicken farm.

Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Roofs throughout much of western New York were white with snow this morning, the coldest since 1876.

The temperature fell 24 degrees to 21 in less than six hours during the night, and a 56 mile wind helped make the uncomfortable. Considerable damage was done to trees by the wind and in Buffalo some windows were blown in.

Aleppo, Syria, Oct. 13.—Three Christians were fatally stabbed today in a clash between young Mohammedans and members of the "White Sign," a christian organization.

Several policemen were injured before troops, rushed to the scene, quelled the disturbance in the crowd which numbered many thousands.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 13.—Virginia recorded an automobile accident death toll of 17 for the week end today, the largest number within the memory of state police officials here. Twelve fatalities were reported yesterday and five were listed Saturday to bring the total number of highway victims for the month to 35 and the Old Dominion casualty list for the year of 521.

Nice, France, Oct. 13.—Samuel Goldemberg, 73, of New York, who survived the sinking of the liner Titanic, died Sunday. He had been a resident of France for 14 years.

Hollywood, Oct. 13.—Thelma Todd's wardrobe — 40 dresses, 57 pairs of gloves, 36 pairs of shoes, and 35 bags—were bought by a local shop for \$229 from her estate, probate court records showed today.

The blonde comedienne's death last winter resulted in a long grand jury investigation.

LIBRARY DRIVE NOW ON

Town Tax Rate Is Set At \$1.57

CENTER SERVICE OPENS SATURDAY

The Center Service, one of the most beautiful service stations in this part of the country will open for business here Saturday, according to announcements made by E. E. Marlowe and J. C. Arnette, proprietors and operators. Everything has been put in tip-top shape for the opening and the motoring public of Kings Mountain and surrounding community are invited to drive in and inspect this modern station. Messrs Marlowe and Arnette, popular young men of Kings Mountain will carry a complete line of the well known General Tires, as well as Gulf products and auto accessories. They will also specialize in washing and greasing cars of all makes.

Center Service is located at the intersection of the heart of Kings Mountain's business section. The station is constructed of tile in two colors.

Workmen have been busy for the past several weeks getting the station ready for its formal opening Saturday. The plumbing was installed by Welch Plumbing Co. Lumber was furnished by the Elmer Lumber Co., L. A. Hoke, Electrical Contractor, did the electrical work. Bridges and Hamrick, Hardware dealers, furnished the hardware and cement. Campbell Limestone Co. of Gaffney, S. C., furnished the crushed rock for the foundation and concrete work.

The Herald wishes for the proprietors of the Center Service, the best of luck in the Best Town in The State.

BODY EXPERT AT CLEVELAND MOTOR COMPANY

Mr. O. O. Jackson, manager of the Cleveland Motor Co. announced this week that Mr. G. E. Henderson, who has had 16 years experience in body and fender work has been added to the force as manager of the Body and Paint Department. Mr. Henderson has already moved his family here.

Mr. Jackson said he hoped no one would wreck their car or bend up their fenders but if they did Mr. Henderson could make the damaged car look like new. A cordial invitation is extended to all car owners to visit the Cleveland Motor Co. and see the kind of work that Mr. Henderson turns out.

REV. W. A. PARSON TO CONTINUE PASTORATE HERE

Rev. W. A. Parson will continue his work as pastor of Grace Methodist Episcopal church, Kings Mountain, as a result of appointments made at the Blue Ridge Atlantic Conference, at Asheville during the past week. Rev. and Mrs. Parsons have endeared themselves to the entire church membership and under their leadership the church has made progress along various lines.

Work of painting the church and parsonage is now under way and the interior of the church was recently repainted. Pastor's salary and all other obligations were met in full before Conference.

ATTEND CONFERENCE IN ASHEVILLE

Among those attending the Blue Ridge Atlantic Conference at Asheville during the past week and Sunday were, Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Parsons; Mr. and Mrs. Mac Gantt; Mr. and Mrs. George Kennedy; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kennedy; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mauney; Messdames Florence Jenkins, Carrie Gantt, L. B. Turner, and Edith Hoover; Miss Evelyn Mauney; Messrs Luco Jenkins, Otto Gulton, Tom Ellison, Frank Ballard, C. M. Brackett and Bert Queen.

CHICKEN SUPPER AT GRACE CHURCH

The Woman's Missionary Society of Grace Methodist church are planning a chicken supper to be given in the church basement, Saturday evening. The public is cordially invited to attend.

\$244.30 ALREADY SUBSCRIBED A Minimum Of \$500.00 Set As Goal.

The drive to secure funds for the beginning of a Public Library in Kings Mountain got underway this week. All that is needed for Kings Mountain to have a Public Library is money. The committees interested in starting a library here has been at work for the past several months, and some of the most important factors have been accomplished.

A temporary location has been secured in Dr. J. E. Anthony's building on Railroad Avenue.

Plans are underway to have a permanent room reserved in the new Town Hall when it is built.

The Town Board has appropriated \$25.00 per month for the maintenance of the Public Library after it is started.

Sanction of the North Carolina Library Commission has been received. Miss Marjorie Beal, Secretary and Director of the Commission with headquarters in Raleigh has made a trip to Kings Mountain in the interest of the Library. Her office will set up the system and help with the selection of the books.

The canvassers will try to continue their work until everyone has had an opportunity to help in this worthy undertaking. However, do not wait to be called on, if you want to donate, you may give your donation to any member canvassing or bring it to the Herald office. Lots of time, you are away from home when the canvasser calls. It is very important that all donations are made as quickly as possible so if the canvasser failed to see you, please get in touch with one of the following who will be glad to receive your contribution: Messdames Aubrey Mauney, A. H. Patterson, Paul Neisler, L. P. Baker, Hunter Neisler, H. H. Houston, H. W. E. Lynch, or Messrs Byron Keeter, W. W. Southern, Prude Ratterree, W. M. Boyce, A. G. Sargeant, L. Boyd Hamm, Haywood E. Lynch, or the Kings Mountain Herald.

It is also hoped by those in charge after the Library is established that funds may be secured from the county to help defray the operating cost.

The following is a list of those who have contributed:

- Junior Woman's Club \$10.00
- Men's Club \$50.00
- A. H. Patterson \$5.00
- Hord Furniture Co. \$5.00
- D. F. Hord \$2.50
- Haywood E. Lynch and family \$25.00
- Belk's Dept. Store \$5.00
- Employees of Belk's \$5.00
- Kings Mountain B. and L. \$5.00
- J. S. Mauney \$6.00
- Mrs. Lawrence Mauney50
- Dr. O. P. Lewis \$5.00
- Rev. W. M. Boyce \$5.00
- F. M. Biggerstaff \$2.00
- Supt. B. N. Barnes \$3.00
- D. C. Mauney \$2.00
- Donated \$2.00
- Mrs. Henry McGinnis \$1.00
- C. J. Gault \$2.00
- F. C. Barrett \$1.00
- John Lackey \$1.00
- Citizen \$10.00
- Citizen \$5.00
- Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Mauney \$10.00
- West Mountain \$1.00
- Service Station \$1.00
- Mr. Ed Patterson \$1.00
- Mrs. H. M. Biser25
- Mrs. F. Tidwell30
- Mrs. Meek Ormand \$1.00
- Mrs. Charles Campbell50
- Mrs. Mark Patterson50
- Mrs. E. W. Griffin \$1.00
- Mr. Percy Dilling \$2.00
- Mr. W. B. Smith \$1.00
- Mr. Paul Mauney \$5.00
- Mrs. Pat Croker25
- Mrs. Bessie Dickey50
- Miss Pearl Kerr50
- Mrs. Eugene H. Mathis50
- Mrs. Edith Goforth \$1.00
- Mrs. Gilbert Hord50
- Miss Louise McDaniel50
- Mr. Red Falls \$1.00
- Mr. W. L. Watterson50
- Mrs. Hilda Goforth25
- Mrs. Emma Sellers \$1.00
- Mrs. Otto Ware50
- Miss Nina Roberts50
- Mrs. L. L. Ware50
- Mrs. Hilda Hamrick50
- Mrs. Carl Herndon50
- Mrs. Edward Abbott50
- Mrs. J. T. Davidson50
- Mr. Paul Neisler \$5.00
- Mr. Charlie Moss \$1.00
- Mr. Thamer Gamble50
- Mr. Hilliard Black \$1.00
- Mr. Howard Jackson50
- Mr. Jake Hord50
- Mr. Joe Lee Woodward \$1.00
- Mrs. Hunter Neisler \$5.00
- Mr. Joe Thomson \$3.00
- Mr. Frank Roberts \$1.00
- Mr. J. A. Neisler \$5.00

Harrill Presides As Judge Wednesday

Ector Harrill, local attorney, presided as Judge of Recorders Court here Wednesday afternoon in the absence of Judge Bynum Weathers. Several cases were continued, Solicitor Frank Hoyle, Jr., prosecuted. The following cases were disposed of:

Bud McClinton, colored, was found guilty of assault with a deadly weapon. He was sentenced to three months. He took an appeal to higher court.

Ham Craig was found guilty of gambling. He was sentenced to 30 days suspended upon the payment of the County Cost.

Sister Lane was also found guilty of Gambling. Her sentence was 30 days or pay the County cost.

Mrs. Charles Graham was found guilty of using profane language and assault. She was sentenced to 30 days suspended upon the payment of \$5.00 fine and cost.

Jackson To Display His Handicraft Work

Mr. O. O. Jackson, who is quite an artist at handicraft work is going to make a display of his work at the Cleveland Motor Co. all next week. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to visit the Cleveland Motor Co. and see the attractive and useful articles Mr. Jackson has made.

Mr. Jackson is especially anxious to have the school boys of Kings Mountain to inspect his display. He has also consented to show the boys how this work is done and help them in every way he can. He stated lots of people thought it took expensive machinery and tools to do this work of art, which is not true.

Mr. Jackson also expressed a desire of giving a prize next year to the school boy who made the best article in wood-craft. The display will be in the show rooms of the Cleveland Motor Co. which is now vacant, waiting for the new 1937 Chevrolets to come in.

Stolen Car Recovered

The new 1935 Chevrolet car of Bud Falls which was stolen from in front of his home on City Street Monday night was found abandoned near Belmont Wednesday morning. The car had been driven only 27 miles after it was stolen. Chief Harvey Harrison carried Mr. Falls to Gastonia to identify his car and get it back. The car was brand new having been driven only 600 miles before it was stolen.

Carl Davidson had his car stolen about two weeks ago, but he was not as fortunate as Mr. Falls. His car has not been recovered.

COTTON REPORT

Census report shows that there were 1,590 bales of cotton ginned in Cleveland county from the crop of 1936 prior to October 1, as compared with 11,970 bales ginned to October 1, crop of 1935.

Postpone Meeting Of Garden Club

The regular meeting of the Garden Club will not be held on Friday of this week as scheduled but will be postponed until Friday afternoon of next week, at 3:30. Members will please remember change of date.

Washington Snapshots

by JAMES PRESTON

(Opinions Expressed in This Column Are Not Necessarily the Views of This Newspaper.)

As maneuvering continues between the American Federation of Labor and its left-wing offspring, the Committee for Industrial Organization, headed by John L. Lewis of the Mine Workers Union, national observers are watching developments closely. Much of the picture has developed already in the background, and there is reason to believe that recent peace overtures by a leader of the C. I. O. are more portentous than appear on the surface.

The C. O. O., with Lewis, David Dubinsky, head of the Ladies' Garment Workers Union, and Sidney Hillman, head of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers, was organized last spring with a pronounced leftward swing away from the Federation. It has received consistent support by the Daily Workers, organ of the Communist Party. Both Dubinsky and Hillman are members of the Communist Party. (Cont'd on back page)

Laughing Around the World

With IRVIN S. COBB

No Place for an Outsider

By IRVIN S. COBB

I USED to know a New York business man who delighted to tell a yarn of his boyhood. He said that when he was about sixteen years old his father, who was a presiding elder of the M. E. Church took him



from his home in Pennsylvania to a town out in Ohio where the son was to be entered in a small college. "When we got off the train," said my friend, "the whole town seemed to be in a battle. It was a coal-mining district, and two groups of husky miners with fists and clubs were doing their level best to destroy each other. There were twenty fights going on at once! The town marshal was in a doorway looking on calmly. "I rather enjoyed the sight; but my father as a minister of the gospel was naturally very much shocked. Holding me by the hand, he made for the place where the town marshal stood. "What does this outrage mean?" the old gentleman demanded. "This is payday by the mines," explained the marshal in a strong Teutonic accent: "and every payday this happens—the Irish miners they fight mit the Welsh miners." "But why don't you stop it?" asked my father. "For why should I interfere?" said the marshal simply. "I'm German!"

(American News Features, Inc.)

Will Rogers' Humorous Story

By WILL ROGERS

GIRLS that go to summer camps ought to learn how to swim. And matrons at summer camps ought to



know how to swim, too. There was a terrible sad case of a Mrs. Thompson that was a matron of a camp up north somewhere. She fell in to the lake, and she was almost alone at the time. But there was a girl saw her, a real good swimmer. She went in and pulled her out. When she came to, Mrs. Thompson says, "Say Rachael you're a hero. That was awful good of you to pull me out and save my life. What can I do to repay you?" "Why, if you will, Mrs. Thompson," says Rachael, "I'd rather you didn't mention it to any of the girls at all." "Well, of all things! Why not?" "Well, you see, they'd never forgive me." (American News Features, Inc.)