

## State And National News Condensed In Brief Form

### —State News—

Lumberton, Aug. 2.—The Jennings cotton mill resumed operations today after having been closed by a strike since June 7.

Kannapolis, Aug. 2.—A coroner's jury this morning exonerated J. P. (Jack) McCurdy in connection with the fatal shooting last night of his father, B. T. McCurdy, 39, who died in the Cabarrus county hospital shortly after midnight last night of a bullet wound in the chest.

Dunn, Aug. 2.—Walter Jones, manager of the Dunn produce market, estimated today that the amount of produce sold on the market this year will reach a total of \$100,000. The figure is now reaching this mark, he said, and there is a possibility that it may exceed the sum. The cucumber market has already closed with a record business. Approximately 20,000 bushels of cucumbers were sold on the market this season for a total of about \$12,000. The average price was 60c per bushel.

Burgaw, Aug. 2.—Three farmers whom the state charged with murdering a kinsman, Paul Krochmalny, and cremating his body, went back to their chores today, freed in two hours by a jury which listened to two weeks of evidence and argument.

The defendants — Pete Krochmalny, his son, Paul, and a son-in-law, Ervin Williams — their families and many of the feminine spectators in the jammed courtroom, broke in to tears as the jury announced its verdict in court here yesterday.

Lexington, Aug. 2.—Charged with hit-and-run driving that officers said resulted in the death of Floyd Jordan, 16, early Sunday morning, Grady Weaver, 20, remained in jail today as funeral services were held for the victim.

Police said Weaver admitted driving the car that fatally injured young Jordan. He was caught after fleeing the scene, they said.

Jordan, son of Mrs. Ellen K. Jordan, a widow, was buried in Montgomery county.

Statesville, Aug. 2.—A crowd of white men rode into Statesville in 30 automobiles early today, surrounded the county jail and demanded that Sheriff John White Moore turn over a negro prisoner.

The crowd, however, soon disbanded after Sheriff Moore took three of the men inside the jail and convinced them that the prisoner, Preach Caldwell, 35, charged with assaulting a white woman near Mooresville Saturday, was not there.

The negro was rushed from Mooresville after his arrest Saturday and taken to an undisclosed jail as a precautionary measure.

Sheriff Moore estimated there were 125 men in the crowd which surrounded the jail.

Statesville, Aug. 4.—Bruce O'Kelly, negro, began a seven to ten year prison sentence today for second degree burglary in the entering of a woman's bedroom.

Evidence presented at his trial yesterday indicated he broke into Mrs. Floyd Hollar's bedroom while her husband was away.

### —National News—

Washington, Aug. 2.—The house, despite the rush to clean up the administration program and adjourn, probably will delay debating the senate-approved wage and hour bill until next week.

Its labor committee virtually has completed a new draft much broader than the senate measure; but will meet again tomorrow for further consideration.

Chairman Norton, democrat, New Jersey, said the bill would be reported to the house not later than Wednesday. Leaders have arranged however, to take up legislation for sugar production control on Thursday.

Wadi Halfa, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Aug. 2.—Nine passengers and members of the crew of an Italian commercial plane were killed today when the plane crashed near the Wadi Halfa airdrome.

The craft was southbound when the accident occurred. All aboard were killed.

The crew of five and the four passengers were believed all to be Italians.

Washington, Aug. 2.—Senate leaders, confident most controversial problems were out of the way, forecast today speedy passage of the Wagner housing bill.

Heartened by the collapse of last week's rebellion over wage and hour legislation, they called up the housing measure for debate which they said would probably not last for more than a day or two.

The bill, one of the major points in the administration's legislative program, would authorize loans and outright contributions to public housing agencies for construction of low-rent dwelling units and the eradication of slums.

Fort Hoyle, Md., Aug. 2.—A visit to his son at the Citizens Military Training camp at this army post ended in death in a blazing airplane for Major Guy Hart Montes, of Breckenridge, Pa. Flight surgeon at Langley Field, Va.

Rome, Aug. 2.—Two divisions of the Italian army started practice maneuvers today in the mountains between Plave and Tagliamento rivers in northern Italy.

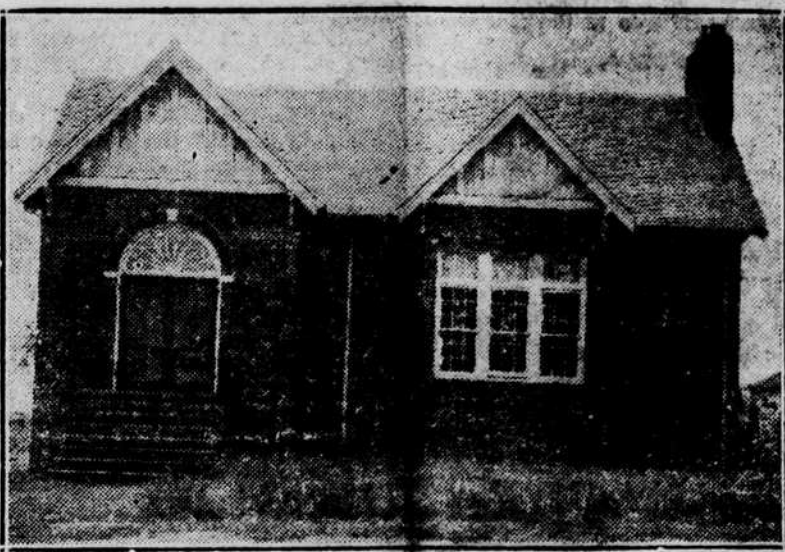
The maneuvers will be followed by large-scale war games beginning on the island of Sicily. Only German, Austrian, Hungarian and Swiss military observers were invited to the "battlefields," and all foreign correspondents were barred.

Helper, Utah, Aug. 2.—Sheriff's deputies searched eastern Utah's rugged hills today for a two-gun bandit blamed for the fatal shooting of 12 year old Tony Zoumadakis.

Tony was killed early Sunday while he was sleeping with his brother, Nick, by a bullet fired at a bandit who had just robbed the Golden Camel cafe of approximately \$400.

Savannah, Ga., Aug. 4.—More than 3,000 copies of Wednesday's Savannah Morning News, printed on paper made on paper at the Savannah Pine Pulp Laboratory, were dispatched to all parts of the country to show advancement in the pine pulp newsprint industry.

## Work Being Done On Woman's Club Building



Above is pictured the attractive Woman's Club building which is undergoing extensive repairs. \$1,000 is being spent completing the Lounge Room, flooring the auditorium, and painting both inside and out of the building, which is used by all Kings Mountain as a gathering center. The work is to be completed by August 15th according to Mrs. E. W. Griffin, President.

## Band Association To Be Organized

A small group of interested citizens met Tuesday night for the purpose of making plans for the organization of a School Band Association. This group hopes to aid the Kings Mountain Band, of which all Kings Mountain is justly proud both, financially and morally.

A meeting has been called for next Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the Band Room at the High School for the purpose of organizing. It is hoped that all citizens who are interested in the band will be present, whether they have children in the band or not.

Dr. L. P. Baker was elected temporary chairman to preside at the meeting next Tuesday night. The following were elected as a committee to work up interest in the meeting: Messrs B. S. Neill, Ladd Hamrick, and Byron Keeter.

Kings Mountain has one of the finest bands in North Carolina considering the length of time it has been organized. Director Paul Hendrix, who has made such wonderful progress with the band for the past two years will be back again this year.

## LOCAL MAN HAS EXTRA LONG NAME

When it comes to lengthy names, a citizen of Kings Mountain has the right to become an entry for the world title. If he were to write it out in full (he seldom does it) it would read: Abraham Beatty Robinson Allen Hamilton Alexander Morrow.

Since Mr. Morrow's first name is Abraham it should be noted that his initials also spell the name Abraham.

A-braham  
R-beatty  
R-obinson  
A-llen  
H-amilton  
A-lexander  
M-orrow.

Mr. Morrow explained how he happened to have such a long name. When he was born his father could not decide what to name him when the doctor was ready to fill out the birth certificate. So Mr. Morrow's father instructed the doctor to put all the above-mentioned names on the certificate and he would later pick out the name chosen. The doctor sent in the certificate and Mr. Morrow has been duly recorded the above mentioned seven-word name, with 49 letters in it.

Mr. Morrow signs himself as "A. B. Morrow" and his friends call him "Beatty." Neither can be blamed for brevity.

## Union Service At Methodist Church

The Union Services for the summer began last Sunday night at the First Baptist church. A splendid congregation representing the five up-town church worshipped together. This Sunday night at eight o'clock the union service will be at the Methodist church and Rev. A. G. Sargeant will bring the message. The Ministerial Union feels that these union services should be a real blessing to the entire community and urges everybody to attend the service Sunday evening.

## HORD REUNION

The annual Jesse Hord Reunion will be held at the Tuesday, Aug. 10. All place next friends are invited to be there and enjoy the day together. A picnic dinner will be spread at noon. Please bring a basket.

## Mrs. D. B. Hamrick Dies In Shelby Hospital

Mrs. Alice McIntyre Hamrick, age 66, died Sunday night at 11:10 in the Shelby hospital and funeral services were conducted at Zoar Baptist church Monday afternoon at four o'clock by Rev. A. G. Sargeant of Kings Mountain, First church, assisted by Rev. D. G. Washburn and John W. Suttle.

Mrs. Hamrick lived in Shelby until two or three years ago when she and her husband moved to Kings Mountain to be with their only daughter, Mrs. C. G. White, Mr. White is an official in the Phenix Mill at Kings Mountain. Prior to that time he was connected with the Eastside Mill in Shelby.

Mrs. Hamrick had been bedridden for a year or more. For the past few weeks her condition had been quite serious and she entered the Shelby hospital. She was a devoted member of the First Baptist church of Kings Mountain at the time of her passing.

Surviving are her husband, one daughter, Mrs. C. G. White, three grandchildren, Mrs. John Ed Queen, Miss Ottilie and Doris White and three brothers: Reizo and B. V. McIntyre of Shelby, M. F. McIntyre, Vancouver, Wash.

## S. S. Building Is Dedicated To C. E. Neisler

One of the most impressive congregational meetings ever held at the First Presbyterian Church was the recent meeting when the congregation voted unanimously to dedicate the new Sunday School Building to Mr. C. E. Neisler, who joined the Church in 1892, elected an elder in 1895, Superintendent in 1899.

From the early days of his membership he was a guiding spirit and light in the Church. He was loved by one and all, a man of affairs who always placed the Church and its work first.

Mr. J. B. Thomasson, Chairman of the Building Committee and member of the Session made the recommendation from the Session that the Sunday School Building be a Memorial Build to Mr. C. E. Neisler, who served as Superintendent faithfully and capably for over 35 years.

## Outlines AAA At Raleigh Meet

Raleigh, Aug. 4.—J. B. Hutson, assistant AAA administrator, outlined major provisions of the 1938 agricultural program to a farm and home week audience at N. C. State College today and urged North Carolina farmers to cooperate.

Cattle fanciers heard former Governor Cameron Morrison explain the merits and demerits of the various breeds of Jerseys.

Congressman Harold D. Cooley yesterday told the delegates, representing virtually every county, that farm tenancy in the United States is increasing at a rate of 40,000 families annually with 3,000,000 farms already tenanted.

## Kings Mountain Again Proud

Miss Maxine Watterson, daughter of Mrs. F. G. Watterson and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williams, has had the distinct honor of singing over Station WOC, Charlotte, on the Old Frysides program every Monday and Friday afternoon at 3:45 this summer.

Miss Watterson has an exceptionally good soprano and has never taken a vocal lesson. Miss Watterson is only seventeen years of age and is a young lady of promising possibilities. The Herald wishes for her a big success.

## 2 SCOUT TROOPS AT CAMP

Two Kings Mountain Scout troops are this week at Tryon, N. C., for their annual stay at Camp. The Baptist and Presbyterian troops left Monday morning and will stay through the balance of this week. About 25 Scouts and Scouters made the trip.

## McGILL REUNION

The annual reunion of the McGills of Gaston will be held at Lake Montona, August 18, at 11:00 a. m. All kindred and interested friends are cordially invited to attend.

## STORM OFF FLORIDA

Jacksonville, Fla., Aug. 4.—A tropical storm which the weather bureau termed only a "slight disturbance," moved slowly northward thru the Atlantic about 200 to 250 miles east of Florida today.

## Washington Snapshots

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

From all outward appearances, the fight over enlargement of the Supreme Court is over, and the hatchet buried. But the realistically-minded in Washington are inclined to think that once more appearances are deceiving.

Even while the Senate Judiciary Committee was writing the new bill leaving the Supreme Court membership alone but making changes in procedure in lower courts, a lot of Senators and Representatives on both sides of the fence were wondering just what the future will bring.

In Indiana, for example, Governor Townsend seeks to have the Democratic organization deny nomination for re-election to Senator Van Nuys, one of the outstanding court bill opponents. If the nomination were (Cont'd on back page)

## Laughing Around the World

W.h IRVIN S. COBB

### The Poor Aim of Father

By IRVIN S. COBB

TO GET the full force of this one the reader is to picture a household in which the husband is undersized and generally mild while the wife is neither of these.

No Contin!



"Where's your father, Bertie?" inquired a friend of the family. "I haven't seen him around lately."  
"Paw's laid up," said the youngster. "He's been laid up for mighty near a week now."  
"That's too bad. Sick, is he?"  
"No, not exactly sick. He got hurt."  
"Hurt where?"  
"All over, purty near it."  
"Well, that is too bad—funny I didn't hear about it. What happened?"  
"Well, it was an accident paw met with," explained the youngster. "You don't tell me? What sort of an accident?"  
"Well, paw and maw got in a row. And paw hit at maw—and missed her!"

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## Will Rogers' Humorous Story

By WILL ROGERS

THE first quarrel is good for a joke once in a while, just because it ain't a bit funny. Did you



ever see a young couple just laughing their heads off about their first quarrel? Nope, but you can see a lot of other people laughing about it. Anyway, they were mad, and he thought he'd insult her good. "Well, anyhow," he says, "I'm glad I put something over on you. That diamond in your ring is glass."  
"I knowed it all the time," she says, "so that wasn't putting anything over on me. But you never knowed till right now that my right eye is made out of the same kind of glass, did you? Now, who's fooled?"

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