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# State And National News Condensed In Brief Form

-State News--

Asheville, Aug. 24.-Laurence E. Penn, 25, state highway patrolman adventurers. who was shot down Sunday night by the unidentified men in an automo-

er University of North Carolina stu- her will. dent, and then ran over him with a blue sedan.

Morganton, Aug. 24.-An autopsy Burton Aldridge, rated one of the best bear hunters in Western North President Roosevit must choose one Carolina.

The body of "Burch," as he was known to almost everyone, was found late yesterday afternoon in the underbrush eight feet below a mountain trail near Linville Gorge, about a half mile from his home. The all of his program. 63 year old tramper of the trails, who came to Linville township last March from his native Avery county was last seen Saturday.

Charlotte, Aug. 24.-Agents of the federal bureau of investigation here sail today that Floyd C. Paterson former Infield, bank cashier, was be ing held at Charleston, S. C., under \$2,500 bail on a charge of embezzling \$2000 from the estate of a negro girl for whom he acted as guardian.

Cliffside, Aug. 24.-Highway No. 207 from the South Carolina state line through Cliffside is being resurfaced with a coating of tar and gravel. One half of the main street thru town has already been surfaced and traffic is confined to one half of the

Goldsboro, Aug. 24.-A special venire of 75 men reported today as the state called the case of Earl Sasser and Milford Exum, charged with mui der in the slaying of Jim Williams. 60 year old negro basketmaker.

Superior Judge Henry Grady denied yesterday a defense request for postponement.

Charlotte, Aug. 24.-Officers of three agencies said today they has completed a close search of a wide area of the western part of the city without success in a hunt for a negro man reported by Mrs. Jerry Bell occupant of an automobile trailer, to have attempted an assault upon her.

Concord, Aug. 24.-Injuries ne re ceived several hours previously Thomasson Reunion when struck by a car proved fatai yesterday to Charles Easley, 28 year old mill village resident.

Joe Littles, negro driver, is being held for an inquest.

Goldsboro, Aug 25.-Arnold Sasser 24, farmer, died at a hospital here today from injuries received Monday when his mules became frightened and ran, crushing him beneath a load of wood. Funeral services will be Play To Be Given held tomorrow afternoon.

Reidsville, Aug. 25 .- An automobile turned over near Ruffin yester- day" given at Beth-Ware High day and killed Elizabeth, two year school Saturday, August 28, at 8:00 old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Myers, of Richmond, Va.

#### --National News-

Barrow, Alaska, Aug. 24.-Reports Brown, Buncombe county's mild- radio signals had been heard on the mannered sheriff, said today he had wave length of Sigismund Lavaneffinstructed his deputies to hun up a sky's missing transpolar plane spur pair of escaped convicts in seeking red rescue fliers to new effrots toto run down the killers of George C. day in their search for the six lost

London, Aug. 24.-Two Englishmen who befriended the Duchess of Brown, a former Presbyterian foot Bedford, Britain's "flying peeress. ball player, declined to name the when she was forced down in an suspects he said he believed fired Iraq field nine years ago, today rethree pistol bullets into Penn, form- ceived of bequests of \$10.00 each in

Washington, Aug. 23.-Democratic leaders, worried by the strife was hold today on the body of James within their party, predicted today that before congress reconvenes of these far-reaching courses of strategy:

1. Reconciliation, at the cost of abandoning some of his most cherish ed objectives, with the party factions which have refused to support

2. ' new campaign to rally public suppor and hammer through his controversial issues, risking disruption of the party beyond all repair.

Manili, P. I., Aug. 24.-Child refu-

smallpox and typhoid.

birds cast death about them.

of Egypt's young King Farouk to Mille. Sasi Naaz, 16 year old daughter of Youssef Bey Zulfikar. coun cillor of the Alexandria mixed court of appeals, was officially announced

#### Union Service At Lutheran Church

The final Union Service of the Boyce, pastor of the A. R. P. church, chell's best seller now stands at 46 church, Wednesday, Sept. 1, at 7:30 in charge. Large numbers have been even though the Library has three o'clock. fine interest has been shown, and it the Libray since the opening. is hoped the Lutheran Church will be filled to an overflowing capacity girls' books have recently been addfor the inal Union message.

The 14th annunal reunion of the Thomasson family will be held at Union church near York, S. C., tothe family are invited.

Chas. Thomasson is president and Miss Lula Smith is secretary.

## At Beth-Ware

There will be a play, "Fool's Holi-P. M. The public is invited a small admission will be charged.

## Laughing Around the World With IRVIN S. COBB

#### The Amount in Small Change

By IRVIN S. COBB

ONE NIGHT in the wintertime an old-time city editor of the New York Sun, called a new reporter up to his desk. "The man who handed in the weather story forgot to get the figures



on the snowfall," he said. "Go find out just how deep it is."

What he wanted the beginner to do was to call up the Weather Bureau on the telephone; but the cub, being green, asked the office joker how to proceed. The humorist handed him the space-measuring rule which, instead of being marked with inches and feet was spaced off into dollars and cents.

dollars and cents.

"Go over to City Hall Park where the snow is deep and smooth and measure it," he said.

The cub put on his overshoes and went. Presently he returned and marched to the chief's desk.

"Well," said the Editor, "what does the snowfall come to?"

"A dollar and thirty-four cents!" said the youngster. (American News Features, Inc.)



## Large Number Making Use Of Public Library

gees screamed today as welcoming The Kings Mountain Public Liairplanes swooped low over the liner brary which was opened to the citi-President Hoover, bearing 871 per- zens of Kings Mountain on February sons fleeing from the Shanghai war 15th has circulated a total of 9,629 books from the opening day through The vessel was held several hours Tuesday, August 24th, which is just at the breakwater while the passen a little over six month. This makes gers were inoculated against cholera an average of about 1,604 books each menth or about 62 each day. As the Two planes flew overhead and a Library is only open four hours each group of children bolted below, mem afternoon and 6 hours on Saturday. ory-ridden by terrifying experiences this makes an average of 15 books in Shanghai when similar roaring being let out each hour that the Library is open.

A total of 1,350 books are now in the Library, and any citizen of Kings Cairo, Aug. 24.—The engagement Mountain is invited to avail themselves of the services offered by the Public Library.

A total of 1,068 membership cards have been signed, which goes to prove the need for a Library in Kings Mountain, The Best Town in the State.

During the week beginning August 9th a total of 741 books were let out.

year will be held Sunday night at the most popular book in the Library, charge of the singing at a revival to Football Practice Starts Lutheran church with Rev. W. M. The waiting list on Margaret Mit- begin at the Wesleyan Methodist Sept. 1st. attending the Union Services and copies. 69 have read this book from About 250 children's boys' and

ed to the others already on the shelves for circulation. Other books are joy reading them.

says that most books are returned for this meeting. Rev. Wireman day, (Thursday, Aug. 26) at 10:00 promptly, but a few have received bears the reputation of being one of o'clock. All relatives and friends of books and failed to bring them back, the most fearless evangelists of the belong to the Library will return want to hear him again. them at once.

starting the Public Library in Kings Mountain are rejoicing over the re- Evangelist, and is well known and ception that has been given it.

Below is listed the number of books circulated each month since

ne Library was	opened	l:	
Vonth	Adults	Juve.	Tota
Feb. 15	. 344	65	40
March	1389	365	175
April	1272	252	152
May	.1121	222	134
une	1118	258	137
uly	930	435	136
August	885	964	184

Total book circulation ...... 9620

#### Bible School At Margrace

A spendid Vacation Bible School is n session at the Margrace Communty House. Mrs. J. C. Nickels is suerintendent of the school. She is assisted by Mr. Jack Vinson of the Union Seminary, Richmond, Va., Miss Catherine Keiger of the Assembly's Training School, Richmond, Va. and Miss Ellerber, sister of Mrs. W. r. Weir, and Mrs. H. A. Goforth. Others who have assisted or are asisting in the school, are Miss Virinia Parsons, Mrs. Paul Mauney, Misses Barbara Summitt, Frances loforth, Sarah Henry Summitt and Aildred Moss.

The school comes to a close Frilay. A program will be given at the 'ommunity Building Friday evening t 7:30 to which the public is cordi ally in vited.



RAYMOND LEWIS

"Gone with the Wind" still is the of Van Wert, Ohio, who will be in

#### Revival At Wesleyan Methodist Church

The local Wesleyan Methodist being donated almost daily. The Li-church will begin a revival Wednesbrary is always glad to receive day, September 1, at 7:30 o'clock, books and citizens are asked to Services will be held Monday and bring their books soothers may en Tuesday nights by the pastor, Rev. A. F. Connor. Rev. C. L. Wireman of Miss Ida Mae Davis, Librarian Ashburn, Ga., will be the Evangelist and that she will appreciate it very denomination. He is in a class of his much if those who have books tal own. Hear him once and you will

The singing will be in charge o Those who were instrumental in Mr. Raymond Lewis of Van Wert. Ohio. Mr. Lewis is a General Song nuch loved throughout the church The pastor and church are extendivaa cordial invitation to one and all both church and non-church people.

## Will Rogers' Humorous Story

By WILL ROGERS

THIS one about the colored brother isn't as new as some others, but you can never tell about



and then again they may wear out. This here one has been used in my own circle of acquaintances for twenty years, and it ain't showing any signs of breaking down in
the arches yet.

A colored fellow was about to
walk into a somewhat well known

blind tiger in a small town when he felt a tap on his shoulder.

felt a tap on his shoulder.

Glancing around he beheld the preacher of his church.

"Brother," said the parson, "don' you know that when you all enter dat place of sin de devil is walkin' right behind you?"

"Well, parson," said the brother," it ain't gonna do him a mite of good, 'cause I only got two bits wid me."

#### W. M. U. Meets With First Baptist Here Today

The Woman's Missionary Union of the Kings Mountain Association meets today with the First Baptist church of Kings Mountain. This meeting includes 43 Baptist church es of Cleveland county. The program follows:

10:30: Devotional - M:s. J. Frederick.

Organization. Words of Welcome-Mrs. A. G. Sar geant.

Respone: Mrs. M. W. Martin. Roll Call, with one half minute reports from societies. Recognition of Visitors, Pastors.

Superintendents Address: "Lights" Song. Appointment of Committees Address: Rev. A. S. Gillespie. Anouncements. LUNCH.

Devotional: Mrs. Coleman Elliott. Our College: Dr. George J. Burnet. Special Music: Boiling Springs. Mission Study Reports. A Mission Study Book Parade

Shelby First. Address: State Missions - Rev.

Horace Easom. Playlet on Stewardship - South Shelby.

Reports. Closing Service. The night session will begin at 8 o'clock. The principal speaker of the evening will be Miss Tanya Kara pune of Russia. She and her family escaped from her country during the Bolshevik regime and is studying ... America to be a missionary to her

#### Attend Wedding In Charlotte

A large number of Kings Mountain people, other than members of the family and wedding party attended rhe Jackson-Ashcraft wedding and reception which took place in Char- of Easter North Carolina. Mrs. Rum lotte last Friday evening.

Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mauney and guests, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Ramseur, of Allentown, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Woodward, Mr. Wade Short, Mr. R. C. Baker, Mrs Nina Wolfe, Miss Ethel Roberts Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neisler, Mr. C. E. Neisler, Mrs. Joe Neisler, Miss Pauline Neisler, Mrs. A. H. Patterson, Misses Dorothy and Fairy Grace Patterson, Mrs. F. E. Finger, Miss Sara Finger, Dan Finger, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thomson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller, Miss Ella Harmon and a number of others.

Ceach Paul E. (Big Pete) Moss day. asks that all High School boys interested in football be out for practice ved. Stunts and songs provided September first. Coach Moss wants amusement and entertainment. to get his team organized and well is around October first.

Prospects for this year's team are much brighter than years. Several In the afternoon a flower show was some have moved into town during ny acting as judges. vacation. Coach Moss says that he is prepared to get the necessary c quipment for 25 boys if he has that many out. All boys will be given a chance to "show their stuff" and chance to play if they are good

#### Park Grace School Opens Next Week

The Park-Grace school will open text week on September 1st.

The faculty personnel will be the same as the past year with the foiowing teachers: Mrs. J. C. Nickels orincipal; Miss Elizabeth Cooksey of Blacksburg, S. C., Miss Catherine Rudisill if Charlotte, N. C., Miss Mil dred Moss, Miss Sara Kate Ormand and Miss Helen Ridenhour, all of Kings Mountain.

#### Change Residences

ented their home on West Moun-Mr. McGill's father, Mr. Leroy Mc-Bill, who is making his home with

### Leave For College

The following left Kings Moun- triumphed over hysteria. ain this week for Boone where they have entered college at Appalachian State Teachers College: Billy White, ny ways. Congress turned a cold ames Littlejohn, John Elam and Campbell Stewart.

#### SEEKS EXTRADITION

in Durham county on embezzlement themselves had cooled toward con-

## **Funeral Services** For J. A. McGill Held Saturday

Funeral services for Isaac Alexander McGill, age 79, were held at his late residence north of Kings Mountain, Saturday morning at 10:00 cclock and interment made at Bethel church cemetery where other members of the family are buried, Rev. A. G. Sargeant, pastor of the First Baptist church, Kings Mountain, of which Mr. McGill had long been a member, was in charge of the service. He was assisted by Rev. L. Boyd Hamm, pastor of St. Matthews and St. Lukes Lutheran churches, and D. F. Hord. layman and coworker of the deceased, in the First Laptist church.

Mr. McGill had been in failing health for some time and for several weeks had been a patient in a Charlotte Hospital, undergoing an opera tion a few days before his death.

He has lived his entire life at the old McGill home place, where he was born. He was known for his up rightness and strength of character throughout this section. He was a member of Patterson Grove Baptist church for several years later moving his membership, with that of other members of his family, to the First Baptist church, Kings Mountain, of which he was a faithful member until death. He was a son of the late William and Mary Stroupe McGill, a prominent Cleveland county family.

He is survived by his widow, who was before marriage, Miss Mary Fulton, and the following children Mrs. Rufus Plonk, Mrs. Lee Wollt-Will, Raymond, Leland and Isaac, Jr., all of Kings Mountain; Mrs. Lonnie Spake of Shelby; James, George and Mrs. P. P. Rumple, all ple underwent an operation in Charlotte Hospital a few days before her father's death and was unable to attend the funeral services. Other members of the family and a large number of relatives and friends a number from a distance, attended the funeral services.

He is also survived by several grand children.

#### Clubs Picnic Together

The Community Club of El-Bethel. Bethlehem and Patterson Grove met in a joint picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Elam last Sature

A bountiful picnic dinner was ser

Miss Elizabeth Randle of the 4-H trained before the first game which club gave a talk on Fall Styles and other young people tod of value of community clubs.

boys have announced that they are held with Mrs. E. W. Griffin, Mrs. coming back to play football and P. D. Herndon and Mrs. J. E Antho-

#### **Accepts Position Here**

Miss Ruth Moore of Marshville, N. C., has accepted a position with the Ansell Beauty Shop and will arrive in Kings Mountain during the week-

# Pashington Snapshots

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

As Congress drew near the end of its prolonged but almost useless session, its acts testified to the ending of the depression and the return of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McGill have better times without benefit of quack remedies. For quack legislation casain street and are now occupying es have always gone hand in hand he former Hughes home on Raijroad with hard times. The fact that Con-Avenue. The change was made in gress had lost its taste for hasty order that they might have room for pudding toward the end of the session and that thosewho had a speaking acquaintance with sound economic doctrine were in the ascendency showed even better than industrial charts that employment had overcome unemployment and reason had

This trend was exemplified in mashoulder toward proposed legislation from the pen of Secretary Wallace's agricultural thinkers which would have securely fastened the grip of government control upon far Raleigh, Aug. 25.—Governor Hoey ming throughout the country. But sought today the return from Dan Congress acts only upon impulses re ville, Va., of Eddie Chappell, wanted ceived from back home and farmers (Cont'd on back page)