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## AN APPRECIATION OF HON. JOHN H. KERR CAN- DIDATE FOR JUDGE, BY HIS HOME FOLKS.

To the Democratic Voters of the  
Third Judicial District:-

We, the un-  
dersigned citizens of Warrenton,  
North Carolina, the home of Hon-  
orable John H. Kerr, who is a  
candidate for the nomination for  
Judge of this district to succeed  
Judge R. B. Peebles, deceased, be-  
fore the primary to be held in this  
district on the 9th day of September, 1916  
with pleasure and pride desire to  
commend Mr. Kerr to the citizens  
of our district and beg that you  
give him your active support for  
this position. We do this because  
of our great esteem for him, and  
because we know of his splendid  
fitness for this office and great  
honor. Mr. Kerr, having been  
our Solicitor for ten years, is well  
known to most of the people; he  
has filled the office of Solicitor  
with signal ability and, we believe,  
to the entire satisfaction of the  
people of this district; but we, his  
home people, know him best, and  
we wish to testify to his high per-  
sonal character and to his ideal  
home life. He stands in this com-  
munity for the highest ideals and  
those things which tend to make  
our County and our State better;  
He is a lawyer of large attain-  
ments and great success, and we  
believe will adorn the bench of  
the State and be the equal of any  
of his splendid predecessors. With  
this character and these attain-  
ments, he is besides—a loyal dem-  
ocrat and has never swerved when  
he could do service to the party  
and the white citizenship of this  
State. Respectfully,

T. G. Ellis,  
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P. M. Stallings,  
Chm. County Board of Education  
J. R. Rodwell,  
Clerk of Superior Court  
(Political advertisement)

### DEATH OF MRS. PARKER.

On the afternoon of July 25th,  
1916, the death angel visited the  
home of Mr. J. J. Parker, and  
bore to its Heavenly home the  
spirit of his beloved mother, Mrs.  
Laodicea Parker, the wife of the  
late J. B. Parker, in the 68th  
year of her life.

She had been a great sufferer for  
several years, but bore it all with  
Christian fortitude, and no one  
had any idea the end was so near,  
until a few short days before her  
death.

All that a kind physician,  
friends and loved ones could do,  
could not stop the cold hand of  
death,—her earthly work was en-  
ded, and she was called up higher.

She was a faithful member of  
of the Meherrin Baptist Church  
and W. M. Society, and was a reg-  
ular attendant whenever her health  
permitted. She will be greatly  
missed in her Church and Society,  
but most of all in her home;

though almost an invalid she was  
always there to speak a loving  
word or a bit of council.

She leaves to mourn their loss  
seven children, whom we commend  
to the God whom she loved and  
served, and pray that His sustain-  
ing grace may be with them in this  
dark hour of bereavement.

The funeral services were con-  
ducted by her pastor, Rev. E. F.  
Sullivan, of Murfreesboro, assisted  
by Rev. T. C. Keaton, of Mur-  
freesboro, July 26th, 1916, amid a  
large concourse of sorrowing  
friends and relatives, and she was  
laid to rest in the Cemetery at her  
home.

The floral designs were many  
and beautiful, which attested the  
love and esteem in which she was  
held.

Mrs. R. H. Underwood,  
Mrs. J. R. Parker,  
Mrs. O. W. Vinson,  
Committee.

### Winton Waveletts

Busy People From a Busy Town

Compiled and Arranged by the  
Herald Correspondent

Mrs. John Vann was hostess to  
the Chohan Club Monday evening,  
August 21, the subject being  
"Art." Some splendid talks were  
made on the leading artists. Miss  
Madge Conwell gave an interest-  
ing and instructive talk on art in  
Mexico. At the close of her talk  
she paid a beautiful tribute to the  
women who had been educated at  
Chowan College. A committee  
was appointed to get up a play for  
the benefit of the College. The  
next meeting will be with  
Mrs. J. W. Boone, and the subject  
will be Famous Women.

The Y. W. A. of Chohan  
Church will give a missionary  
program in the church Sunday  
Evening, September 3rd. Two  
Missionary exercises will be given,  
"Aunt Elizabeth's Missionary  
Tea," and an exercise by eight  
young ladies illustrating Bishop  
Hebner's grand Missionary song,  
"From Greenland's Icy Moun-  
tains." There will be special  
music. The offering will be for  
Miss Johnson's salary, the mis-  
sionary in China supported by the  
W. M. U. of the West Chohan  
Association. The public is in-  
vited to attend the services.

Rev. C. B. Williams, of Fort  
Wort, Texas, spent Thursday in  
Winton with relatives. He was  
on his way home from Ridgecrest  
where he has been giving lectures  
on the Bible for the past six  
weeks.

Chowan Sunday School had a  
most delightful picnic on Potocasi  
Creek about five miles from town,  
Thursday.

Mrs. T. B. Justice and children,  
who have been visiting their par-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mitchell,  
returned to their home in Charlotte  
Tuesday.

Mrs. Em. Perry, of Bertie  
County, is visiting relatives in  
town.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lowe and  
little daughter, Bettie June, have  
returned from a visit to relatives  
in Wallace.

Miss Pearl Ward, of Wallace, is  
visiting her sister, Mrs. A. P.  
Hines at the Taylor Hotel.

Miss Louise Taylor is visit-  
ing friends in Northampton County.

Mrs. Margaret Peterson is visit-  
ing relatives in Murfreesboro.

Miss Ruth Davenport will leave  
Saturday for Rich Square, where  
she will teach next session.

Misses Georgia Piliand  
Madge Conwell, of New York,  
went to Murfreesboro Thursday  
to be present at the Re-Union of  
their Class of 1913.

Miss Hattie Lou Ward, who has  
been visiting Miss Kate Taylor

## COMMUNITY COTTON SEED SELECTION

Poor Cotton Crops often Due to  
Poor Seed Selection, Caused by  
Mixing Seed at Gins—Extension  
Service Providing Community Se-  
lection and Breeding.

West Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 30  
—The efforts of individual growers  
to improve their varieties of cot-  
ton are greatly hindered by the  
mixing of seed at the public gins  
and by crossing from neighboring  
fields; therefore the matter of cot-  
ton-breeding becomes a commu-  
nity problem instead of an individ-  
ual one. Too large a portion of  
North Carolina is of poor quality  
and poor grade, and this is due to  
the poor yielding varieties grown  
and the lack of seed selection.

Every cotton-growing commu-  
nity should be interested in the  
production of good cotton of uniform  
quality. This may be done by  
adopting one good variety for the  
community and selecting seed from  
it each year. This plan has al-  
ready proven advantageous to  
many cotton growers, as cotton of  
uniform length of fiber and quality  
may be marketed much more suc-  
cessfully than where there is a  
mixed lot placed on the market.

To get the best variety for any  
community is an easy matter. A  
variety test may run on some  
farmer's place, and the variety  
that consistently gives the best  
yield and quality should be select-  
ed as the one for the community.  
This variety may then be further  
improved by careful seed selection  
each fall. In this work of choos-  
ing the best variety it should be  
remembered that the decision must  
not be left to the eye alone, but  
cotton from each plot in the test  
should be carefully weighed and the  
weights and quality of line com-  
pared.

The Extension Service has had  
this work underway in the State  
for several years now, at different  
points. At Vanceboro, Craven  
County, Mr. J. G. Bland is allow-  
ing the use of his farm for the  
purpose of finding the best variety  
for the community; at Macleesfield,  
Edgecombe County, Mr. W. W. W.  
Eagles; at New Bern, Craven  
County, Mr. D. T. Richardson; at  
Seotland Neck, Halifax County,  
Messrs. F. P. Sheids and G. K.  
Moore; in the Steel Creek Section  
of Mecklenburg County, Messrs.  
S. M. Neely, C. B. Choate, and J.  
P. Stroup; and at Manchester,  
Cumberland County, Mr. R. W.  
Christian is carrying on the work.

It will be to the interest of the  
communities in which these tests  
are being conducted to keep in  
close touch with the results obtain-  
ed. The plots should be visited  
and the men who are doing the  
work should be cooperated with,  
so that a good variety for the  
community may be chosen and  
improved.

left Thursday for her home in  
Williamston.

Messrs. J. R. Vann and John  
Northcott were in Como Sunday  
afternoon.

Mr. C. S. Vann, of Edenton,  
was the guest of his mother, Mrs.  
Martha Vann, a few days the past  
week.

The Fairy part of Midsummer's  
Night Dream will be given by the  
children of the town on the River  
Hill Friday evening, beginning at  
eight o'clock. Admission 10 and  
15 cents. Proceeds will be given  
to the organ fund of Chohan Col-  
lege. Should it rain Friday the  
play will be given the same time  
Saturday.

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## DISTRICT SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

Warrenton District Sunday School  
Convention of the Methodist Epis-  
copal Church to Meet in Weldon,  
September 11-12—Good Program  
Arranged.

MONDAY NIGHT, 8 O'CLOCK.  
Devotional Service.

Address "The Wesley Bible  
Class Movement"—Rev. W. C.  
Owen.

Address "The Teacher's Ideals"  
—Mr. J. M. Way.

Appointment of Committees.

TUESDAY MORNING, 9 O'CLOCK.

Devotional service.

Sunday School Work in the  
Warrenton District—By Rev.  
J. D. Bundy.

Elementary Work—Miss Minnie  
E. Kennedy.

Open Conference—Led by Miss  
Kennedy.

Organized Bible Class Work—  
Mr. Owen.

Open Conference—Led by Mr.  
Owen and Mr. Terrell.

Teacher Training Past and Pres-  
ent—Mr. Way.

Open Conference on Teacher  
Training—Led by Mr. Way.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON, 2 O'CLOCK.

Devotional Service.

One Minute Reports from  
Schools and Classes.

Elementary Work in Country.  
The Pastor and the Sunday  
School—Mr. Way.

A Definite Plan for Our Work—  
Mr. Brabham.

Organization of District Sunday  
School Conference.

Our Missionary Policy for the  
Sunday School—Mr. Owen.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON, 8 O'CLOCK.

Devotional Service.

Address "The Teen Age Girl"  
—Miss Keenedy.

Address "Our Twentieth Centu-  
ry Sunday School Movement"  
—Mr. Way.

Adjournment.

All preachers, teachers, superin-  
tendents and organized Bible Class  
workers are invited and urged to  
attend. Names should be sent im-  
mediately to Rev. F. M. Shambur-  
ger, Weldon, N. C., so that an en-  
tainment may be provided.

## PROVIDE MEDICAL IN- SPECTION FOR SCHOOLS

State Board of Health Says it is  
Safe to Open Schools Un-  
der Medical Inspection

In answer to an inquiry as to  
whether or not it would be safe to  
open schools in September on ac-  
count of the prevalence of infan-  
tile paralysis throughout the  
country, the State Board of Health  
says that there will likely be no  
danger of an outbreak of this dis-  
ease at the opening of the schools,  
and certainly not if the schools  
open under the supervision of a  
medical inspector. The Board  
emphasizes the importance of pro-  
viding this means of safety and  
prevention not only of infantile  
paralysis, but against all contag-  
ious diseases, particularly  
measles, whooping cough, scarlet  
fever, and diphtheria. In this con-  
nection the Board says that there's  
far more danger from an outbreak  
or epidemic of measles, scarlet  
fever or diphtheria than that of in-  
fantile paralysis and that the fa-  
tality as well as the serious after-  
effects of the diseases are very  
near as great as those resulting  
from infantile paralysis.

Another point stressed by the  
Board in connection with schools  
and epidemics is that to keep the  
school open in case of an epidem-  
ic and employ a medical inspector  
is the best means of controlling an  
outbreak of any communicable  
disease. The school acts as a  
clearing house wherein the spread  
of the disease is checked.

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ure to serve is ours. The opportunity to save is yours.  
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