

THE GLEANER

GRAHAM, N. C., OCT. 18, 1928

LOCAL NEWS

REGISTER! If you want to vote you must register.

It is less than three weeks till election day—Nov. 6th. To be exact, 18 days.

These days are warm like regular summer days. See how far south the moon is, a good sign of warm weather, not infallible, however.

Since the weather is so fine, it is presumed that the farmers are busy and putting in long hours harvesting crops and sowing seed for next year's wheat, oat and rye crops.

If you have not registered and wish to vote, register, or see that your name is on the books. The registrars will be at the polling places in each precinct two more Saturdays, Oct. 20 and 27.

The barber firm composed of R. L. and K. K. Allen and H. M. Marshall moved Monday from their stand in the old Graham hotel to their new quarters in the new theatre building, at the left of the entrance. They have added some new equipment and have a handsome place for the business.

Fourth Prize For Graham U. D. C.

Last week we mentioned the three essay prizes awarded Graham Chapter at the State Convention at Greensboro. Our information is that these were offered by individuals through the State organization.

The fourth, announced later, and offered by the State organization, was a \$10.00 prize for the best Chapter report. This was prepared by Mrs. R. N. Cook, the efficient secretary of the Graham Chapter.

Big Fishing.

Messrs. Armstrong and Ben B. Holt and W. T. Hall of Graham and Dean Holt of Goldsboro, returned Saturday night from a fishing trip in Eastern waters. The sportsmen generously distributed nice strings among their friends, but these were not the big fish. Of the latter there were two—the king mackerel, whose aggregate was 49 lbs. The largest one measured 48 inches from tip to tip and weighed 29 pounds. Isn't that big fishing?

Lespedeza Makes Abundant Crop.

Some five years ago no lespedeza was sown in Alamance County. However, on many fields it was coming up wild. Realizing its value as a soil builder and as a hay for grazing, hundreds of acres are being sown each year. Farmers are beginning to save the seed and sell some to their neighbors. Last year Ed. Russell, Saxapahaw, saved enough seed for his own use and sold \$75.00 worth to others.

This year the local tinsmith is called upon to make the seed pans for saving the seed. Several hundred bushels of seed will be saved for seeding a new crop. Hundreds of acres for soil improvement were sown this year. Dr. R. G. McPherson, Rufus and Bob Woody, Webb Lindley, Lawrence and Ernest Marlette, are among a host of farmers growing successfully this soil improver and great grazing crop.

One farmer has 95 acres in grass mixture with lespedeza. This crop grows well in all parts of the County. Encourage it for the soil's sake.

W. KERR SCOTT, County Agent. Southwest Alamance.

Cor. of The Gleaner.

Smith or Hoover, which will it be after the 6th of November? We will see.

Ask our mail carrier how he likes to carry tools along to work the impassable places on his route. Shame on road bosses of Alamance county!

Rev. Williams of High Point, will fill the unexpired term at Mt. Zion of Rev. J. A. Hackney, dec'd.

Radion are getting numerous in our community. No trouble to hear speaking.

Lespedeza following wheat on the farm of John W. Cross of Cabarrus County, is 20 inches high over a field of eight acres.

Forty farmers of Person County recently visited Alamance to study the dairy industry of that County.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. J. Dolph Long spent Tuesday in Raleigh.

Mrs. Will E. White is visiting her sister, Mrs. McCoy in Charlotte.

Mrs. Robert Regsdale of Furquay Springs visited Mrs. J. D. Lee here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Kernodle of Danville spent last Sunday evening here with relatives.

Mrs. Ralph Scott of Ooracoke spent the week-end here at the home of Mr. W. L. Cooper.

Misses Cornelia and Minnie Hornbuckle of Raleigh were weekend guests of Mrs. W. T. Ezell.

Mr. R. J. Riddle spent Sunday with his father who is at a hospital in Greensboro for treatment.

Miss Lucy Gay Cooke of Duke University was here for the week-end with her sister, Mrs. R. N. Cook.

Mr. C. C. Thompson spent the first of the week at the home of his brother, Mr. A. J. Thompson, at Badin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Andrews of Winston-Salem spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Quakenbush.

Edwin and Albert Reavis of Greensboro spent Sunday here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Reavis.

Misses Mabel Moore and Annie Boyd Hadley came down from Greensboro and spent the week-end at their homes here.

Mr. John B. Stratford left Tuesday on a business trip to Charlotte and Gastonia and points in South Carolina.

Misses Leslie Ezell and Lois Corbett spent the week-end with the former's sister, Mrs. J. A. Thompson, in Asheville.

Rev. Dr. W. W. Staley of Suffolk, Va., was here Saturday attending the funeral of his half-brother, Robt. N. Cook.

Miss Adele Williams, in school at High Point College, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jacobs and Miss Ruby McLean of Gastonia, visited Miss Alice Bradshaw here the first of the week.

Mrs. George H. Ross of Durham is visiting here at the home of her son, Mayor Clarence Ross, and attending the Baptist Association.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Stratford and little daughter, Cora Harden, spent Monday evening in Greensboro and attended the theatre.

Mrs. R. L. Holmes of Reidsville was here yesterday attending the session of the Mt. Zion Baptist Association at Graham Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Smith and daughter, Miss Gayle, and Mrs. Thos. O. Coble and little daughter, Polly, attended the Greensboro Fair last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard C. Goley left Tuesday morning on a motor trip to Hanover, Pa. On their trip they will pass through the Shenandoah valley and visit points of interest on the way going and returning.

Chas. C. Thompson, Jr., teaching at New London, carried his mother-in-law, Mrs. T. R. Rae who had been to see her little grandson, to her home at Hillsboro Saturday. He spent Saturday night here at the home of his parents and carried his father to Badin Sunday.

Mrs. Jas. W. Holt and daughter, Miss Fan, who were the guests of Mrs. J. J. Henderson last week, left Saturday morning for their home in Jacksonville, Fla. They went from here to Lumberton where they expected to spend a few days with Mrs. Jas. D. Proctor.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Rives and daughter, Miss Mary Worsley, Misses Rebecca and Annie Ruth Harden and Mr. Hal Farrell are in Henderson today to attend the Newcomb-Harden nuptials at the M. E. Church at 11 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Harden will be at home in Graham after Nov. 1st.

Mrs. A. M. Fairley and Mrs. B. C. McNeil of Laurinburg, came Monday and spent the night with the former's daughter, Mrs. Willard C. Goley. They left for home Tuesday morning. Mrs. Fairley carried her little grandson, Willard C. Goley, Jr., home with her to keep while his parents are away on a trip.

The Passing Of Ex-Sheriff Cook.

Last week we mentioned briefly the sudden death of ex-Sheriff Robert N. Cook Thursday afternoon. He was returning from Raleigh in an automobile with a party of friends and expired near Morrisville suddenly and without warning.

The news of his sudden passing was a great shock and grief to the entire community and to his many friends elsewhere.

The funeral was held at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the M. E. Church of which he was a member and an official, in the presence of a large congregation.

The funeral services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. A. C. Hollar, assisted by Rev. G. W. Starling, former pastor, Rev. W. E. Harrop of the Presbyterian Church and Dr. P. H. Fleming of the Christian Church. Following the funeral services the interment was in Providence cemetery. The pall-bearers were Jas. A. Foust, A. K. Hardee, Chas. F. Cates, Jas. S. Cook, Robt. M. Tate and Allen B. Thompson, all selected by Mr. Cook in anticipation of his dissolution. Perhaps a pronouncement that the end would be sudden, as that of two brothers within the past three or four years.

Many friends expressed their high esteem for the deceased in beautiful floral offerings.

Mr. Cook was about 60 years of age and was born and reared in the Mt. Herman section, a few miles south of Graham. He is survived by his widow and two children, Robert N., Jr., 5 years of age and a little son three months old; a sister, Mrs. J. A. Loy, two half sisters, Mrs. Lydia Clendenin and Miss Letitia Staley, all living in the county; Rev. Dr. W. W. Staley, half brother of Suffolk, Va., and several nephews and nieces.

Robert N. Cook was one of the county's best and most esteemed citizens. Though reared on a farm, from early manhood he led a business career.

In 1908 he was called from the management of the company's store at Swepsonville to be the Democratic candidate for sheriff. He served eight years and declined a renomination. He was afterwards postmaster for Graham, then deputy clerk of the Superior Court, and nearly two years ago was chosen tax-collector, secretary and treasurer of the town of Graham. At the time of his death he was a nominee for County Commissioner.

In all his relations he was pleasant and agreeable, was a competent official and won the esteem and friendship of those with whom he came in contact.

TREAT SEED WHEAT

Copper Carbonate Kills Smut and Increases Yield of Quality Wheat.

Two ounces of copper carbonate dust to one bushel of wheat, thoroughly mixed, so that each grain is covered with the poison will increase acre yields of quality wheat.

"Copper carbonate is a light green powder which when thoroughly mixed with the seed wheat will control covered smut," says G. W. Fant, plant disease specialist at State College. "Any type of closed container, such as a barrel mixer, may be used for treating the grain. The method is easy to use and valuable in results."

Mr. Fant has encouraged this method in North Carolina for the past several years. He states that the only precaution to observe in applying the treatment is to thoroughly mix the dust and the seed wheat. Where the copper carbonate escapes into the air to any extent it irritates the eyes and nose and therefore mixing had best be done in the open. Many growers have built dust-tight, rotating, barrel-mixers that they have used to advantage.

This treatment may be given to the wheat any time before planting. It acts as repellent to both weevils and mice and if properly stored may be treated at least a month before planting time. However, only that wheat which will be used for planting should be treated, states Mr. Fant. Copper carbonate is poisonous and grain so treated cannot be used for milling purpose or for feed.

It is not wise to leave the treated grain in the seed drill overnight. The copper-carbonate absorbs moisture and may cause the drill to clog. If the drill is not emptied when work is done for the night, it is advised to turn the feed shafts with a wrench before the drill is thrown in gear. This will free the feed wheels and will likely avoid gear breakage.

Monday Night, Oct. 22nd "The Graham Theatre" Graham's New Picture Show House Will Have Its Opening.

For weeks and weeks, ever since the wreckers started razing the old buildings, Graham and the entire community have anxiously looked forward to the completion and opening up of the big new picture show house—The Graham Theatre. As the work progressed each step was noted with interest.

The realization has come and the first show will be given next Monday night—doors open at 7, show starts 7:15.

We heartily congratulate Mr. R. L. Holmes, the builder, on providing so handsome and commodious a play house for Graham, and the management, Mr. and Mrs. Allen B. Thompson, upon their opportunity of putting on the best productions.

MONDAY NIGHT'S PROGRAM

"How to Handle Women," will be featured by Glen Tryon, known as "the happiness boy," one of the newest stars to gain fame in comedies. His brand of humor is absolutely new. A pleasurable treat is in store for those who have not seen him.

Marian Nixon, "the sweetest girl in pictures," takes the leading feminine role, and some of her romantic scenes with Tryon are said to be well nigh perfect and models for other heroines.

The auditorium of the new playhouse seats 500 and it is expected standing room will be at a premium.

Baptist Association Meets Here.

The 59th annual session of Mount Zion Baptist Association was held with Graham Baptist Church on Tuesday and Wednesday.

The session opened with an attendance of more than 400 ministers, delegates and visitors. It was a fine body of people.

The session was opened with devotional exercises at 10 A. M. Tuesday by Rev. C. A. Caldwell of Hillsboro.

The program touched every phase of Church life and activity, each being considered as scheduled. Both days were full.

While the program did not so state, we are informed that Walter M. Williams, prominent layman of Burlington and a former Graham boy, presided at the sessions.

It is hoped that each and every one of the visitors enjoyed their brief stay in Graham.

W. Odie Roberson Fatally Hurt In Auto Crash.

Last Sunday afternoon on No. 10 near Sedalia two autos met at full speed. Both cars were wrecked and the occupants were more or less seriously injured. W. Odie Roberson, aged 33, was fatally injured and died Tuesday morning. A Mr. Blackmon of Haw River was riding with him. In the other car was Jim Burns and Jesse Meacham of Burlington. Mr. Roberson's home was in Burlington and he is survived by his widow and his mother. Burns and Meacham are under bond of \$5,000 each.

A Word of Thanks.

The ladies of Graham Baptist Church request us to express their hearty thanks to the other ladies of Graham for their kindness and helpfulness in entertaining the large number of visitors attending the session of Mt. Zion Association here Tuesday and Wednesday.

—Mr. J. S. Bowman and family were called to Candor on account of the death of his mother, Mrs. G. C. Bowman. The funeral and burial were in Candor Tuesday. Their friends here sympathize with them in their bereavement.

Barns, sheds and stacks are fitted with nutritious lespedeza hay in Union County, according to late reports.

Two farmers of Catawba County are selling their apples from a 40-acre orchard for \$1.50 per bushel at the trees.

Farmers of North Carolina who may wish to learn how the European Corn Borer is controlled may obtain a free bulletin on the subject by writing to the extension entomologist at State College, Raleigh, N. C.

Six farm homes in Yadkin County are being beautified by the planting of shrubbery and grass in the yards.

Fifteen cars of high grade dairy cows have been purchased by farmers of Guilford County during the past year.

SOCIAL

On last Friday evening Mrs. D. F. Noyes and Miss Elise Thompson gave a very delightful bridge party in honor of Miss Mildred Moore bride-elect, a niece of the former and cousin of the latter. The party was at the home of Mrs. Chas. A. Thompson, which was beautifully decorated with fall flowers. Nine tables of bridge were played. The high score prize, a boudoir lamp was won by Mrs. Wilson Williamson, and the hostesses present to the honoree was a silver sugar shell and butter knife in her pattern.

Delicious refreshments were served. Among the out-of-town guests were Mrs. Annie Holt, Mrs. Earl W. Moore and Mrs. Fan Holt of Jacksonville, Fla., Mesdames E. C. Sykes and L. E. Klutz of Greensboro and J. Mel Thompson of Mebane.

Mrs. J. J. Henderson gave a luncheon Wednesday in honor of Mesdames L. H. Barnett and L. H. Kernodle of Danville, Va., her guests for the day, and Miss Mildred Moore, bride-elect. She had two tables of bridge and delightful salad and ice courses were served. Dainty handkerchiefs were given Miss Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. Cooper and Master Sam of Farmer spent the week-end here at the home of Mr. Cooper's father, Mr. W. L. Cooper.

REPORT OF COMMISSION OF THE BANK OF HAW RIVER,

At Haw River, North Carolina to the Corporation Commission, at the close of business, Oct. 2nd, 1928.

Table with 2 columns: RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Includes items like Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, U. S. Bonds, All Other Stocks and Bonds, Furniture and Fixtures, Cash in vault and amounts due from Approved Depository Banks, Checks for clearing on Transfer Items, Cash items held over 24 hours, Capital Stock Paid In, Surplus Fund, Undivided profits, net amount, Reserved for Interest, Unearned Interest, Other Deposits subject to check, Cashier's Checks outstanding, Time Certificates of Deposit, Savings Deposits.

State of North Carolina, County of Alamance, I, S. A. Vest, Pres. E. K. Lasker, Director, and W. M. Myrick, Director of the Bank of Haw River, each personally appeared before me this day, and, being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing report is true to the best of his knowledge and belief. Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 11th day of October 1928. J. Archie Long, Notary Public. My commission expires Dec. 4, 1928. S. A. VEST, Pres. E. K. LASKER, W. M. MYRICK, Directors.

ORDER Authorizing the issuance of \$45,000,000 Bonds of the County of Alamance, North Carolina, For Road Purposes. Be it ordered by the Board of Commissioners of the County of Alamance, North Carolina, as follows: Section 1. Pursuant to the County Finance Act of North Carolina, bonds of the County of Alamance, North Carolina, are hereby authorized to be issued in an aggregate principal amount, not exceeding \$45,000,000, for the purposes hereinafter designated. Section 2. The proceeds of said bonds shall be applied solely to the construction, or reconstruction, with concrete of highways, including bridges and culverts. Section 3. The tax, sufficient to pay the principal and interest of said bonds, when due, shall be annually levied and collected. Section 4. A statement of the County Debt of Alamance County has been filed with the Clerk of the Board of Commissioners of said County, and is open to public inspection. Section 5. All expenses to be defrayed by means of the bonds hereby authorized are necessary expenses of the County of Alamance, within the meaning of Section 7, of Article VII, of the Constitution of North Carolina. Section 6. This order shall take effect thirty days after first publication, and the passage, unless in the meantime a petition for the submission of the voters is filed under the County Finance Act, and such event shall take effect when approved by the voters of the County, at an election provided in said Act. The foregoing order has been introduced and a sworn statement has been filed under the County Finance Act showing the assessed valuation of the County to be \$32,500,000 and net debt for purposes other than school purposes, including the proposed bonds to be \$1,000,827.96, a tax will be levied for the payment of the proposed bonds and interest, if the same shall be issued. Any citizen or taxpayer may protest against the issuance of such bonds at a meeting of the Board of Commissioners to be held at 2 o'clock P. M., on the 15th day of October, 1928, at the regular meeting room of said Board in the County Courthouse, Graham, N. C., or at an adjournment thereof. The foregoing order was finally passed on the 15th day of October 1928; any action or proceeding questioning the validity of said order must be commenced within thirty days after its first publication. Said notice was first published on the 15th day of October 1928. B. M. ROGERS, Clerk to the Board of Commissioners.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE NATIONAL BANK OF ALAMANCE At Graham, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business on Oct. 3, 1928. RESOURCES: Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, United States Government securities owned, Other bonds, stocks and securities owned, Banking House, Furniture and fixtures, Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank, Cash and due from banks, Outside checks and other cash items, Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer. LIABILITIES: Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, Undivided profits-net, Reserves for interest, taxes, and other expenses, accrued and unpaid, Circulating notes outstanding, Due to banks, Demand deposits, Time deposits, Other liabilities. Total. State of North Carolina, County of Alamance, ss: I, Chas. A. Scott, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. CHAS. A. SCOTT, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11th day of Oct. 1928. LOUISE BLAOGG, Notary Public. My Commission expires 11-9-1929. (Notarial Seal) Correct—Attest: H. W. SCOTT, DON E. SCOTT, A. M. T. JOHNSTON, Directors.

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