

THE GLEANER

GRAHAM, N. C., JAN. 4, 1934.

Local News.

Graham Public School opened Monday—an even start with the New Year.

The County Commissioners were in session Tuesday. Little else than routine business was attended to.

The weather service intimated there might be snow in the central part of the State yesterday. It was cold enough and looked like snow, but none fell.

Quincy Smith of near Kinston is spending a few days here with Phil S. Dixon and other friends. It is at Mr. Smith's where the fox hunters from this community rendezvous when they join the chase in his section. Maybe Mr. Smith don't know it, but the boys around here who have enjoyed his hospitality think a lot of him and speak well of him.

Here we are, all of us, starting a new year. Let's make the most of it and the best of it. If we will, we can so live and depart ourselves that, when the curtain of time drops on '34, there will not be so many regrets. We conclude this preachment with enjoining the observance of the Golden Rule—“Whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do you even so to them.”

During the holiday season nearly all sorts of weather, some to fit almost every month so far, have been handed out. And, by the way, it's an old saying that the first twelve days of January are an index to the twelve months of the year. Mind you, that's only a “saying” which never, so far as known, came true. And, again, so far this winter there has been no snow, except on two nights, according to reports, some fell along with the rain. But there is no special grief on that score.

Graham Postoffice Receipts for 1933 Show Increase.

Data given by Postmaster A. Ross Henderson show that Graham postoffice receipts for 1933 were \$10,036.91, or \$186.45 more than for the year 1932. For the quarter ending December 31, 1933, the receipts were \$3,017.35 or \$148.25 less than for the corresponding 1932 quarter.

The drop for the last 1933 quarter is believed to have come about on account of the change in postage rates. It appears that many other offices were similarly affected. In the first quarter of 1933 there was a big slump in postoffice receipts, while the gains in the second and third quarters were good and saved the day.

In 1932 receipts for the third quarter were lowest, while in 1933 they were lowest in the first quarter. In each of these years the receipts were highest in the fourth quarter.

Big Increase in Marriage Licenses for 1933.

The records in the office of Register of Deeds, J. G. Tingen, show that he issued 374 marriage licenses in 1933, 229 more than in 1932. In December there were issued 87—61 to whites and 26 to colored, or 50 more than in 1932.

Perhaps two factors contributed to the large increase—the last Legislature abolished the health examination requirement, on account of which many couples went to adjoining states to secure license.

Another factor was the depression and lots of people unemployed. To what extent either of these operated to make the big difference it would be hard to determine.

Timely Farm Questions Answered At State College

Question—Can skim milk or buttermilk be substituted for any other ingredient in the poultry mash?

Answer—Yes, Skim milk curdles, or buttermilk make a good substitute for dried milk, meat meal or fish meal. Four and one-half gallons can be used as a substitute for all milk products, meat meal and fish meal in the mash for 100 hens. The success of this substitution, will depend upon the regularity of feeding. Unless there is an ample supply for continuous feeding of the skim milk or buttermilk no substitution should be made.

PERSONAL

Miss Elizabeth Byrd spent the holidays at her home in Hamlet.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Thompson made a holiday trip to New York City.

John Gray Turner spent the holidays with relatives in Raleigh.

John B. Stratford left Tuesday on a business trip to the eastern part of the State.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Horne and baby spent the holidays with his mother at Mt. Gilead.

Roscoe Barrett of Durham spent the week-end here with his brother, W. D. Barrett.

Mrs. Mary A. Caruthers, of Cedar Grove is here visiting her son, Mr. E. P. Caruthers.

Dr. Sam Vest of Baltimore visited Mrs. Vest and little daughter here during the holidays.

Mrs. E. F. Craven and daughters, Misses Elizabeth and Louise, of Greensboro spent Sunday here with her sister, Mrs. W. R. Harden.

Misses Catherine Thompson and Elizabeth Moore visited the former's aunt, Mrs. D. F. Noyes, in Charlotte the latter part of last week.

Dr. Boyd Harden returned to Elizabeth McGhee Memorial Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pa., Tuesday after a visit of ten days to relatives here and in Burlington.

Little Miss Peggy and Fred Morris returned to their home in Durham Sunday after a visit here with their grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Long, Jr.

Mrs. C. R. Rae returned this morning to her home at Hillsboro after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Chas. C. Thompson, Jr. Her little grand-daughter, Jane Long, accompanied her.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Stratford and children, Cora Harden and Jack, and Miss Cora Emmaline Henderson spent last Friday with Mrs. Stratford's sister, Mrs. Jas. D. Proctor, and daughters in Lumberton. Miss Henderson returned Sunday.

Ten Confederate Veterans and Sixty-four Others Get Pension Checks.

In time for Christmas Clerk of Court E. H. Murray received and delivered the 74 pension warrants to pensioners resident of Alamance county.

There are ten Confederate veterans, namely, J. T. Albright, Robt. Baker, John H. Euliss, J. S. Gibson, Alfred L. Newlin, Joseph F. Pritchett, J. M. Story, Robt. J. Thompson, W. D. Whitsell and Jacob C. Whitesell, each of whom receive \$182.50 every six months.

There are 61 widows: Seven Class A, who receive \$150, and 54 Class B, who receive \$50, every six months.

And there are three colored men, who were body servants that receive \$100 every six months.

The total amount received by 74 persons for the six month period was \$5,875.00.

Press The Button

By G. H. Enfield

Horse sense requires good pasture.

Three well known sisters; Life, Love, and Luggage.

A divorce is a court's permission to remarry.

A ground hog doesn't snore in its sleep.

When ambition fails to climb it's not worth a measly dime.

The way some merchants water their oysters, they must think they get mighty thirsty.

Many who walk the paths of dalliance later are found treading stony roads.

The waist line is the boundary of some people's possession.

Buttercups abound at LeGrande, Oregon. An opportunity for dairy men to get in on a “New Deal.”

A running sore is a woman who doesn't get her way, and runs to tell her neighbors.

How often is the flower stung when woman is the rose and man no honey bee?

Less than three centuries ago in England, all women who lured into matrimony by means of orange, scents, high heeled shoes or bolstered hips were punished as witches. But what bearing has all this for the Twentieth Century American?

Kiddies will romp and kiddies will play.

When daddy comes home at close of day.

United Daughters of Conederacy 1934 Prizes

General Historical Prizes

The Mrs. John A. Perdue Loving Cup—For copy of most interesting and original Diary of a Confederate soldier, or woman of the '60s. Must be accompanied by affidavit from contestant, stating it to be a true copy, and never published.

\$5.00—For the Daughter sending in the best name for the new U. D. C. magazine. Given by the History committee, U. D. C., of Virginia.

Essay Prizes for Members

The Mildred Lewis Rutherford Cup—For the best criticism of a History or Biography dealing with the periods of the War between the States or Reconstruction. Given by the U. D. C. in memory of an honored Past Historian General, Miss Mildred Rutherford, of Athens, Georgia.

The Ferguson Prize—\$25.00 for the best essay on Mosby's Rangers, given in memory of Col. Sydney G. Ferguson, of Virginia.

The Smith Prize—\$10.00 for essay on “Forty years of Historical and Memorial work in the U. D. C.” Given by Gen. William A. Smith, Commander of the North Carolina Division, United Confederate Veterans, in honor of the present Historian General, U. D. C., The James Pickney Harris Medal

For essay on “The Rebuilding of the South by Young Confederates.” Given in memory of her young brother, by Miss Cora Harris, of the (James H. Lane Chapter, U. D. C., Charlotte, N. C.

The Orren Randolph Smith Medal—For essay on “Women writers of the South during and following the War between the States.” Given by his daughter, Miss Jessica R. Smith. The Anna Robinson Andrews Medal—For the best catechism or questionnaire on “History and accomplishments of the U. D. C. in its forty years.”

The Little Prize—\$10.00 to the delegate of the Baltimore U. D. C. Convention (1933) who writes and publishes in her state paper the best account of this Convention. Given by Mrs. Mary Bennett Little Wadesboro, N. C., in memory of James Ryder Randall, author of “Maryland, my Maryland.”

The Yates Medal—\$10.00 for essay on Confederate newspapers. Given in memory of William Jas. Yates, Editor, 1856-1886, by his daughter, Mrs. I. W. Faison, Charlotte, N. C.

The Way Prize—\$2.50 for essay on “The Private Soldier of the Confederacy.” In memory of her father, Augustus T. Way, by Mrs. Conrad LeCoq, of Louisiana.

The Adelia Dunovant Cup—For essay on John C. Calhoun, Apostle of States rights. Given annually by Mrs. W. E. Calhoun, in memory of her sister, a former Chairman of the History Committee.

The Nuckols Prize—\$10.00 for essay on “The Enduring Spirit of Robert E. Lee.” Given in memory of Howard Jacob Nuckols of Virginia, by his wife, Katherine Stiles Nuckols.

\$10.00—For best sketch showing the descent of Robert E. Lee from the Barons of Runnemede. Given by Mrs. DeClare Berry, Washington, D. C.

Roberts Medal—For second best essay in the contest for members of U. D. C.

Prizes for Members and Non-Members

\$25.00—For essay on “The Necessity of preserving Southern historical material.” Given by the Southern Society of New York, in honor of the 40th year of the U. D. C.

\$25.00—For best play bringing out truths of Southern history. Offered by Mrs. Jackson Brandt, of Baltimore, Md.

\$15.00—For best Pageant depicting Southern History. Offered by Mrs. James Henry Parker, President of the New York Chapter, U. D. C.

\$25.00—For essay on “Confederate Leaders after the War.” Given by a Daughter of the Confederacy in memory of her father.

\$25.00—Essay on “The South's Rightful Place in History and Literature.” Given in memory of Miss Mary Lou Gordon White of Tennessee, by her sister, Mrs. L. G. W. Hood.

\$10.00—For essay on “Leadership of Southern Women before and

during the War and Reconstruction.” Given by Mrs. Alma Wynne Edgerton, Raleigh, N. C.

Forerunners of to-day's Business and Professional Women, \$10.00—For best poem on Stonewall Jackson. Offered by Mrs. A. L. Ridings, (retired Historian of Texas Division) in memory of her parents, Captain and Mrs. J. E. Dupree.

\$10.00—For essay on “The Military Genius of Stonewall Jackson.” Offered by Miss Julia M. Wintz, Charleston, W. Va., in honor of her father, John Wm. Wintz.

\$10.00—For essay on “Early Education in the South.” Offered by Mrs. C. C. Clay of California, in memory of her husband.

College Students Only

The Howard Stiles Nuckols Prize—\$20.00 for essay on “Enduring Spirit of Robert E. Lee.” Offered by Mrs. Howard Jacob Nuckols, of Richmond, in memory of her son, a beloved student at the University of Virginia.

Rules for Essays

1. Essays must not contain over 2,500 words, number stated at top left hand corner of page.

2. Must be typed, double spaced, and signed with fictitious name. Real name, Chapter and address of writer placed in sealed envelope, clipped to essay. Outside of envelope fictitious name and subject of essay. Must keep carbon copies. Winning essays kept by Historian General, send stamps if return of others is desired.

3. Only unpublished essays may be submitted, winners not trying for same subject again.

4. Essays by members of U. D. C. must be sent by Sept. 15th, to Division Historians, who will forward to Historian General not later than Oct. 1st. Writers who are not members of the U. D. C. may send directly to Mrs. John H. Anderson, 617 N. Blount Street Raleigh, N. C.

5. Please note that the last essay, on Lee, is offered only to College students. They are also allowed to compete in the list open to anyone in any section.

N. C. Historical Prizes

1. A large silver loving cup—Given annually by the N. C. Division U. D. C., to the Chapter doing the best historical work along all lines during the year.

2. The Leah Jones Stevens loving cup—Given annually by her sisters, Mrs. Hollister, Mrs. Nixon and Miss Jones, of New Bern, to the chapter doing the best work in schools.

3. A silver loving cup. Given annually by Mrs. W. E. White, of Louisville, to the chapter which has the most members sending in essays.

4. A large Stars and Bars flag—Offered by the Orren Randolph Smith chapter, of Henderson, in memory of Orren Randolph Smith, designer of Stars and Bars flag, to the chapter placing the greatest no. stars and bars flags in schools.

5. Ten dollars—Offered by Mrs. W. H. Belk, of Charlotte, to the Daughter of the Division making the best Confederate Scrapbook. The scrapbook must be made during the year and exhibited at the next State Convention.

6. Five dollars—Offered by Mrs. Eugene Little, of Wadesboro, the chapter for the best collection of records of its county in the Confederacy. Copies of rosters, letters, manuscripts, newspapers. No rosters will be considered unless typed and giving company and regiment furnished.

7. Five dollars. Offered by Miss Lura Heath, of Monroe, to the chapter reporting the largest number of children in both county and city schools, who have learned to draw and color one of the Confederate flags, and who have received instruction concerning the flags of the Confederacy.

Essay Prizes for Members N. C. Division

1. Ten dollars—Offered by Mrs. Kate Davis Crenshaw, of Salisbury, in memory of her father, Judge Joseph J. Davis, for the best essay on “North Carolina Land Partles in the War Between the States.”

2. Ten dollars—Offered by Mrs. Heyward G. Taylor, of Wilmington in memory of her mother, Mrs. W. Parsley, organizer and first president of the North Carolina Division U. D. C., for the best essay

on “Confederate Coast Operations of the Carolinas.”

3. Ten dollars—Offered by J. as B. Gordon Chapter, of Winston Salem, in memory of Mr. Henry L. Riggins, for the best essay on “The Attitude of European Nations to the Confederacy.”

4. Ten dollars—Offered by Mrs. D. A. Garrison, of Gastonia, in honor of her father, Mr. D. B. Coltrane, of Concord, for the best essay on “Jefferson Davis Only President of the Confederacy, His Statesmanship, and His place in History.”

5. Ten dollars—Offered by the Stonewall Jackson Chapter, of Charlotte, for the best essay on “The Life of Governor Vance, with Special Reference to his War Record.”

6. Five dollars—Offered by the Winnie Davis Chapter, of Pittsboro, in memory of Mrs. H. A. London, founder and president of the chapter for 35 years, for the best essay on “Causes that led to the War Between the States.”

7. Five dollars—Offered by the Jefferson Davis Chapter of Whiteville, in memory of Kathleen Ballwin Dance, for the best essay on “Outstanding Achievements of the 15th N. C. Regiment in the War Between the States.”

8. Five dollars—Offered by the Green county chapter, in honor of Judge L. V. Morrill, for the best essay on “The Status of North Carolina Courts During the Reconstruction Period.”

Rules

Essays must be in the hands of the State Historian, Mrs. S. L. Smith, 401 Madison St., Whiteville, N. C., not later than September 15, 1934. Name of chapter and name of writer must be sent sealed in envelope. All essays must attach bibliography to insure authenticity of information.

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ASSETS:

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| THE ASSOCIATION OWNS: | |
| Cash on Hand and in Banks | \$ 3,803.45 |
| Mortgage Loans | \$ 183,865.00 |
| Money loaned to shareholders for the purpose of enabling them to own their homes. Each loan secured by first mortgage on local improved real estate. | |
| Stock Loans | \$ 14,300.00 |
| Advances made to our shareholders against their stock. No loan exceeds 90% of amount actually paid in. | |
| Accounts Receivable | \$ 117.03 |
| Temporary Advances for Insurance, Taxes, Etc. | |
| Other Assets | \$ 13.08 |
| TOTAL | \$ 201,598.56 |

LIABILITIES:

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| THE ASSOCIATION OWES: | |
| To Shareholders | |
| Funds entrusted to our care in the form of payment on stock as follows: | |
| Installment Stock | \$ 147,668.00 |
| Paid-up Stock | \$ 16,400.00 |
| Total | \$ 164,068.00 |
| Notes Payable, Other | \$ 8,300.00 |
| Money borrowed for use in making loans to members, or retiring matured stock. Each note approved by at least two-thirds of the entire Board of Directors as required by law. | |
| Undivided Profits | \$ 26,730.56 |
| Earnings held in trust for distribution to shareholders at maturity of stock. | |
| Other Liabilities | \$ 2,500.00 |
| Reserve as contingency. | |
| TOTAL | \$ 201,598.56 |

State of North Carolina, ss: County of Alamance.

P. S. Dixon, Secretary-Treasurer of the above named Association personally appeared before me this day, and being duly sworn, says that the foregoing report is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PHIL S. DIXON.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 4th day of January, 1934.

W. E. BASON, Notary Public.

My commission expires Sept. 8th, 1934.

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