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LAID TO REST

Several Thousands, Includ-

Wilton McLean, whose death occurred at Emergency hospital at Washington City Friday about 11 o'clock was laid to rest here Sunday in simple, impressivé funeral services at which several thousand people gathered for a final tribute to the man who served North Carolina as Governor from 1925

to 1929. The services after the Presby-terian faith were conducted in the First Presbyterian Church of which he was a ruling elder by the Rev. R. L. Alexander, pastor, assisted by Dr. Wedin Purcell, of Richmond, Va., in charge of the Percebusion "War of the Openbil

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Lumberton, June 23. -

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# **NO ELECTION SATURDAY**

WHISKEY CONTROL LAW HELD UNCON-STITUTIONAL

Judge Williams, In Frank-

Tuesday night enjoined the auth-orities of Franklin County from holding their liquor election, set for next Saturday, and from sellfor next Saturday, and from sell-ing liquor or doing anything else authorized by the hodge-podge local liquor law, passed by the last throes of a chaotic adjournment. Judge Williams declared that the law was invalid in its entited. Henderson To

the law was invalid in its entirety, "contrary to the constitution and Celebrate The 4th void, anything done thereunder is a nullity and the holding of an

void, anything done thereunder is a nullity and the holding of an election under its authority contrary to the Constitution is an empty gesture."
"Ex nihilo nihil fit.'" (From nothing nothing can be made.) It was late Tuesday night before Judge Williams completed for guts events ever staged in this section of the country. Preparations are being made to take care of his study and the writing of his rui-ing affirmed the right of the taxpayers of Franklin County to seek an injunction against the election as well as the act of selling liquor, on the ground tax money was about to be spent in an unconstitutional manner.
He then found the "Pasquotank Liquor Act," which concerns 18 counties of the State, unconstitutional on three major grounds:
The credit and faith of the county was pledged by an act

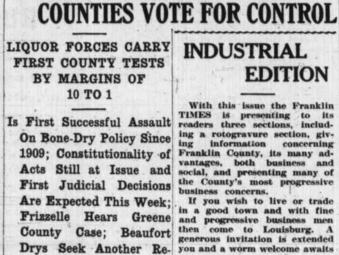
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## CHILDREN BARRED

STITUTIONAL Sudge Williams, In Frank-lin Case, Holds County Liquor Law Invalid In Entirety—Decision Hand-ed Down in Raleigh Tues-day Night Judge Clawson L. Williams tate ruesday night enjoined the auth-roities of Franklin County from holding their liquor election, set lor next Saturday, and from seli-ne liquor or doing anything elsa

WASHINGTON ... Above are the wo men who will head the skeleton ized NRA until April, 1936, under the appointment of President Roosevelt.

New NRA Top Men



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WILSON AND EDGECOMBE

- Two North Carolina djunties Saturday voted by overwhelming majorities to legalize the sale of liquor within their borther. **CENT DIVIDEND** liquor within their borders. The decision of the voters of Wilson and Edgecombe counties represented the first successful assaults since 1909 on the bone-dry policy of North Carolina. CITIZENS & COMMER-CIAL BANK, FRANK-

In Wilson a ten-to-one majority was piled up by the Wet forces on the basis of complete returns while the Wet triumph in Edge-combe, on the basis of almost J.

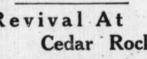


WASHINGTON ... Ewing Y. Mitchell (above), Missouri lawyer and Assistant Secretary of Com-merce since 1933, has been ousted by President Roosevelt, upon the recommendation of Secretary Roper. J. M. Johnson of S. C. gets the job.

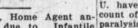
Whiskey in Wilson

Presbyterian "Men of the Church" organization, and the Rev. S. B. McLean, pastor of the Wilmore Presbyterian Church, Charlotte, a cousin of the former State Chief Commiting on the election and whiskey situation in Wilson the Executive Executive. Dr. Purcell and Mr. McLean read the scripture and all three offered prayers. In his prayer, Mr. McLean made a touching tribute leader of the Dry forces is quoted as saying:

Rev. John Barclay, leader of McLean made a touching tribute the county Dry forces, reiterated his statement of yesterday this love and devotion to the church morning by declaring that the local Drys will not make any ef-"He was qualified by devotion, training and experience and ren-R. Teague, Liquidating Agent, Announces Checks



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position in the Wake Forest High School. He will leave to take up his new duties July 1.

His many friends in Franklin regret to see Mr. Litchfield leave and wish for him much success in his new field.

### Attends Dance, **Loses Clothes**

While attending the June German in Rocky Mount Friday night thieves broke into the car belong-ing to Mr. Ed Stovall and took ing to Mr. Ed Stovall and took therefrom a suit of clothes, tuxedo pants, shoes, etc., and also an evening wrap belonging to Miss Teeney Allen. Mr. Stovall was notified Wednesday by police of-ficers of Rocky Mount that a por-tion of the articles had been re-covered and the alleged thieves detained, three men being held for trial Friday morning provided the articles can be identified. the articles can be identified.

## Louisburg College Alumni to Meet

The Alumni Association of Lou-isburg College will have a busi-ness conference followed by a barbecue dinner at Braswell Park,

barbecue dinner at Braswell Park, Rocky Mount on Wednesday, July 3 at 10:30 a. m. Every graduate, former stud-ent and friend of the college is invited to be present. Come and meet your old classmates and friends.