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## TO UNVEIL TABLET MEMORY OF DR. JOHN Q. ADAMS

Life-Size Painting and Memorial Tablet Will Be Presented First Baptist Church November 10.

A memorial service for Dr. John Quincy Adams, former pastor of the First Baptist church, of this city, will be held on Sunday evening, November 10, at 7:30, at the First Baptist church. At that time a tablet to his memory and a life-sized painting of Dr. Adams will be unveiled.

Dr. Adams was pastor of the church for a number of years, and while he was here the present magnificent church building was erected. It was largely through his efforts and labor that the membership of the church was built up to the present large number.

The painting of Dr. Adams was presented by his son, the late Winston D. Adams, of Charlotte. The tablet was purchased by Dr. Adams' friends in the church.

A program is now being outlined. Several local people, representing all denominations of Forest City, will make short talks. A special musical program, featuring Dr. Adams' favorite songs, will be given. All denominations in Forest City, or elsewhere, are given a cordial invitation to join in this memorial service.

## MR. W. M. HUDSON DIED TUESDAY

Heart Attack Fatal to Prominent Oakland Citizen—Funeral Service Wednesday.

Forest City, R-2, Oct. 29.—Mr. W. M. Hudson, aged 71 years died at his home near Oakland Tuesday night at 10:45 after an illness of three months. His death was not unexpected, and his children were called to his bedside earlier in the week in anticipation of his death.

Funeral services were held at Mt. Vernon Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. As The Courier goes to press funeral arrangements have not definitely been made.

Mr. Hudson is survived by the following children: J. C. Hudson, Forest City, R-3; Dr. E. V. Hudson, prominent Baptist minister, of Cramerton, N. C.; Leroy Hudson, of Charlotte; Mrs. O. H. Sinclair of near Oakland, Mrs. C. H. Freeman, of Forest City, R-2; and Will Hudson, of Forest City, R-3. One brother, John Hudson, of Lawndale, and one sister, Mrs. D. C. Kanipe, of near Forest City, survive. Several grandchildren also survive.

Mr. Hudson was a member of the Baptist church, and had belonged to Mt. Vernon church for a number of years.

## Championship Game Friday

Forest City football squad will play the first championship game of the season here Friday afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock when they meet the Lincolnton high school team on the local gridiron.

The winner of Friday afternoon's game will play the Monroe high school team, at Monroe, on Friday, November 8, for group championship.

There are three teams in this group, Forest City, Lincolnton and Monroe. Monroe drew a bye and will not play Friday, but will wait until Friday week to take on the winner of Friday's scrimmage.

## DAUGHTER BORN.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith, of Charlotte, October 24, a daughter Mrs. Smith is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Huntley, of Forest City.

## Will Play Here Armistice Day



The Spindale Band, of Spindale, will be in Forest City on Armistice Day and will furnish music for the Armistice Day celebration. This organization is one of the best in the state, and has been playing for the Rutherford County Fair Association for six years. The organization is composed of thirty members. D. C. Cole, director of the band, is at the extreme right, while G. B. Howard, business manager, is at the extreme left.

## Propose Tri-County Fair To Be Held in Rutherford

Polk and Henderson Counties May Be Asked to Join County Next Year—Would Be Large Affair

According to reports Rutherford, Polk and Henderson may join in next year and hold a tri-county fair at the Rutherford county fair grounds. It is also mentioned that Burke and McDowell may join with the three. The movement for a tri-county fair was started sometime ago, and it is known that a number of the leading citizens of the counties concerned are heartily in favor of the move. Neither Burke, McDowell, Polk or Henderson counties now hold a fair, and neither of the counties have a fair ground or buildings.

Delegations from some of the above counties visited the Rutherford county fair last week, and expressed themselves as favorable to the project, and pledged themselves to aid in bringing about a movement in their respective counties for such fair.

Some of the officials of the Rutherford county fair are doubtful if any of the above counties are sufficiently interested to invest money in a fair association in this county, while others think that if the matter is properly handled at least two or more counties will aid in the movement.

In case the project is carried through, the citizens of Rutherford and other counties interested will probably pool their funds and purchase the present fair ground property.

## Chickens Win In Three Fairs

Mr. S. M. Flack, of Forest City, has won \$66.00 in fair premiums on his chickens within the past few weeks at the Cleveland and Rutherford County, fairs and the State fair. He won all of the first and part of the second prizes at the Rutherford county fair, and was awarded \$18.00 in premiums. He had the champion pen, also the first cockerel and first hen at the Cleveland fair. Mr. Flack won prizes as follows on his chickens at the state fair: first cockerel, first hen, first and third hen and second cockerel. He will exhibit his chickens at the Spartanburg fair next week.

## PLAY AT ALEXANDER SCHOOL SATURDAY

A play, "The Flappers of 1944" a comedy-drama in three acts, will be given at Alexander school auditorium Saturday night at 7:30. The play will be given by the members of the Spindale P. T. A., and the proceeds from the play will go to the Alexander Mills school and the Spindale P. T. A.

## Criminal Court To Convene November 4

Rutherfordton, Oct. 28.—The November term of criminal court will convene here Monday, November 4, with Judge James L. Webb presiding. A heavy docket faces this term of court. Two murder cases, one first degree burglary case, and several other cases where the defendants are charged with serious offenses will be heard.

## REV. M. F. MOORES RETURNED HERE

Annual Methodist Conference Appointments Read Monday—Only Two Changes in County.

High Point, Oct. 29.—Rev. M. F. Moores, pastor of the First Methodist church, was returned to Forest City for another year at the closing session of the fortieth annual Western North Carolina Conference, Monday. Rev. W. A. Barber was returned to Spindale and Rev. D. H. Rhinehardt to Cliffside. The conference only made two changes in pastors in Rutherford county. Rev. J. W. Hoyle, Jr., was sent to Rutherfordton, succeeding Dr. W. R. Ware, and A. W. Lynch was sent to Henrietta-Caroleen-Alexander charge, succeeding Rev. F. H. Price. Dr. Ware was transferred to Walkertown, in the Greensboro district. Presiding Elder E. O. Cole, of the Marion district, became conference treasurer, and was succeeded by Rev. E. W. Fox as presiding elder of the district.

The conference added Pleasant Grove church to Spindale and placed the Alexander church with Caroleen-Henrietta, thereby eliminating the Pleasant Grove Station.

Appointments for the Marion district follow:

Presiding elder, E. W. Fox; Avery E. E. Yates, Bakersville, B. A. Sisk, Bostic, J. E. Hipps, Broad River, R. P. Fikes, Burke, C. S. Plyler, supply; D. D. Holt, Jr., preacher supply; Burnsville, J. L. Reynolds; Cliffside-Avondale, D. H. Rhinehardt; Crossmill, Jasper N. Snow, supply; Elk Park, G. F. Houck; Forest City, M. F. Moores; Gilkey, J. W. Parker; Glen Alpine, M. A. Osborne; Henrietta, A. W. Lynch; Marion First church, W. O. Goode; Marion Mills, J. H. Strickland; Marion circuit, T. G. Smith; McDowell, D. C. Ballard; Micaville, D. G. Smith; Mill Spring, P. T. Dixon; Morganton, First church H. K. Boyer; North Forest, A. A. Kyles; Morganton circuit, D. S. Richardson; Old Fort, J. C. Umberger; Old Fort circuit, O. P. Routh; Rutherfordton, J. W. Hoyle, Jr.; Rutherford college, W. L. Scott; Spindale-Pleasant Grove, W. A. Barber; Spruce Pine, J. S. Folger; Table Rock; J. L. Rayle, president Rutherford college; E. P. Billups.

## PROGRAM FOR ARMISTICE DAY NOW COMPLETE

Reserved Seats at Speaking For Parents of Boys Who Made the Supreme Sacrifice.

At a meeting of the Armistice Day celebration committees held Thursday evening reports from the various committees were made, which showed that splendid progress is being made by each. The concessions committee reported that, due to the lateness of the season, no concessions or rides could be secured for the celebration. The majority of the more reputable shows and concessions have schedules made out long in advance which prevented some from being here November 11.

It is also announced by the committee that special seats will be provided for gold star mothers and fathers, during the speaking 11:30 to 12:30. A speakers stand will be erected at the east end of the plaza, in front of the memorial tablet to the World War dead, and Hon. Cameron Morrison will address the large throng from this stand. The speaker will be introduced by Attorney C. O. Ridings, of Forest City. Plans are being made to arrange for seating space for the speaker, Mr. Ridings, some of the officials of the Legion post and Womans Auxiliary and possibly others. Seats will be arranged for gold star mothers, and fathers either on the stand or directly facing it.

Barring inclement weather, hundreds of people from every community of Rutherford county are expected here Monday, November 11. Indications point to one of the largest celebrations ever given in Forest City.

The program will open Monday morning at 9:30 with a band concert by the Spindale Band, Rutherford county's own musical organization. This will be followed by a mammoth street parade at 10:30, in which a large number of business floats, brightly decorated cars and other floats will participate. Hon. Cameron Morrison, one time governor of North Carolina, will speak at 11:30. At 12:30 a picnic luncheon will be served all ex-soldiers, their wives and immediate families.

A football game and stunts will be the feature of the afternoon. A prize fight and street dance will be the attractions from 6 p. m. to midnight.

## MR. G. C. MORROW DIED MONDAY

Funeral Held Wednesday at Bethany for Well Known Farmer of Near Forest City.

Forest City, R-2, Oct. 30.—Mr. Grover C. Morrow, aged 42 years, died at his home near Forest City Monday night at 10 o'clock, of heart disease. He had been ill health only a short time.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at Bethany Baptist church, with his pastor, Rev. L. M. Epley, in charge. Interment was in the Bethany cemetery.

He is survived by his widow, two brothers, one sister, and the following children: Lawrence Morrow, of the U. S. Navy, stationed in the Hawaiian Islands; Mamie, Lucy, Vergil, Glenn and Luther Morrow.

Mr. Morrow was born September 17, 1886, and was a son of the late John and Rosa Hamrick Morrow. He was a member of the Bethany Baptist church. He was a prosperous farmer, and a well-known citizen.

## WOMAN'S CLUB

The Dramatic Club will meet Thursday evening, November 7, at the home of Misses Nell and Margaret Young. All members are urged to be present.

## Big Harvest Sale In City Next Week

All Business Men of Forest City Co-operating For Greatest Bargain Event in History of the City on Nov. 6, 7, 8 and 9.

FREE PRIZES---BIG BARGAINS---MAMMOTH CROWDS

### Campaign Director



Rev. W. G. Haymaker, of Winona Lake, Ind., who is campaign director for the Stephens Evangelistic party. Mr. Haymaker is now in the county making preparations for the Stephens revival, which will begin December 3, and continue four weeks at the big tabernacle at Spindale.

## NAME OF J. W. LONG PUT ON MONUMENT

Name of Young Sergeant Who Died in Florida Placed Among Those Who Made the Supreme Sacrifice.

The name of Sergeant James Willie Long has been added to the marble plate on the monument on the east end of the plaza. Mr. T. T. Long recently brought the matter before the local American Legion post and was instrumental in having the name placed on the plate. This makes a total of thirty-four names on the monument, thirty-three white boys and one negro, all of whom were killed or died while in service during the World War.

The name of Sergeant Long was omitted when the tablet was put in place. The list of names on the monument were furnished by Clarence Griffin, collector of war records for Rutherford county, to Dr. A. C. Duncan and Miss Nell Young in 1924, and the name of J. W. Long was unintentionally left off, and no mention has been made of it until recently.

Sergeant James W. Long was a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Long, of Forest City. He was a member of the Quartermaster Corps, and died in Camp Joseph E. Johnson, at Jacksonville, Fla., in 1918.

The monument here was unveiled November 11, 1924. Dr. Charles H. Stevens, pastor of the Cliffside Baptist church, was in charge of the unveiling ceremony, which was a part of the Armistice Day celebration held here at that time.

Mr. A. G. Randall, of the Mt. Pleasant community, called at The Courier office Friday and renewed his subscription to The Courier. Mr. Randall stated that he is yet using sweet potatoes from his 1928 crop, and has a few left. He made over 100 bushels this year.

Mr. Roswell Hill left Wednesday for High Point where he has accepted a position.

Next week-end—to be exact, Nov. 6, 7, 8, and 9—the merchants and business men of Forest City are going to put on the greatest bargain event in the history of Forest City. It is a co-operative move by all the business firms of the city to give real genuine bargains in an effort to bring new business and new customers to Forest City, and will give to all coming to the city the greatest opportunity they have ever had to buy the very best goods at the lowest price. They are enabled to do this by working in unison and having the desire to give real values. Visitors are expected to come here from all over the county and from surrounding counties to take advantage of this big bargain feast. Every business house in the city will have genuine bargains to offer on these big days.

Besides the many bargains, there will be other features to appeal to the visitor, foremost of which will be the big turkey contest twice daily. Four turkeys will be released each day from the roof of some business house—two at 10 a. m., and two at 2 p. m. These turkeys will be numbered and the ones catching them will get a handsome prize from some store in the city. Fuller particulars can be obtained from the bills which will be distributed throughout this and other counties.

To give some idea of the extensive advertising that will be done to call attention to the big harvest sale event, it can best be seen by the statement that, not only in addition to the boosting given by The Courier, the merchants will distribute over 8,000 12-page circulars taken up with announcements of the occasion and the advertisements of the different merchants and their offerings. And, again, The Courier will carry advertising and further announcements in the next week's issue. With this tremendous publicity, there will be no one overlooked and every one will be fully informed as to the big money saving event, which is coming right at the time when there will be a tremendous demand for the fall and winter buying, which is just getting under headway. Watch for these announcements and come to Forest City next week.

Not to be outdone by the public spirited merchants of the city, The Forest City Courier—Rutherford county's biggest and best newspaper—will make this astonishing offer for the four days of the harvest sale: To every person paying one dollar for one year's subscription to the paper, we will send the paper to any new name suggested for one year, thus giving two full year's subscription for the extremely low price of one dollar. Pay your subscription next week and send the paper to some relative for one year free. This offer applies only to those living within the county.

## Pythians Hold District Meeting

At a district meeting of the Knights of Pythias lodges, held in the local lodge room Monday evening, Grand Chancellor Commander DeVine, of North Wilkesboro, was present and made the principal address of the evening. Mr. DeVine spoke on "Pythianism."

There was also one candidate for membership present at this meeting, Rev. W. C. Rourk, of Ellenboro, and the rank of page, the first degree of this order, was conferred upon him. Mr. Rourk will be given the second degree here next Monday night by the local lodge.

A large number of Pythians, representing practically every lodge in this district, were present and a most enthusiastic meeting was held.