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#### ARY OFFERS O DONATE LAND

#### REBUILDING THE REYNOLDS ROAD

#### State Highway Forces Are at Work Now With Steam Shevel and Other Equipment -Will Put on Tar and

State Highway Commisforce of men a: the Reynolds leading from regrading this and within the next road, making another hard- \see and Kentucky than here. rfaced road for that section

part of the State High-It is a direct route from via King and Rural

#### Meeting of Ladies' Fine Arts Club

The regular meeting of the ne Arts club was held at the of Mrs. N. E. Pepper afternoon. Colorful flowers were used in reception hall and livins meeting was pened with the club Woman retary-treasurer, Mrs. J. J.

The topic of study for the nteresting and compre-

Mrs. J. S. Tayler, who enjoy an European tr.p the past supplemented Mrs. talled's talk on these place stary Taylor concluded delightful pro

#### GREATEST DROUTH DATE FIXED FOR IN HISTORY

#### Appears To Extend Over Several Statees-Danbury Citizens Return From Trip Through Tennessee and Kentucky.

N. O. Petree, accompanied by from an extensive visit in sec- got to go. al Hall to Wright's Store, tions of Tennessee and Kentucky. They report drought conditions obtaining wheredays the State forces ex- ever they went, and much more to place tar and gravel on serious in portions of Tennes-

T. S. Petree says the Ohio river was perfectly clear, and which leads very low. Citizens were everyof the best sec- where observed hauling water, of the county, was adopt- sometimes great distances, for the use of themselvs and their stock

In the corn belt of the West sestern section of the fit is stated that damage to the into Waston-Salem tcrops will reach 500 millions of dollars.

### Real Estate Transfers

The following real estate transfers have been entered for registration in the office of the Register of Deeds recently.

Mary D. Mills to E. F. Michael and Mary Jane Michael, 2 lets, Yadkin Township, \$19 and other considerations.

Lettie L. Dunklee to R. R. Mills and E. F. Michael, 80 acres, Sauratown Township, \$50 consideration.

E. H. Spainhour, R. D. Waton and Robert A. Wall, Trustces, Fourth District., I. O. O. F., to Stokes County Board of Education, a lot in Pinnacle, \$1200, consideration.

Ella Bradley to Board of Education, Stokes county, lot No. 51, Pinnacle, \$100 consideration.

Board of Surry county to 42 acres. Surry county, \$15 and ting on the track of trade. other valuable considerations.

M. E. Boggs and husand to C. N. Newsom and ife, 1 lot, Yadkin Township, Creek, \$1 and other considera-

ship, \$10 and other considera-

#### Democrats Grant Republican's Request

Baleigh, Sept. 3 .- State and of elections today granted the Republicans their rejuest for separate senatorial is said to be and congressional ballots for in facty years. Very the 1930 State ticket and adhas fallen here since journed the show, which had at-May and the rain fall is short tracted quite a few of the per bably two thirds of the nor- great hitherward, in about 13 minutes.

## COUNTY FAIR

#### To Be Held at Walnut Cove. Oct. 20-21-22-Farmers and Others Asked to Get Exhibits Ready.

A real county fair for Stokes is now a foregone conclusion. The Lions and the Juniors his son, Thos. S. Petree, of and all the good citizens of the Winsten-Salem, has returned county are behind it, and its

> The announcement and list of premiums to be offered is now on the press and 2,500 copies of this will be mailed to our people of the county within the next few days. There are numerous prizes worth while, and it is hoped that everyone will take an interest in competing for them.

The 4-H Club members are to be shown special preference in the awarding of the premiunds or prizes, and they are expected to get busy at once.

The dates for the county fair, which will be held at Wanut Cove this year, have been definitely fixed for October 20

The fair management is expected to secure a first class carnival to amuse those who attend, and a general good time is promised all who at-

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ward and Mr. Ward's mother of High have, yet, they will eventually Point were here today enroute have a real fine system of roads home from attending the funeral of the child of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. L. Francis, atFran-

#### Wide Berth

Traders with money to spend, sometimes shy around towns that don't advertise. It looks 'like old ideas, old ways, old stocks, where there is no printer's ink used. Whenever the Stokes Board of Education, 1 .- an INVESTMENT, he is get- out taxing the citizens' proper-

#### Boles-Eddy

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Boles, of \$100 and other considerations. Germanton, announce the mar- via Reynolds School and Capel-R. E. L. Francis and wife, riage of their daughter, Ber- la, and on to Rural Hall, is be-I vie, to Stokes county Board tha Hope Boles, to Edward L. ing surfaced with stone. It is Education, 5 1-8 acres, Big Eddy, of Washington, D. C., now possible to visit every town Aug. 27, 1930.

Sarah Lawrence to Board home at that place, where Mr. of Education, Stokes county, Eddy holds a position with the the State are connected with

#### N. E. Pepper Appointed

pointed N. E. Pepper a mem- relieving them of the road tax. ber of the Board of Trustees of the Winston-Salem Teachers College, for a term expiring May 1, 1933. His appointment is to succeed J. D. Humphreys, resigned.

Attorney Gilmer Sparger, of Walnut Cove, who was a visitor here today, expects to leave to-morrow for a visit to his relasition with the Percentage. tives in Baltimore.

#### **NEW VIRGINIA** ROAD TO STUART

#### Virginia Becoming Really Interested in Modern Turnpikes-State's System and Policy Compared With North Carlina's.

A representative of the Reporter rode over the new turnpike road from John Andy Martin's to Stuart this week. This is a real good road, is wide, and well graded. It is constructed of the same material as the Stokes county minor hardsurface roads, with foundation of stone, and top dresser of tar and granulated stone.

The Virginia people are very proud of their growing road system, which is yet in its infancy, however. Mr. Thomas George, formerly a citizen of this county, but, who for years has lived in Patrick, and, who is an enthusiastic good road man, tells the Reporter, the Virginia authorities now have qu.te a quantity of money in hand for the building of roads, and expect to have much more next year, under their pay-asyou go plan. While it will, of course, take Virginia many years to overtake us in reads, and while for many years they must deny themselves the advantages of the great system of state highways which we if their present policy is adhered to.

North Carolina has already spent upwards of \$150,000,000 for the finest system of roads in America, and while the State is yet heavily bonded, these bonds are being retired at the rate of several million dollars a year, at the same time maintaining those already constructed, and yet having in business man learns that ad- hand yearly a goodly fund for vert sing is not an expense, but continuous building-all withty. The automobile pays the bills, in a large measure.

In Stokes county, now, No. 661, the highway running from Wright's store, near Westfield, in North Carolina, of any conse-The couple will make their quences, over a hardsurfaced broad. All the county seats in 1-2 acres. Big Creek Town- Petroleum Power Corporation. cement turnpikes of the most modern pattern.

The next legislature will probably take over all import-Governor Gardener has ap- ant roads of the counties, thus

#### Accept Positions

E. L. Tate, of Liberty, late editor and publisher of the Duplin County Record, has accepted a position with the Reporter. Percy Hines, late of the Winsition with the Reporter.