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THE HOME NEWSPAPER

A local Grange will be

formed at Smithfield tomor-

row, March 1 at 2 p. m. in the farmers room of the

farmer or his wife, or farm boys and girls over sixteen years

of age, are invited to join.

The county convention will

be held here the following

m., at which time Dr. Clar-

ence Poe of Raleigh, editor of the Progressive Farmer

and Grange organizer in North Carolina, will attend

M. Johnson, master of

and officiate, according

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and farm women are urged

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### STATE AND NATION GRANGE TO BE FORMED **NEWS PARAGRAPHS**

Mrs. Kate Burr Johnson Resigns As Commissioner of Public Welfare; State Prison Defers Buy-

North Carolina is to lose the third person holding prominent positions within her borders. when Mrs. Kate Burr Johnson. gives up her position as commissioner of public welfare on April 1 to become superintendent of the State Home for Girls in New Jersey. The other two persons which the state will lose are Dr. H. W. Chase, president of the University of North Car-olina, and Dr. F. P. Gaines, the president of Wake Forest College. Mrs. Johnson will head up a pioneer program of work among women prisoners of New Jersey Her salary, it is understood, will be more than her present salary of \$4.500. Both Governor Gardner and the State Board of Charities and Public Welfar have issued statements express ing regret that Mrs. Johnson has Yesterday, it was anresigned. nounced that Mrs. W. T. Bost who was a member of the welfare board, will succeed Mrs

from the Governor's office that no immediate steps will be taken to acquire additional farm land for the State Prison. The Prison Board, the Advisory Budget Commission, and the Council met in joint session at the

tees, was appointed to consider the resignation of Dr. Vardell and in the event of its acceptance to recommendations toward the selection of his successor. The board will meet again in March to receive the report of the committee, Dr. Vardell was ENTERTAIN. born in Charleston, S. C. ary 12, 1860. He attended Oberlin College and later entered Davidson College, receiving his A. teen guests being present. The livB. degree in 1888. He graduated ing-room and dining room thrown

Kiwanians Hear Dr. J. W. Ham. Coker advocates more of both. A Waters attended a state-wide

days. Mr. Taft is 73 years old.

# HERE TOMORROW MRS. HASWELL DIES DAVID R. COKER IS WITH PNEUMONIA HEARD BY FARMERS American Legion will meet this

County by Rev. S. L. Morgan

The funeral of Mrs. T. R. Haswell, of this city, a victim of pneumonia, occurred yesterday at ally Destroyed; Represents Loss

this matter, at which meeting Governor Gardner announced his pointing a commission from the pointing a commission from the three boards to serve with three citizens from the state at large (in recommending a general plan for the whole prison problem.

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from Princeton Theological Seminary in 1891 and was ordained as a minister the same year. He was pastor of the New Bern Presbyterian church from 1891 to 1896 when he resigned to become president of Flora Macdonald College, and he has been its president since its been its president since its persident year. He has had many flattering of the graduated ing-room and dining room thrown the flow ensuite were bright with flowens the flow ordained as a minister the same with tearnations, and yellow jonquils being arranged tastefully here and there.

Bridge was played at four tables. Mrs. Raymond McKenzie Macdonald College, and he has been its president since its beginning. He has had many flattering of the Quaker denominate with them at their regular meet, ling. Dr. J. W. Ham of Atlanta. Ga. who is at present holding evangelistic services at the First Baptist church in Buie's Creek Macdonald College, and he has and was presented with a novel-taring of the Quaker denominate with them at their regular meet, ling. Dr. J. W. Ham of Atlanta (Ga. who is at present holding evangelistic services at the First Baptist church in Buie's Creek by the present time, a condition that would not obtain if every farm had a garden, cow, chickens, pigs, sweet potatoes and Financial Conditions of the

Funeral Conducted Wednesday at Selma School Auditorium is Fill- fort is being made all over the Pope's Chapel In Franklin ed With Farmers Who Listen country to enlist more ex-service country by Rev. S. L. Morgan

To Mr. Coker Outline Essenmen in the Legion. In regard to

David R. Coker, of Hartsville. Pope's Chapel Christian church.

S. C., characterized by U. B. gion has prepared to do its three miles west of Franklinton.

Blalock, general manager of the share, or more in strengthening friends accompanied the body tive Association who introduced the body to the audience of farmers. friends accompanied the body tive Association who introduced from here. Rev. S. L. Morgan, him to the audience of farmers, pastor of the Smithfield Baptist church of which she was a member, conducted the funeral in the Pope's Chapel church, and the interment occurred in the cemetery terment occurred in the cemetery for the restoration of agriculture close by the church. The deceased to prosperity. These essentials inbefore her marriage was Miss clude the curtailment of acreage to prosperity. These essentials inbefore her marriage was Miss clude the curtailment of acreage to formore crops and the planting of money crops and the planting only of such lands as will make a good yields; the production of life, having united with the Smithfield Baptist church about of ample amounts of food and eight years ago, of which her husband was a member.

The deceased was nearly fifty years of age and was highly estemed by all who knew her as a of cultivation, and of combating of combating and animal population of cultivation, and of combating and animal capital to be available was secondary of the curtailment of acreage the vital importance of their support to the national organization, especially in the Legion's program for national legislation. The American Legion is chartered by Congress, The Legion must make an annual report to congress, and each week, the Legion membership is transmitted to the national capital to be available was secondary of the curtailment of acreage the vital importance of their support to the national organization, especially in the Legion's program for national legislation. The American Legion is chartered by Congress, The Legion must make an annual report to congress, and each week, the Legion membership is transmitted to the national capital to be available. A disastrous fire occurred here Wednesday night when the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Peterson in Brooklyn was procedured and by two developed and by tw Peterson in Brooklyn was practically destroyed. Soon after ten o'clock, the family with the ex-

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NATIONAL COMMANDER

The Pou-Parrish Post of the (Friday) evening at the courttials For Agricultural Prosper- the membership drive, O. L. Bodnational commander makes the following appeal:
"Learning that the Pou-Par-

"Some veterans do not realize

o'clock, the family with the exception of Mrs. Peterson had retired, when Mrs. Peterson detectived, when Mrs. Peterson detection of Mrs. R. H. May and keep his expenditures within his survive her. Mrs. J. H. May and keep his expenditures within his difference of 5.543 mentally ill comrades who are confined in over crowded state institutions, the Legion publicly announced, at the beginning of the present session of Franklinton, and Mrs. T. E. Nine of Raleigh.

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Mrs. Woodall Hostess To Club.

Benson, Feb. 27.—Mrs. Preston bedrooms when neighbors rushed in to tell them that the top every member present, at her business men from several coun
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## URGES MEMBERSHIP MISS GODWIN TO TALK ON MISSIONS

Princeton and Fellowship Methodist Congregations To Hear Assistant Dean at E. C. T. C.

PRINCETON, Feb. Miriam Goodwin, assistant dean at E. C. T. C. Greenville, will speak at Fellowship Methodist church Sunday morning at elevo'clock and at Methodist church Sunday night missions, will be of

Mr. O. H. Barefoot of Ben-

that section of Brooklyn, was that section of Brooklyn, was built by Mr. J. A. Wellons, it having been purchased a few years ago by Mr. Peterson.

The hostess presented a most fitting floral contest in which Mrs. J. W. Whittenton was the section of tobacco, but membership at this time, is adding ended strength to the hands given by Mrs. O. A. Barbour of in velvet beans, soy beans, cow- in seeded strength to the hands of the Legion leaders who are ficting floral contest in which Mrs. J. W. Whittenton was the soil-building crops to the soil-building crops t body, cars being provided by number of persons.

The tables were decorated most appropriately in keeping with the a souvenir of the occasion.

establishment, addressed gathering on the work that being done in the intermediate department of the Tabernacle Dean; treasurer, Mr. C. H. Car-Baptist Sunday school in Raleigh. penter. est to all present. He also offer- field of education has been fos- perintendent.

## Goes To Sampson



Johnston County Home Dem-favorable conditions of outdoor onstration agent for the past nine life; to stimulate and promote C. W., and last year she received onstration agent for the past nine life; to stimulate and promote her M. A. degree from Hartford years leaves tomorrow to take citizenship, patriotism and Amer-Seminary. For three years, from up her duties as home agent in icanism; and through expert up her duties as home agent in icanism; Sampson county. She will reside physical direction, athletic coachin Clinton. During the past week ing and military training to

# WOMANS CLUB AID BOOSTER CAMPAIGN courses does not constitute a present or future contract of en-

KINSTON, Feb. 26.—Eastern Carolina's biggest "booster week" for appointment as an officer in is being planned for March the Officers' Reserve Corps. 10-15, it was announced from headquarters of the Eastern Carolina Chamber of Commerce here don't in good citizenship.

## CORINTH-HOLDERS START

for the purpose of organizing a ing religious birthday of George Washington Mr. Keller, the principal. A very meeting was called to order by and each guest was provided with interesting program was given by the faculty after which Mr. Wilson, proprietor of the following officers were elected: the president, Mrs. Alonzo Richardson; vice-president, Mrs. W. O.

be been its president since its been its presented with a social part of the present since its been in the since position with the present since its been in the since position with the present were many instances against his own personal well been sea of the present were many instances against his own personal well been and almost one of the present were many instances against his own personal well been sea of the present were many instances against his own personal well been sea of the present were many instances against his own personal well been sea of the present were many instances against his own personal well been sea of the single state of the present were many instances against his own personal well been sea of the single state of the present were many instances against his own personal well been sea of the single state of the present were many instances against his own personal well been sea of the single state of the present were many instances against his own personal well been sea of the single state of the present were many instances against his own personal well been sea of the single state of the present were many instances against his own personal well been sea of the single state of the present were many instances against his own personal well been sea of the single state of the present were many instances against his own personal well been sea of the single state of the present well as a state o No greater movement in the ing at 9:30, F. C. Fitzgerald, su-

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The monthly meeting of the Schma, Feb. 27.—Rev. J. G. Johnson in Selma. Selma, Feb. 27.—Rev. J. G. Johnson in Selma, Feb. 27.—Rev. J. G. Joh

# **ENROLLMENT FOR** C.M.T.C. NOW OPEN

Johnston county boys between the ages of 17 and 24 wishing to attend the C. M. T. C., this summer at Fort Bragg, N. C., are urged to make applications at once. A. M. Noble, county representative who states, that the quota is 20 for Johnston couny, but if more than this number file applications early enough they may also be taken care of.

pplication blanks may be had from Mr. Noble, Smithfield, N. C., or Captain Dan B. Floyd, 307 Professional Building, Raleigh. The object of the Citizens' Military Training camp Military Training camp is to bring together young men of high type from all sections of MINNIE LEE GARRISON of equality and under the most and through benefit the young men individually and bring them to realize their obligation to their coun-

try.
Attendance at any listment in the army of the United States. However, a graduate of a Blue course is eligible

The Government is satisfied to train the applicant for one

man's instruction will also re-P. T. ASSOCIATION ceive due attention. Each camp will have its chaplains of prac-MIDDLESEX, Route 1, Feb. 25.

On Tuesday evening. Feb. 20 functions the same as the pastor of the Corinth-Holders high school met in the auditorium upon inspiring topics and holders to the control of their own churches, visiting students in their tents, lecturing upon inspiring topics and holders the control of the control of their own churches, visiting students in their tents, lecturing upon inspiring topics and holders the control of their own churches. The camp chapels on the Sabbath.

## Spend Sunday in Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Stephenon and Miss Ruth Wilson spent Sunday in Durham with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ives.

Freewill Baptist Church. Sunday school Sunday

Prayer meeting Wednesday eve-ning at 7:30 o'clock.

## Aunt Roxie Says



Way out in Missouri; MEETING IN KINSTON De fust thing dat she found out Wus she won't like a jury.