

**LOCAL**

**WHITE WAY THEATRE PROGRAM**

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 Thursday—Last Episode of "Ruth Roland" "The Hidden Treasure," "Naughty Nurses" Hank Mann two reel comedy. Paramount Magazine.  
 Friday—Robertson Cole Super Special. H. B. Warner in "The White Dove" "Vanity Fair Maids" one reel comedy.  
 Saturday—"The Sinister Stroke" Episode 13—"Vellid Mystery."  
 "Leaping Lions and Jellibirds" two reel comedy. "A Sister's Sacrifice," two reel Western Latest Pathe News.

Miss Alice Vaughn, of Stokesdale, is here to visit her sister, Mrs. P. A. Stewart.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jamison at their home in Miami, Florida, Monday, a son.

Miss Mattie Perry, of Columbia, S. C. will arrive in Dunn from Dallas, Texas, Saturday afternoon to begin her series of meetings in the Free Will Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Homer L. Lyon, congressional representative from this district, has introduced a bill to provide for the purchase of a site and the erection of a postoffice building to cost no more than \$115,000. This is practically the same bill so often introduced by Representative Godwin.

Mr. William H. Jackson, wife of that fellow who tickles the keys on the Dispatch typewriter, has entered the Raleigh Times subscription contest and hopes to win one of the automobiles being offered for the person in this district who turns in the largest number of subscriptions to that paper.

The millinery class of the home economics department of the Women's Club will meet at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon of this week in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce. It is imperative that every member who hopes to take the instruction be present in these meetings, and the women are anxious to have each member bring a friend. Unless all members are present the work planned for this month cannot be carried out.

Dr. R. M. Buie has moved to Duke as assistant to Dr. William P. Holt in his practice and at Good Hope Hospital. Dr. Buie has had several years experience as a physician and during the World War spent two years overseas during which time he was for several months assistant to a noted English Surgeon. Dr. Buie comes to Duke highly recommended by his patients and a physician. The people of Harnett county as well as the people of Duke welcome Dr. and Mrs. Buie and Master R. M. Buie, Jr., and trust they will like Harnett county.

**JOHNSTON FARMERS TO USE IMPROVED SEED**

Several of the leading farmers of Johnston county met in the office of County Agent Kirby's office on Saturday to discuss the organization of a county seed improvement association similar to that of Edgecombe county. The meeting was addressed by Dr. E. Y. Winters of the division of agronomy.

It is planned to test out the improved varieties of cotton, soybeans and corn with the object of establishing standard varieties of high yielding seed in the county. In other sections it has been found that the improved cotton seed have yielded from 8 to 10 bushels of lint per acre more than the ordinary mixed varieties and have furnished better quality of lint. The improved corns have yielded from 8 to 10 bushels per acre more than the ordinary unselected varieties. In all sections the soybean has proven a better crop than cowpeas for seed or hay production.

**M'Lean, Of Lillington, Secretary To Overman**

Special Income Tax Agent Selected By Senator As Successor to Late Hubert Martin

Washington, April 18.—Alfred M. McLean, of Lillington, was today appointed as secretary to Senator Lee S. Overman, succeeding the late Hubert Martin, Senator Overman made the appointment after considering the capabilities of various other North Carolinians suggested for the important position.

Mr. McLean is regarded as peculiarly well qualified for the position in the junior senator's office. He has an extensive acquaintance among Tar Heels, is a lawyer by profession, is possessed of executive ability and a pleasing personality. For the past eight years Mr. McLean has been a special income tax agent in North Carolina. He resigns from the branch of the federal service to go with Mr. Overman.

Gilbert M. Hitzcock, of Nebraska, today accepted an invitation to deliver the commencement address at Trinity college on June 8.

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

There will be services held by Clarence W. Dent and companion, of Salt Lake City, Utah, at Robert T. Draughton's residence, Sunday, April 24, 1921 at 2:30 P. M. These men are very able speakers and this is a great opportunity for the people to hear the plan of Salvation as taught by the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

The public is cordially invited.

An air flight to high altitude as prescribed by an Army physician resulted in restoring the power of speech to a former soldier, who for eight months has been unable to speak above a whisper.

**Brooks-Naylor**

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Naylor, of Dunn, was the scene of a quiet, but very pretty wedding Thursday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, when their daughter, Miss Myrtle Naylor, became the bride of Royer Brooks, of Smithfield. The ceremony was performed by Rev. John J. Lightfoot, pastor of the Dunn Christian church, in the presence of only a few relatives and intimate friends.

The bride wore a traveling suit of dark blue with hat and accessories to match and carried a bridal bouquet of roses. Immediately after the ceremony the couple motored to Raleigh, where they caught a train for their future home in Smithfield.

Mrs. Brooks is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Naylor, well known to the people of Dunn and vicinity. She has spent practically all of her life in Dunn, where she is well-known as a young lady of much charm and personality. She is an alumna of Meredith college and has recently been holding a responsible position as bookkeeper for the Commercial bank of Dunn.

Mr. Brooks is the affable and efficient linotype operator of the Smithfield Observer, and is the brother of R. W. Brooks, manager of the local express office. Since coming to Smithfield almost two months ago he has already made many friends in our midst. Previous to accepting his present position, he was a cotton buyer in Dunn, where he also has many friends. For several years Mr. Brooks was an employe of the Greensboro Daily News, and is well known throughout the state as a most capable operator.—Smithfield Observer.

**CARD OF THANKS**

I desire to thank all our neighbors and friends for their kindness and goodness to us during the sickness of my father-in-law. I am so glad of so many willing ones who came at the darkest and lonely hours of the night, for about 12 nights, and many others who were so thoughtful in many other ways. Also during the illness of my wife's children and myself.

Oh how sad it was to me while I was confined to my room. My wife, two of the children and myself were in one room not able to get out, and Mr. Weeks was in his room, just able to sit up long enough to eat. We do thank the many that lent helping hands during those days and hours of illness, and the faithfulness of the physicians, who were so attentive and I feel so thankful for the helping hand of our God. The one that never fails us. Dear ones, lean on his everlasting arm.

J. F. BEASLEY.

**SAMPSON FACES REAL TAX PROBLEM DILEMMA**

Clinton, April 18.—The county commissioners of Sampson county have recommended a 25 per cent horizontal reduction in real estate values. At the same time they do not meet the expenses of the county from the funds available under the constitutional limitation of 15 cents for State and county. And, too, the county superintendent of schools estimates that the 30-cent limitation for schools will fall \$30,000 short of the requirements for a six months' term, thus necessitating a contribution of that amount from the State treasury.

The whole trouble is not due to the reduction in real estate values but largely to the falling off in personal property value, it being estimated that the \$8,000,000 of personal assets of last year have shrunk to \$3,000,000 this year. For instance, the one item of cotton shows a 75 per cent reduction in value, while mules follow with another immense shrinkage in value, only to be outdone by the prospective decrease in the value of the county's 2,000 automobiles. Even the cutting out of the numerous progressive agencies of the county will not solve the problem of finance, while there are few that would willingly consent to the discontinuance of these most helpful agencies.

**Negro Shot When He Attempts To Escape**

Archie McAllister, Wanted At State Prison, Was Attempting To Sell Watch Here

Archie McAllister, a negro with several aliases, is suffering from a bullet wound in his shoulder and is on his way to State's prison at Raleigh as the result of his flight from the chief of police and Oscar T. Wilson yesterday following his arrest upon the assumption that he had stolen a valuable watch he was offering for sale.

McAllister offered the watch to Mr. Wilson, who became suspicious and carried the negro to the home of the chief of police. When McAllister recognized the officer, he dived for the door, bowling Mr. Wilson over in his rush to escape. When he reached the street he pulled out his knife and slashed his way to Fayetteville Avenue and started toward the General Utility Company plant.

The policeman opened fire as soon as he saw that the negro was determined to cut any who came within his reach. He fired several times at McAllister's feet. This failed to halt him. Finally he was overtaken at the Durham and Southern shops. Then it was discovered that he had been shot in the shoulder.

According to advices from Raleigh McAllister is an escaped convict. He is the same negro who, with four others, overpowered Captain John Cole of the Dunn and force several years ago and escaped.

**9TH INFANTRY OUTFIT WINS TRAINING CAMP TRIP**

Second Battalion Chosen For Duty With Reserve Officers At Denver May 15

San Antonio News.

The 2d Battalion of the 9th Infantry will be sent to Denver for duty with the Reserve Officers' Training Camp, which opens on or about May 16, as the result of having won first honors in yesterday's competitive drill and inspection held among the various infantry outfits of the 2d Division. The winning battalion is commanded by Maj. William L. Culbertson. The units of the battalion which were un-

presented yesterday's competitive match are Companies E, F, and G, and are commanded, respectively, by Capt. I. I. Harvey, Capt. William Lee and Lieut. Joseph Bak.

Other outfits entering units in the competition were battalions of the 1st, 9th, 20th and 23d Infantry Regiments. The competition, consisting of full field inspections and company and platoon drills, in close and extended order, began at 9:35 o'clock yesterday morning and lasted until 6:15 p. m. Bayonet fighting and the use of intelligence and signalling platoon were employed in the competitive drills.

**State College Weekly News Letter**

John Skelton Williams, former president of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, and during the Wilson administration Comptroller of the Currency of the United States Treasury, has accepted the invitation of President Wallace C. Riddick to deliver the commencement address at State College on May 30.

In announcing the coming of Mr. Williams, Dr. Riddick stated last night that it was with keen pleasure that his visit to Raleigh before, and is remembered very favorably here. The address will be made on Monday evening of commencement week in Puller Hall.

Mr. Williams is one of the big financiers of America, a student of finance and business, who has upheld high standards as a man and as an official. He has ability and leadership and courage, and always has ideas that he

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REGISTRATION BOOKS OPEN.—Registration books of the Town of Dunn are now open at the clerk's office for registration of new comers and those who have become of age during the past year. H. A. Parker, Registrar. a5 4t.

FOR RENT—FOUR ROOMS FOR light housekeeping. If interested call Phone 109. A 15 1f.

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Dunn, North Carolina

through July 27. Miss O'Neill will have charge of the fourth and fifth grades in the Demonstration School and Prof. Williams will teach American history and education.

Miss O'Neill is a graduate of the Colorado State Teachers College, class of 1914, and for some time was employed as a teacher of the fourth, fifth and sixth grades in the city

schools of Wisconsin and Utah. Later she studied at Columbia University where she received the Bachelor of Science degree in Elementary School Super'ship. At the present time she is a teacher of the fourth grade in the Lincoln School of the Teachers College.

Prof. Williams received both the A. B. and A. M. degrees at Randolph-Macon College, also studying at the University of Virginia and Johns Hopkins University. He is widely experienced as an educator being for several years connected with the high schools of Danville and Elston, Virginia, in addition to serving as superintendent of the New Bern city schools. Last summer he was a member of the faculty of the summer session of the East Carolina Teacher Training School.

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