

# SELMA SCHOOL NEWS

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## Junior-Senior Banquet

The Juniors entertained the Seniors and a few additionally invited guests at the annual Junior-Senior banquet Saturday night, April 16th. The lunch room was artistically decorated with pine trees and tree moss while the tables were decorated with chests and ships. The serving girls, composed of the eighth and ninth grades, were cleverly dressed in pirate costumes. "The Pirate Hall" was arranged in every way to carry out the Pirate motif and make it a true Pirate feast.

The guests were received in the sewing room where they were served punch, and later led to the "Pirate Hall."

The program opened with a welcoming address by Hogie Vick, toastmaster. The other numbers were as follows:  
 Farewell To Seniors—Bessie Hatcher.

Toast To Seniors—Elsie Earp. Response—Ernest Godwin.  
 Song by Mascots—Nell Holliday and Stanley Armitage.

Toast To Faculty—J. C. Avery. Response—Miss Stroupe.  
 Saxophone Solo—Jimmie Woodard.

Toast To School Board—Marie Brown.

Response—Dr. G. D. Vick.  
 Pirate Dance—Helen Dixon Massey and Ida Bell Wall.

Fortune of Seniors—Catherine Aycock.

Toast To Grademothers—Hazel Driver.

Response—Madames Aycock and Jeffreys.

Solo—Jack Diehl.

Toast To Freshmen and Sophomores—Daisy Adams.

Response—Oscar Brown and Jimmie Woodard.

Farewell Solo To Seniors—Elsie Earp.

Farewell To All—Hogie Vick.

A circle of the Methodist church prepared the food and we wish to thank each and every one for the kind service they rendered us. The following menu was served:

Grapp-fruit  
 Baked Chicken Gilet Gravy  
 Chicken Dressing  
 Cranberry Sauce Candied Potatoes  
 English Peas  
 Tomatoes on Lettuce  
 Celery  
 Bread and Butter  
 Coffee  
 Ice Cream and Cake

The favors were small treasure chests.

Standing In The Corner.  
 (By Harold Smith)

I sat within this study hall,  
 Listening to the Sparrow's call;  
 I'd just begun a bit of talk,  
 When in the teacher had to walk.

And now I stand within the corner,  
 Dreaming dreams of poor Jack Horner.

But if I had some cherry pie,  
 I'd surely eat it on the sly.

One leg I rest and then the other—  
 I surely wish I had another—  
 When all at once the bell is ringing,  
 And my poor heart just goes a-singing.

**Twilight**  
 When day is done  
 The setting sun  
 Begins to fire the west;  
 The Whipperwills  
 And Daffodils  
 Come peeping from their nest.  
 When evening shadows start to fall,  
 And Whipperwills begin to call,  
 The Daffodils just seem to say,  
 "This ends another perfect day."  
 —Eunice Parker

**Life In The Country**  
 (Erwin Fulghum)  
 Life in the country today is pre-eminently one of pleasure and contentment. Many people, in an effort to elude the toils of everyday life and to find a place of recuperation, seek the simplicity and quiet of the country. They desire to get away from the noise and turbulence of the city with its pell-mell and glamorous life.

The vastness of the country implies an atmosphere of independence and freedom which is indispensable to human happiness.  
 Wordsworth and Burns found in country life many ideal pleasures, and the supremacy of natural inspiration. They abhorred the luxuries of the city with its tumultuous and endless flowing life. In admiration of the freedom of country life, they were in love with everything pertaining to nature.

One of the most impressive scenes of country life today is at nightfall when the lowing herds wind slowly over the rugged paths and the weary toiler plods his way homeward as did Krey's plowman. And in connection with this picture of closing day, we are reminded of Longfellow's immortal blacksmith, eulogized in the lines,  
 "Toiling, rejoicing, sorrowing,  
 Onward through life he goes;  
 Each morning sees some task begun,  
 Each evening sees it close;  
 Something attempted, something done,  
 Has earned a night's repose."

## Proceedings of County Recorder's Court

**Wednesday, March 30th.**  
 State vs. Tom Hannant, colored farmer, aged 38, for assault with deadly weapon. Not guilty. No cost to be paid except officers.

State vs. R. S. Boykin, white farmer, aged 70, for trespassing. Nol pros with leave.

State vs. Perry Britt, white laborer, aged 32, for violation of prohibition law. Plea of guilty as to possession of one-third pint of whiskey. Defendant sentenced to 90 days on roads.

State vs. Harvey Gurley, white farmer, aged 30, for trespassing and malicious injury to personal property. Guilty, and given road sentence of 60 days to be suspended upon payment of \$25 fine and cost. Appeal.

State vs. Mrs. Willie Williams, white, for assault with deadly weapon. Nol pros.

**Tuesday, April 5th.**  
 State vs. Millard Miles, for violation of prohibition law. Nol pros.

State vs. Claude Revel, colored laborer, aged 20, for larceny of chickens, value less than \$20.00. Plea of guilty. Defendant given 60 days on roads.

State vs. Jesse Walker, colored laborer, aged 16, for larceny of chickens, value less than \$20.00. Plea of guilty. Defendant given 60 days on roads.

State vs. Joe Curley, colored laborer, aged 39, for violation of prohibition law. Guilty of possession of one quart. Jail sentence of 60 days, suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs. Joe Moore, colored laborer, aged 51, for violation of the prohibition law. Guilty (plea) possession of one quart whiskey. Continue prayer for judgment upon payment of cost.

State vs. John Moye, white laborer, for violation of prohibition law. Plea of guilty as to possession of one gallon of whiskey. Road sentence of 60 days, suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs. Matthew Griffin, colored laborer, aged 18, and Claude Bumpass, colored laborer, aged 18, for larceny of 5 chickens, value less than \$20. Both guilty. Each given

60 days on roads.

State vs. J. P. McDowell, white, for operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated. Guilty. Fined \$50 and cost and defendant ordered not to operate a motor vehicle again in North Carolina during next 90 days.

State vs. John B. Hudson, white laborer, aged 27, for violation of prohibition law. Guilty of possession of one gallon of whiskey for purpose of sale. Defendant given 60 days on roads. Appeal to Superior court, \$200 bond.

State vs. Napoleon Womack, colored farmer, for attempted rape. It appearing to the court that this matter has been heard before a Justice of the Peace and should have been sent to Superior Court, it is therefore ordered that this case be transferred to Superior Court.

State vs. Andrew Stewart, colored laborer, aged 26, for abandonment and non-support. Guilty. Defendant given 12 months on roads, this sentence suspended upon condition that defendant pays into court the sum of \$2.00 per week for use and benefit of wife and children. Defendant to give \$100 bond for faithful performance.

State vs. Galloway Watson, colored farmer, for violation of prohibition law by possession of whiskey. Not guilty.

State vs. Butler Wallace, white farmer, aged 58, for receiving stolen property, knowing it to have been stolen, etc., value less than \$20. Guilty, and given 60 days on roads. Appeal, \$100 bond.

State vs. G. E. Weeks, white farmer, for operating car without proper license plates. Plea of guilty. \$10 fine and cost.

State vs. Fulton Surlis, Erastus Barefoot and Nat Tart, for violation of prohibition law through the manufacture of whiskey. Surlis and Tart not guilty and discharged. Erastus Barefoot guilty. Four months road sentence, suspended upon payment of \$50 fine and cost.

## Thieves Take Auto And Leave Regrets

Raleigh, April 19.—Thieves today stole the 10-year-old automobile of A. M. Pate, Raleigh railroad worker, valued at "about \$3" and left a note regretting their act and notifying him where he could find his car.  
 "Sorry to have treat you like this, Pal," the note read. "We must get out of town. You will find Lizzie between Washington and Baltimore parked along the side of the road. Goodbye and good luck." It was not signed.

## NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage executed by W. N. Barden and wife; Bettie B. Barden, dated October 6, 1926 and recorded in Book 184, Page 242, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Johnston County, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, and demand having been made for sale, the undersigned Mortgagee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door in Smithfield, N. C., at twelve o'clock noon on the 24th Day of May, 1932,

the following described property, located in the County of Johnston Micro Township, North Carolina:

TRACT NO. 1. BEGINNING at a stake in Frances C. Creech corner in the Plea-ant Batten line and runs N. 87 1-2 W. 85 poles to a stake, Wesley Batten's corner; thence S. 1 1-2 E. 26 poles to a pine; thence S. 13 E. 69 poles to a pine; thence S. 27 E. 18 poles to a pine; thence S. 50 E. 8 poles to a pine; thence S. 7 E. 15 poles to a pine; thence S. 15 W. 17 poles to a black gum on the run of Robbin Branch; thence up the branch S. 79 E. 40 poles to a stake; thence N. 14 W. 45 poles to the A. C. L. Railroad; thence up said railroad N. 65 W. 20 poles to a stake; thence N. 20 W. 16 poles to a stake; thence N. 69 E. 18 poles to a stake; thence N. 19 1-2 W. 32 1-2 poles to a stake in the Public Highway; thence N. 2 1-2 E. 63 poles to the beginning, containing 60 acres, more or less, and including a tract of land formerly containing 66 1-2 acres, which was conveyed to Bettie E. Barden by deed recorded in Book R-7, Page 83, except 5.6 acres heretofore conveyed to W. L. Barden, and including one acre tract of land conveyed to W. N. Barden by deed recorded in Book Y-7, Page 206 of the Registry of Johnston County, except one-half acre heretofore conveyed to Emma Hawkins.

TRACT NO. 2. BEGINNING at a stake in Charles W. Wellons line and runs N. 3 E. 95 poles to a stake in a pond; thence N. 87 W. 85 1-2 poles to a stake; thence S. 3 W. 65 1-2 poles to a stake; thence S. 87 E. 39 1-4 poles to a

## Jonas Files Formal Notice of Candidacy

Lincolnton Man Will Run For Congress In Tenth District.

Raleigh, April 19.—Charles A. Jonas, of Lincolnton, denied a district attorneyship by the senate, today filed formal notice with the State Board of Election that he would be a candidate for Congress in the 10th district.

Jonas, who was re-elected as Republican national committeeman at Charlotte, it was reported, was offered his party's nomination for governor at Charlotte last week, but declined. He is without opposition so far in the primary as is his Democratic opponent, Major A. L. Bulwinkle, now representing the new 10th (old ninth) district. In the 1928 turnover Jonas defeated Congressman Bulwinkle, and served one term, being defeated for re-election in 1930.

Jake E. Newell, of Charlotte nominated in the Republican convention for United States senator also filed today. George DePriest of Shelby, an announced wet, also has filed and unless he withdraws the Republicans will be forced into the second state-wide primary since its establishment.

Dan C. Boney filed for the Democratic nomination for insurance commissioner. He has no opposition.

## Japanese Soldiers Rushed to the North

Mukden, Manchuria, April 19.—The Japanese command rushed reinforcements to the north today to put down new insurgent outbreaks in the district around Chengchiatun, Taonan and Tunghiao.

Officials denied this movement in the direction of the Siberian border had any connection with reported tension between Japan and soviet Russia.

Lieutenant General Hiroe, whose division is replacing the troops of General Tamon, declared on his arrival in Harbin that the Japanese were determined to free northern Manchuria and Mongolia from lawless elements. He added that there was not a bit of truth in reports that Japan harbored aggressive intentions against the soviets.

Fighting has reached new heights in the Chientao district, where strong resistance is being put up by insurgents against the new Manchurian regime of Henry Pu-Yi.

The Rengo (Japanese) News agency received a dispatch from Chientao saying that Japanese and 200 in urents clashed yesterday near Paitsankou. After a two-hour battle the Chinese fled, leaving 30 dead.

An infantry expedition was ordered by the Japanese command to proceed against these insurgents from Mukden.

More than 55,000,000 stems of bananas were imported into the United States during 1931.

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stake; thence S. 3 W. 26 poles to a stake; thence S. 87 E. 48 1-2 poles to the Beginning, containing 45 1-2 acres, more or less, and being the same tract of land conveyed to W. N. Barden by deed recorded in Book L-11, Page 241, Registry of Johnston County.

TRACT NO. 3. BEGINNING at a stake in Pine Level and Lowell road in J. H. Pittman's line and runs thence S. 4 1-2 W. 111.1 poles to a stake in the Gerald line; thence N. 33 1-2 E. 13 poles to a stake; thence N. 73 1-2 E. 29 poles to the Beginning, containing 17 3-4 acres, more or less, and being Lot No. 1, Aycock Division.

TRACT NO. 4. BEGINNING at a stake in the road, corner of Lot No. 1 and runs S. 4 1-2 W. 87.4 poles to a stake in Gerald's line; thence N. 84 1-2 W. 38.5 poles to a stake in road; thence with road N. 33 1-2 E. 111.5 poles to the Beginning, containing 15 3-4 acres, more or less, and being Lot No. 2, Aycock Division.

This, April 19, 1932.  
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 J. S. DUNCAN, Attorney.

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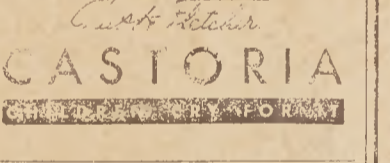
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