#### THE ROANOKE RAPIDS HERALD -Roanoke Rapids, N. C., Thursday, October 5th, 1933

# UP AND DOWN The Avenue WITH THE EDITOR

The 13th annual Kiwanis convention of North and South Carolina will be held in Elizabeth City October 26-28. This is the first time the Eastern part of the State has ever had the convention and a large crowd from Roanoke Rapids is expected from Sunday thru Tuesday.

In this column last week it was stated Rev. Joe Bynum would no longer be connected with the Relief Work in this section. He will continue the work in Roanoke Rapids but has discontinued that work in other parts of the county, having had to travel at his own expense and at no salary. He is willing to do this in the city limits in connection with his Associated Charities work.

Red Sharpe of Taylor Drug Store, was awarded a five dollar prize by Johnson & Johnson for the most attractive window with a display of Baby Talcum. Red has acquired quite a reputation as a window dresser. His latest is a football window with a complete game in session and Pop Eye acting as referee.

Dr. and Mrs. John Martin left Monday for New York where Dr. Martin will spend two weeks taking a special course at Polytechnic Hospital. They were married Monday. Mrs. Martin was Miss Blanche Clarke, of Scottsville, Va., and is a graduate nurse of the Roanoke Rapids Hospital.

Friends of Mr. W. C. Ricks will be glad to learn that he has returned from his trip to Atlantic City, N. J., where he went to attend the Metropolitan Life Ins. Sales Congress. He won the trip by his thrifty Salesmanship. He reported a grand trip.

Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor announce the birth of a son, John Donald, Saturday, September 30th.



Palmer, 22, blonde Century of Progress cashier. She was chosen from a field of 57 to rule as queen of Automotive Week.

#### Mortally Wounded

(Continued from page one) the car and threatened the boy who went home and told his father.

Harris could not have been very drunk, for he fired at the elder Falkner at a distance of 50 yards or more and the first bullet hit him in the neck. The second shot struck the wounded man in the pit of the stomach. He placed his hand over the wound and came on. The third shot hit the hand over the wound, Pierced it and went on into the stomach.

Staggering up to Harris, the wounded man took the gun away from him and struck him several times over the face and head. Officers looked for Harris all day Sunday. Monday he went to

a doctor to have his head dressed and confessed to killing Falkner. The doctor turned him over to Warren County officials.

Falkner was buried Monday near Sunnyside.

### Fighting Parson Here

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was president of Davidson College. His maternal great-grandfather was fou der of Queens College of Charlotte , nd Peace Institute at Raleigh.

Dr. Lacy was an honor graduate of Davidson, 1906, the first alumnus to secure a Cecil Rhodes scholarship, studied three years at Oxford University in England, was honor graduate of his class at Union Seminary, winning the Hoge Fellowship and received the honorary degree of D. D. from Davidson in 1919.

He taught two years at Donald Frazer School in Decatur, Ga., was a home missionary and assistant pastor of the First Presbyterian Church at Raleigh, and was pastor of the Central Presbyterian Church of Atlanta for 7 years.

Outside the church and college he has led a most colorful life. At Davidson he was quarterback and captain of the football team. He traveled all over Europe and the Holy Land. While at Oxford he was Intercollegiate light weight boxing champion of England.

During the World War he was known as "The Fighting Parson". Before his regiment sailed for France, he was offered a captain's commission in the regular army if he would give up his chapliancy. He declined but in crucial times on the battlefront, when the 113th was short of officers he served us reconnaisance and liason officer. And on one occasion during an offensive, when a great 150 mil'imeter German cannon was captured, he organized a gun crew and fired at the Germans for several days and nights with their own gun and ammunition.

He saw active service on the St. Mihiel front and in the Argonne Forest. George N. Taylor and other Carolinians were in his regiment and remember him vividly. He arrives here Saturday evening and will stay with Reverend and Mrs. Bradley.

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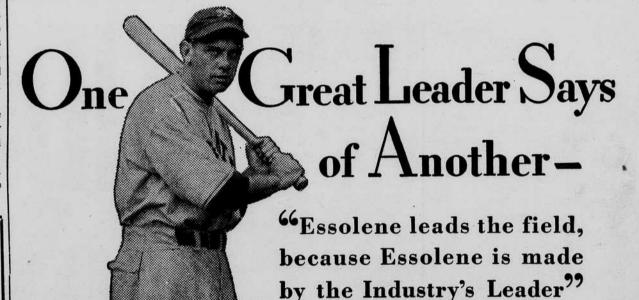
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