EIGHT

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT SUNDAY SCHOOL **MEETING YESTERDAY**

State Superintendent Sims and Professor Honline Chief Speakers of Day

The opening sessions of the New Hanover County Sunday School con- shortly after 9 o'clock, entailing an church yesterday afternoon and night. The total attendance at the two meetings was estimated at 300. The rec- of citizens, who were attracted by the ing territory. Sharp explosions, prob- Men's Christian association. represented, and among those present Those conducting the con- deputies acted as traffic director's and teachers. initial sessions

The four Sunday schools which had the largest attendance at the meetings yesterday were: Grace Methodist, with 41: St. Paul's Lutheran, with 17; Fifth ter the fire was discovered, Chi-f Avenue Methodist, with 15; and the First Presbyterian, with 14.

The New Hanover County Sunday School convention is being held under the auspices of the North Carolina Sunday School association, and all sessions will be held at Grace Methodist church. There will be meetings today and Tuesday at 3:30 and 8 o'clock.

In discussing the subject, "Some Essentials of a Progressive Sunday School," D. W. Sims, general superintendent of the North Carolina Sunday afternoon session:

The six essentials I wish to pre sent are: First, start on time; second. have live, attractive opening and closing exercises; third have good leadership; fourth, have a teachers' training class at regular Sunday training school hours; fifth, have a workers' meeting at least once a month for our teachers and officers; sixth, use blackhoards and object lessons in teach-

ing. Prof. Honline Speaks

In discussing the topic, "The Place of Religious Education." Prof. M. A. Honline, associate educational superintendent of the International Sunday School association, said:

has a right to be well-born with a and the business secretary, going over a single authenticated case on record reorganizing things and placing every-



Ruins by Fire Which Started Shortly After 9 O'clock Sunday Night-Loss Estimated at Ten Thousand Dollars

Flames that lapped the tops of the when the firemen arrived. Chief Schnibben said that the fire, high pine trees nearby completely desaccording to unofficial report made to

fourths that amount. The fire was witnessed by thousands leaping flames illumined the surround-

ords show that 19 Sunday schools were great flare and many of whom ably caused by exploding electric journeyed to the scene in automobiles, bulbs, fruit jars and possibly a few | superintendents and 129 Sunday school Sheriff George C. Jackson and his burning fragments into the air. It could not be learned last night

will amount to, but it was conserdifficulty. to vatively estimated that the loss will The fire apparatus responded

alarms by telephone and from box No. exceed \$10,000, with seventy-five per 2, and, while they arrived shortly afcent insurance. Doubtless the club-house will be re-Charles Schnibben reported that the built, but no announcement along this

fire was beyond any possible control line was obtainable last night.



sociation is looking forward with a great deal of pleasure to the visit this week of two of the most popular secretaries of the South Atlantic field, who ome to the city Tuesday from the field headquarters at Richmond for Nurses Home imperative." is the stateconferences with the leaders of the local work.

man of one of the men's divisions in Miss Leona MacGeorge, field city the campaign which begins February economic secretary, is to spend most "We are constantly turning pati-15. of the week in the business office with ents away from the hospital because "Every child born into the world the treasurer, the general secretary there is no room to take care of them and the problem has become so insishealthy body and mind. There is not the books in detail and completely tent that it has become absolutely of a normal child emanating from a thing on a firm association basis. Miss should be remedied without delay. This Two Keys Also Included in the necessary that this state of affairs of a normal child emanating from a MacGeorge is especially fitted for this can only be done by utilizing the rooms mother. If both parents are feeble work as she is considered one of the now occupied by the nurses and by minded practically every one of their best equipped business executives in providing them with reasonable and offsprings will be feeble minded. We the association. She was one of the comfortable quarters" said Dr. Murnhy There are some poor souls war work activities, but preferred to hospital, and expressed himself as morning by a negro at Sixth and Grace with him has been most successful Miss Lettie Brown, field secretary for girls' work, will be busy for sev-Education does not increase eral days conferring with the girl's means by which the department's purcreation, devotions, study and service. serious problem The program for the week will be as follows: Tuesday-3:30 p. m. and (Wednesday 10:30 a. m. Miss MacGeorge and Miss of the board and all the committees at 206 North Second street. Wednesday-3:30 p. m. Miss Brown will meet with the girls' work comat 114 North Fourth street. Thursday-41:00 a. m. Regular meetng of board of directors. At this time the officers for the coming year will be elected. Thursday-3:30 p. m. The grade school club girls will meet with Miss. Brown for a Valentine social in the gymnasium at 114 North Fourth street. Thursday-4:30 p. m. The High school club girls are invited to bring their mothers to a Valentine party at 206 North Second street. Miss Brown will be the guest of honor. Friday 3:30 p. m. Miss Brown wil again confer with the girls' work committee at 114 North Fourth street.



THE MOLNING STAR, WILLIEGTON, N. C., MONDAL, _____7, 1021.

Three supposed burglars who were "The Fast Young Man and the Slow .dividing spoils in the old Burr & Bailey Young Man" was the subject of an ad- building, a relic of one of the old dress made to a large and attentive foundries of this city, located in an troyed the house of the Cape Fear him, started from some clothing that audience of boys and young men at alley between Market and Dock, and Country club and contents last night was hanging on a line over a hot stove. the Victoria theater yesterday after- Front and Second streets, were put to Considered as a spectacle, the fire noon at 8:30 o'clock by "Sunshine" flight yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock, vention were held at Grace Methodist estimated loss in excess of \$10,000, could hardly have been surpassed. In Hawks, who has come to Wilmington when they were discovered by Edward with insurance of approximately three- a grove of tall pines. through which from Spartanburg, S. C., to deliver a Paul and Charles Daniels. A quantity the fire was viewed by thousands, the series of talks to boys and men of the of wearing apparel and other merchancity under the auspices of the Young dise, valued at \$300 or \$400 and stolen Saturday night or Sunday morning At the completion of the services at from the wholesale establishment of

the Victoria theater yesterday after- S. & B. Solomon, was recovered. So numerous were they, in fact, traffic rounds of twelve gauge cartridges, or noon, Mr. Hawks went to the Y. M. C. The burglars made their escape by were nine ministers, 18 Sunday school on the turnpike became congested, and golf balls, hurled small pieces of the A., where he addressed the regular darting through a hole in the wall, Sunday afternoon boys' meeting. To continuing their flight through a vahear the inimitable talker there had cant lot and across Dock street, into vention are highly pleased with the passage on the road was obtained with exactly how much the financial loss gathered a record-breaking crowd of Racket Store alley and out of the the younger members of the associa- Second street mouth of the alley. tion. As at the Victoria, Mr. Hawks Mr. Daniels notified the police dewas heard with marked attention by partment and Police Officer D. W. the Y. M. C. A. boys, the subject being Coleman arrived on the scene shortly after the strangers had escaped. The one of particular interest to them. Tonight at Grace Methodist church merchandise was carried to the police at 7:30 o'clock, Mr. Hawks will inau- station.

gurate a series of talks that will con-Observing three white men acting tinue there each evening throughout rather suspiciously in the lot to the the week. Mr. Hawks has been an in- rear of his quarters. Edward Paul, spiration to boys and young men who resides in a tenement building nearby on Second street, called upon wherever he has conducted his meetings and the services at Grace church Charles Daniels, of Davis-Daniels stawill be particularly for them. Howbles, close by, and he and Mr. Daniels ever, the public is extended a cordial went to investigate. They surprised nvitation to attend. the burglars who made a hurried de-Although both talks made yesterday parture.

The merchandise recovered consisted fternoon by Mr. Hawks abounded in umorous stories, which brought forth of about twenty dozen silk socks, 18 rounds of laughter from his hearers, blue flannel shirts. 12 pairs of garters they carried with them a most serious two mouth organs, two decks of playlesson. They had to do with the traps ing cards, a suit of clothes and two

OF S. S. STRUCTURE

ant Will Be Held This

Afternoon

The impressive ceremonies attend-

ng the laying of the cornerstone of

the new Sunday school building at the

Church of the Covenant this afternoon

at 3:30 o'clock will be a matter of wide

popular interest. Rev. J. O. Mann, pas-

tor of the church, will be in charge

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associated with Mr. Murchison in su-

completely equipped

and snares into which boys and young hats. men may fall if they are not always on **TO LAY CORNERSTONE** the alert and walking in the right paths. Many instances of men coming to bad ends all because they followed the wrong roads, were told by the speaker.

"The crowded condition of the James A special feature of the service at Walker Memorial hospital makes a the Victoria theater yesterday afternoon was the music rendered by St Andrew's Presbyterian church choir. ment made by Dr. J. G. Murphy, chair-The congregational singing was led Ceremonies at Church of Covenby Rev. John H. Jones, assistant pastor of the Southside Baptist church

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talk about foreordination and predes fination in theology. I find it in in no outside person to head up the biology. born into the world so warped and accept the added responsibility in order twisted by nature that all the train- to hold them over and develop them ing we can give them will not prevent as regular Y. W. C. A. centers of work them from becoming vicious, or crimi- after the war was over. In this, she nal, or insane. Politically, men may be created free and equal, but biologically, they are created bound and uneone's capacity; it only releases it and work committee and leaders and dismakes it usable; and if nature does cussing with them the psychology of not put it in the blood the teacher the 'teen age and devising practical can't bring it out. "Education can never transform mediocrity into poses may be carried out through regenius. Of equal importance with the kind of education we give our children, is the kind of children we give to be educated

"In America feeble-mindedness and inconity are on the increase and out Brown will speak to a joint meeting of all protportion to increase in popu-Between 1889 and 1903 while lation. general population increased about 30 per cent the population in our institutions for mental defectives in- mittee in the regular monthly meeting creased 101 per cent. In 1910 there were more inmates in our institutions for the feeble-minded than in all our colleges and universities combined. In New York state more than 20 per cent of the state revenue goes to the support of institutions for mental de-The idea that healthy blood fectives. tended to neutralize diseased blood is a serious fallacy, for the very opposite is true; the diseased blood tends to vitiate the healthy blood. These things being true, fathers and mothers should be as particular about the pedigrees of their prospective son-inlaws and daughters-in-law as they are of the pedigrees of the domestic animals that feed in their barnyards, for the same penetic principles that apply in plant and animal life apply also to the children of men. and if human society is to be saved. these principles must be recognized, and speedily rec-

ognized." Monday's program is as follows:

Third Session Monday afternoon, February 7, Rev. D. H. Wilcox, presiding.

3:30-Devotional, Rev. J. O. Mann. 3:40-"The Place of the Child in Religious Education," Prof. M. A. Hon-

line 4:25-"Problem Solving Period." conducted by D. W. Sims and Prof. M Honline

4:50-Period of business: Attendance record, announcements. 5:00-Adjourn.

Fourth Session

Monday night, February 7, M: F Allen, presiding. 8:00-Devotional, Rev. G. McClana-

han. 8:10-"The Place of the Teacher in Religious Education," Prof. M. A. Hon-

line. 8:50-Period of business: Attendance records, announcements.

9:00-"Our Purpose and Our Task, D. W. Sims 9:30-Offering for support of

Sunday School association. 9:40-Adjourn.

CREW OF DISTRESSED SCHOONER RESCUED

for Relief

Orders were received here yesterday Scored Success With Recent by Capt. E. S. Addison, commander fthe Coast Guard cutter Seminole, for his vessel proceed to the assistance of the four-masted schooner George W. Truitt, Jr., aground off Cape Lookout, but as the emergency repairs are being made to the boilers of the Seminole, the vessel was unable to leave The cutter Manning, stationed port. at Norfolk, Va., went to the aid of the distressed vessel instead. Captain Bennett and eight members of the crew of the Truitt were landed at 10 o'clock yesterday morning oy life savers of Coast Guard station No. 190. located near Cape Lookout. The schooner, although hard and fast aground, was in no immediate danger and the life savers had little trouble rescuing the crew. Since the Seminole returned from Cape Hatteras, to which point she proceeded last Monday to aid the grounded been undergoing necessary repairs to her boilers and when the call came yesterday she was unable to answer it. The Seminole will be ready to leave port in a few days, however.

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CONFIDENT NAVAL UNIT WILL BE FORMED HERE

Meeting Will be Held Tomorrow

Night

Interest continues to grow in the proposed organization here of a naval unit, which will be a part of the Unit. ed States naval reserve force. Wil liam M. Shaw, a member of the U.S. N. R. F., who has been very active in arousing interest for the naval unit, has little doubt that the proposition will be successfully launched at the meeting that will be held at the Amer- | a drawn knife, and another threatened ican legion hut on Tuesday night at o'clock Those behind the movement want it known that presence at the meeting will not mean that anyone will be morally bound to enlistment. The meeting has been called to ascertain if a sufficient number of young men are interested in the organization of a unit to warrant further steps toward organization Enlistment in a local unit of the naal reserve force will not be confined o young men who are at the present members of the N. R. F.

If, at the meeting Tuesday night, proper interest is shown, efforts will made by the hotel officials in Savanbe made to get a regular naval officer nah yesterday. to come here to explain the details of the organization.

Seminole Unable to Answer Call MISS GRIMBALL ENGAGED selves as being pleased with their TO DIRECT PAGEANT HERE other year.

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who had agreed to serve as captains the bandit 71 cents and two keys.

"Another phase of the problem," their nurses which are meeting with success in their endeavor to solve this

"When this problem is considered properly it will be at once conceded

that it is only fair to the student nurses that adequate provision should be made for their welfare and comfort. When a nurse puts in a hard and trying day in the hospital, it is only right that she should have a reasonable reel moving picture film on Wednesday the beautiful church and also the amount of comfort and privacy. In their present quarters they are not supplied with these things solely because the rooms they now occupy were not designed for living quarters but

for service to the sick. And so we are going to give the public an opportunity to see that this condition of things in remodied." According to 1 ... Frank D. Dean chairman of the executive committee in charge of the campaign, the most encouraging feature of the preliminary work is the manner in which the men and women are responding to the call to help. "Men and women

would not answer the call to service if they did not believe in it." he said, "and day by day there is increasing evidence of deep interest on, every hand.'

Daniel H. Penton, chairman of the church co-operation committee, will speak before the Ministerial association this morning to seek the co-operation of the churches.

SECOND COUSIN OF JESS

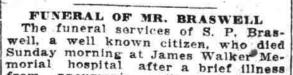
W. B. Chavis, an Indian who claims to be a second cousin of Jess Willard, the famous prize fighter, was held up at 1:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon by two negroes, but the Indian claims that he struggled with the bandits and stolen last night, according to a resucceeded in getting away from them. port filed with the police department He says that one of the negroes had to brain him with a bottle if he re- POSTOFFICE ROBBERS SENTENCED

"come across" with his fused to money. John Williams and Charles Evans, charged with robbing the Jackson colored, were arrested Saturday after- street postal-substation here January noon on the charge of assault with in-14, were found guilty by a jury in tent to rob, and they will be tried by Federal District court here and Rowan Recorder George Harriss this morning. and Luna, were sentenced to 25 years HINTON TO TYBEE

E. L. Hinton, who successfully managed the famous Seashore hotel until the time of its destruction by fire several years ago, will manage the Hotel Tybee, at Tybee Beach, Ga., again this

season, according to an announcement Mr. Hinton managed the hotel last

season with signal success and the demands. Many public balls and enterowners of the hostelry report them- tainments are being given in Munich, ability to engage Mr. Hinton for an- prosecuted.



of the ceremonies He expressed confidence in the public for the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Mrs. Jessie Kenan Wise, of this city, support of this urgent need of the company, was held up early yesterday presented the building to the congre gation, as a memorial to her fathe pleased at the ready support of those streets, and compelled to hand over to and mother, the late Col. and Mrs. Wi liam R. Kenan. The edifice will co: This hold-up happened just a short

over \$200,000. time prior to the apprehension of Wilsaid Dr. Murphy, "is the increasing lie Burnett, the negro who was shot by Sothic architecture, conforming in dedifficulty in securing student nurses. Sergeant Marcus Gray as he attemptsign and material with the handsome This is a problem not peculiar to Wil- ed to escape, and the police were inchurch edifice. The exterior walls will mington, but is being experienced by clined to believe that Burnett was the be constructed of Plymouth seam-face hospitals all over the country and it party who held up Weaver. However, granite, shipped from the quarries at is only those hospitals which provide Weaver could not identify Burnett Waymouth, Mass., and laid up in Ranadequate and comfortable quarters for when he viewed the negro at the podom Ashlar bond. The roof is of varilice station yesterday. colored slate.

> MOVIE TO MAKE CLEAR MECHANICS OF MOTOR

which will be one of the city's most beautiful buildings, the Church of the Covenant will have one of the most Hayes D. Pettit, in charge of modern and struction work for the local Federalchurch plants in the entire south. State motor mechanics school, has just Plans for the building were drawn announced that the general public will by Kenneth M. Murchison, architect, be given an opportunity to see a two- of New York city, who also designed

night, the 16th. These films are in- manse. James F. Gause, architect, is tended for instruction work, and are so made that anyone who is at all me- pervising the construction of the chanically inclined can fully under- building. stand just what happens when a foot is put on the starter pedal. They will have an opportunity to see just how the battery supplies current to the

starter, how the generator charges the battery, how the ignition system gets its current and what is necessary to Halted by Bullet From Police

George W. Coggins, state supervisor, will be present

This school is maintained by the United States government and the the leg early yesterday morning by State of North Carolina, and is under Police Sergeant Marcus Gray, who, the local supervision of the Wilmington school board.

DEATH OF MRS. KUHL

Kuhl.

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last night.

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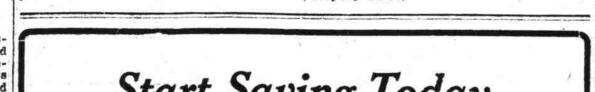
wife of F. W. Kuhl, who died a week's illness from pneumonia, will church this morning at 11 o'clock. Mrs. Kuhl is survived by her husband and three daughters, Misses Catherine WILLARD IS HELD UP | Kuhl, Alida Kuhl and Wilhelmina

> FUTRELLE'S CAR STOLEN The Oakland touring car of W. Leon Futrelle, the well known druggist, was

> > on the charge of store breaking. Sergeant Gray states that the negro had moved the cash register from midway of the store to the window, and that he had also placed some cigars there and was preparing to make his getaway, when the officer arrived on

> > > ALLEGES SKIN GAME

Randolph Croswell, a negro who reeach in a federal penitentiary and sensides at Gore's Row, reported to the tence on Scrivner was withheld at repolice station that he was fleeced out of \$250 Saturday morning by a young negro named "Jim," who is believed DANCES IN BAVARIA GO ON to be the brownskin, gold-tooth negro BERLIN, Feb. 6 .- Despatches from who has been operating "skin games" Munich report that little attention is in this city and section for some time. being paid to the Bavarian govern-Croswell says that the gold-tooth ment's recent edict suppressing all carnegro persuaded him to let him have nival celebrations in view of the situa-\$250 until he (the gold-tooth negro) tion created by the allied reparation could get his bank book. Croswell says he also loaned the negro his bi_ cycle, and that he has not laid eyes on but it is stated the organizers will be the gold-tooth negro, the \$250 or the bicycle since.







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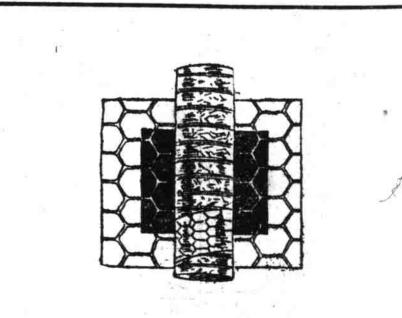
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ATTEMPTING BURGLARY. NEGRO SHOT IN LEG

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Sergeant's Pistol Willie Burnet, colored, was shot in with Sergeant W. C. Moore caught the negro after discovering him leaving

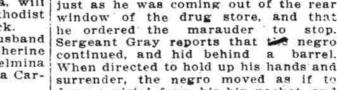
through a window in the rear of the North Side pharmacy, which the negro The funeral services of Mrs. Marv A. had just burglarized.

Sergeant Gray reported that he and Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock, after Sergeant Moore discovered the negro just as he was coming out of the rear be conducted from Epworth Methodist window of the drug store, and that Kuhl; also one sister, Mrs. Martha Car-

draw a pistol from his hip pocket, and the sergeant fired his pistol. The shot lodged in the negro's leg, and the officers carried him to the hospital, where his wound was dressed. The negro was latter placed in the city prison

DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 6 .- Albert E. Rowan, Ben Luna and W. S. Scrivner.

the scene.



The North Carolina Sorosis has been from pneumonia, will be conducted successful in securing Miss Elizabeth from the residence 606 North Fifth ave-Grimball to direct the presentation of nue, at 1:30 o'clock today, and interthe Pageant of the Lower Cape Fear, ment will be made in the family burywhich will be presented in this city ing ground at Brunswick Station, under the auspices of this society dur-ing June. Miss Grimball just recently He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ber-

directed the staging of a similar his- nice Braswell, and his mother and fatorical pageant at Raleigh, and the ther. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Braswell, of members of the Sorosis regard them- Brunswick county; also two sisters, selves as being fortunate in securing Mrs. Frank Harriss of this city, and the services of one who is so well qual- Miss Bernice Braswell, of Brunswick county; also two brothers, W. F. Brasified to direct this great affair. The Pageant of the Lower Cape Fear well and Percy Braswell.

was written by a committee representing the literary department of the TRUCK DRIVER HELD LeRoy Elebery, a negro truck dri-North Carolina Sorosis, and the treatise as prepared by them was submitted ver, will face Recorder George Harriss to Dr. Frederick Koch, of the Universi- this morning on the charge of reckless ty of North Carolina, who edited the operation of an auto. He was arrested schooner. Carroll A. Deering, she has paper. Mrs. Herbert Bluethenthal was Saturday afternoon, after complaint chairman of the committee represent- had been made to the police departing the Sorosis in the preparation of ment that he had almost collided with the pageant, and Dr. James Sprunt con- a machine driven by Walker Taylor. Jr., in Market street Saturday aftertributed much of the data used in composing the historic vehicle

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