

JAMESTOWN HEARS DR. BRANSON ON R. E. LEE

Splendid Address Listened to by Large Audience—Another Lecture Soon.

OTHER JAMESTOWN NEWS

(Special to Daily News.)

Jamestown, Jan. 23.—Last night Dr. E. C. Branson professor of rural economics in the University of North Carolina, spoke to a full house on the subject, "Robert E. Lee, the Gentleman." Dr. Branson said that it was customary to speak of Lee as a military genius but that he would discuss him from the standpoint of his gentlemanly qualities. Some of the qualities discussed by Dr. Branson were, Lee's greatness of soul, which never allowed him to criticize friend or foe; his shrinking modesty and his unswerving devotion to duty. These qualities with others make him the peerless gentleman.

The evening's entertainment closed with "The Soldier's Chorus," from Faust sung by the High School Glee club.

Another lecture will be given in the high school auditorium February 19 by Dr. A. H. Patterson, also of Chapel Hill. His subject is "The Story of the Stars," and the lecture will be illustrated.

The High Point Dramatic club presented a play "Above the Clouds" in the auditorium January 15. The club was assisted by a chorus of splendid voices.

The junior domestic science class gave a heart dice party Wednesday night at the school building. Progressive hearts was played. After the games had ended a delicious course was served.

The Vance Literary society has elected the following boys to represent the school in the interscholastic debate on March 26: Ivey Cashatt, Hervis Williard, Newlin Hodgins, Clyde Ridge.

The Woman's club of Jamestown will hold its next meeting January 28. Special program arranged.

The enrollment in the high school department has now reached 125. At the opening of the spring term the first of February we expect several new students.

Clarence H. Mackay is spending a few days at his hunting lodge near Jamestown.

Miss Alma Edwards, of the Guilford college faculty, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Coltrane.

MAD DOG AT MONROE.

Two Persons Bitten by the Animal—Marriage Is Announced.

(Special to Daily News.)

Monroe, Jan. 23.—A mad dog scare was prevalent over Monroe yesterday evening and last night. A dog belonging to J. E. Stewart ran amuck, and before it was finally killed by Chief Laney, it had bitten two children. Its head was shipped immediately to Raleigh, and today a message was received stating that the dog was afflicted with rabies. Joseph Stewart, son of J. E. Stewart, and Cull McLelland, son of J. W. McLelland, were the two children bitten. Several other dogs were also bitten. The children's wounds are not severe.

A. J. Green, the popular mail carrier on Monroe route nine, sprung a big surprise on his many friends here by announcing that he was married in Asheville to Miss Lena Mann, of Canton, January 9. The bride has not yet arrived, as she is teaching school at Canton and her term will not be over until January 27. After that date, Mr. and Mrs. Green will be at their home on Main street. The bride is well known in this county, having taught school two terms at Sandy Ridge and one term at Hope.

Mrs. J. H. Elliot died at her home in North Monroe Monday morning, aged 54 years.

A. C. Funderburk, charged with the killing of his tenant, A. L. Traywick, at his farm several miles south of Monroe, has given bond and was released from custody. He was granted bond several weeks ago in the sum of \$5,000 in Charlotte by Judge Lane. The first time his bond was not passed by the clerk of court, but the second attempt was successful. He will be tried next week, as a week's term of court convenes here then, commencing Monday.

WARSAW HAPPENINGS.

Widely Known Traveling Man Is Dead—James Best Passes Away.

(Special to Daily News.)

Warsaw, Jan. 23.—A bill is before the legislature which is designed to regulate the charges made by the leaf tobacco warehouses in the sale of the tobacco, and it is attracting wide attention among the warehouse men. One section of the bill would reduce, if passed, the warehouse commission from 2 1/2 per cent. to 1 per cent., and would mean that the tobacco men would lose thousands of dollars annually, and of course the farmer would save this amount. The difference to this market alone, it is stated, would be about \$1,500 each year.

Howard James, one of the most widely known traveling salesmen in the eastern part of the state, died at his home in Faison yesterday morning from a stroke of paralysis. Mr. James had just celebrated his 45th birthday the day before he died, having been born in Sampson county, a few miles from here on January 21, 1870.

Mrs. G. M. Bridgers, the wife of a prominent farmer, died at her home here last night after an illness covering a period of five or six months.

James Best, about 85 years of age, died here at the home of his son, R. W. Best. He was one of the oldest citizens of this section and one of the oldest engineers on this division of the Atlantic Coast Line railroad. He is survived by several brothers and sisters and one son. The remains will be taken to Wilmington this afternoon, and interment will be made there.

Kentucky's Fight on Illiteracy.

(Danville (Ky.) Advocate.)

Alice Goodloe, a patriotic colored woman of superior education, has organized a moonlight school among the colored people of Perryville. She has 12 students, ranging in age from 25 to 60 years, and all are learning rapidly and are beginning to read and write. The teacher is doing the work gratis in order to help in the great movement to wipe illiteracy out of Kentucky.

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VALUABLE ADDITIONS FOR PUBLIC LIBRARY

Makes Great Improvement in Collection of State History—Important Files of Newspapers Secured.

The collection of state history in the public library has received some valued additions during the past week.

"Western North Carolina—A History From 1730 to 1913," by John Preston Arthur is an indexed volume of 600 pages devoted largely to local history but including chapters on manners and customs and on the natural resources of this mountain section. It is a welcome gift from the Guilford chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

"Ante-Bellum Builders of North Carolina" is a publication just issued by the State Normal college and placed in the library by Prof. W. C. Jackson of the department of history in this institution. It contains four able lectures by Dr. R. D. W. Conner upon the work of Governor Morehead, Governor Swain, Judge Archibald Murphy and Dr. Calvin H. Wiley, these lectures having all been recently delivered before the Normal college students. It is interesting to remember that three of these four faithful servants of the state once lived in Guilford county and that the portraits of Governor Morehead and Calvin Wiley hang in this library where

the children are often sent to study their lives.

"The Transactions of the North Carolina Medical Society in its 61st Annual Meeting in 1914," is another valued gift presented by the president of this organization. It will be remembered that the health bulletins of the state are on file in the library and are frequently consulted there.

A fourth item is not a gift, but a purchase of 17 bound volumes of the *Observer* covering the issue from October 1, 1904 to December 31, 1908. The library has unbound files of this paper to date and also unbound files of the *Charlotte Observer* from 1906 to date. Both files are exceedingly valuable for reference, but so far it has not been possible to bind any except Greensboro papers. In addition to bound copies of the *Greensboro Daily News*, the *Daily Record* and the *Telegram*, there are bound files of *Greensboro Patriot*, the *North State* and the *Greensboro Times*, making in all 85 bound volumes of local newspapers in the library's service now—in addition to the *News* and *Observer* just received more than 100 bound volumes of newspapers in all.

Located. (Puck.)

"What's become of the solitary horse-man who used to appear in the first chapter of the novel, outlined against the horizon on the top of a hill?" "He is probably at the bottom of the same hill in an automobile with his engine stalled."

Organization Perfected

This is to announce that the Guilford Motor Car Co., has been incorporated under the laws of North Carolina. Organization this day perfected by the election of the following officers:

R. M. Clapp, President; S. L. Alderman, Vice President; W. L. Stainback, Secretary and Treasurer and General Manager.

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