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MORGANTON, NORTH CAROLINA, APRIL 7, 1921.

Group of Commencements Vas Great Success; Contests in Recitations, Declamations and Athletics.

Roper and Bumgarner.

ons and recitations. Miss An- the opening of school next fall. Smith, of the Bumgarner school, recitation was "The Raggedy CHAMPION WALKER OF won the recitation prize, a of silk hose given by Lazarus of Morganton. "Sally in Our was the declamation with Leon Poteet, of the Enola ol, won the boys' prize, a foun-pen given by Kibler Drug Com-

Huffman, Roper school; Viv- ers' Association.

parade of the school children towns and cities he has visited.

Grade Certificates.

beher and Enola schools were pre- Ranger, Texas.

ted as follows:

re, to Mary Denton. road jump (large boys). Prize, a 50 tie, given by the Busy Store, of ganton ,to Otis Huffman.

ze, a razor, by Kirksey & Co., to erson Smith. 'eanut race (large girls). Prize, ctionary, by Miss Margie Carsof Enola, to Mina Martin.

otato race (little girls). Prize, by M. K. Carswell, of Enola, to ri Carswell.

racker - eating contest (little A hair ribbon, by Morgan's

Brittain and Tellis Smith.

HOOL ELECTION WILL BE HELD ON MAY 2ND

all Has Been Issued For Election of Four Trustees; Candidates Being Talked.

order to keep the specified number expenses. each party on the board.

erome Wortman and Mr. R. O. Huff- and J. P. Bumgarner. man for re-election. It is understood hat Mr. John M. Mull, Mr. W. W.

SCHOOL BONDS WERE SOLD MONDAY NIGHT

New York Bond Buyers Take \$75,000 in Morgantor School Bonds At Par.

The Morganton graded school trustees were in session Monday night for the purpose of making arrangements for the sale of the \$75,000 in bonds for school improvements authorized first of the group commence- by the recent elections. The bonds were sold at part to A. B. Leach & Co., of New York, and will be delivered in every particular. Such a cred to them within the next month as has seldom been seen at probably. Representatives from a number of bond companies were pres-

gathered for the exercises in seven schools participated— ent.

Absher, Suttle, Corn Hill, Well- as possible with the erection of the forenoon representatives high school building on Avery avenue these schools contested in dec- to have it completed, if possible, by

WORLD HERE YESTERDAY

"Walking" Lambert Has Already Covered 266,489 Miles; Walking for \$65,000 Prize

An unusually interesting man Those who participated in these came to Morganton yesterday — the sts were—recitations: Jina Po- world's champion walker, Mr. E. F. Enola school; Joy Watts, Suttle Lambert. He is on the last lap of a ROAD COMMISSIONERS Matoka Hudson, Corn Hill 300,000 miles journey for a prize of Zelma Cloud, Wellman school; \$65,000 offered by the National Walk-

mith, Bumgarner school; Lillian Mr. Lambert became a professional Suttle school; Fannie Burns, walker in 1897. He has been around Hill school; Annie Smith, Bum- the world three times, visited every school; Hester Potent, Enola civilized country on the globe and has been in every county court house in

Denton, Enola school; Leon March, 1905, and again in 1915. At plan of work.

fect attendance certificates allowed to beg and is proud of the work on the Laurel road. presented to Lester Miller and fact that during his time on the road After determining on the inspec-Miller, of the Corn Hill he has not asked for even so much as tion tour the commissioners told all Myrtle Chapman, Flavius interested in every phase of the boy available. and Lillian Proctor, of the scout work. The local troop enjoyed It was stated that likely much of the greatest revival the university lar meeting of the Civic department become citizens of our town, are here having him with them last night.

Annie Smith, of the Bumgar- By July 11, 1924, Mr. Lambert done by contract but that no bids hool, and Miss Virgie Rhoney, must have finished his 300,000 mile would be received until after next Corn Hill school, received Sev. "hike" which will give him the \$65,000 week's tour. prize. This is due to be completed in

ed with pictures for highest at- Mr. Lambert will leave this mornmee records, the pictures given ing for Marion and Asheville. He Mrs. A .C. Avery, Jr., and Miss will spend Christmas at Winnipeg, Canada.

he athletic contests which fur- The champion walker is "very ned much merriment for the crowd much single" and offers half the purse to any lady who will finish the 00 yard dash (large boys). Prize, hike with him-a little over 33,000 her, all she would have to do "being 00 yard dash (small boys). Prize, to keep up with him." He says that state race (large girls). Prize, a girl to see the world with no expicture, by Patton's Jewelry pense. All she needs is a lot of good determination.

bracker - eating contest (boys).

Chosen to Head County Schools have charge of this stock. The hard- sate the cities between Greensboro For Another Term of Two Years; Mr. Coulter New Chairman of Board.

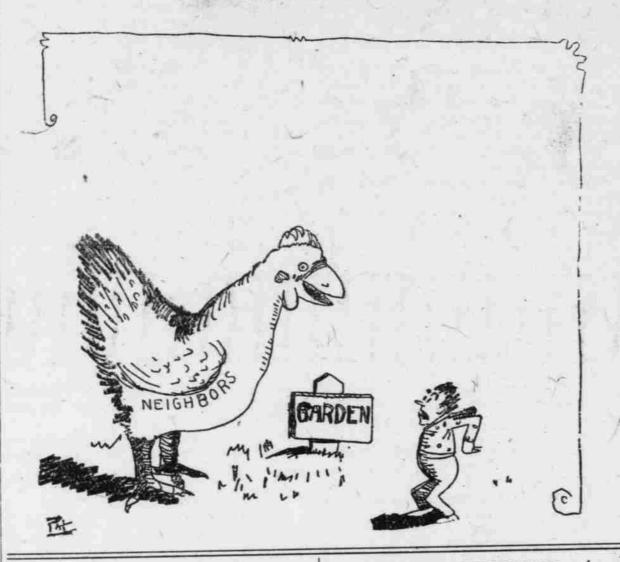
ree-legged race (boys). Prize, in regular session Monday at which building which will belong jointly to delegation to Washington to endeav- on Monday and Tuesday and after a H. Poteet, of Enola, to time the most important matters con- the Morganton Grocery Company and or to get this train put on and will thorough review of the present situsidered were the elections of the the Morganton Hardware Company, probably go next week. The origin Pole (boys). Prize, a \$2.50 chairman of the board and of the will be begun, it is announced, at an of the idea of this through train watch, given by Mr. Alfonso county superintendent. Mr. J. E. early date. This will be on the rail- dates back to 1913 when I first came Coulter was chosen chairman, Mr. A. road, near the station, and will be on the commission. I had a long ture, passed an order for a flat reducfor the occasion was furn- N. Dale, who has served faithfully used chiefly as warehouses. The build- talk with Colonel Andrews about it by the Hunting Creek string in this position for a number of ing will have a frontage of 100 feet. and he at once became enthusiastic This, of course, is subject to review years having resigned, and Mr. T. L. Sigmon was re-elected superintendent of schools for another term of two years. Both Mr. Coulter and Mr. Sigmon expressed to the board their appreciation of the confidence thus Will Be in Session Next Wednes- that he thought he could have the shown in them and promised their best efforts in fulfillment of the duties of their offices.

The nominations of both Mr. Coul-In this issue appears the call for ter and Mr. Sigmon were made by election on the first Monday in the retiring chairman, Mr. A. N. ction on the first Monday in the retiring chairman, Mr. A. y, May 2nd, of four new members Dale, and seconded by Mr. N. O. Pitts the board of trustees of the Mor- Resolutions were passed by the board ganton graded school. Three will be that the superintendent be authorized elected for terms of six years and to proceed to collect fines due the one for two years. According to a board by the town of Morganton and ovision in the school charter two of that \$5000 be borrowed from the hese members must be Republicans First National Bank to meet school,

Among those who are being urged pose the Burke County Board of Ed- meets at the same time and place to Southern. But to secure such a train their friends to be candidates are ucation: J. E. Coulter, A. N. Dale, give account of things pertaining to as this we ought to be willing to Ir. X. H. Cox, Mr. Olen Avery, Mr. W. E. McConnaughey, N. O. Pitts woman's work in the church, shiefly make a sacrifice. I am quite certain

while she does not lay golden eggs, and Mrs. Falls, with Miss Bowditch stand for re-election. There may be does the next best thing—she has and Mrs. McNaughton alternates. others in the running of whose can-laid an egg within an egg. The out-laid an egg within an egg. The out-side egg, if it can be described as rector at Gastonia. The delegates, such, was extra large, as large as a both men and women, will all be en-REVIVAL MEETING, OAK FOREST large goose egg. When Mrs. Wil-tertained by the good people of A revival meeting will begin at liams broke this egg for breakfast Gastonia. Oak Forest church on the night of the Monday morning she found inside The pastor, Rev. J. A. Frye, will be about the size of the ordinary hen m., Holy Communion; 11 a. m., mornassisted by Rev. J. P. Hornbuckle, of egg. It was, to say the least, a very ing prayer and sermon. St. Mar- Mr. J. L. Nelson is registrar and the Embroidery club at her home on o'clock at the Methodist parsonage in interesting freak.

THE WAY THEY LOOK!



ON INSPECTION TOUR

Road Commissioners Will Inspect Roads Next Week to Determine on Plan of Work

The county road commissioners amations: Ernest Rhoney, the United States. He is a native of held their regular monthly meeting preach in the Methodist church Sun-Amations: Ernest Rhoney, the United States. He is a native of held their regular monthly meeting preach in the Methodist church Sun-day morning is almost one of our own day morning is almost one o Leroy Cook, Wellman school; Texas.

Wellman, Wellman school; This was Mr. Lambert's third visit of the roads of the county with the boys. He was reared in Cleveland beautiful new dwelling being erected ary Work in Africa." It will be re-Bumgarner school; to Morganton. He was here first in view of determining on a general county. He is one of the greatest by Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Clodfelter on membered that Africa is the present

Abernethy and by Mr. J. F. ries with him many letters from Upper Fork, Upper Creek, Icard and ar and Supt. T. L. Sigmon. prominent men and officials in the Lovelady townships, all of them asking that roads in these townships be after dinner was an interesting He has averaged 34.6 miles walk- either built or improved. Probably Emory University, Atlanta, Ga. Moring every day for 24 years. He is not the largest delegation was asking for

Gladys Chapman and Vance a glass of water or a match without the petitioners that they would meet of the Bethlehem school; offering to pay. To make expenses them on the grounds where improve-Carswell, Vivian Smith and he lectures and does fancy cut work. ment was desired and then decide Carswell, of the Bumgarner He is a Scout Master and intensely what could be done with the funds

the shaping out of the roads will be has ever had. Dr. Durham was train- at the home of Mrs. Ernest Erwin maging arrangements to move their

NEW WAREHOUSES TO

BE ERECTED AT DEPOT Morganton Hardware and Morganton Grocery Companies

Will Build Warehouses

It will be recalled that sometime cash, given by the Morganton miles, her share to be \$32,500. He ago announcement was made that the dware Co., awarded to Otis Huff- even offers to carry her luggage for building of the M. M. & T. Co. had been purchased by the Alpine Cotton through train which Judge Pell, of ok, by board of education, to Carlenton.

This is a chance for some Morganton tato and the company, which has dissolved the corporation commission, has allowed the corporation commission commission. The corporation commission commissio Lumber Co., of Granite Falls. The eight stops, carrying day coaches, Morganton Hardware Company has parlor car, dining car and Pullmans bought the stock of doors, sash, fin- for Memphis, Cincinnati, St. Louis ished lumber and until the new and Louisville. It is known that the warehouses which they plan to build Southern Railway have been anxious at the depot are completed they will to do something of this kind for handle this line at the M. M. & T. Co. some time ,not only for the whole building. Mr. Ivey McGimsey will State, but more especially to compening at once, to be used as a stock 21 and 22, says R. E. Powell, Raleigh No. 2, near the depot.

EPISCOPAL CONVENTION

day and Thursday; Delegates From Grace Church

copal church will meet in Gastonia and the war came on and stopped Wednesday and Thursday, the 13th and 14th, of this month.

of a distinct missionary character, that we will get it if we can show the Southern that it can be made to pay,

Mr. D. J. Williams has a hen, that Grace parish are Mrs. Charles Smith and we feel sure of that."

Friday, 4:30 p. m.; Sunday 7:30 a. garet's, Sunday, 7:30 p. m.

DR. PLATO DURHAM TO BE HERE SUNDAY soon.

To Preach at Methodist Church; Now Famous Preacher and Teacher Well Known Here

March, 1905, and again in 1915. At plan of work.

every court house he gets an affidavit At the meeting yesterday petitions lina who has gone out to carry blesslina who has gone out of addresses were made by Rev. from the clerk of the court and car- were presented from Lower Fork, ings to other parts of the world as Charlotte last week to be with her quest. the Candler School of Theology of students. There was recently con-usual. ducted in that university a great re-vival in which Dr. Durham did the vival in which Dr. Durham did the

COMMISSIONER SURE OF

"North State Flier" is Name Picked; Delegation Will Go to Washington.

The corporation commission and the Southern Railway have evidently a big surprise to the State in a fast ware company plans to erect a build- and Salisbury for their loss of Nos. room for finished lumber, etc., on a correspondent of the Charlotte Oblot near the Garrou Knitting Mills server. Asked about it Thursday, Judge Pell said:

The county board of education met Also the erection of a large brick "I have been asked to go with a and promised me that if I could get by the State Tax commission. certain changes made in the schedules of the Norfolk - Southern and MR. AVERY ELECTED TO MEET IN GASTONIA Coast Line trains leaving Goldsboro co as to make proper connections train put on. I found that the Nor- New Aldermen Are Messrs folk-Southern would be glad to accommodate us but the Coast Line kicked. While these negotiations The annual convention of the Epis- were going on Colonel Andrews died

SCHOOL REGISTRATION BOOKS

BE OPEN FROM APRIL 8 TO 30 A new registration will not be required for the approaching election for graded school trustees but the registration books will be open from April 8th to the 30th for those whose names are not already on the books.

BARRETT AND MORRILL

Take Place of Johnson and Atkinson on the Board of School Here

Governor Morrison has announced the appointment of Mr. James F. Barrett, of Asheville, and Dr. J. D. Morrill, of Pitt county, as directors of the State School for the Deaf here in place of Mr. Archibald Johnson, of Thomasville, and J. O. Atkinson, of Elon College, whose terms have ex- bury Sunday and made four points in

Dr. Morrill is a well known physician of Greenville. Mr. Johnson is slated tion, the general impression being that he will be secretary to the board of directors of the North Carolina railroad when the governor names the board.

LOCAL BRIEFS IN

Work on King street is progressing cision was in favor of the negative. rapidly and should be completed The Children's Missionary society

rian church will hold a cooked food Miss Louise Little deserve great credsale Saturday, April 9th, at Bristol's it for quick and thorough training. Grocery store, beginning at 2:30 p. m. Next Sunday Rev. W. F. Elliott, The Woman's club of Morganton is our pastor, begins a revival meeting offering as a prize in each of the at Connelly Springs to run up to the Dr. Plato T. Durham, who is to county commencement a fountain pen district Epworth league conference to

preachers produced by North Caro- West Union street next to Mrs. J. L. Epworth league special. Sunday at

well as to his own State. He now oc- mother, Mrs. W. E. Walton, who has Rev. John H. Green, one of our cupies the chair of church history in been quite sick at the home of her ministerial students, who has charge daughter, Mrs. Clifford Walker.

ganton will give him a great welcome tack of acute indigestion Sunday on satisfactorily. The brethren are Sunday not only because of his great morning which necessitated the can- to meet at the parsonage next Saturpreaching ability but also because he cellation of services at the Methodist day to make garden. They expect to was one of our neighbor boys. Em- church. He has now entirely recov- complete the new parsonage and have ory University has more than 1200 ered and is able to be out again as it furnished and ready for Mr. Green

ton, Miss Fannie Rountree, Mrs. F. spick and span. What say you, good W. Watkins, Mrs. Ernest Walker, neighbors? Mrs. Tom Warner, Mrs. Herbert Mr. W. C. Riddle and Mr. Ed Estes Walton, Miss Wilhelmina Tate, Mrs. seem to have gone into partnership H. Webb, Mrs. J. W. Vernon, Mrs. J. in the grocery business. R. Clodfelter, Mrs. Charlie Kirksey, Miss Louise Jensen, who has for Mrs. W. A. Leslie, Mrs. J. L. Garrou, some time been taking training as a Mrs. E. W. Phifer, Mrs. J. T. McGim-trained nurse, is now spending some

County Commissioners and Ap- B. L. Lunsford. praisers Agree On 33 1-3 Per Cent Reduction On Real Estate Valuations.

county appraisers held joint sessions ation as to valuations and taxations in the county, this in compliance with Eula Christenbury, Rama Dale, Myrthe machinery act of the 1921 legislation of 33 1-3 per cent on valuations.

MAYOR OF MORGANTON

Huffman, Duckworth, Riddle and Duckworth.

and the war came on and stopped town election Monday, held to select spending a week with her the plan. Now that Mr. Henry W. the mayor and four aldermen for the Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McGimsey. Bishop Horner is the president of is vice president of the Southern elected mayor and the heard will be the convention, which consists of all Railway, and loves the memory of elected mayor and the board will be the clergy in the district, and laymen Colonel Andrews as well as his native composed of Messrs. Roy C. Hufffrom each organized congregation. State, we are reasonably sure we are man, F. B. Duckworth, Fons Duck-The delegates from Grace church are going to get this train. But in order worth and Harry L. Riddle. Mr. Rid-Messrs. H. M. Walton, L. S. Couburn to get it our commission is going to dle, who had no opposition in Ward 4, and Hardie Turner. The district have to take off some local trains so received 124 votes. For the other The following gentlemen now com- branch of the woman's auxiliary as to lessen the extreme on the candidates the official vote was as fol-

| | Mayor. |
|---|---------------------|
| | A. C. Avery 516 |
| | John H. Pearson 261 |
| | Ward 1 |
| | R. C. Huffman |
| | E. A. Green 88 |
| | Ward 2 |
| 6 | F. B. Duckworth 114 |
| | J. W. Garrison 113 |
| | Ward 3 |
| | Fons Duckworth115 |
| M | Will Donah |

ON DEAF SCHOOL BOARD BRIEF NEWS ITEMS FROM OVER BURKE

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Items of Interest Gathered From Different Sections of the County By News-**Herald Correspondents**

RUTHERFORD COLLEGE

President Hinshaw went to Salisthe interest of the educational move-Mr. Barrett is a well known labor ment. He reports a large crowd and leader of Asheville and Charlotte, and most excellent results at each point. Our base ball team played the Pied-

mont team at their diamond last Satfor another berth in the administra- urday and won 10 to 6. They are to meet the Granite Falls team next Friday.

The Newtonian literary society gave their annual exercises last Friday evening at the auditorium. The three declaimers and four debaters acquitted themselves with great cred-AND AROUND TOWN it both to themselves and their teachers. The declaimer's medal was won Short Items of Local and Personal Interest Gathered

During the Week.

The Children's Missionary society gave a most excellent entertainment The Workers' club of the Presbyte- Saturday night. Mrs. Bolick and

of the Ball Creek circuit in the States-Rev. C. M. Pickens suffered an at- ville district, reports things moving to move into by May 10th, or as soon

preaching. It is said to have been are asked to be present at the regu- Johnston, of Emory, Va., who are to ed in Trinity College, Columbia Uni- next Tuesday afternoon, April 12, at families at an early date. Your corversity and Oxford University, Eng- 3:30 o'clock: Miss Allen, Mrs. J. R. respondent was much pleased this Anderson, Mrs. B. Bristol, Mrs. F. A. morning to see these worthy men, hoe Bower, Mrs. F. Clark, Miss B. Cobb, and mattock in hand, leading a com-Mrs. Edwin Davis, Mrs. J. E. Erwin, pany of boys to clean the briers and NEW THROUGH TRAIN Mrs. E. Frisard, Mrs. Wm. Harbison, underbrush off the college campus.

Mrs. A. M. Ingold, Mrs. A. G. Lyman, Now if the older citizens will join in Miss Kate Pearsall, Mrs. P. W. Pat
we will soon have things looking

partnership, was sold to the Granite Asheville in 10 hours, making only Lumber Co., of Granite Falls. The sight state I her that Mr. A. L. Gillam.

We are glad to note that Mr. A. L. Lefevre, who has been sick with lagrippe for some time was able to the control of the control school.

The president and one of the other professors of Rutherford College requested me to say through The News-Herald that they wish every one who can to come out Thursday evening and hear the address by Hon.

A failure to have clear titles to certain property in Rutherford College is just now blocking the progress of our town. It is hoped, however, that this difficulty will soon be cleared up The county commissioners and and our town take on new growth.

STATE HOSPITAL Little Miss Ruth Faulkner gave a

party Monday afternoon in honor of her ninth birthday. Those present were Misses Azele and Alice Brittain, tle Singleton, Lordy Brittain, Annie and Lizzie Gray, Oleo Mull and Ruth Monley. Many games were played and nice refreshments were served. and all spent a very nice and pleasant afternoon. Little Ruth received nice presents from all. Mrs. J. W. Fisher and children, of

Morganton spent Saturday with Mrs. R. V. Alexander and family. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williams spent

the week-end in Morganton with Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Hennessee. Miss Edris McGimsey returned Much interest was shown in the Monday to Winston - Salem after

> Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Alexander and Mr. Garland Flowers and little son, Garland, Jr., of Morganton, spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. R. V. Alex-

> ander and family. Misses Helen Williams and Ruth Ewing, of Asheville, were dinner guests last Thursday of Mrs. Henry Hennessee.

> Mrs. Jennie Williams still continues quite sick with rheumatism at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. V. Alexander.

Miss Ollie Prestwood, of Lenoir, is a recent new nurse at the Hospital. Mr. L. D. Robinson, of ward A, who has been quite sick for five weeks, is now able to be out again

Mr. Hobart Logan and Miss Sophia Powell were quietly married on Mrs. B. Bristol will entertain the Thursday evening, the 31st, at 8

and assist Mr. Houk in the shop.