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"If it Concerns Harnett, It's in THE NEWS"

BIG CROWD AT COMMENCEMENT

county gathered in Lillington to take day. part. For the past month a series of They will map out plans for pro- cluding some 40 expert Sunday throughout the county and the win- beginning May 1st. The list takers evangelical churches. Gilbert T. Steners in the contests at these com- and assistants appointed by the com- phenson, of Winston, is president, countywide commencement where similar contests were held. The following were declared by the judges winners for the county:

Subject Matter Contests. First grade-Phonics-Chalybeate

Springs school. Second grade-Reading and reproduction of a story-Duke school. Third grade-Written language

story-Duke school.

Fourth grade-Arithmetic-Chalybeate Springs school. Fifth-Spelling-Barclaysville and

Olivia schools. Sixth grade-Letter writing-Pi-

nev Grove school. Seventh grade-Declamation and Recitation contest - Declamation, Grayson Biggs, Lillington school; Recitation-Aline Stewart, of Mary W. Smith.

Stewart school. While the subject matter contests were being held in the various class rooms a very creditable program consisting of recitations, declamations, choruses and stories was rendered in the auditorium. An address was delivered by Supt. S. B. Underwood of Pitt county schools, after which Supt. Fitzgerald presented the seventh

winners in the contests. In the afternoon quite an interesting athletic program was carried out. The following schools were declared

. 1. Running broad jump-Long Branch school.

2. Running high jump-Barclaysville school.

Relay race—Duke school. 4. 100-yard dash-Long Branch

5. Sack race-Olivia school. 6. 50-yard dash (girls)-Coats

The best school exhibit from each ville, Olive Branch, Patterson, Par- a month ago. ker and Lillington.

stration agent, has been doing splen-sold, averaging \$13.61 per hundred did work with her sewing classes in pounds, of which 3,991,364 pounds

Even-though Friday was a rainy day it did not keep the people of pounds were first hand sales. Rox-Harnett county from attending com-boor averaged the highest price at league, said that R. W. H. Stone of single volicitor for business acting that the people are interested in the schools, and with their cooperation next year it is hoped to have even the Winster Celement and W. L. Bagwell of the Winster Celement and W. L. Bagwell of the Winster Celement and W. L. Bagwell of the Winster Celement and Cooperation of this county. We predict in adnext year it is hoped to have even the Winston-Salem market by over better group and county commence- 2,000,000 pounds.

A 1920-21 CATASTROPHE.

Messrs. Landis Bros. Co., Anywhere, U. S. A.

present is due to financial smash-ups. pounds. The story is one simple in the telling The nation's 1920 crop of 1,520,have been hit between "the lamps," sold while 31 per cent was exported; ber of state farmers bodies and fedsmitten upon both cheeks, daubed in 52 per cent of the 1,390,000,000 erations of labor. the face with a bucket of mud. My pounds grown in 1919 was exported: locks have been shorn with a cross- and 28 per cent in 1918. The farm cut saw, my nails trimmed to the value of the United States tobacco cold hard facts, I've been hit in the cents. frailed and trapped by the devil quality, and with the decreased expolicy. (debit) and beheaded (yes sir) by ports the decline in price is reason-I am financially fit and fine and just per cent and cigarettes decreased 2 as soon as I collect the third install- per cent. This means that a large dress the conference. ment due on that yearling I sold fast stock of tobacco is on hand to comspring I'll send another remittance pete with the 1921 crop. solete and considered impolite.

Your Erstwhile Good Customer, OBEDIAH HARDUP.

P. O., Everywhere, N. C., R. F. D.

Most Resp't ..

"hill" on Main street and marched Mr. Neill McLeod. through town and on out to Shawtown where the exercises took place. 666 will break a Cold, Fever mixed (second class) on Monday, brought by a number of cotton mills jection to these figures going into pocketbook more than a small flock will break a Cold, Fever and

BOARD OF REVIEW AND LIST TAKERS TO MEET

The Board of Review appointed by the County Commissioners to read-County Commencement exercises just valuation of property in Harnett crowds. Patrons, teachers and stu- meet with the list takers and assist- day School Association has been in dents from the schools in Harnett ants in Lillington the coming Mon- session in Raleigh the last three days

> of this week appears elsewhere in the association. this paper.

LIST TAKERS APPOINTED BY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

The following were appointed list takers and assistants by the board of county commissioners at their special meeting Monday:

Anderson Creek-J. S. Johnson: assistant, A. A. West. Averasboro-C. B. Aycock; assist-

ant, K. L. Howard. Barbecue-E. P. Harrington; as sistant, H. C. Cameron.

sistant, J. L. Johnson. Buckhorn-G. C. Mann; assistant, E. M. Blanchard.

Black River-J. A. Hockaday; as-

Duke-L. E. Stancil; assistant, E. Grove-G. D. Stewart; assistant,

J. M. Langdon. Hectors Creek-D. R. Smith; assistant, W. L. Senter. Johnsonville-Z. V. Cameron; as-

sistant, W. A. Stewart. Lillington-Charles Rich; assistant, S. D. Brantley. Neills Creek-R. B. Crowder; as-

sistant, Walter Johnson. grade certificates and announced the sistant, J. H. Williams.

Upper Little River-D. P. Ray; many, it hinders some. assistant, M. J. McNeill.

TOBACCO STEPS HIGHER

Raleigh, April 13 .- The North Carolina tobacco crop made another record step with its March sales made by the 114 warehouses that operated on 31 markets. The total sales reported were 21,528,883 pounds, averaging \$14.17 and about 85,000 pounds not reported. The season's crop sold amounts to over group was brought to Lillington. The 430,000,000 pounds, averaging about exhibits were very good indeed, and 21 cents. This surpasses the governeach school had a right to be proud ment's estimate by almost 50,000,- the methods he hears discussed in

Miss Marian Swain, home demon-during March with 4,749,086 pounds The Winston-Salem market led the schools, and her exhibit was very were sold by farmers. Wilson was second with 3,336,955 pounds, aver- D. C., April 14 and 15, by the Peoaging \$15.20 and of this 2,586,935 ple's Reconstruction League. Benja-

Wilson made a record season's sale

Only two-tenths of one per cent of the sales have failed to be reported to date. The bordering markets conservatively estimate that 16,000,000 pounds of North Carolina farmers' tobacco is sold in adjoining states in Enclosed is check for \$10.00 to be excess of that brought in and sold.

prove to be too much decline.

MRS. M. A. McFARLAND.

Lillington was crowded Wednes- and several children survive her.

day morning with colored teachers Funeral was conducted Tuesday part in commencement exercises for McFarland was an aunt of Mr. Ed- 8:20 a. m., arrives Sanford 9:46. No. the critics. this school district. Henry M. Steword was marked by the school district. Henry M. Steword was mar art was master of ceremonies. He Deeds of Harnett county. Mrs. Har- class leaves Lillington 4 p. m., arlined up his educational forces at the rington was a daughter of the late rives Sanford 5:26.

RALEIGH LETTER

(Special Correspondence.)

(By Maxwell Gorman.) Raleigh, April 13 .- The annual

Among the prominent men engaged in the work is Lieut. Gov. W. B. Cooper, member of the executive committee of the North Carolina Sunday School Association and teacher in Grace M. E. church Sunday school, Wilmington. Gov. Cooper and then get busy. presided at the session of the adult

division of the meeting today. Other distinguished workers from a distance include Dr. Gilbert Glass, Richmond; Prof. H. H. Harris, Emory university, Ga.; Mrs. Maud Jenkin Baldwin, Chicago, superintendent children's division, International Sunday School Association; Dr. Joseph Broughton, Atlanta, superintendent, Tabernacle Baptist Sunday School; J. A. Brown, Chadbourn, of Presbyterian Sunday School, and member of executive committee; Dr. William A. Brown, Chicago, a mem-School Association.

The organization stands for those interests common to all Sunday school workers. It is a systematic effort of workers from the various denominations to create public sentiment in favor of more and better denominational Sunday schools. It

It seeks helpful cooperation, not union. Its conventions and institutes discuss methods of work, not IN SCALE OF VALUE church doctrine. These conventions and institutes are really free schools of methods on Sunday school work. open to all who will attend. Leaders in thought in the various denomina-

In its work the North Carolina Sunday School Association is interdenominational, for in its various conventions and institutes leaders from various denominations take part. But in results it is denomina-Sunday school.

Farm Labor Conference. It is announced that farm and labor officials of North Carolina will take an active part at the farm labor conference to be held in Washington, Raleigh, secretary-treasurer, will represent their organization at the con-

represented at the conference include the tax is prohibitive. credited on account (\$5,000.00 still The total producers season's sales rethe Farmers National Council, the

Plan Legislative Campaign.

Senator Borah, Senator Ladd and fering stock for sale. the withdrawal of credit. Otherwise able. Exported cigars increased 4 Representative Frear are among the members of congress who will ad-

"Jim" Jones Buried in Raleigh.

A. & W. RAILROAD SCHEDULE

arrives Lillington 7:16. Westbound.

There were several hundred in the parade, which made a very crditable thing we know, preventing we know, preventing and Saturday. Trains Nos. 1 and 4 which supplies electrically transmitwill not be operated on Sunday.

A FREE PIG

To the boy or girl who brings in the largest number of sublast Friday were attended by large county for taxation assessment will meeting of the North Carolina Sun- scriptions to Harnett County and there is a large attendance, in- 1st, will be given absolutely pig. The pig can be seen at mencements met at Lillington at the missioners at their meeting Monday D. W. Sims of Raleigh secretary of the stock farm of Atkins & Dechent near Lillington. He is a Tuesday. pure bred pig and registered.

House in the 48th and 49th con- by 12 men instead of by one. gresses. Later when Gen. Cox became secretary of the United States senate he took Jones to Washington with him and gave him a messen- The County Commencement, held fore his death.

of San Antonio, Texas, and involving people. who have known has been unques- hibits. that the concern has no state li-lows: its officers, Mr. Beasley, till recently first in spelling. affairs of the company and becoming art school first in recitation. satisfied that it is doing a perfectly

legitimate business, etc. Greensboro, president N. C. Farmers' single solicitor for business acting On Sunday, April 17, Dr. Hubert train teachers for the rural schools only. No Sunday trains. Lillington Union; Dr. J. M. Templeton of Cary, personally as such in North Carolina, McNeill Poteat of Wake Forest Col- and in this great work it has the gets Sunday train and mail service er farm and labor organizations to be license in North Carolina is because people's societies and church music pate attending this school next sum- ly meeting by Mrs. Walter Sutton.

As it has no agents working per- profit.

the insurance commissioner against invited and will be welcomed. Spe-The conference is to plan a cam- all blue sky stocks, the purchase of cial music will be rendered. paign for the enactment of legisla- some of which the last few years has _ quick with a black-diamond file. I crop in 1920 was \$298,000,000, avhave been gored in the sides with a eraging 19.8 cents; 1919 was \$569,- and the general public. Issues to be Carolina investors, especially among dustrial plants of the state—the ob- about the poultry industry: weaver's beam, been gagged, bound, 000,000 at 38.9 cents and 1918 was discussed at the conference include the farmers, is timely and should ject being to hold the big octopus to The poultr yindustry is one of Hiram Baggett will be leader.

They Hope to Get the Money. investors who would buy state bonds with evidence of its tax valuation on poultry. James H. Jones, who was the and the confidence displayed by the property in South Carolina drew The American farmer can produce by check, registered letter, M. O. or March prospective plantings indiparcel post. Do not send any more cate a 40 per cent decrease in acre- Davis of the Confederacy, when the seems to be borne out by develop- statement that no such information but when eggs sell below this price monthly statements, they are calcumonthly statements, they are calcudecline in fortilization but with the latter was captured by Federal ments. The eunderstanding is that had been demanded of the petitionlatter was captured by Federal ments. The eunderstanding is that had been demanded of the petitionlatter was captured by Federal ments. lated to bring on nervous prostration decline in fertilizer prices and the troops, was buried here this week, the money will be available as needand the practice is fast becoming obgradual loosening of financial conditions, this death in Washington, ed for both road building, constructions, this death in Washington, ed for both road building, constructions this decrease will perhaps D. C. "Jim" had a state-wide acquaintance with prominent public institutions and other purposes. The values and reproduction values of the on a protective tariff on eggs, this to ton High School auditorium on Sai-Mrs. M. A. Farland, aged about No. 1 mixed leaves Sanford 8 a. m. will probably not become necessary commission. The values of the that the tariff shall be enough to composing it will render music—vo No. 1 mixed seaves Sanford 8 a. m. No. 2 mixed seav OF COLORED SCHOOLS becue township, near Pisgah church, class leaves Sanford 11:35 a. m., ar- Chairman Doughton of the house fi- lina are contrasted, in the publica- foreign eggs at least 25 cents a dog-Monday afternoon. Her husband rives Lillington 1:01 p. m. No. 5 nance committee and others, during tion this morning, with the figures en in the United States. the last few days on state business, submitted by the commission. and who are much better qualified to Attorneys for the cotton mills re- able departments of the farm, and if these music makers and two packed and students who came here to take afternoon at Pisgah church. Mrs. No. 2 first class leaves Lillington pass judgment on the subject than sisting the rate increase have receiv-

which supplies electrically transmit- Watch Lillington!

IN THE COURT OF THE RECORDER

News between now and May which always are ready for trial at lins at Olive Branch Sunday. Sol- the past week: the regular time of the sitting of the dier Collins was killed in France on A. H. Williams to Jodie E. Wilcourt, which is the first Tuesday af. November 8, 1918. He was a mem- wams, 25 acres Black River, \$1,750, group commencements had been held cedure upon the listing of property school workers representing all the free a pure bred Duroc Jersey ter the first Monday of each and ev- ber of the \$1st division.

trial, and but one contested. On ac- rangements for a military funeral to consideration. Mr. Farmer, bring your boy or count of the illness of Judge McLean, be field Sunday afternoon at 2 oclock L. L. Levinson, vice recorder, pre- and members of the Legion were thews, 52 acres Neilla Creek, \$10 girl in let them look at the pig sided. Judge Levinson conducted seen once more to don the khaki to and other consideration. the court in a very creditable man- pay tribute to the Cause, the Flag. W. B. Norris to T. L. Sewell, half . ner, showing that he is a good under- the Soldier. Guns were secured from study for the venerable and beloved Camp Bragg for firing the salute at men of North Carolina and was per- Colonel McLean. The one case upon the grave. sonally known to many men of na- which he was called upon to decide It is estimated that fully twelve er. \$11,600. tional reputation. His service to was that of an automobile running hundred people witnessed the fune- W. H. Lucas to C. M. Hodges and President Davis was the proudest into a buggy, greatly to the damage ral ceremony and interment at Olive W. G. Norris, 29 7-8 acres Duke, spot in his heart and he never ceased of said buggy. Judge Levinson de- Branch cemetery. Although the weacided that, not having seen the bug- ther was threatening, the people did N. P. Lucas to J. M. Lee, S lots Jones was born in Warren county, gy as it emerged from the wreckage, not hesitate to honor the soldier who Averashoro, \$1,000. N. C. After the war he headed a and that owner of the buggy's evinegro fire department in Raleigh and dence was not preponderant, the au- his country. became a minor city official. He tomobile man was not liable for the turned Republican in politics, but al- damage. Plaintiff appealed from his ways voted for Representative Wil- decision, which was pleasing to the liam Ruffin Cox of North Carolina, court, because His Honor stated that ber of staff of International Sunday who represented the state in the this was a question to be passed upon

COMMENCEMENT NOTES.

There is considerable comment most all had started from home, for school.

sioner of public welfare and whose singing, speaking, contests in spell- ates of the institution has applied for branch as follows: reputation among the people here ing, arithmetic and judging of ex- admission.

of its work. The schools represented in this line were: Duke, Barclaysed in this line were: Duke, Barcla sky oil stock to citizens of North the decision on best school exhibit. | the student body and graduates of Sunday, leave Fayetteville 3:45 p. ciency of his own denominational ny's advertisements presume too grade was given first prize on work ested in teacher training are delight- Raleigh 6:49. much on the argument that one of in arithmetic, and Barkers school ed with this new course. This school No. 25, mixed, leave Varina 12:59

DR. HUBERT POTEAT TO

has been done through the United will address the people of Lillington of this county. We predict in ad-States mails, and that if the com- and vicinity on the subject of vance that every room will be enpany was not straight the United "Church Music." Perhaps no man zaged before the date of opening. will hear him with pleasure and mer to send in their applications ear- The meeting was led by Mrs. J. H.

International Association of Machin- sary for the oil company to pay the Wake Forest Glee Club which gives litem of expense except railroad fare. cred Music." Those reading papers ists, the United Farmers of America, high license and that what he and a concert in Lilliagton on Saturday -E. C. T. T. S. Bulletin. but horrible in its realization. I 000,000 pounds was being made and the Railway Brotherhoods and num-Sunday will be given at the Baptist PERTINENT FACTS ABOUT Be that as it may, the warning of church at 11 o'clock. Everybody is

ed the tax figures from the South ance, besides furnishing eggs and Again. tion of demand for them, the com- ble, and eggs to trade at the store The News office. The state corporation commission mission pointed out today that Vice for groceries and clothers for the Trains Nos. 2, 6, 3, 5 will be operated as hearing argument in the cases mills that his company had no obNos. 1 and 4 will be operated as hearing argument in the cases mills that his company had no obment has eased the strain on your problem. The state corporation commission mission pointed of the children. Mr. Farmer, what departmills that his company had no obment has eased the strain on your

ANDY COLLINS, VETERAN OF WORLD WAR, LAID TO REST IN HIS NATIVE SOIL SUNDAY

Probably the largest attendance at The civil side of the Recorder's any funeral in recent times in Har-

ery month, the court and the bar The remains were escorted to Lilpassed a resolution in March that lington by Private Joe Reese, Co. H. Young Ryals to Jasper H. Ryals, henceforth the court would sit for 56th Infantry, Camp Meade, Md. The 52 acres Grove, \$10 and other conthe trial of civil cases on the second comrade and fallen hero arrived Sat- sideration. urday morning. Members of the lo-Only a few cases were ready for cal post American Legion made ar-

SUMMER TERM E. C. T. T. S.

The outlook for the 1921 summer term of the East Carolina Teachers' Training School is brighter than ever. For a number of years the summer school at this institution has give recitals in the auditorium next been exceedingly popular because Wednesday and Priday. The recital students taking the full eight weeks Wednesday, the 20th, will be given ger's job in the senate. That was in at the Lillington school house last term get credit for one-third of a by the primary and intermediate 1893. Since that time he has had Friday, the 8th, was a success from school year and thereby advance the classes. The recital Friday, the 22d, several jobs about the capitol and most any angle it might be viewed. grade of their certificate very rapid- will be given by advanced pupils. was a messenger in the senate sta- Doubtless more people would have ly. This is recognized as a place to The public is cordially invited and Stewarts Creek—W. T. Smith; asstrives to help by way of suggestion
stant. J. H. Williams.

was a messenger in the senate stationery room until a short time beattended but for the threatening and
term is run under the same regularainy weather. But evidently the term is run under the same regula- learn of the advancement of the mu-Beware of "Get Rich Quick" Stock, rain in the morning held off until tions as the regular sessions of the sic department.

and some feeling concerning the while it was yet raining quite hard The 1921 summer term is more statement sent out by Insurance the automobiles and truck loads be- popular than ever because the board CHANGE OF SCHEDULE Commissioner Wade concerning the gan to arrive, and before ten o'clock of trustees of this institution has realleged "blue sky" stock operations the grounds were covered with cars, cently approved and authorized a

tioned. Commissioner Wade stated Some of the awards were as fol. teachers to secure the state's highest arrive Lillington 11:06, arrive Faygrade of certificate, thereby com- etteville 12:20. cense and that its efforts to sell blue The Lillington schools were given manding the best salary. Not only No. 32, daily passenger except already has a well earned reputation p. m., arrive Lillington 2:55, arrive was a state officer and now repre- Grayson Biggs of Lillington was for turning out good teachers and Fayetteville 5:15. sents the oil corporation, after hav- given first honors in declamation con- now it is offering the teachers better No. 34, mixed, leave Faretteville ing thoroughly examined into the test, and Alice Stewart of Mary Stew- opportunities as it makes this ad- 7 p. m., arrive Lillington 9:45, ar-

vanced step in teacher training. state that devotes every energy to which go through from Raleigh to LECTURE IN LILLINGTON preparing teachers for the element- Payetteville. The mixed trains run ary schools. Its big problem is to between Fayetteville and Varina ly. The entire cost for eight weeks Frizelle. The subject for the afterdue) my inability to do more at ported amount to about 414,000,000 the Farmers National Council, the American Federation of Labor, the sonally, in the state, it is not necession of Labor, the sonally, in the state, it is not necession of Labor, the sonally in the state, it is not necession of Labor, the sonally in the state, it is not necession of Labor, the sonally in the state, it is not necession of Labor, the sonally in the state, it is not necession of Labor, the sonally in the state, it is not necession of Labor, the sonally in the state, it is not necession of the state,

THE POULTRY INDUSTRY

Dr. B. F. Kaupp, professor of cheon of strawberries with whipped poultry husbandry at State College, cream, cake and iced tea.

and put in stocks. To sum up the stocks the railway crisis, the need for short serve as a caution in future transaction of the railway crisis, the need for short serve as a caution in future transaction of the railway crisis, the need for short serve as a caution in future transaction. time credit for farmers, packer con- tions of the sort, no matter whose to furnish power for some years yet ral enterprises, producing \$1,250,- Frizelle, Will Parker, Hiram Bagstomach with a 5 lb. axe. I've been The 1920 crop was inferior in trol legislation and annual taxation names are connected with the oil and to the little octopuses for less than 600 in wealth annually. The indusother "get rich quick" concerns of the power company can transmit, the try supports many industries entire- ell, Ralph Parker Hilliard, J. Benly and contributes largely to the sup- nett Barnes and Walter Leon Sut-Publication of a story indicating port of others. It is estimated that ton; Misses Mayme Sexton, Jennie Gov. Morrison and Treasurer Lacy failure of the Southern Power Co. to over \$600,000 orth of grain pro- Bethea. Mrs. George Thomas Guehave been to New York in quest of furnish the corporation commission wducts are consumed annually by ler was a guest.

special session of the Legislature, company's property, pointing out the be based on the tariff rates based on urday evening, the 16th. which some of the critics of the ad- tax values are fixed by the state's the difference in cost of production The 1921 Glee Club is undoubtedly ministration have been predicting taxation authorities and not by the at home and abroad. They insist the best yet and the 25 young men

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

The following transfers of real en-Court was held on Tuesday. Due to nett county was that which paid last tate have been recorded in the office the large number of criminal cases respect to the remains of Andy Col- of Register of Deeds Faucette during

W. H. Massey to M. D. McKay, lot

acres Johnsonville, \$19- and other

J. B. and D. J. Monre to H. G. McNeill, 126 acres Upper Little Riv-

Anna Johnson, 97 acres Johnsonville, \$1 and other consideration.

MUSIC RECITALS NEXT

WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY The music students of Miss Corpening at Lillington High School will

ON NORFOLK SOUTHERN of the International Petroleum Co. and the house was more than full of four year course of study leading to A change of schedule which went a degree. One term's work of this into effect last Sunday on the Northe business character of Roland F. The forenoon exercises were all course will be given this summer and folk Southern Railroad gives trains Beasley, until recently state commis- conducted in the house, consisting of already a large number of the gradu- passing on the Raleigh-Fayetteville

No. 32, daily passenger except The four year course enables the Sunday, leave Baleigh \$:10 a. m.

rive Varina 12:10. This is the one institution in the Nos. 32 and 33 are the only trains

M. E. LADIES AID.

The State Federation of Labor is States authorities would have in the state has given more thought June 14, because the report comes The Ladies Aid Society of the expected to send several representa- barred it from the use of the mails and study to this subject than Dr. that applications for rooms are going Methodist church were delightfully long ago. He adds that the reason Potent and everyone interested in in rapidly. We would advise the entertained on the afternoon of According to Secretary Marsh oth- the company has not yet taken out the matters of Sunday school, young teachers of this county who antici- Thursday, April 7th, at their month-

> were Mesdames Charles Parker, J. Bennett Barnes, Ralph Parker Hilliard and Walter Leon Sutton.

> the home of Mrs. K. A. Stewart, Mrs.

After the business meeting the

hostess served a delicious buffet lun-

WAKE POREST GLEE CLUB.

Poultry is one of the most profit- of upper Harnett hedn visited with

Grippe quicker than anything we know, preventing pneumo-