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

CAMPBELL LEAVE

Professor and Mrs. J. A. Campbell

of Buies Creek left Tuesday on the

first lap of the journey to Stock-

August 15 and September 1st.

North Carolinians taking the trib

include: Dr. Livingston Johnson, Dr.

hara; Dr. C. H. Durham, Lumber-

Young, Dr. J. R. Jester, and Dr. W.

Thomasville; Rev. and Mrs. J. A.

Eugene Olive, Wake Forest.

FOR EUROPE

#### **36 MILLIONS GAIN BY GROWERS** OF TOBACCO

Over 240,000 Growers of the Weed Organized to Market More Than Half of Crop-Increases in North Carolina.

pared with \$19,000,000 in 1921-22 three weeks of revival meetings," cause of the Kingdom. Final returns for the North Caro stated Mr. Browning. lina growers were approximately \$76,000,000, an increase of \$13,000.-

tion have organized for marketing time. their crop, has resulted in raising! the price of their product at prac- anything to that. I believe that Will Mr. Rufus Perkins, pianist, and tically all points in the tobacco Erwin, who has never earned a doi- "Fred" Seibert, the converted Jew

indications organized tobacco farm-ing these religious services."

in his annual report as follows:

higher. The result of cooperation." slong."

#### HOG CHOLERA LESS, BUT

farmer, the packer, and the consumer. But there are many diseases and they're after," parasites which beset him during the gerous disease.

Hog cholera is the great enemy meetings being open to all. of the swine industry, although it I Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock a has been diminishing in importance special sermon was preached to woas a result of widespread use of men only, and there was a large atanti-hog-cholera serum. It has been tendance notwithstanding the excesreduced by about 60 per cent from sive heat of the day. Tuesday night redtop, alsike clover, white clover, the losses during the most disastrous Mr. Browning delivered a sermon years, but with greater care and bet- upon the "Second Coming of the of a climate much colder than ours. ter understanding of the plague it Lord," at which time he invited in- In Eastern North Carolina these

troi of this disease, it is important tions were answered by him, after that swine growers give attention to which he preached his sermon upon in hot dry weather ceases altogether. the many other ailments which cause the subject, the audience paying the losses, some of which are frequently closest attention. It was at this serconfused with cholera. Among the vice that he impressed the people diseases with symptoms confused -- more vividly probably than at any epilepsy, gastroenteritis, necrobacil-itense study of the Scriptures. logis, pleurisy, pneumonia, polsoning,

wisdom to call for a veterinarian.

#### NOTICE

during the month of June, we weeks here. will be at the Harnett County! before us.

Respectfully, C. S. HICKS and MARSHALL T. SPEARS.

Lillington, N. C., Thursday, June 21, 1923.

## PAYS HIS RESPECTS WILL ERWIN RING SERVICES AT DUKE

Revival Party would make Mt. Airy, spoke to an audience there. Raleigh, June 20.—The first year N. C., its next point instead of Duke | The song service under the leader

000 over the preceding year, accord- between himself and the people at every acquaintance. She will be ing to the Federal Reserve Board's Duke, he was told that the only ob- sadly missed when she goes away. stable that might stand in the way as indeed will the entire membership In spite of a decrease of over 84,- would be the gaining of consent from of the Browning Party. 000,000 pounds in the exports of Mr. Erwin to allow the tent to be Opinion of those religiously in United States tobacco to foreign pitched on ground belonging to the clined is that this woman of brilliant countries, reported by the Depart-Inill company. He had waited sev-lattainment in her chosen calling is ment of Commerce, and in spite of eral days for this consent, he said, by her devotion to her work standing increased production in Virginia and only to be informed that the other as a shining light and noble example North Carolina, the first season in churches thought it best not to at-fit to be emulated by anyone of her which tobacco growers of this sec- tempt to hold the meetings at this sex-among the number of which the

"But I do not believe there was a scarcity. With 240,000 farmers now mar- fortune, has refused to allow; the shown their loyalty to the cause of keting over 500,000,000 pounds of the meetings to be held at Duke and religion by their faithfulness to duty tobacco through their cooperative as- has by his careless, thoughtless ac- throughout the services here. It is sociations, the planters of Kentucky tion, or through contemptible tyr- the concensus of opinion that Mr. Indiana, Ohio and Tennessee have anny, has deprived the people who Browning is indeed fortunate in havalso experienced the benefit of a work in his mill and make money ing associated with him in his work LUMBER OFFERED steady rise in prices. From present for him, of the privilege of attend-such an excellent and efficient corps

ers of America will market more Mr. Browning states that while he Master. than a half of the total crop of the was holding revival meetings in a Envelopes have been United States during the season of cotton mill town in arother part of for the purpose of raising a personal The benefits of cooperative mar- came much incensed at his denounce- hoped that everyone—man, woman, revival tent immediately following the responsibility of carrying about certified as "good" before turning keting to the farmers of South Caro- ment of the management for their and child-in the community will lina were described by the Commis- falture to pay their employes a liv- make a donation, for it is felt that the last of which will be held Sunsioner of Agriculture for that state ing wage. Shortly after the meet-this preacher has rendered a great ings came to a close, he said, there service here by his coming. All ex-"While the 1922 cropp of tobacco was a raise in wages granted the bense of the meetings, which has was practically as large as that of employes. Mr. Browning seemed to very great, has been mat by him and 1921 and the quality was no better | be under the impression that the only voluntary contributions are rethe price was nearly 100 per cent mill concern had "passed the word coived in recompense. There was no

superintendent of a Sunday school in ple. His faith has made him worthy HERDS MUST BE WATCHED the town in which the elder Erwin of the best consideration at the built his first mill, "which was about hands of the people when it comes A hog which remains in good hai! a mile long; but he erected a to a matter of remuneration. He has health from the day he is farrowed church about the size of this little been put to great expense. He should until he is loaded on a market bound platform. That's the kind of people be amply reimbursed. "The laborer train is usually a satisfaction to the they are. Religion doesn't count is worthy of his hire." Raymond the tent at any time. The lumber are ready to make their report to the Auditor McDonald is unable to unmuch with them. It's the dollars Browning is one of the most earnest

Mr. Browning announced that Mt. yard. few months allotted for his economic Airy, a town of five or six thousand performance: If this performance is people, would be the next point at to be a creditable one, says the De- which the Browning Party would partment of Agriculture, the hog hold revival meetings. The services grower must keep close watch over here will come to a close Sunday nis herd and learn to know some lnight. There will be three services thing of the symptoms which indi- Sunday, at 11 o'clock in the morncate the possible approach of dan-ling, at three in the afternoon and at delight in the spring months, is like-7:45 in the evening, all three of the

that might weigh upon the minds of fall, and at these times will carry a With the gradually increasing con- those present. A number of ques-

subject of Sanctification, or Holiness root system is not fully developed. When there is any deviation from as it is termed by some. At this the normal in gait, appetite, or di- service the preacher also invited ing any pasture is to give it altergestion, it is time for the owner to questioning. Points were raised by take measures to prevent possible various members of his audience and losses. Minor ailments often can be he made answer to every query. One successfully treated by the owner, point he dwelt upon was his belief but in case of doubt it is the part of in the ability of people live a life without sin-that the atoning blood of the dying Saviour was equally as potent in absolving from sin as it ever was in the forgiveness of sin. We beg to inform the public ing aermon yet preached by the evanthat on each Friday afternoon gelist during his stay of nearly five

Trust Company, for the pur- her husband had spent years in the to seed. This will tend to make pose of collecting notes, ac- mission field of Java, and whose hus- fewer weeds each year; instead of tion of a mission field of Java, and whose hus- fewer weeds each year; instead of tion of a mission field of Java, and whose huscounts, and other indebtedness, to the congregation Monday evening. neglected. and for the transaction of such | She was listened to with rapt attentalk was much enjoyed. Mrs. Baugh- by the fact that it should last for moon at Ocean View, Va. man makes her home in Henderson- five years or more. Many a pasture ville and is one of North Carolina's has had a promising start, only to be most devout Christian women. She lost by improper care during its first together with Mrs. Raymond Brown- summer." ling, who arrived Tuesday with Mrs. Receivers. Browning, mother of the minister.

of cooperative marketing has result- as at first planned, Rev. Raymond ship of Miss Carolyn A. Hosford ed in an increased payment of thirty- Browning took occasion yesterday who is an ordained Baptist minister, six million dollars to tobacco grow- morning and again last evening to is a much enjoyed feature of the ers of Virginia and North Carolina pay his respects to Mr. Will Erwin meetings. Members of the large of the Erwin Mills Company, Duke, choir which she has organized are According to the recent report of for Mr. Erwin's refusal to allow a all enthusiastic in their endeavor to the Federal Reserve Board, there tent to be pitched upon ground be- make the singing a vital part-of the was a 45 per cent increase in the longing to the company. "By his revival. Solos by Miss Hosford are average price per hundred pounds careless, thoughtless action, or con- much appreciated by the congregafor bright tobacco in Virginia where temptible tyranny, I do not know tion at each service. She early conthe growers received \$42,000,000 for which, Will Erwin has deprived the vinced people here of her earnesttheir crop this past season as com- people of Duke of the privilege of ness and sincere consecration in the

> Miss Hosford has by her personal Mr. Browning explained that when service and her force of character as negotiations had been entered into a worker, won friendship from her

> > world at feels there is too much of

lar in his life but has inherited his tent man and personal worker, have of laborers in the vineyard of the

guarantee made to him to bring a Mr. Browning stated that he was tent here that would hold 2,500 peolaborers who ever tolled in this vine-

#### CARE OF PASTURES IN THE SUMMER TIME

Raleigh. June 20 .- "The pasture of tame grasses, usually its owner's managed," says E. C. Blair, Exten- commencement at the university. sion Agronomist for the State College and Department of Agriculture.

the summer growth is retarded, and In suggesting how these grasses

"Of great importance in preservnate periods of grazing and rest. halves. Each half should have two this river. weeks of complete rest while the animals graze the other half. If the weather is too dry, or the number of animals large, they should be allowed in the pasture for only a short while each day.

"Another practice worth following is to chp the pasture as often as Mrs. Mabel Baughman, who with necessary to keep weeds from going

LAND POSTERS at The News.

### BODY OF SOLDIER FOUND ON BANKS OF LITTLE RIVER

of Private Allen'B. Roach, attached to headquarters battery, fifth field Announcing that the Browning went to Fayetteville last evening and artiflery, who had been missing from covered late yesterday afternoon on the banks of Little River, about a drowned.

foul play attached to the anding of ment given out.

As far as could be ascertained this morning. Private Roach went out with a number of his comrades to pick dewberries near the river. He wandered away from them in the of the Board of County Commission- the county's sources of income, and drin and Lucerne. The party will hunt for the berries. That was the ers came some of the checks of large ever since it has been their policy to be returning at odd times between last the soluters saw of him alive.

When be failed to return to barfor him. A few hundred yards from the four corners of the county the Board will heartily endorse the Johnson, Dr. T. W. O'Kelly, Misses where the body was found, there is a and all through the middle the little action of the Sheriff in his attempt Katie and Julia Coke, Miss Corinna house. The occupants said Roach slips of paper which the bankers de- to realize upon the checks in his Mial, Miss Ellen Brewer, Miss Mary had stopped there late Sunday after- clare will not bear up under the "par office that have been turned down Lumis Smith, Mrs. J. A. Smith, of noon and inquired the way back to clearance" rules. the reservation. On the banks of the river were found his clothes.

his companions.

Private Roach was the son of J. J. Roach of Greensboro. The body that the only course for the Shoriff! Monday, July 2nd, is the date set D. Spix, of Winston-Salem; Misses has been sent to Spray, N. C., for

## **BARGAIN PRICE**

the state, the mill management be contribution to Mr. Browning. It is be offered for sale at the Browning tynds to be relieved in some way of and he is demanding that checks be the close of the series of meetings, [14,000 in worthless checks as an loose any more receipts. day night. The lumber can be gotten Monday by anyone desiring to purchase it.

The lumber of is good heart variety and undarraged. It line been used as benching and for a rostrum under the tent. The seats are of thick boards and are very valuable in construction work. They have been so used that the salvage will be almost one hundred per cent.

a reduction in price and anyone de- stracts of all taxables in Harnett why and wherefore before the tax expected that Dr. W. R., Cullom of siring it may see "Fred" Selbert at county have completed their job and books are made out, was brand new from the mil! when it was put under the tent and cost sumption that this year will prove no large number of people who evade avoidably hindered from getting over two hundred dollars.

#### TO INVESTIGATE DEEP RIVER WATER POWER

sent out under the direction of the against all who do not list for taxa-ed with Auditor D. P. McDonald feel nation prayer was offered by Rev. hydraulic engineer of the Survey to tion. You will at once show cause quite sure that when he says "the O. A. Keller of Benson and the Bible make an investigation of Deep river for not listing or the law will be law will be enforced" he means just was presented by Rev. G. A. Bain. ly to become a severe disappointment as an industrial water power unit enforced. during the summer unless carefully has taken the field following the

The purpose of the investigation is to consider Deep river as a unit Mr. Blair states that orchard grass, to be developed into a self-sustaining and co-ordinating power area the list takers. and others in that class are natives unique in industrial North Carolina. Headwaters are to be studied in connection with establishment of storcould be reduced to a much greater quiry upon any relative problems grasses will thrive in the spring and age reservoirs and undeveloped sites large amount of livestock. But in power needs of the river as a whole. The investigation will include con- in that fashion. The county auditor everything that's worth a cent for day school and took an active intersideration of plans for erection of transmission lines between existing should be handled during the sum- plants now maintaining separate with those of cholera are anthrax, meeting of his thorough and inwine plague, tuberculosis, and his sermon last evening upon the to suffer most in this way, since its moval of the silt which now lessens the water power, and its commercial utilization.

The investigation and survey, de-This is doubly true if there is a small interest at this time on account of pasture for a number of livestock, the recent report upon the Deep In such cases a fence should be built river coal field, adjacent to the exacross the pasture dividing it in isting industrial development, along

#### DUNN LAWYER WEDS.

Dunn, June 20:--- A marriage of interest took place today in Baltimore, Md., when Miss Salem Paul of Phtilipsburg, Pa., became the bride of C. C. Parker, well known Dunn actorney and solicitor of the Dunn recorder's court.. The marriage was band had died in the service, spoke more as is the case when they are to the congregation Monday evening. Inexer weeds each year; instead of tion of a war-time romance. It was terday were the first to be tried on deliveries on the open market. while serving in the United States their morits. The cases before the The awards for damages ran from not be bound if the association bases its prices of the prices of the open in the cases before the same army during the World War that Supreme Court went up on restrain- \$25 to \$150, while the complaints its prices on the prices of the open in the cases before the same army during in the United States their morits. The cases before the same army during the world war that supreme Court went up on restrain- \$25 to \$150, while the complaints its prices on the prices of the open in the cases before the same army during the world war that supreme Court went up on restrain- \$25 to \$150, while the complaints its prices on the prices of the open in the cases before the same army during the world war that supreme Court went up on restrain- \$25 to \$150, while the complaints its prices on the prices of the open in the case of the case of the open in the case of the case of the case of the case of the open in the case of t tion by a large audience, and her grass pastur ecan be justified only Mrs. Parker will spend their honey-

It destroys the germs.

## WARRANTS BEING-DRAWN PROF. AND MRS. FOR PERSONS WHO GAVE Fort Bragg, June 20.—The body SHERIFF BOGUS CHECKS

his barracks for two days, was dis- of them dated as far back as 1921, a most unreliable sort. It is thought tend the sessions of the Baptist mile from the plant of the Lakeview paid" and upon which no money can order to prevent exposure to public York and the jump off across the Light & Power Co. Ho had been be realized, Sheriff J. Bill McArtan criticism for having thus defrauded Atlantic will be made from Montreel. Although there is no suspicion of those who handed him the checks in has not been stated at the Sheriff's total of more than 25 other North the body, a board of officers is mak- their receipts in return. There are manded upon the checks which have. In connection with the trip many this afternoon, the inquiry had not ing in denomination from a few dol- likely that this course will be pur- from North Carolina, will tour Eutures upon the "good as golds" are The Board of County Commission- arranged covering London, Paris, those of some of the most prominent era early after their installation Brussels, Amsterdam, Frankfort,

est denomination; but the biggest keep a sharp watch over the treastown in the county is not responsible ury. Which course has been comracks, a general alarm was sent out for the largest part of the \$4,000 in mended by good citizenship throughand searching parties started a hunt valueless checks-not by any means, out the county. It is believed that

The situation which faces the drawn. Sheriff is that those who gave these for the various years in which they ed in for other fees. were drawn. Thus it will be spen

About 8,000 feet of lumber will lecting agency in Harnett county, in payment of taxes on land a

notices reading as follows:

With a big pile of checks, some, asset when it is really a liability of holm, Sweden, where they will atin his collection representing "taxes that most of the checks will be made World Alliance to be held from July is this week drawing warrants for the county out of its just rights. It Canada, on Friday of this week. A "payment of taxes" and received office whether interest will be de. Carolinians are in the party. several hundred of the checks, rang- "run" for a couple of years, but it is of the delegates, including these lars on up to above \$700. Signa-sued in the case of the larger ones, rope and also visit Jerusalem and

adopted a policy of economy in ex-Stockholm, Austrian points, Venice, From the town of the chairman penditures and strict protection of Rome, Naples, Jornsalem, Alexanby the banks upon which they were Raleigh; Mrs. C. L. Haywood, Dur-

Only a negligible part of the large ton; Dr. and Mrs. J. Clyde Turney. The belief is expressed at camp checks have been tendered perfectly collection of checks were given the Mrs. J. T. J. Battle and Miss Pitt of that Roach had been drowned in an good receipts which release them Sheriff for other than tax receipts. Greensboro; Dr. and Mrs. T. H. attempt to swim the river to rejoin from tax obligation to the county A few of the smaller ones were hand-Plemmons, Greenville; Mrs. Ross

> to pursue is to draw indictment for for the Sheriff's sate of land for deutterance of false c'acks. Whether linquent taxes. The list, which is this will "bring in the bacon" or not now being published for the required Campbell, Bules Creek; Dr. and Mrs. remains to be seen. It may prove thirty days in the two newspapers of W. L. Potest, Wake Forest; Rev. so for the county. It has not proved the county, represents something so in individual cases heretofore. like \$40,000. The Sheriff is deter-But one thing is sure. The office mined, however, not to become the of the Sheriff, which is the tax coi- holder of more worthless checks in CASPER WARREN

LIST THEIR PROPERTY

# **NOW ORDAINED**

A large congregation witnessed COUNTY AUDITOR CITING the ordination of Casper C. Warren THOSE WHO HAVE FAILED the regular church hour. The ordination was carried out in a contract to the contract to pressive manner. Rev. E. N. Johnson, pastor of the church, preached the sermon: His text was "And I heard a voice saying unto me"-Acts 26:14. The sermon was very appro-List takers appointed to make ab- horns" and endeavoring to learn the printe to the occasion. It had been Wake Forest, a former pastor of the county auditor. Acting upon the pre- derstand why there should be such a preach the sermon, but he was un-

exception to the case, County Audi- the tax listers. If anyone has been here. tor D. P. McDonald has had printed "getting by" heretofore with failure Mr. Warren was presented by Deato list, that is no reason why there cons H. C. McNeill and James A. "The list taker for your township should never be called a halt on the Taylor of the local church, while the Chapel Hill, June 20.—The party provides for a penalty or indictment! Those who ar elutimately acquaint. Campbell of Buies Creek. The ordithat. At any rate, there are few who Special and appropriate music was

will read his warning without paus- rendered by the choir. It was after be had secured his This notice will be sent to all. Summing up, it would be the part license to practice law that Mr. Warproperty owners whose names do not of wisdom for all who have foiled ren heeded the call to presch. He is appear on the lists as furnished by the list takers in their attempts to a young man of sterling worth and list all the property in the county, one of whom the citizenship of his In former years it has been the to go at once to the county auditor's home town, Dunn, feels proud. He case that hundreds of property own- office, beg Auditor McDonald's par- spent last winter taking special work ers did not make any pretense at don for being so lax in their bounden at the Southern Baptist Theological listing their property for, taxation, duty, promise never to do so again, Seminary at Louisville. Before leavand same was placed on the books and after he shows signs of forgive- ing for the seminary he was superas "after listed" and taxes collected ness, if he does, then to "give in" intredent of the First Baptist Runest in all work pertaining to the advancement of the Christian religion.

## mer Mr., Blair says: "If grazed too power systems and a central steam heavily at this time of the year the plant as a means of economically TOBACCO GO-OPS WIN A sought in the original complaints. meeting—or his thorough and intense study of the Scriptures. The judgments signed yesterly meeting—or his thorough and intense study of the Scriptures. The judgments signed yesterly meeting—or his thorough and inleged or killed outright. A pasture meeting—or his thorough and intense study of the Scriptures. BIG BUNCH OF LAWSUITS with the name and counties of the defendants and the total amounts The judgments signed yesterly with the name and counties of the defendants and the total amounts

has returned you unlisted. The law practice, says the auditor.

"D. P. McDonald,

"County Tax Assessor."

is this year "taking the buil by the taxation.

The North Carolina Tobacco Grow- Answers have been filed in the mabe the largest tobacco farmer in Pitt court fixing the attorneys' fees.

of the association.

ers Cooperative Association yester- jority of these cases, but about fifty cided upon months ago, is of special day secured its first damages for non- of them have been uncontested and ville. Pitt, \$73.70; Ira Dawson, delivery of the 1922 crop in siz judgments by default and inquiry judgments signed by Judge E. H. have been signed by the clerks of Cranmer and at the same time be- court. Six of the latter cases were gan the campaign to protect the 1923, the ones determined yesterday in crop by securing a restraining order Ruleigh; the amount of damages bedirected against F. A. Elks, said to ing determined by a jury and the county. Judge Cranmer allowed at- The awards yesterday were con-

ing to give due consideration.

torney's fees in all of the cases. siderably less than had been asked Several months ago the North for in the original complaints. In Carolina Supreme Court handed respect to damages, W. T. Joyner. down an opinion under which the attorney for the association, placed validity of the cooperative contract on the stand R. LeRoy Rollins and and the statute under which tobacco, E. E. Edwards, association employes,

ing orders preventing member grow- had sought sums ranging from \$350 market. ers from making deliveries outside to \$1,500. Judge Granmer fixed the It is recited in the application for the open market, plus attorneys' fees. \$100 to \$500, based on damages Friday, June 29.

C. H. Banton, Beaufort, \$135; J. R. Potter, Forsyth, \$176; E. R. Williams. Beaufort, \$160; A. R. Nor-Stokes, \$50; Tom Atkins, Stokes,

There is already pending a suit for \$6,000 plus attorneys' fees against Elks, who is alleged to have delivered 6.000 pounds of the 1922 crop outside of the association. No restraining order was sought with the former suit because at the time it was filed Biks had already sold all of his crop on the open market.

Eiks has based an answer to the suit and is basing his defense, in addition to the general allegations that the association has failed to live up to its own part of the contract, on a special clause in his contract which provides that he shall

allowance for attorneys' fees at \$15 the restraining order that Eiks has The association also has pending on awards less than \$100 and al- declared his intention of selling all about 100 cases in which it seeks to lowed \$25 where damages amounted of his growing crop on the outside Cures Malaria, Chilis and Fe-recover liquidated damages at five to more than \$100. The attorneys market. The restraining order is rever, Dongue er Bilious Fever, cents a pound for all tobacco sold on had requested sums ranging from turnable before Judge Cranmer on