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## CHOWAN COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT

Chowan College Sixty-Ninth Session Closes With One of the Best Commencements in Its History—Eight Girls Receive Diplomas.

Murfreesboro, N. C., May 28.—Exercises by the Graduating Class were given at 3:30 P. M., May 12. The large crowd present greatly enjoyed all of it and especially the rehearsal of their four years of college life.

At 11 A. M. Sunday, May 13, Rev. J. T. Riddick, preached the Baccalaureate Sermon, using for his text, "Whereupon, O King Agrippa, I was not disobedient to the heavenly vision." He beautifully and strongly portrayed our duty to ourselves, others, and God. At 8 P. M. he preached the missionary sermon, discussing the program and authority of our work. Both sermons were greatly enjoyed by all.

The Annual Concert given by the piano, voice and expression departments was greatly enjoyed Monday night by an overflow audience. Tuesday morning, Rev. C. D. Graves delivered the Literary address, using as his subject "Opportunities." This was discussed in a forceful and telling way and many were the expressions of appreciation from the large audience.

Hon. Jno. E. Vann, in a pleasing way, delivered medals as follows: Bailey English Medal to Miss Inez Benthall, Winston Home Economics Medal to Miss Fannie Jenkins; Bessie Worthington Horne Voice Medal to Miss Magnolia Mitchell; Theo. Preiser Piano Medal to Miss Irene Mitchell; C. W. Scarborough first prize for best essay on Book of Ruth to Miss Martha Sizemore, second prize to Miss Frances Benthall; prize for best work done in Alathenian Literary Society to Miss Margaret Whittington.

The Baccalaureate address was then delivered by President Lineberry and diplomas and degrees conferred as follows: Diploma in Expression, Ina Dunlap; Diploma in Voice, Magnolia Rice Mitchell; Diploma in Piano, Katherine Mae Taylor; Bachelor of Letters, Fannie Jenkins; Bachelor of Arts, Frances Vivian Benthall, Inez Vernetta Benthall Alma Blanche Freeman, Helen Josephine Leary.

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At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quart pint of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into the bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets through, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness, and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whitener and beautifier.

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Planting velvet beans in the corn is one of the best ways of improving the land and at the same time getting the maximum yield. The velvet bean is not an untried plant, but has been planted and grown successfully for several years.

The bean can be planted in the corn as soon as it is up well, preferably, when it is 4 to 8 or 10 inches high. The vines will not get in the way before you lay the corn by. At this season of the year plant the speckled variety, which is the round shaped bean with dark specks, also called the 100 day bean. It will take about 120 days or a little more to mature, and a bushel will plant something like three acres. Put 2 or 3 beans to the hill between every two stalks of corn. They can be dropped in place ahead of the plow and it will cover them.

The fodder cannot be pulled, but the beans make an excellent feed when ground into meal; and the yield of corn is not affected. The vines which stay green until frost, can be grazed on all the fall and winter by cattle and hogs, and then turned under to enrich the soil. Any feed grinder that will grind corn will make meal out of the beans.

I advise every farmer to plant them in his corn. If you are afraid of them plant only a few acres and give yourself a chance to see. I know every man likes to see for himself.

E. R. Raney,  
Farm Demonstration Agent, Bertie County.

## GUINEAS FOR THE FARM

If better known by the average lady in charge of the poultry operations on North Carolina farms, a small flock of guineas would be kept by every farm in the state, says Dr. B. F. Knapp, Poultry Investigator for the North Carolina Experiment Station. The guinea is an excellent protector against hawks, crows and other enemies of the poultry yard. Long before these enemies reach the yard, the shrill penetrating cry of alarm from the flock will speedily rout them and send them away in headlong haste. The least suspicious noise, at night, is also quickly noticed and any animal or other disturber soon learns that it means discovery to go into the yard where guineas are kept.

The only great objection which may be raised against them is their wild nature. When properly raised, however much of this wild instinct may be eliminated. It is a good idea to buy the eggs, when beginning with a flock, rather than to buy the old birds. These eggs should be hatched by a hen, and when hatched, it is a good idea to give the old lady a few chicks to carry along. These will mind her, and will cause the young, wild guineas to follow their example. It takes four weeks for guinea eggs to hatch. The young birds are very active and as they grow up will destroy many insects about the farm. They should be fed in about the same as turkeys.

The guinea hens are very prolific and lay during the entire summer taking good care all the time to carefully hide their nest. It is quite an easy matter to find them by the peculiar noise made and when the flock has been watched, it only takes a few minutes to locate the nests. In the summer they like to roost in trees near the house. Their flesh has a flavor similar to game, and is relished as a great table delicacy.

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## WINTON WAVELETT

Miss Susie Brett, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Brett, will have her name engraved for the second time on the O'Henry Loving Cup, given by the Adelpian and Cornelian Literary Societies of the State Normal College at Greensboro, for the best short story written by a high school girl. Susie was the successful contestant last year and also this year.

The Chowan Club met with Mrs. John E. Vann and Louise Vann Monday evening, May 21. Splendid papers were read on the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence. Mrs. J. W. Boone having resigned as President of the Club, Mrs. Willie Daniel was elected to fill the place. The next meeting will be with Mrs. S. N. Watson. The subject will be Social service in our State.

Mrs. M. R. Herring entertained the Y. W. A. of Chowan Church Tuesday evening, May 22. A history of the Y. W. A. was given, first, the work in the South, second, the work in the State, third, the work of the Y. W. A. of the Chowan Church since its organization three years ago. Several good articles were read by other members. Miss Emily Clark sang "Teach Me to Pray." Delicious cream was served by the hostesses.

There will be a mass meeting at the Courthouse, Tuesday night, May 29, to try to form some plan by which the citizens of Winton can assist, in a sympathetic way, the Assyrian and Armenian Relief Fund.

Mr. J. C. Gardner and family, and Mr. Fitzgub Copeland, of Holland, Va., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lee.

Graves Vann and John Northcott, students at the A. and E. College, are home for the summer vacation. The former, having enlisted in the Coast Artillery, will be called out July 15.

Miss Mary Davenport will return this week from a two weeks visit to Bethel.

The Boy Scouts will have an ice cream Supper on the lawn at H. B. Knox, Friday night. The proceeds will go to buy a tent for the camping trip next summer. The public is invited.

Hertford County was well represented at the County Food Conservation Commission, which met in the Court House Friday, May 25. Mr. I. W. Freeman, of Wilson was present and urged the people to plant more foodstuff, and to save that which was, seeing that nothing raised was wasted.

Mrs. A. I. Parker, W. L. Daniell, Mrs. Willie Danfell, Capt. T. D. Boone, Mrs. Willie Boone and little Janie Mitchell spent Sunday in Franklin, Va.

Mr. Kilby Brown, of Suffolk spent Sunday in Winton.

## LIBERTY LOAN BONDS PATRIOTIC PLUS SAFE

The patriotic nature of an investment in the Liberty Loan Bonds of 1917 is something that all Americans will consider. The fact that in purchasing such a bond the investor is lending money to his Government—to his country—to prosecute a great war, giving the investment a dignity that the ordinary investment does not possess. The uses to which the money is to be put, the noble purposes to which it is to be devoted, all are things which appeal more or less to the American heart.

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## MARS HILL NEWS

An entertainment was given at Mars Hill May 25, for the benefit of the school. The door receipts were thirteen dollars. The audience was highly entertained by "That Rascal Pat," in which Charles Pearce proved himself a gifted and skillful comedian.

Mrs. H. H. Honeycutt showed herself a gifted impersonator, and reflected credit upon the College of which she is a graduate. She proved her dramatic power in the Balcony Scene in which she impersonated Juliet, while Miss Annie E. Pigg acted the part of Romeo. In "Too Late for the Train," she very vividly portrayed the impatience of Mr. Mann, while in "Our Two Opinions," she showed herself equally capable of presenting pathos. Mrs. Honeycutt will give readings at Ahoskie June 1, at 8:30 p. m. Admission 25 and 10 cents.

On June the 9th, at 8:15 the closing exercises of the "Community School" will take place. Aside from a few exercises of the children, there will be remarks by Supt. Early and an address by Judge F. D. Winston. The public is invited. Ice cream will be served after the exercises.

A large number attended the Convention at Republican Sunday.

Miss Alma Freeman has returned from her week's visit to Raleigh, where she attended the Meredith and Wake Forest College Commencements. She reports "the time of her life." Mars Hill is proud of Miss Freeman, who has proved herself such a brilliant student by graduating at such an early age from Chowan College.

Little Miss Jimmie Brown, while sliding on an old well house one day last week, stuck a stick into her flesh. She was rushed to Ahoskie, where Dr. Greene removed the splinter. She is getting on nicely now.

We are glad to have Miss Ethel Freeman and Mr. John Simons back from College.

Don't forget the entertainment at Ahoskie Friday night, June 1, at 8:30. There will be vocal and instrumental music, string and piano selections, reading and a funny play.

Come out and see "Pat." You will like him.

A large crowd attended the burial services of Mrs. Britton at her old home nearby. Bro Tom Speight conducted the service. His daughter, Margaret, well beloved teacher at Mars Hill, accompanied him.

Do all you can to build the new school building. Remember: It is, act on June 19, or Mars Hill High School Fund is gone forever. Vote Right! and your great-grandchildren will bless you for it.

States Government should later during this war have to borrow more money and pay a higher rate of interest, that the holders of these bonds can secure bonds bearing that higher rate—when all things are considered, an investment in Liberty Loan Bonds possesses advantages that no other investment in the world possesses.

There is another point which wise and thoughtful people will give due consideration to and that is an investment in Liberty Loan Bonds is an investment in the defence and preservation of a ll their other property and all the hold dear—the preservation of their liberties. We would be in danger if our citizens refuse to lend their money to the Government, of losing all that we have—our property, our liberties and our national honor. It has come to this, that we must fight for these things, and to wage war in this day and time requires not only men and arms but great sums of money.

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## UNIVERSITY COMMENCEMENT FOR NEXT WEEK

One Hundred and Twenty-Second Commencement Takes Place June 3 to June 6.

Chapel Hill N. C., May 30.—The University of North Carolina will hold its 122nd commencement on June 3-6, 1917. The plans provide for a great patriotic celebration on the last day, June 6, with Hon. Thomas W. Bickett, Governor, and Secretary of War, Newton D. Baker and Secretary of Navy, Josephus Daniels as the chief speakers on the program. Secretary Baker will make the commencement address, while Governor Bickett will deliver the diplomas to the seniors still left in college and Secretary Daniell will conduct the exercises in presenting diplomas to those seniors who have already enlisted in some form of military service. Half of the class belongs to the later group, most of them having entered Fort Oglethorpe camp some weeks ago.

Dr. Walter W. Moore, of the Theological Seminary, Richmond, Va., will preach the baccalaureate sermon on Sunday, June 3, while Rev. W. D. Moss, of Chapel Hill will conduct the vesper services in the evening. Monday will be given over to the senior class and the usual class day exercises will be held. In the morning the oratorical contests for the Mangum Medal will be the chief event. The Literary Societies will hold their anniversary meetings on Monday night.

Many classes will hold re-unions this year, and it is expected that these gatherings will be large in spite of war conditions. The sixty year class—1857—will hold a re-union which will be one of the features of the commencement. The class of '67 will also be on hand. The classes of 1897 and 1902 are planning re-unions on a large scale, and the old South building has been turned over to 1902. Tuesday is set aside as Alumni Day. General Julian J. Carr will preside over those exercises. The usual alumni luncheon will be held. Commencement will be devoid of the usual social features, however, with the exception of the class re-unions. President Edward K. Graham will speak to the alumni on "The Alumni and the University; Review of the Year 1916-1917."

President Graham is inviting the people of the state to attend the commencement exercises and help make them a great patriotic event for North Carolina. The messages that the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy will bring are sure to be important at a time like this.

The University is seeking to ascertain from all students what their plans are for the summer with the desire of placing them if possible where they may be of most direct service to the government. The students who are under military age or have fallen below the standard of military fitness have been asked the following information in order that persons or firms desiring labor may be assisted: (1) Name, age, class, summer address; (2) Previous training in productive labor; (3) Do you expect to be occupied this summer? (4) Do you expect to return to the University in 1917-1918. (5) If not, how do you expect to be occupied next year? (6) Are you willing to undertake during the summer some form of productive work that directly or indirectly promotes the interests of humanity in the present war?

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## SAVE THE HOGS FROM CHOLERA

Farm Demonstration Agent of Bertie County Urges Farmers to Protect Hogs from Dreaded Disease—Invites Full Co-operation.

Hog cholera is the most dreaded and causes the loss of more hogs than any other disease affecting domestic animals. It is an infectious and communicable disease, being caused by a very small germ getting into the body.

The symptoms of the disease are an elevated temperature, refuse to eat, seem to have chills and huddle together where there is several sick ones in a pen, or stand off where there is only one sick pig, stand with back arched, breath quick and shallow and at first there may be constipation but this is followed by a frequent action of the bowels.

Post mortem appearances: These are not satisfactory where the hog has been dead for sometime. There will usually be found pink or red spots under the skin of the belly and between the hind legs. After cutting open there will be found a lot of little congested blood vessels under the fat of the neck. The natural color of these blood vessels is a light pink, but in cholera they are dark "blood shot" looking. The kidneys have small specks on them giving the appearance of a turkey egg. The spleen, which is also called the malt, usually has these specks. The lining of the lungs cavity is full of blood clotted looking glands, also the glands on the outside of the guts may have this same appearance. All these symptoms do not occur in every case but some or all of them will always be present.

There are two treatments, (1) Serum alone and (2) Serum |Simultaneous or double treatment. The Serum alone treatment only immunizes the hog from cholera for from four to six weeks. This is the only treatment to give after the disease has gotten into the herd. The Serum Simultaneous treatment consists of giving the hog some virus blood which gives him a very light case of cholera, and at the same time giving some of the serum to overcome this. The Serum Simultaneous treatment immunizes the hog from cholera for life when given to a hog larger than fifty pounds in weight. A small pig will not grow it.

Serum is the blood taken from a hog immune to cholera.

Virus is the blood taken from a hog that has cholera.

Any farmer can get the serum from the State Veterinarian at Raleigh and give it, but he cannot get the virus or give it unless he has a license from the veterinarian. It will cost about twenty cents to vaccinate a pig weighing less than fifty pounds; from fifty to one hundred pounds will cost about forty cents, from 100 to 200 will cost from fifty to sixty cents, and from 200 to 300 and above will cost about seventy to eighty five cents. These are close estimates for either treatment. The virus does not cost the farmer a cent, but when given, the dose of serum is increased.

When you are having trouble with your hogs, crops or anything else on the farm call on me and I will be glad to help you. I am here with you and want you to use me.

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