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RED SPRINGS NEWS ITEMS. HOME FUND DRIVE

Personal and Other Items.

#### . . . . . . . . . . IMPORTANT MEETING

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VOL. L

Robeson County Must Take Steps to Get Highway That Government Will Build-Meet At Court House Friday Night. To the Editor of The Robesonian:

We notice by today's news dispatches that Cumberland county and Fayetteville have already appointed a delegation to go to the Asheville-Charlotte-Wilmington highway meeting with the end in view of getting this highway through Cumberland county and Fay-etteville by way of Camp Bragg. This highway meeting will be held in Monroe on the 29th of this month. The Cumberland delegation will go to this meeting having Camp Bragg meeting having Camp Bragg as a strong drawing card, this highway being in part a Na-tional proposition. the govern-ment footing half of the bill. Robeson county is the direct and natural route this road would take, everything else be-ing equal. We can get this road if we go after it. It will be worth millions to this counbe worth millions to this county. Let us meet in the court house tomorrow (Friday) night and see what can be done.

	T. A. McNEILL, JR.	
	T. L. Johnson	
	Frank Gough	
	A. T. McLean	
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#### IF GERMANS REFUSE TO SIGN

delegates refuse to sign the peace several treaty were indicated yesterday by having the announcement that Marshal Foch charge. had been sent to the Rhine by the council of four to take such action as may become necessary in the event that the treaty is not signed, states a Paris dispatch. Mr. C. D. Rice of Long Branch was a Paris dispatch.

The council of four, composed of a visi resident Wilson, David Lloyd noon. President George, M. Clemenceau and Signor Orlando, yesterday considèred the im- Rozier spent mediate reimposing of the blockade

ROZIER NEWS ITEMS. Crops Look Promising-Special Ex- Last College Recital of the Year-In ercises at Rozier May 18-Folks Had Great Time at Celebration-

Personal. Correspondence of The Robesonian. Correspondence of The Robesonian. Rozier (Lumberton, R. 2), May 12.

Next Saturday and Sunday is our regular preaching time at Rozier-Services will be held 11 o'clock each morning by our pastor, Rev. A. H. Porter of Rennert.

E. Purcell. There will be a children's day or Sunvited.

son, Raeford, of Hampton, Vá., and Mr. R. L. Harcum of Norfolk, Va. are spending this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Barker. They made the trip in Mr. Ratley's car. Mr. and Mrs. David Bethea and two Mrs. Sarah Norton and Miss Lille Lewis of South Carolina are spending this week at the home of Mr. J. E. Purcell.

live near St. Pauls, visited relatives and there were no floats or decorated of exchange, money commands the

Donalds section, visited relatives in time all around.

this vicinity recently. Mrs. E .E. Herring and small son, Carlyle, of Portsmouth, Va. are few days. Sunday evening in the col-spending some time with her parents lege chapel she made a most interest- raise adequate Home Service funds. in this vicinity.

a visitor in this section Sunday after.

Messrs. Carey McDonald and W. S. Rozier spent Sunday attarnoon in

OF SALVATION ARMY Honor of a June Bride-May 19 is Robeson is Asked to Contribute \$3.000 Alumnae Day of Commencement-To Home Service Fund-Chairman Of County Committees.

Correspondence of The Robesonian.

Red Springs, May 13 .- Mrs. Jas. A. Next week will launch the great -Farmers in this section are very busy having their cotton chopped and tobacco hoed this week, and we do

dorsement'

Lewis of South Carolina are spending this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Britt. Lots of people of this vicinity at-tanded the graves of veterans in decorated the gra

in this vicinity Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Stone of Lumberton and Mrs. Will Stone and two children, Maude and Charlie, of Mc-berton and Mrs. Will Stone and two children, Maude and Charlie, of Mc-berton and Mrs. Will Stone and two children, Maude and Charlie, of Mc-berton and Mrs. Will Stone and two children, Maude and Charlie, of Mc-berton and Mrs. Will Stone and two children, Maude and Charlie, of Mc-berton and Mrs. Will Stone and two children, Maude and Charlie, of Mc-berton and Mrs. Will Stone and two children, Maude and Charlie, of Mc-berton and Mrs. Will Stone and two children, Maude and Charlie, of Mc-berton and Mrs. Will Stone and two children, Maude and Charlie, of Mc-berton and Mrs. Will Stone and two children and Mrs. Will Stone and two children and Mrs. Will Stone and two children and Charlie, of Mc-berton and Mrs. Will Stone and two children and Mrs. Will Stone and two children and Mrs. Will Stone and two children and Charlie, of Mc-a fine dinner and a most enjoyable in that preparedness of soul and mind that shall ever enable then: to minis-Miss Lillian Austin of Maxton has ter to those about them in a spiritual

been a college visitor for the past sense.

ing talk to the students on her work comes almost in the nature of a pen-Mr. and Mrs. Lee Thrower and family, who live near St. Pauls, spent Sunday in this section with relatives. and the best wishes of he many cannot avoid.

Pvt. Archie F. Britt, who spent several months overseas with the A. E. F. returned home a few days The last recital of the year took vation Army from complete obscuri-Immediate measures tending to the ago. Mr. Stedman C. Holder, who had further subjugation of Germany if its been serving in the U. S. navy for delegates refuse to sign the peace to sign the peace to sign the peace to sign the peace to several months, has returned hom? having been given an honorable discharge. Several of the people of this vicini-ty attended the school commencement at St. Pauls last week and reported many difficult numbers on her pro-gram were intensely enjoyable. Miss McKinnon's sweet soprano voice was are vast. onward march has lead to great us again. Miss Mamie Britt spent Sunday p. m. here — Mr. Lonnie Bul-lard and children, little Misses Hazel at its best and her singing added

much to the pleasure of the evening tribute \$3,000 to this fund and each of the Hog Swamp section attended Both young musicians received love- lowrship is organized to carry on the the children's day here Sunday .- Mr. ly flowers and other appropriate gifts work and obtain contributions, the and Mrs. Ambrose Prevatt and chilfrom their many irlends following constituting the chairman aren Mrs. G. R. Dupuy has return from of the several committees: with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pitman .-a visit to Washington. She was ac-companied-home by her cousin, Mrs R. F. D. Rowland; Back Swamn-ter, Miss Blanche, were Lumberton Fowle who will be her guest for some Mrs. J. G. Prevatt, R. 3, Lumberton; visitors Saturday, also Mr. and Mrs. Britts-Forrest Stone R F. D. 1 um. W. W. Pitman and daughter, Miss Misses Lindsay and Wink of the college faculty entertained most de-lightfully on Monday afternoon in Gaddy's—JO McArthur, R. Rowland; of Mr. Rince Britt Sunday p. m. honor of Miss Sadie McKinnon, whose Lumber Bridge-Dr. Thomas Stamps; Mr. Pope Pitman spent Saturday in marriage takes place in June. The Lumberton-C. B. Skipper, Jr.; Row-Lumberton on business.-M.'s. Sue ers' club and directed by Mesdames guests were requested to bring a lit-land-W. L. Buck; Maxton-Ennis and children spent the week-C. H. Boyd and J. R. Poole will be diploma recital last evening at the discovere requested to bring a net diploma recital last evening at the discovere requested to bring a net diploma recital last evening at the discovere requested to bring a net diploma recital last evening at the discovere regard for the fu-Greensboro College for Women, dis-playing in her playing the cateful the miscellaneous shower displayed. Training she has received, and her belicious refreshments were served rendition of Beethoven's "Sonata" was and as the guests departed they be-rendition of Beethoven's "Sonata" was and as the guests departed they be-

ANTIOCH NEWS ITEMS. Children's Day Exercises-Successful

Term of School Closes-Person-

Correspondence of The Robesonian. Lumberton, R. 5, May 13 .- Rev I

busy having their cotton chopped and tobacco hoed this week, and we do not see an idle hand. Crops look very promising and of course that encourages the farmers. Dithered excellent is in the past week, is much im-encourages the farmers. Dithered excellent is in the past week, is much im-proved. Dithered excellent is in the past week, is much im-proved. Dithered excellent is in the past week, is much im-proved. Dithered excellent is in the past week is much im-proved. Dithered excellent is one past week is much im-proved. Dithered excellent is provided in the congregation pro-nounced it as good or better than the past week is much im-proved. Dithered excellent is past week is past week is past week is much im-proved. Dithered excellent is past week is much im-proved. Dithered excellent is past week is past People of every class are volunteer- nounced it as good or better than Tuesday. Richard, spent a few days recently in tive campaign workers. In fact, re- was a children's day here Sunday p. Vance county visiting relatives. gional campaign managers assert that m. Each one doing his or her part Mrs. A. M. Smith of Elkin is on a no other campaign held in this coun. well. The children had been skillfully visit to her parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. try was ever given such amazing en- trained by the girls who have been

teaching the school here-Misses Nor-Misses Mattie and Ida McLauchlin This unlooked for and encouraging na Wilkerson and Tessie Lee Townbeam rally at Rozier Sunday p. m., May 18th, beginning at 3:30 o'clock old time. The public is cordially in-Aliss Katie Buie. Rev. John McEachern and Mr. Gra- won in its war work and the public credit of being the best to help in ham McEachern came over from Rae- has at last learned that the work at the church and Sunday school work Mr. and Mrs. Eli Ratley and small son, Raeford, of Hampton, Va., and Mr. R. L. Harcum of Norfolk, Va. We are glad to hear that the baby stands as an open book of reformation Britt of Lumberton which was enjoy-

here Sunday .-- Quite a crowd from here attended the celebration at Lumberton May 10 .- Misses Mae and Wilma Branch of Long Branch at- der treatment at the Charlotte sana-tended the children's day here Sun- torium. His condition is very much day. Also Mr. Sandy Taylor and sis-ter, Miss Vina, of the Beulah section. \_\_\_\_\_The o

-Mr. and Mrs. Windfield Pitman and daughter. Miss Emma, spent Sunday in these parts.-Miss Hattje Powen of St. Pauls is spending a few days with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Davis.

People have begun to fight gen-eral green and it seems a very hard battle.

Mr. Clifton Pitman spent a short while in Lumberton Saturday p. m. on buyiness.-Miss Mae Parish of

Maxton visited these parts Sunday. Our school closed one of the most Robeson county is asked to con- and Ruth, and Mr. Ambrose Hayes

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# BRIEF ITEMS LOCAL NEWS

-Mr. Joseph Prevatt, Sr. had a "mess" of beans from his garden

-A play. "Valley Farm," will be given at the Bloomingdale school house Friday night, May 16th, at 9 o'clock.

-Ex-State Senator Frank Gough attended in Raleigh yesterday a meeting of the State prison board of which he is a member.

-Mr. A. L. Lawson of Orrum was Lumberton visitor Tuesday. Mr.

bride's parents.

-Correspondence of The Robesonian: There will be a fruit supper at Jacob Swamp school house Saturday night, May 17. The proceeds will be used to purchase fixtures for the school.

-County Audtior J. M. McCallum returned Tuesday night from Char-lotte, where he spent three weeks un-

-The condition of Mr. O. B. Dukes of St. George, S. C., who has been il at the home of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs. O .O. Dukes, Caldwell street, for several days, continues critical.

-All the remain-13 in numberare being removed from the Rowland cemetery beside the old Presbyterian church on East Fifth street. Most of them are being re-interred in Mea-dowbrook cemetery.

-Plans are being perfected for the annual Robeson county fair to be held in Lumberton some time next fall. It is expected that up-to-date fair grounds will be prepared near town in time for the 1919 fair.

-Mrs. R. B. Baxley of Rennert, R. 1, entered the Thompson hospital Monday for treatment and may undergo an operation. Her father, Mr. J. W. Lowe, who also lives near Rennert, is staying here with her,

-Mrs. R. G. Stubbs and daughter,

al Mention.

against Germany in case that country declines to sign the peace treaty. The An Enjoyable Recital Given by subject was under discussion at two separate meetings of the council.

On the other hand, it is anticipated that the blockade will be entirely lifted immediately if the German delegates affix their signatures to the treaty.

#### SUPERIOR COURT.

#### Calendar for Week ClearedTuesday-Court Next Week.

The calendar for this week's term of civil court was cleared Tuesday and court took a recess till Monday of next week. Judge W. P. Stacy went Tuesday evening to his home in Wilmington and will return for next week's session

Practically all the cases set for this week were either continued or compromised. The only jury trials heard after the report of the proceedings published in Monday's paper was prepared were:

May Brigman vs. Marvin Brigman; divorce granted.

Corinna Knight vs. Will Knight; divorce granted.

Alfred Britt vs. John Meares; judgment for the plaintiff.

#### Recorder's Court-High Cost of Assault.

Porter Rockwell colored, has an umbrella that has cost him \$30.15 since he bought it. Of this amount \$20 was fine and \$10.15 cost imposed by Recorder E. M. Britt when he was convicted of assaulting Elbert Mc-Neill, also colored, with hs umbreila The assault took place in Lumberton Saturday.

George McNeill submitted to the charge of being drunk and disorderly and judgment was suspended upon payment of the cost.

George Allen plead guilty of being drunk and also to being implicated in an offray and judgment was suspended upon payment of the cost.

#### HOME FROM WAR- -

Private Giles Mercer arrived home this morning from France. Private Mercer spent 10 months overseas and was attached to the 6th division.

Mr. G. Badger McLeod arrived home yesterday, having been given an honorable discharge from the army. He grand central palace. New York, for be "A snake in the home." some time prior to his discharge.

# Miss Gaynelle aBrnes.

The Greensboro Daily News gave the following report of a recital giv-en by Miss Gaynelle Barnes, daughter of Mr. K. M. Barnes of Lumberton. at Greensboro College for Women on the evening of May 5th:

"Miss Gaynelle Barnes gave her exceedingly graceful. Miss Barnes was assisted by Miss Rachel May Taylor, a pupil of the school of express-ion, and Miss Dorothy Moore, a student in the voice department. Both of these young ladies did very creditable work.

"The program follows: "Beethoven, Sonata—Op. 2, No. 1 (last movement); Miss Barnes. "Chamberlain, Kim's Last Whipping (reading); Miss Taylor. Liszt, Consolation-No- 6.

"Grieg, Norwegian Bridal Proces-

sion; Miss Barnes. "Dvorak. Songs My Mother Taught

Me. "Rogers, Star; Miss Moore. "Moskowski-Ulrick, Polonaise; Miss

Barnes.' Mr. and Mrs. Barnes and their portant. three sons, Masters Horace Wilton and John Rhodes, and Miss Maggie Pittman attended the recital, making the trip across country in Mr. Barnes

auto.

SUNDAY WILL BE BIG DAY.

Parkton Methodists Asked to Remain at Home Sunday Afternoon-Mr. Jenkins' Subject Sunday Morning.

BY G. D. WILLIAMSON. Parkton, May 13-Next Sunday will be the biggest day of all the days with the Methodist church. There will be services at ll a. m. in every M. E. church. The Centenary drive starts at that hour and there will be something doing for the next week. It only lasts one week. Eevery member of the Methodist church is asked to remain at home in the afternoon as the various team workers will call to see them. It will be one hundred years before another such drive will be made. The work is thoroughly or-ganized and if every member will do his or her full duty "over the top' will be reported for the thirty-five

million for the next five years. Rev. J. L. Jenkins, pastor of the volunteered several months ago and had been doing guard duty at the grand central palace. New York, for be "A snake in the home."

time.

stowed another shower on Miss Mc- Red Springs-J. N. Buie; Rennert-Kinnon, one of best wishes and hope Rev. A. H. Porter; Saddler we-Rev. for a most happy married life. J. L. Humphrey. R. F. D. Lumberton; To the Alumnae of Flora Llacdenald St Pauls-L A. McGeachy; Shannon

College. Monday of commencement, May 19, is ters, Wakulla; Sterlings-Boyd V.

Alumnae day with business meeting Williams, Barnesville; Thompsonsat 11:30, followed by a cafeteria Mrs. Wheeler Stone, McDonalds; luncheon- At the meeting Dr. Var- White House-W M Oliver, Marietta; dell will talk to his old girls and it Wisharts-J. C. Stansel, Allenton; is to be hoped that all who expect The slogan of the Salvation Army to attend commencement will try to —"A man may be down, but he's arrive in time for the meeting. As never out"-should ring in every usual, places in the dormitories and body's ears next week, and the reladining room will be reserved for all tively small amount asked of the peowho are oming next war. If you ple of Robeson county could be had care with us Monup; please not ty and obtained within two days from Miss Po'v McRas at once so the

comm. .. will have some i wa of the numeer to prepare for. This is im-

CAMP POPE ELECTS OFFICERS

Meeting Held Here May 10th-M. G McKenzie Elected Delegate to

Reunion.

Correspondence of The Robesonian. Camp Willis H. Pope- Confederate

veterans, met in the opera house in Saturday Lumberton evening May 10th and proceeded to the election of officers for another year, resulting as follows:

Commander-M. G. McKenzie, 1st Lieut.-Lev. F. A. Prevatt; 2nd Lieut. on the grounds for dinner. Everybo-General F. A. Bond; 3rd Lieut.- dy come prepared to stay for the Judge T. A. McNeill; 4th Lieut.-N. C. Graham; Adjt.-J. F. Raybon; Chaplain-Rev. Wesley Thompson. All former junior officers were reelected.

All members present paid their annual dues.

M. G. McKenzie was elected to represent this camp at the annual reunion of Confederate veterans at Savannah; Ga., in June 1919. There B. Townsend a member of the board

J. F. RAYBON, Adjt.

Private Henry Branch of R 4, Lumberton, and Private A. B. Taylor of the Beulah section arrived home yesterday from France. They spert six months overseas, landing just a few days before the armistice was signed. Following are a few of the visitors in Lumberton last Saturday who call-clast Saturday who call-in Lumberton last Saturday who call-clast for R. 2, Fairmont; Mr. W. L. Henry Spivey of the Marietta sec-tion; Mr. M. McMillan of R. 2, Park-signed. Following are a few of the visitors in Lumberton last Saturday who call-clast Saturday who call-in Lumberton last Saturday who call-clast for R. 2, Fairmont; Mr. W. L. Henry Spivey of the Marietta sec-tion; Mr. M. McMillan of R. 2, Park-ton.

#### NAMES OF 2 MORE **ROBESON VOLUNTEERS**

Sgt. French Conner of Rowland and -Geo. I. Klarpp; Smith-E. J. Wal-Lieut. David M. Ivey of Raynham. To the Editor of The Robesonian.

> It is noted from a recent issue of your paper that you are endeavoring to secure the names of all volunteers from Robeson county in the recent world war, and knowing that it is extremely difficult to get all such has served continuously to the present date.

own service which, however com- well, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. menced prior to the entry of the United States in the present war, of the Lumberton graded school," made having enlisted on October 24, 1912. the highest average of any pupil in and serving continuously to the pres- the county who passed the seventhent date.

desire the names of officers and enisted men except trose who actually entered the service since the date of I nele Sam's" ertry into the fracas. Correspondence of The Robesonian. Lumberton, R. 6, May 14-Glenn-Hoping the above information is of

some use to you, I am very truly yours, D - Vil) M. IVEY.

2nd Lient., 46th Infantry, Acting Personal Adjutant P. S .- My home is Raynham, N C.

Headquarters 46th U S. Infantry. Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia, May 9th 1919.

(Glad to get this information, only sorry it did not reach us prior to publication of names on May Sth. Any information of the kind, wheth-it was a cockingham. Relatives of Mr. Pearl Wade, who lived at Rockingham. yesterday afternoon that he had been with a pistel and given by the young people of the com- er relative to men who entered the shot three times with a pistol and munity Tuesday evening at 8:30. No service before or after Uncle Sam's was dangerously wounded. A later entry into the fracas, will be gladly received at any time.-Editor.)

The American naval seaplanes NCand NC-3 probably will be in flight the Bethel Chavis, Nasby Hardin, and Pink Woods stills and one other was captured in the Big Swamp several weeks ago.

from Trepassey Bay, N. F., the start-ing point of the proposed flight in-timated that the "hop-off" would be made within 24 hours if favorable iting at the home of his son ard weather along the route of the Azores daughter-in-law, Prof. and Mrs. J. R. Poole Elm street. was indicated.

Cedar Grove spent Sunday 1-ttle Miss Ruth, arrived Tuesday night from Kansas City, Mo., to join Mr. Stubbs, who has been here for several months. Mr. Stubbs and fainity will do light house-keeping at the residence of Mr. F. M. Barnes Chestnut street.

> -The story hour under the ausrices of the Twentieth Century Mothheld tomorrow (Friday) afternoon at 5 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Alf. H. McLeod. All children interested are invited to be present-

> -More than 100 Masons, representing all the louges in the county, attended the annual Masonic banquet here Tuesday evening. Work in the third degree was exemplified by the local team and refreshments were served in abundance. Those attending the banquet reported a great time in general.

-Many favorable comments were heard in regard to the splendid music furnished by the East Lumberton. band for the celebration here Saturday. The East Lumberton band is one names, I am giving you the name of of the best in Eastern North Larolina Sergeant French Conner, of Rowland, and the fact that Lumberton has such C., who enlisted June 7, 1917. and a hand saved the town several hundred dollars expense Saturday.

-The records compiled by Supt. I also desire to inform you of my J. R. Poole show that Miss Lois Cald-Caldwell of Lumberton and a student It is not known whether or not you 99, while the next highest was 97.

-Washington special, May 14, to Charlotte Observer: A. W. McLean, director of the War Finance corporation delivered an address today to the officers of the finance division of the War Department at a luncheon at Rauscher's, on the subject: "Some phases of government finance during the war." There were more than a undred of the officers of the division of finance present.

#### Former Lumberton Man Killed at Rockingham.

message stated that he had died soon after reaching a hospital in Hamlet. No particulars of the shooting have been learned here. Mr. Wade formerly lived here.

Mrs. D. C. Rogers left Monday for her home at Taylorsville after spending some time here visiting at the home of her 'son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rogers, Second

wood school closes Monday, May 19, followed by a short exercise by the school children beginning at 8:30 p. m. Tuesday, the 20th, the children will have a few songs and recitations beginning at 11 a. m. Thèse will be followed by a short address, after which every one will be invited out

dy come prepared to stay for the closing exercises, which will be a play entitled "And Home Came Ted" given by the young people of the com-

Four Whiskey Stills Destroyed. Four copper whiskey stills were Planes May Be On Way Across en up and destroyed on the court Atlantic.

of county commissioners, Thursday of last week. The stills were known as the Bethel Chavis, Nasby Hardin, and

charges-come and be with us.

house yard in the presence of Mr. C.

JUNIUS J. GOODWIN. Chairman Robeson County. K. M. Barnes, county treasurer; J A. Sharpe, chairman publicity committee; H. E. Stacy, chairman speakers committee; Stephen McIntyre, chairman prospects committee.

GLENNWOOD SCHOOL FINALS.

Last Through Tuesday.

Exercises Begin Monday Evening and

the time the campaign begins.