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## LUMBERTON, N. C., THURSDAY FEBRUARY 16, 1922.

### To Help You Make St. Pauls **Philadelphus Has** News Letter "Gym" Department

By J. L. Memory, Jr. Philadelphus, Feb. 14 .- Believing

that not only the mental and spiritual Dan Cupid's birthday has rolled sides of one's nature but also the The purpose of the organization is: first, to bring into play all muscles and the defendant was unable to make Friday morning, Feb-10th, about 2 0'clock, a fibers which have never enjoyed a

"Arms one would be conthat Jack Dempsey's

take care of them, if no one else basketball, two of football, three of would. That was saying a good deal, baseball, one of tennis, and eight

wrestling matches, with leapfrog and song-circle games in full swing on The children here are the best ex-

W. T. Davis Bound Over to Court on Charge of Setting Steel Trap for Pound. Children-Old Wooden Building Torn Down-Legion Post Has Con. BRIEF test on for Members-5 Births and 6 deaths last Month-Other News of Interest.

By H. V. Brown

**Fairmont News** 

Fairmont, Feb. 15.-Welton T. Davis, better known as "Pig Iron Pete", was bound over to Superior court by Recorder Floyd here last Bond in the sum of \$500 was fixed it, so he was escorted to the jail in

Lumberton by Chief of Police Lawsquare balt of exercise; second, to in- son. Davis was charged with setting and without a murmur, Mr. augurate one branch of athletics a steel trap for children, baiting it suffering and wafted home by loving students which does not participate the putting paris green on messengers sent to guide him tender-ly over the shining pathway to the heavenly home. Mr. Odom was born on November 14th, 1833, and was therefore in his 89th year. He was twice married, being first united to Miss Eliza Watson of Fayetteville. Miss Eliza Watson of Fayetteville. that these classes in calisthenics will and made a very strong appeal for this union one son, Mr. H. Malton serve as "feeders" for the various the State. The defendant was represented by Messrs. E. M. Johnson of Lumberton and V. H. Keith, local at-

the accused was an unmarried man Equitable Life Assurance society. but it has been brought to the attention of the correspondent that he has a wife living from whom he has never been divorced, although they do not live together.

Poultry Raising Discussed.

February 8th at the home of Mra and Mra F The state of the second state of the state of the second state of street. As had been announced be-fore, the subject of poultry raising Chaultan Proctor, went today to was discussed and many interesting Charlotte to visit Mr. and Mrs. Norfacts were brought out by Mr. O. ton. O. Dukes, county farm demonstra-

tor, and Miss Flax Andrews. Very much useful information and helpful items are evident at these meetings and according to reports are well at- ment will begin this month, accordtended. The next regular meeting will ing to announcement made the other be with Mrs. N. W. Jenkins at her day from the office of the superinhome on Cottage street March 8th, at 2:30 p. m.

Little Virginia Ashley somewhat improved. She has undergone two opera- Says Mellon Holds Office in Violations since going to Thompson hospital, Lumberton, a few weeks ago. The last one occured last Monday. Mellon is holding the office of Secre-She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. tary of the Treasury in violation of

W. Jenkins has purchased from the

Middling cotton is quoted on the local murket today at 16 cents the

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BRIEF ITEMS AND LOCAL NEWS

COTTON MARKET

-Mr. H. S. Nye of Orrum was painfully hurt Friday when he fell while doing carpenter work.

-Mr. J. Foster Flowers has accepted a position as salesman in Mr. K. M. Biggs' department store.

-Sheriff R. E. Lewis has turned the 1921 tax books over to collectors in the various townships. There are many who have not paid.

-Mr. Chas. B. Newcomb, secretary of Scottish Rite bodies, of Wilmington, will deliver a Masonic address in the local Masonic hall Tuesday evening of next week at 7:30.

-Owing to the heavy rains of late, the land has become too wet for breaking and the work of preparing for another crop is held up. Many farmers broke their land during the fall months, however.

-Mr. J. P. Cashwell has accepted a position as salesman in Mr. L. C. Townsend's store. Mr. Cashwell succeeds Mr. Jno. S. Gore, who resigned torney. It was reported before that to accept the local agency for the

-Mrs. N. A. McLean and daughter, little Miss Alice McLean, went Tuesday to Charlotte to consult a specialist relative to some head trouble with which Alice has been suffering for some time.

-Born, early this morning, to Ma

Delivery to the Seaboard of ap-proximately a million and half dollars worth of new operating equiptendent at Hamlet. The equipment will include 10 first-class passenger Glad to report the condition of engines and 15 freight engines.

tion of Law.

Washington, Feb. 15 .- Secretary W. C. Ashley of Morrow avenue. It has been learned that Mr. N. the law and can be arrested for re-taining the place if anyone sees fit to iswear out a warrant charging

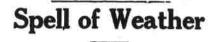
Lumberton Poultry Association is Name Adopted—Membership Fee \$2 a Year—Directors Meet Again

Elect Officers Income Tax Returns

Friday Evening. Lumberton Poultry Association was the name given the association organized here Friday evening of last dates given for, the purpose of assistweek, by the directors at a meeting ing tax-payers in making out Federal held Monday evening. The following officers were elected: president, W. W. Davis; first vice-president, Miss Janie Carlyle; second vice-president and treasurer, M. F. Caldwell; secretary, B. Sam Edwards; trutees, W. K. Bethune and A. F. Ward; commit- March 10 and 11. tee on by-laws and constitution, Mrs. W. W. Parker, M. F. Caldwell and W. K. Bethune.

The membership fee was fixed at \$2 a year, the same as named by the Lumber Bridge Poultry association, Visitor Tuesday, says that evidently recently organized. The directors will a mistake was made at Raleigh in meet tomorrow evening at 7:30 for making out his itinerary as he should the purpose of passing upon by-laws and constitution.

As was stated in Monday's Robesonian, the association was organized ment will be made to that effect if at a well-attended meeting Friday arrangements can be made. evening of last week. The meeting was called by Miss Martha Flax Andrews, home demonstration agent. There is much interest in the organization, the purpose of which is to promote more interest in the raising and marketing of poultry and eggs.



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melted as it fell, but the ground was sinking condition. covered to a depth of about one inch. depth of 5 or 6 inches.

month of February, the total fall here to date being 5.9 inches. Close of his public service. observers predict a prolonged wet spell.

bit Mr. Purvis Powers of the Bark- member. esterday. The whether or not he was mad. Hammonds' children and also scratch- dier-general. ed an Indian man named Bell. The Pasteur treatment.

Appointments of Deputy Collector to Death of Mr. Archie Odom Removes Assist Taxpayers in Making Out A Good Man and Friend to Or-Individual Federal Income Tax Returns.

Deputy Collector W. V. Brown will be at the following places, on the income tax returns:

Lumberton, February 25; Laurinburg, February 27 and 28; Maxton, March 1 and 2; Red Springs, March. 3 and 4; Fairmont, March 6 and 7; Rowland. March 8 and 9; St. Pauls,

A United States revenue agent will be with Mr. Brown at Lumberton on February 25 to assist in making out corporation and other tax returns.

be given three or four days in Lumberton. He has requested additional days for Lumberton and announce-

## THE RECORD OF DEATHS.

Major E. J. Hale, Prominent Citizen of Fayetteville, Died Yesteday-Funeral Tomorrow Afternoon.

Fayetteville, Feb. 15 .- Edward J Hale, soldier, journalist, diplomat and statesman, died at 11:35 o'clock In 1903 deceased was wedded to Miss ball victories are in store for Philathis morning at his home in this city, Ann MacLean of St. Pauls, who prov- delphus which may be likened to the where he had spent the last three ed to be a comfort and cheerful com-unbroken string of victories our team the Demonstration Club was held has been furnishing some very dis- to recognize the defacto government to all. During his life he took care (Amalgamated Sons of Rest) club agreeable weather of late. During the of that country. Although he had of a number of orphan children who which holds its semi-daily conference 48 hours ending early this morning, been in declining health for four when the rain turned to snow, 2.90 in- years, his condition was not considerches had fallen here, according to Mr. ed serious until the past few days, his door and was always careful to to keep warm during the winter's M. Davis, local government and his death was totally unexpected, entertain "strangers within his gates." chill. They, with very few exceptions, B. M. Davis, local government and its death was totally unexpected, The biography of his life has been prefer a different method of keeping of the ground, much of the snow his family realized that he was in a written in golden deeds and on the warm-that of romping over the

Had all the snow that fell "stuck", it would probably have reached a of his death has thrown a pall of afraid to die and leave any children of his death has thrown a pall of afraid to die and leave any children all of a bar of his mathematical and the unexpected news remark that she would never be ed rivalry. Today, which was no un-usual one for such sport, the writer sorrow over the city for whose ad- alone in the world as long as Mr. was an eye-witness to the following Much rain has fallen during the vancement he had labored faithfully Odom was living, she knew he would games in progress: two teams of and untiringly during the long years It was announced tonight that the surely. funeral services will be held Friday

Major Hale was born in this city tacked Mr. Powers unaware, biting him on one of his fingers. The dog, of Edward J. Hale and Margaret was held. Besides a host of relatives, without the slightest suggestion of Jones in the Fairmont Supply comwhich belonged to Mr. O. M. Britt, Walker Hale, of this city. During the he is survived by his widow and the an ill-temper. Unusual? Yes, it would was killed and the head sent to Ral- war between the states he served 3 grandchildren; viz; Mrs. J. R. Dean have been for the school in which I eigh for an examination to determine with distinction in the 56th North of Spartanburg, Mrs. W. H. Taylor, was reared, but not for these stu-A rabid cat belonging to S. A. the staff of General Lane. Shortly Odom of St. Pauls who resided with the cause of the "thusness?" Simply Hammond, Indian, who lives on R. before the close of the war he was her grandfather. Mrs. Odom and this-there is but one class of stu-2 from Lumberton, scratched one of designated for promotion to briga- Miss Ruth were so faithful and at- dents here: each child feels that he cat's head was sent to Raleigh for an publishing business in New York was also with him during the last. praise be to Raft Swamp! a school examination, which proved that the with his father, and later returned Mr. Dean came over for the funeral. cat was suffering from rabies. Both to this city to re-establish the Fay- both returning Monday afternoon. To tributed largely toward making this Bell and the child are taking the etteville Observer, of which the elder the bereaved, we proffer our sympa- the rule. This school may be accredituntil the paper was burned by Gen-Local Contributions for Jewish Relief eral Sherman in 1865. During the first home on Friday, the 10th, having athletes made of blood, bone and Contributions totaling \$845 were as consul at Manchester, England, and friends in Savannah and Quit- difference between a plus and a made by Lumberton citizens to the where he became interested in the man, Ga., From Miss McGoogan's re- minus sign. Jewish relief fund. A check for that system of lock canals used in Europe. port, it seems she had a very nice amount was sent yesterday by Mr. On his return to this country he in- trip. J. P. Russell, treasurer of the local stituted the movement for the canalcommittee, to Mr. William Perlstine ization of the Cape Fear river and State treasurer. Local Jews wish to it was due to his indefatigable efexpress through the paper their forts that the project was finally Her many friends are glad to find thanks for the co-operation and con- adopted by Congress. In 1913 he was her very much improved since her reappointed minister to Costa Rica by turn. President Wilson and represented the Priest Charged With Murder by Jury United States in that country with been home on a 10 days' furlough, Rev. Adelard DeLorme, a Catholic signal ability until the overthrow of will soon be leaving us, we suppose. priest, was arrested at Montreal the existing government caused the Tuesday night on the charge of hav-recall of the American representa-

New Form of High School Instruc-A Good Man and Friend to Ortion Introduced at Philadelphus. phans-Some Going Into Poultry

**Business-Personal Mention.** Correspondence of The Robesonian. St. Pauls, Feb., 14 .- Once. more message, in its own sweet way.

#### Death of Mr. Archie Odum.

0 n ruary gentle voice whispered "come," Odom, was born, but whose life came athletic squads. At present, the prosto a close on April 22 1900, leaving pects for such are extremely bright, a widow and 3 little daughters to be for on seeing big "Bobbie" Garner shortly left under their grandfather's executing the command, care, their mother being taken away thrust!" the following year. As Mr. Odom was vinced always a friend to the orphans, he days are as premier puglist gladly welcomed them to his heart. are numbered, and that certain foot-

lives of those who knew him best. athletic field with their playmates Major Hale was Fayetteville's One good lady was once known to in good-hearted, friendly, yet animat-

The funeral services were held in afternoon at 3 o'clock, being conduct- the old Marsh church Saturday p. m. every side. Rabid Cat and Supposedly Rabid Dog ed from St. John's Episcopal church, at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. J. A dog which it is feared was rabid of which Major Hale was a life-long M. Page, assisted by Dr. E. C. Mur-apples of real sportsmanship to my ray. Interment was made in the knowledge, as is evidenced by the

around. We wonder how many have physical should be developed, there forgotten, 'tis St. Valentine's Day? has been introduced into the daily many little missives of love, no coubt course of study of the Philadelphus will go forth today each bearing their school a department of gymnastics. night after a preliminary hearing.

\$845.

tributions of local citizens.

ing murdered his half brother, Raoul tive. DeLorme, an Ottawa university student, whose body was found in a suburb of Montreal on January 6 with 6 bullet holes in his head. A coroner's jury composed of Catholics Collection for Armenian Relief-Perfound the priest criminally responsible. Dead man's will bequeathed to the priest a sum to yield income of \$10,000 a year.

## Tragedy.

Nine men were ordered held for the grand jury by the coroner's jury which brought in a verdict Tuesday night in connection with the collapse theatre in Washington January 28, resulting in the death of 98 persons. The jury declared that the "collapse of the roof was due to faulty designing and construction and inadequate supervision and inspection."

#### **Recorder's Court.**

Ben Blount, colored, plead guilty of being drunk before Recorder David H. Fuller Tuesday, judgment being continued upon payment of cost.

Harry Dillard, colored, was up on the charge of abandoning a crop after receiving advances on same with intent to defraud. Judgment was

ton Star.

## OUT SMYRNA WAY

sonal Mention.

Correspondence of The Robesonian. Lumberton, R. 4, Feb. 14.-Rev. R. L. Byrd filled his regular appoint-Nine Men Ordered Held for Theatre ment here Saturday and Sunday. He preached an excellent sermon each time. A collection was taken Sunday for the Armenian relief.

Mr. Wade H. Lamb attended the services here Saturday and made a of the Knickerbocker motion picture good talk about the Armenian relief. Miss Maris Lawson spent the week-end with Miss Nina Wilcox. Mr. Wade Oliver of Laurinburg spent a few days last week with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Stone.

Miss Nina Bebber was a visitor in this section Sunday.

Mr. R. L. Rowan spent Sunday with home folks.

Mr. D. S. Wilkins was a visitor in this community Sunday.

With best wishes to Robesonian. UNCLE REMUS.

Chicago-Re-establishment of a 10suspended upon payment of the cost. hour day at the usual hourly wage

M. P. Jenrette, former president of pay for regularly assigned work on was found dying, his body riddled the Bank of Tabor, N. C., who was Sundays and holidays, new rules gov- with bullets. Jones was suspected of on trial in superior court at White- erning railway signalmen, were an- having shot two white farmers Sun- was among the visitors in town Monville last week for "making false en- nounced Sunday night by the United day night. The negro was brought day afternoon. tries," was sentenced to five years States railroad labor board to replace here for treatment but died in the in the state penitentiary .- Wilming- on February 16 the national agree- county jail without making any Whaley are spending the day ment made under federal control.

family cemetery. The floral tributes fact that the eight aforesaid wrest-Carolina infantry and as adjutant on St. Pauls, R. F. D., and Miss Ruth dents. Why is this thus, and what is tentive to Mr. Odom, their reward is just as good as anybody else, but After the war he entered the book no doubt will be "great". Mrs. Dean no better. And in this connection, Hale had been editor and publisher thy. Surely his is a crown of glory. ed with having sent us a bright band

Cleveland administration he served spent several weeks with relatives fire; and students who well know the

Mrs. L. I. Grantham is home again, Lumber Bridge after an absence of some few weeks, a patient in a hospital in Richmond

Mr. Haywood Fisher, who has These little visits home are so nice, of course, but when they are limited.

my! how time seems to fly! Mr. and Mrs. Leon Johnson of Parkton came over a wee bit Sunday afternoon, to see Mrs. J. R. Dean, before her return.

Mrs. D. S. Currie also of Parkton was to address the Junior Christian Apex. Endeavor society here on last Sunlay p. m.

We notice some of our citizens, have purchased incubators and are going into the poultry business. hope their efforts will prove very successful.

We are having another rainy season, it seems. Nevertheless, by tomorrow we trust the sun will be send- Friday evening, the tenth, by Miss doing nicely. Mr. Bracey returned of engine trouble at Chadbourn. ing forth its golden rays once more Ollie Harrill to the class of 1922, of Wednesday. and "all will be well" again. Some sickness continues around.

colds and grippe will subside.

Texarkana, Texas-The body of N. ed at the door by little Miss Rebecca made. The member who secures the breast.

and elimination of time and one-half was lynched near here Monday. He Currie. statement.

consolidated with us, for having con-Miss Della McGoogan returned of sun-burnt faces among whom are

Fun" Friday-A Delightful Reception-Personal Mention.

orrespondence of The Robesonian. time to attend it.

Mrs. Martha Cobb is visiting in

Little Leonita Chason has been very ill for the last few days.

Mrs. Nettie Malloy and Mrs. Anweek, after an extended visit in We Georgia.

Mrs. James Johnson of St. Pauls was among the visitors last week. One of the most delightful recepon operated on Monday night and was tions of the season was given

which she is sponsor. The reception hall of the school building was artis-

Perhaps when spring arrives all these tically decorated in pines, potted of red hearts. The guests were greet-

three times in the head and once in Delicious refreshments in orange heretofore. It is especially advanta-the breast. Delicious refreshments by Elizabeth geous for any ex-service man to af-

Messrs. R. C. Lawrence and L. E. be in the hall. in Wilmington on business.

executors of the A. L. Jones estate him with the offense, Senator Wat-Jones in the Fairmont Supply com- the Senate late today. pany of this place.

this week in Baltimore, Md., where tary of the Treasury from engaging she will purchase her spring mil- in any kind of business or commerce. linery. It is understood that her popular trimmer, Miss Bertha Davis, will be with her again this season. Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Clements of

Fayetteville spent part of last week man and Evergreen last Monday. here visiting friends and relatives. week for an extended trip through fountain of Pittman Drug Co., which Florida and other Southern States, will be held here Saturday, February Mrs. M. A. Taylor also left last week 18th, at noon, according to announcefor Florida and Alabama, where she ment made by Mr. W. R. Taylor, rewill spend some time with friends ceiver for the company. and relatives.

and entertainment in the school It's gone! that old wooden building auditorium Tuesday night to a very which has been an eyesore for so small crowd. Very inclement weather many years. At one time it was a no doubt caused his audience to be fine building for Fairmont, but that small. Many reported his singing and News Letter was many years ago, when J. E. & piano playing very good.

G. W. Thompson ran a large mer- During the month of January there cantile business in it. It then faced were five births and six deaths in Boy Scouts Will Give "An Evening of Center street but a few years ago Fairmont township, according to reafter the Bank of Fairmont acquired ports of local registrar.

the property it was turned facing Mrs. Sallie Stubbs and family have Main street. The town fathers pass- moved from the H. G. Stubbs build-Lumber Bridge, Feb. 14 .- Your ed a law some time ago that all wood- ing on Floyd and Church streets to correspondent was misinformed con- en buildings on Main street should their new home on Walnut street. cerning the manner of entertainment be down by February 1st, and this It is understood that Mr. P. R. Floyd the Boy Scouts will give on Friday only leaves two, and it is understood will move this week to his new home evening. It is called "An Evening of that they will be off of Main street on Iona street, from the A. L. Jones Fun" and is well worth any one's within a very short time. The town building on Floyd street.

officials superintended the tearing. It was heard here this morning down. It is understood the bank will that if cotton was raised in large offer the lumber for sale soon. amounts in the West and wheat here, Mr. J. R. Bracey and mother, Mrs. the markets would reverse, taking Lalah Bracey, left last Monday for that boom off wheat and giving Rocky Mount in response to a mes- it to cotton. Just wait until Henry Mr. J. Browne Evans, for instance, nie Bell Smith will reach home this sage stating that Miss Ina Bracey Ford goes to making bodies out of was in a hospital there suffering cottonoid, and placing his factories with an attack of appendicitis. Miss in the cotton territories, as he stated Bracey is a student at Louisburg some few weeks ago.

college, Louisburg. According to a The north and southbound passenmessage received here today, she was ger trains ran two and a half hours late yesterday morning on account

The Sidney Lanier Book Club held its regular meeting yesterday after-At a meeting of the George Galnoon at the home of Mrs. C. A. loway post No. 112 of the American Floyd on Iona street, she assisting plants and cut flowers. From the Legion Thursday night, February Miss Lela Floyd in entertaining. The chandelier was suspended a shower 2nd, a contest was put on to secure living room was beautifully decorated members in the drive that is being with February cactus and hearts, carrying out the Valentine idea. Mrs. sandwiches were served, followed by ice cream, nabiscos and mints. There was a large number of members pre-American Legion now before the sent who acclaimed the meeting

> ed from the play given by the post The National Bank of Lumberton offers to lend liberally to its customers on Cotton Stored in Bonded Warehouses. It will pay you to Bank with

P. Norman, negro, who was taken Monroe, the mascot, and Master Billie the greatest numbers of members be- H. L. Blue, leader for the meeting, from the custody of Deputy Sheriff McGougan. Mesdames L. C. Hubbard fore next Thursday night will be discussed the "Short Story." inter-Will Jordan by a group of masked and W. E. McGougan presided at awarded a ten-dollar gold piece. It esting papers were also read by men near here Saturday night, was the punch bowl. Many delightful is understood that many members Mesdames E. J. Chambers and E. J. found Sunday a mile from where he games were played, of which the most have been secured and the activities Pittman. After all business was dewas seized. The negro had been shot enjoyable was progressive 'Up Jinks.' of the post will be much greater than clared finished, delicious coffee and

Ellaville, Ga .- Will Jones, negro, Hodges, Doris McGougan and Rebecca filiate himself with a post of the bonus measure is passed by Congress. decidely delightful and interesting. Miss Margaret Odum of Mt. Elim A good amount of money was realiz-

Drive for Legion Members.

and a lot of new equipment will soon

Messrs. Ernest Jones and F. C. Smith were business visitors in Board- This STRONG BANK.

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The law which Mr. Mellon is violating, Sena-Miss Annie McMillan is spending tor Watson said, prohibits the Secre-

Mr. H. E. Stacy spent Tuesday in Raleigh on legal business.

Much interest is evident over the Mrs. G. W. Thompson left this re-sale of the stock, fixtures and Edward Brigham, entertainer, gave

Eyesore Torn Down.