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# **Partial Program** For Big Celebration May Tenth

Principal Speaker—Schools of County Will Have Number of Contests—Ball Game Between U. N. C. and State College.

The university of North Carolina schools and the Lumberton post of the a large number of men who are not members of the association.

veterans' reunion.

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a 7th grade contest in charge of Mr. E. L. Veasy of the Rowland school, one sevent hgrade pupil to be entered from each school in this "general intelligence" contest.

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High school departments contests the past season. Its financial state- were elders in that church. McLean Howard, who is a patient in a sanaunder the supervision of Misses Net. ment at the close of business in De- was a prominent lawyer and was so- torium at Charlotte, reports her as Messrs. W. L. Haltiwanger and J. F. cember 1922 showed that it had on licitor for a time. Messrs. W. L. Haitiwanger and J. F. deposit subject to check \$47,407.94 McLean's death was caused, it just yet when she will come home. Sinclair, will be as follows: girls—and time certificates of deposit \$2,—might be said, by "gold on the chest". Ham-Ramsay services in Fayetteville ball throw, 50 yard dash and a 3- amounted to \$44.184.75 might be said, by "gold on the chest". ball throw, 50 yard dash and a samounted to \$44,184.75, with a capitas to settle an estate to which legged race; seniors over 14 years tal stock of \$20,000. of age, baseball throw, 100-yard tal stock of \$20,000. of age, baseball throw, 100-yard of age, baseball throw, 100-yard dash and a relay race; boys—juniors dash and a relay race; boys—juniors is vice-president of the bank and was collected the proceeds in gold. Travel-Mr. I 100-yd dash, relay race, running broad

Prizes offered for the winning school will be announced in a few days. Winners will be determined by STOOD NOT UPON THE the number of points made by each

Additions to the program will be made by a committee appointed by the American Legion within a few days, which will give the time of the parade, ball game, speaking and other contests which will be added.

Local merchants and business men will be asked to keep their places of business open throughout the day. They will be asked, however, to let

Wilmington will be here for the big day and furnish music. This band is a very large one and has won great

## ATTENTION: REGULAR MEET-

Correspondence of The Robesonian. All members of Lumberton post, By Martha Flax Andrews, Home De-American Legion, are especially re- monstration Agt. men of Robeson county. This is a house square cannot be used for any very important meeting and I shall public gatherings expect to see all of the officers and The hour will be changed to 9 o' a work for all to do and I shall expect you to be there and do your etables and cakes.

equal interest to all ex-service men of the county, whether you are a

# Meet In Lumberton Be Replaced By **Tuesday April 17**

State Commander Lockhart Will be Mrs Redfern of Anson Will Speak on Co-operative Marketing as Applied to Home and Garden-There Will be Other Speakers-Large Number of Ladies as Well as Men Expected.

The university of North Carolina and North Carolina State college and North Carolina State college baseballs teams will play a game of baseballs teams will play a game of ball in Lumberton May 10th as a ball in Lumberton May 10th as a ball in Lumberton May 10th as a ball in Lumberton which is part of the big program which is part of the Robeson county being planned by the Robeson county being planned by the Robeson county of ladies will be present as well as a large number of men who are not considered.

Mr. James A. Lockhart, State commander of the American Legion, county home demonstration agent of tradition has it that that nearly M. Davis. Her many friends in St. be the principal speaker of the day, having accepted the invitation a few having accepted the invitation a few having accepted the invitation as Applied to Home and days ago. General Julian S. Carr of days ago. General Julian S. Carr of Durham probably will be here also, a letter from him advising that he a letter from New Orleans, a prominent attorney of Fayetteville. would inform the local post definite and information and informati

girl for the reading contest. The design contest. The design contest. The design contest. The design contest invitation is issued to later was erected. The lottery was Miss Mag McArthur, and son, Dix- for some time, and is now night police——Mesdames John Knox, J. R. names of those who are to represent to Supt. J. this meeting and it is expected that Bridgers and Jacob Rhodes. Records a short while today, to the delight says that The Robesonian has been a the Bridgers and Jacob Rhodes. names of those who are to legislate the conducted by Elias Barnes, Samson on, from Greys Creek, were in town man for the town of Red Springs, this meeting and it is expected that Bridgers and Jacob Rhodes. Records a short while today, to the delight says that The Robesonian has been a the Presbyterial in Sanford Tuesday visitor in his home for the last 45 and vertex and v

The Farmers & Merchants Bank of Following this, contests by grades Fairmont was ordered closed this will be held as follows: Grade 1, where she will undergo treatment for a while.

Wessers. A. D. McLeod, George Hall, Mrs. Annie Durham, mother of his son-in-law and daughter, Mrs. O. L. Durham, a telegram this morning by State bank examiners after examination of the liabilities north by the Columbus road, on the

of Mr. H. W. Morton; grade d, and A lotte today, going over last evening day last week. No arrests have been

events. All of the contests will be and had been doing a fair business, the latter. McLean and Troy were home for the week-end returning Sunheld in the Lumberton school build-handling a good bit of the co-opera-among the founders of the Presby-day afternoon. High school departments contests tive cotton and tobacco money during terian church of Lumberton and both A card this a. m. from Miss Pearle

arrested Tuesday on a warrant issued ing by stage coach and horseback, Wendell with his father, Mr. Chas. 100-yd dash, relay race, running by a bank in Apex charging fraud, he concealed the gold by strapping it Terry returning Monday.

This had nothing to do with the closaround his chest. This metal on his Miss Blanche McCallum of Row-

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mand to Halt but Kept Going

Boahn of Red Springs was here Sat- and plastered on the inside and as Dr. Chas. Satchel Morris of Nor- years are Dr. B. F McMillan, J. W. Tree school will close Friday night, They will be asked, however, to let all ex-service men in their employ off all ex-service men in their employ off auty on that day for the parade and any other time they desire to help and transporting whiskey with an automobile and transporting white and transporting white and transporting white and transporting whith a transporting whit any other time they desire to help While making inquiry, not knowing frame addition was built on the side. will speak at the court house in personally the colored man, the one Mr. H. C. Freeman is under the im- Lumberton Thursday evening, April Music Recital at Orrum High School invited to come. The committee of the American Legion of Lumberton has just received where Mr. Boahn was, he was then was erected by the late G. P. Higley, to hear this able speaker. Special inpointed out to Mr. Boahn, but before but others are inclined to think that vitation extended to the white peohe could get very close to him it is he is mistaken about that. said the colored man took to his heels. He ordered him to halt, but instead of stopping he got faster. The officer school room by Mr. Troy's widow. sound reasoner and safe adviser. He favor throughout the eastern part stopping he got faster. The officer of the state, and will no doubt be shot towards him but no shot took of the state, and will no doubt be effect. The negro left his car at the

### ING AMERICAN LEGION CURB MARKET WILL REMAIN ON FIFTH STREET.

quested to be present at the regular In Monday's issue of The Robesonmeeting of the post Thursday ian I stated that the curb market night, April 12th, at 8 o'clock. We would move back on the Court house will take up the matter of appointing square. I wish to change that plan tocommittees and making plans for day and have the market remain in the big celebration to be held here the old church building on Fifth on May 10th in honor of the Con- street due to the fact that by order of federate veterans and the ex-service the county commissioners the Court

men of this post present. There is clock and we expect to have a special

### This celebration is going to be of Sa yThis Ain't Early for Cotton Blos-

Mr. Frank Wishart of Lumberton member of the American Legion or R. 3 was a Lumberton visitor this building with walls sufficient for ad- Mr. W. B. Bullock of Fairmont not, and we shall be glad to have any morning and was showing a 1923 cot- dition of a third story. It will cost was a Lumberton visitor yesterday ex-service man that can meet with us ton blossom. When asked just where to new offices on the site of what the found the blossom he explained Lawrence & Proctor will have their to new offices on the site of what the second oldest buildthat it had voluntarily come up under offices on the second floor, so they was formerly the second oldest build-Commander of Lumberton Post, the house in which he lives.

# County Co-ops Will Old Landmark Will Modern Building

Second Oldest Building in Lumberton Reduced to Rubbish Heap at Cor-ner of Chestnut and Fifth—Erected 80 or 90 Years Ago and First Used

### OLDEST BUILDING STANDS AT CORNER OF ELM AND SIXTH

A rubbish heap which is being cleared away to make room for a modern store and office building which
Mr. Stephen McIntyre will erect on
the corner of Chestnut and Fifth of Winston-Salem, arrived Friday the building was as old as some attending.

ing of the Fairmont institution, acchest is thought to have been the land was the guest of Miss Christine cording to Mr. Cuddington's state- cause of his contracting pneumonia, Guiton for the week-end. with which he was confined at Mobile, Ala.; for some time. He finally got Rose Hill last Wednesday for a visit well enough to come home, but he to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. never recovered from the effects and Jones. Negro Charged With Rum-Running died snortly thereafter, in 1805, His self" to a dandy new coupe. died shortly thereafter, in 1856, at Mr. W. F. Hester has helped "his-vertisement in the paper. known as Allendale, then in Robeson NOTED NEGRO ORATOR TO

By W. H. M. Brown

Buie, April 10.—Rural Policeman

But to return to the old brick landmark: This house was lathed landmark: Correspondence of The Robesonian.

Dr. Chas. Satchel Morris of No.

Some time after the death of Mr. An Article in Monday's Charlotte living in Lumberton, remember that as the first building in which they went to school. It was later used as a resilence and in recent years has

The near future to speak at a special meeting. Everybody should hear him. In Bella and Mc-later will be a special meeting. Everybody should hear him. In Bella and Mc-later will be a special meeting. Everybody should hear him. In Bella and Mc-later will be a special meeting. Everybody should hear him. In Bella and Mc-later will be a special meeting. Everybody should hear him. In Bella and Mc-later will be a special meeting. Everybody should hear him. In Bella and Mc-later will be a special meeting. Everybody should hear him. In Bella and Mc-later will be a special meeting. Everybody should hear him. In Bella and Mc-later will be a special meeting. Everybody should hear him. In Bella and Mc-later will be a special meeting. Everybody should hear him. In Bella and Mc-later will be a special meeting. Everybody should hear him. In Bella and Mc-later will be a special meeting. Everybody should hear him. In Bella and Mc-later will be a special meeting. Everybody should hear him. In Bella and Mc-later will be a special meeting. Everybody should hear him. In Bella and Mc-later will be a special meeting. Everybody should hear him. In Bella and Mc-later will be a special meeting. Everybody should hear him. In Bella and Mc-later will be a special meeting. Everybody should hear him. In Bella and Mc-later will be a special meeting will be a special er into the ancient history of Lum- years. A good game is expected berton than anybody else, says that mentioned above as one of the men a Lumberton visitor yesterday. who conducted the lottery of town Mr. Wm. H. Barnes of Lumberton

state of preservation. Mr. McIntyre will erect on the site Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brake of Rowof the building that has just been land were Lumberton visitors Tuestorn down a 2-story store and office day. will move out of the oldest building ing.

# St. Paul News

Mrs. S. M. Davis Hostess to U. D. C. Want to Extend Hard-Surface Road —Delegates Off to Presbyterial— Movements of the People.

By Bessie G. Johnson
St. P aul, April 10.—Mesdames E.
C. Murray, W. D. Johnson and Neill
A. McEachern and Miss Della P. McGoogan left this morning for San-ford, where they go as delegates to the Presbyterial which is in session there this week. This being Mrs Mc-Eachern's home town, she will visit her mother, Mrs. J. M. Wicker and other relatives 'ere her return to St.

streets is all that remains now of night, Mr. Montague returning Sunwhat a few days ago was the second- day afternoon, while Mrs. Montague federate and world federate and

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of the state, and will no doubt be among the leading features of the garage, where he had just jacked it liming in Lumberton now Commerce to return to Charlotte in gram will be rendered: garage, where he had just jacked it living in Lumberton, remember that the near future to speak at a special

It is interesting to note in this con- Play on Latter's Grounds Saturday. nection that the oldest building in Fort Bragg 5th artillery baseball nection that the oldest building in Learn will play the East Lumberotn the corner of Elm and Sixth streets team on the latter's grounds Saturmiri Song and Till I Wake (Hope)— ham was a Lumberton visitor yes occupied by the law offices of Messrs. day of this week at 3:15 p. m. The Miss Daniels; piano, Concert Waltz terday.

McIntyre, Lawrence & Proctor. Mr. Fort Bragg team has played Lumber- Miss Shepherd; reading, The Morn- Mr.

lots. The building is still in a good R. 5 was a Lumberton visitor yesterday.

# **Red Springs News**

Re-planting Cotton in Shannon Middling cotton is quoted on the Community—700 Gallons Beer Captured in Raft Swamp—Personal Mantion.

Middling cotton is quoted on the local market today at 27 1-2 cents per pound. sonal Mention.

By W. H. M. Brown Red Springs, April 10.—Mr. Fulton By W. H. M. Brown

Red Springs, April 10.—Mr. Fulton
Watson's mother died here Saturday.

Measles has been reported in the Shannon community. Mr. Dan Klarp is one of the victims of the disease.

A petition was being signed by a good many citizens of the town of Red Springs Friday, asking Road Commissioner McGirt to extend hard surfaceing of the road leading ed his appointment several weeks. hard surfaceing of the road leading ed his appointment several weeks out from town from the paving the ago as justice of the peace of Robeson miles, to where the Maxton, Pembroke Skipper.

Motor & Machine Co. here, is having

day between Rowland and Red Friends, an organization of colored

visitor in his home for the last 45 and yesterday, returning home last

Wilmington—In Business Since Last

July.

The Farmers & Merchants Bank of

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in Raft Swamp not far from Mt. Ta-Mr. A. R. McEachern is in Char-bor church 700 gallons of beer one MRS. ALF H. McLEOD AGAIN

> made so far. were Miss Elizabeth Frye, county welfare officer, of Lumberton, Messrs, Marvin and Luther McNeill of Philadelphus, Mr. Russell Prevatte of Miss Iola Britt of Buie and Mr. Robt. A. Monroe of Laurinburg.

Messrs. D. A. McGoogan of Mctors Saturday.

work, employed by Phenix Utlity Co. They are from Chester, S. C.

practicing physician in town, says he remembers seeing the first issue of rence, associated charities. The Robesonian, especially he all the departments. The club has

Among the pleasant experiences in the attractive little town of Red SADDLE TREE SCHOOL FINALS Springs is contact with its many old SPEAK AT COURT H. TONIGHT inhabitants who are now drawing near to the close of life's little scene. Correspondence of The Robesonian.

This Evening.
Miss Ellen McQueen, musical director of the Orrum high school, will former president and cashier, represent Miss English Wade in recital, spectively, of the defunct Liberty assisted by Miss Daniels, soprano, and Miss Louise Shepherd, reader, arrested Tuesday and held in \$5,000 this evening at 8:30 in the Orrum bond each for their appearance in

extette, Barcarolle (Offenbach)--Miss Shepherd; reading, The Morn-Jas. D. Proctor, who has delved deep- ton several times during the past few ing Call (Jones)—Mac Reaves; trio, Lumberton visitor Tuesday. Schubert's Serenade-voice, Miss according to the best information he has been able to get this building of Red Springs, were Lumberton was erected in 1820 or 1824 by Dr. wisitors yesterday.

Brown and son, A. D., Miss McQueen; piano, Cavelleria Rusticana (Mascogni)—Miss Wade; Mr. W. M. Oliver and daughter, duo, Galop Marziale (Marzo)—Misses little Miss Dorothy, and Mr. Daniel Daniels, piano, Miss Wade, violin, nesville were Lumberton visitors Wade and Shepherd; voice, Sweet Miss Page, of Marietta, were Lumberton Mary (Neidlinger) and Daddy's visitors Tuesday. Sweetheart.. (Liza. Lehman)-Miss Daniels; quartette, Bohemia-Misses daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wade, Shepherd, McQueen, Daniels.

BIRD SEED FOR YOUR CANARY, BIRD DAINTY TO KEEP HIM IN SONG, "PEP" TO KEEP HIM HEALTHY, BIRD MEDICINE IF HE IS SICK.

FREEMAN PRINTING COMPANY

# Cotton Market

Reported by J. H. Barrington

# Items of Local News

-An important item relative to the teachers meeting held here Saturday was omitted in the report of the meeting, this being the talk made by Prof. H. W. Morton of Barnesville school on the "Value of the Intelligence Test."

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-Rev. Dr. R. C. Beaman, pastor of Chestnut Street Methodist church, pages at his noon hour when resting will leave tonight for Durham to attend there tomorrow the funeral of morning advising him of her death. Deceased was one of the oldest women of Durham and the town was named for her father or her grand-

HEADS WOMAN'S CLUB

Among the visitors in town Friday Officers Elected at Meeting Yesterday-Club Has Taken in and Disbursed \$1,100 During Past Year.

At the annual business meeting of Buie, Mr. D. P. Buie of Philadelphus, the Woman's club at the club room Miss Fodie Buie of Philadelphus, on Fifth street yesterday afternoon the following officers were elected: Mrs. Alf. H. McLeod, president; Mrs. E. K. Proctor, 1st-vice-president; Miss Duffie's station, John Adkinson of Mary G. McNeill, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. W. W. Parker, recording secre-Wakulla, James Ray of Lumber Bridge, W. R. McNeill and Paul Mc-tary; Mrs. A. V. G. Wishart, cor-Neill of Buie were Red Springs visi- responding secretary; Mrs. John S. McNeill, treasurer; chairmen of com-Messrs. I H .McDill and M. Mc- mittees: Mrs. T. L. Johnson, ways Queen are here engaged in street and means; Mrs. A. T. Parmele, civics; Mrs. L. T. Townsend, social service; Mrs. E. R. Hardin, social; Mrs. hey are from Chester, S. C.
Dr. B. F. McMillan, now the oldest R. Poole, education; Mrs. R. C. Law-

Splendid reports were made from recalls taking notice of the first ad- taken in and disbursed around \$1,100 during the last year.

## FRIDAY NIGHT APRIL 13

urday and was making injuiry con- at first constructed the roof was of folk, Va., possibly the most noted Hodgin, A. D. McLeod, Daniel Mc- April 13th, with a concert. Everybody cerning a certain colored man wanted tin and nearly flat. Several additions negro orator in the United Stats, who Leod, J. D. McCormac, B. McNeill and is invited to come, Mr. Rowland Sealy

There will be preaching at Saddle Tree Sunday at 3 p. m. by Rev. Mr. Pridgen of Bladenboro. Everybody is

Thos. E. Cooper and J. C. Rouark, school auditorium. The following pro- Raleigh Saturday to answer the

> Messrs J. B. McNeill and W. C. Watts of St. Paul, R. 2, were Lum-

Mr. Carl P. Nye of Orrum was a Mr. and Mrs. Dan Prevatte of Bar-

Mr. Troy Grantham and son and Grantham, and their children, Misses Pearl and Beatrice and baby J. M. Jr., of the Marietta section, are Lumberton visitors today. They will be accompanied home by Mrs. Troy Grantham, who has been a guest since Sunday at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ma---