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#### **Negro Dies From Court Closes With** Severe Beating **Docket Cleared**

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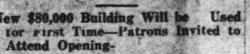
Barnes. Walter Davis vs. Leola not yet been arrested. Forrest Braswell.

practically demolishing the car and was in evidence that the negro was Rose Jones, 5th, Fairmont;

going via. Rowland.

Co-op Case Continued—E. B. Floyd Recovers Damages from Coast Line for Injuries—9 Divorces Granted. Cliff Hamilton Died Yesterday as Re-sult of Beating Given Him Night of August 25—Seven Companions in Gambling Game Beat Him and Took His Winnings—Three of the By Mrs. H. G. Inman.

sibly both.



Will Open Sept. 10

**Fairmont School** 

home of his brother, across the river ing adjourned yesterday afternoon, the docket having been completed. The most important case, that of the N. C. Tobacco Growers Co-op-erative Association vs. W. G. Watts was continued after the defendant's wife was made a co-defendant in the action. The association brought to keep Mr. Watts from selling to bacco on the open market. dict rendered by the coroner's jury being on time the very first morning the faculty. Divorces were granted as follows: D. A. Strickland vs. Ada Strick-ed that the men be held for higher after until school closes. We have a brought to the local market Friday.

Lorey Davis, Andrew White vs. Bes-sie White, W. E. Burns vs. Ila May Burns, B. J. Johnson vs. Sallie Johnson, Edith Jackson Braswell vs. Burns B. J. Johnson vs. Sallie Johnson, Edith Jackson Braswell vs. bers of the gambling game proceed- taken post-graduate courses at Vir-ed to beat him up and take his money ginia State Normal institute, univer-ich the best cotion market in the county tant from Munden and Norfolk, Va. The other three ladies who are to The suits brought by E. B. Floyd, away from him. For several days he sity of Georgia and Chapel Hill. Dur. job. The suits brought by L. D. Floyd, away from him. For several days he sity of Georgia and Chapel Hill. Dur-lia Edwards et al. against the At-lantic Coast Line R. R. company were compromised, Mr. Floyd re-ceiving \$700 for personal injury and be had been hurt at one of the tobacco ceiving \$700 for personal injury and be had been hurt at one of the tobacco state of the balance of the tobacco and principal of Central high school \$200 for damage to car. Ila Edwards warehouses when a basket of tobacco at Newland. Mrs. Linney will have and it looks now that half crop is as and Raymond Edwards received \$75 fell on him. As soon as his condition charge of the second grade. The fol- near as could estimate. and \$25 respectively for personal in-juries. The case grew out of an ac-D. M. Barker the names mentioned the different grades: Miss Rachael along, and it now looks like fall of school beginning this week. , cident which occured at Orrum near- above, as the men who beat him up. McNamara. 1st grade, Lumberton; the year, the streets are crowded with ly a year ago, when the Coast Line When the officer started to book for Mrs. J. C. Linney, 2nd, Newland; Miss passenger train struck a car in the men he could not find and has not Agnes Ashley, 3rd, Fairmont; Mrs. which the plaintiffs were riding, yet found the McKinnon negroes. It L. D. Pittman, 4th, Fairmont; Miss practically demolishing the car and severely injurying the occupants. A number of other cases was con-tinued and a large number was com-promised, only a few cases being tried by jury. Judge Sinclair left yesterday af-ternoon for his home in Fayetteville, or his bladder was ruptured, or pos-tibly beth

Sr., whose death at 12:10 p. m. Mon- Time one .. ur and 10 minutes. day was mentioned in Monday's Rob-

Begins to Come In-Fast Ball Game-Revival at Rex.

**Parkton Letter** 

By C. D. Williamson.

The civil term of Superior court which convened Monday with Judge N. A. Sinelair of Fayetteville presid-ing adjourned yesterday afternoon, the docket having been completed.

Superintendent and Mrs. J. C. Lin- We were advised that twenty bales wishes of their many friends.

people, and the stores all on a rush; and this seems good.

We observe Mr. T. W. Thompson, sixth one of the local cotton buyers, now

Mr. A. B. Williamson and wife and daughter, Josie, and son, Lewis, left Saturday afternoon for Greensboro, making the trip by Ford, will visit near relatives briefly. The writer had the pleasure of wit-uessing a fast and snappy grame of wit-

SR. ATTENDED BY BIG CROWD nessing a fast and snappy game of ty last session altho' in a different baseball on the East Lumberton War Melloric Season. Beautiful Tribute Paid to Integrity and Blameless Life of Deceased Many Beautiful Floral Offerings -Many Out- of-Town People At-tended Funeral. Many Beautiful Floral Offerings tended Funeral. The funeral of Mr. G. E. Rancke We ne. " witnessed a closer game; Week after an absence of a number

We report a fine game at Parkton of weeks.

School Opens About the 15th-Cotton Schools Will Open Next Week-Show er Will be Given for Bride-Elect-Personal Mention.

By Bessie G. Johnson, St. Paul, Sept. 4-Mr. and Mrs. D. Parkton, Sept. 3-Members of the chool faculty for the fall term: Prof. B. Lancaster and son, Arthur, return-

frierds and acquaintances, returning Monday to their home, Nichols, S. C. The Misses Ayers were members of

the graduating class last spring and

mer Greenville students. Miss Murphy Hall has gone 'o Philadelphus, where she will teach piano,

The schools will open here week, a number of the old faculty members returning.

Mrs. McInnis from Rock Fish has

Miss Lessie Martin, who went

## **Cotton Market**

Reported by J. H. Barrington

Middling cotton is quoted on the local market today at 24 cents the pound.

## Items of Local News

-Mrs. Luther Prevatt underwent an operation at the Baker sanatorium this morning. Her condition is favorable.

-Miss Eva Parnell of R. 1 from St. Paul entered the Baker sanatorium for treatment yesterday. She was brought to town by her father. Mr. D. W. Parnell.

-Dr. W. O. Edmund, who lives on R. 5 in Lumberton's classy suburb East Park, says that the Edmund Chemical Co. will resume operations in a few weeks. This company manufactures various horse remedies. --Mr. O. L. Clark of Clarkton was a

Lumberton visitor Tuesday. He came to attend a meeting of the executive committee of the LaFayette Life Insurance Co., of which he and Messrs. R. E. Lee and K. M. Barnes are members.

-Mr. L. P. Fisher returned yesterday morning from Charlotte, where he spent Tuesday with his mother, Mrs. A. B. Fisher, who is

for Clarkton, where she will attend today the double wedding of Miss Cora Clark to Mr. Thomas Woods and Miss Margaret Elizabeth Clark next to Dr. Sanford Webb Thompson, which takes place at the Presbyter-ian church at 3 o'clock p. m.

Mrs. W. D. Johnson and 2 little -- Only 5 marriage licenses were is-sons, James and Duncan, returned sued by Register of Deeds M. W. sixth one of the local cotton buyers, now yesterday morning from a pleasant Floyd during the month of August-Miss save he now walks. Mr. Spell visit of a week's duration among rel- 3 for white, 1 colored and 1 Indian. Mr. Floyd says that this is the smallest number of licenses issued in one month that he can remember since have he has been Register of Deeds.

-Miss Sarah Carlyle has returned from Porto Rico, where she spent two months with a party of school-mates who were students at the university of Porto Rico. Miss Carlyle landed in New York August 28th and on her way home visited her father, Mr. W. W. Carlyle, in Richmond, Va.

-Miss Christabell Moorehouse, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Moorehouse, left today for Winthrop At the meeting of the county com-missioners Monday applications for aid through the State mothers' aid fund, recommended by Miss Elizabeth fund, recommended by Miss Elizabeth Frve, county welfare officer, were Frve, county welfare officer, were a member of Winthrop college fa-Smith advises the writer that Rev. Wm. Black, noted Presby erian evan-gelist, will assist him in a ten-days' campaign at Rex this week and a great feast is expected. The public is invited. --Miss Martha Flax Andrews, county home themonstration agent, where he was a member of an orches-tra, arrived home last Wednesday, leaving on the following afternoon for Anderson, S. C., where he is a faculty member in a boys high school days early on account of a faculty tion of their father's 75th birthday. Miss Andrews expects to return -A hole in Fourth street in front returned home Wednesday morning of the Western Union office needs something over it or needs to be filled up before somebody's horse or mule steps in it and breaks a leg. It Miss Nell Rice leaves Friday for three or four weeks, and now when has been growing in size for the past Tarboro, where she will teach this an automobile wheel runs into it there is sufficient noise made to Mrs. Joe Butler left Sunday for cause people standing or walking Lewis, Messrs. K. M. Barnes, W. O. at the home of Kate Jacobs, Indian, McCall, S. C., having been advised of near-by to look and see who had a Lewis, Messrs. K. M. Barnes, W. O. Thompson, L. W. Wicker, R. M. Jordan, G. L. Thompson and H. E. Stacy, and Dr. R. T. Allen. A large crowd, including many A large crowd, including many during the 8 years he held that office, Mr. McLean lived in Maxton, but he quit the law for farming and lives on a farm he purchased some time ago in Mecklenburg county, 8 miles from Charlotte. Doing pretty well farming, too, Mr. McLean says expressing himself conservatively like President Coolidge's pa expressed himself about Calvin. -Mr. A. J. Holmes, local jeweler, who returned the other day from Providence, R. I., where he attended a jewelers' convention, learned on that trip that three-fourths of all the jewelry made in the United States is manufactured within a radius of 50 miles of Providence. He found Providence a rather quaint and old-fashioned city with narrow streets and tall buildings. They apparently never heard of a "cafe" or a "cafeteria" there, but they know how to prepare and serve good things in their "restaurants." -Mr. John Kinlaw and son, Mr. Jimmie Kinlaw, of Howellsville township, were Lumberton visitors yesterday. They brought tobacco to town for the Co-ops and were well pleasd with the advance received. Mr. John Kinlaw is a co-op through and through. He says that last year he Co-ops are responsible for the good prices those on the outside are getting, and he finds some on the outside who freely admit that same.

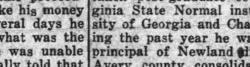
Turn-Mr. Weinstein's Left Hand Weighers-Was Badly Cut and Car Was Damaged Considerably.

5 Widows Helped by MR. ROBT. WEINSTEIN

plications - Cotton Graders Appointed.

AND GUESTS IN AUTO WRECK AT DUNN. Mother's Aid Fund Car Turned Over in Making Sharp County Commissioners Approve Ap-





to an orphanage.

the towns of Red Springs and Max- go to Lumberton today, while Miss ton, respectively. Each was required Feldman will remain here. to furnish bond in the sum of \$500.

the county home. The following were noon with his guests Messrs. Sacks, placed on the pauper list: Julia Dean, Bear and Britton of Birmingham, who \$10 per month; Daisy Cox, Susi Hunt, went with him to Dunn a few days Rogers, \$4. -

be published in the next issue of The above indicates. Mr. Britton was not Robesonian.

#### J. Guy Grantham Released Under \$10,000 Bond.

J. Guy Grantham, white, one of the three men charged with killing Successful Reunion at Winston-Salem Barney Hunt, Indian, at Rose Hill negro church, early Saturday morn-ing, was released from jail this morning under a \$10,000 bond, Grantham, father of the accused erans closed their final business seswere riding. The coroner's jury or- teresting conventions yet held. dered the three men held for higher court.

### tion Friday at Fairmont.

dence lots, property of Mr. H. G. fourth, James W. Goodwin, Asheville. p. m. This is said to be some of the Major Giles Buckner Cooke, the last

-Mr. A. W. McLean says that the place in Wisconsin where he spent his vacation and from which he re- bile nodded near Harpers ferry Satturned a few days ago, as mention-ed in Monday's Robesonian, has the in a ditch. Fortunately none of the most delightful climate he has ever four occupants-Mr. and Mrs. R. D. experienced. Frost was not unusual Meier Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. when he was there with a party of Meier Jr., all of Wilmington-was friends last month. It is in vast hurt badly, though as soon as the woods, in a region where lakes car could be righted the party came abound, and he has never seen such back to Lumberton to the Baker abundance of fish in his life. He did sanatorium to have sundry scratches not say so exactly, but one gathers and bruises dressed. The auto did from his remarks that the only way not sustain much damage beyond a to keep fish from biting was to get broken windshield. The Wilmington behind a tree. Mr. McLean was party were on their way to Hender-greatly benefitted by his outing and sonville, and they resumed the jourreturned in vigorous health.

approved for the following: Mrs. Lou Ann Belch, St. Paul, \$15 per month; Mrs. Lily S. Williford and Mrs. Mag-cut, requiring 9 stitches, when the gie McD. Gilmore of St. Paul, Mrs. car refused to take a sharp turn, left Jessie B. McDonald of East Lumber- the road, ploughed through a barbedton and Mrs. Ola May Talbot of wire fence and went down a slight in-Fairmont R. 3, \$10 each. The mothers' cline. Other occupants of the car aid fund was provided by the last were a cousin of Mr. Weinstein, Miss Legislature to enable deserving Ports First and Mr. Weinstein, Miss Legislature to enable deserving Bessie Feldman of Ahoskie. and widows to keep at home children that Messrs. Sacks, and Bear of Birming-they otherwise might have to consign ham, Ala. The car top was torn off, the steering-wheel broken, the hood A. F. Jones and J. B. Peacock were crushed and one of the fenders mashappointed cotton weigher-grader for ed. The men in the party expect to

Caroline Locklear and Lucy Hall Mr. Robert Weinstein, son of Mr. McDonald were ordered admitted to A. Weinstein, arrived hort about Millie Dean, Joe Deal, \$5 each; Mary ago to visit relatives. They made the trip in the wrecked car, which was Bills were ordered paid. They will not so badly damaged as the report in the car at the time.

#### CONFEDERATE VĚTERANS WILL MEET NEXT IN CHARLOTTE.

Closes-Red Springs Man Brigade Commander.

Winston-Salem, Sept. 5 After deciding to hold the 17th annual reunwhich was made by Mr. Stephen the North Carolina Confederate vetion in Charlotte andelecting officers, Hunt was killed by shots fired visitors from Virginia. It was gen-from a passing automobile in which erally conceded to have been the Amon Grantham and the two colored men very best and one of the most in-

General William A. Smith, of Ansonville, was re-elected commanderin-chief by unanimous vote. Brigade Stubbs Property to be Sold at Auc- commanders chosen include: first brigade, A. H. Boyden, Salisbury; Mr. Rancke was a man of blame- GROUND CHARGED WITH A 2-story brick building, an 8-room dwelling house and 25 resi-third, George H. Hall, Red Springs; Louisburg; Stubbs, will be sold at auction at Fairmont tomorrow, Friday, at 2:30 a beautiful invocation, was offered by most valuable property in Fairmont. survivor of Gen. Robert E. Lee's staff who is also an Episcopal minister.

> -When the driver of an automo ney Sunday.

deceased, with whom he lived. Services were conducted by Dr. R. C. Beaman, pastor of Chestnut Street Methodist church, of which Mr. Rancke was for many years a devoted member. In a tender and beautiful prayer Dr. Beaman spoke of the simple faith, the sterling integrity and blameless life of the deceased. A choir composed of Mesdames R. E. Lewis, J. H. Felts, L. T. Townsend and J. J. Goodwin, Misses Elizabeth Whitfield and Vivian Townsend, Messrs. W. W. Davis and E. W. Dunham sang at the home "Rock of Ages" and "Linger With Me Blessed Saviour", and Mrs. Lewis sang "When Our Ships Have Crossed the Ocean". At the grave the choir sang "Abide With Me" and "Nearer, My

God, to Thee."

from out of town, attended the ser- several days ago on a \$5,000 bond, came over to accompany her to Mcvices at the home and followed the for his appearance at the November Call. from the local Masonic lodge, in the leased on \$3,000 bond. form of the Masonic emblem, from a big ice cream supper was in pro- bride-to-be, who is to be wedded next the Baraca class of Chestnut Street gress at the home of Kate Jacobs, Wednesday to Mr. Angus McCormic, church, of which deceased was a in Burnt Swamp township, when the as was announced last week. member, from the Sunday school shooting occurred. Wise Locklear, who man. Pompey Bartley and Erastus McQueen, colored, are still in jail showed over 1,000 Tar Heel soldiers is teacher, and from the church armed, and was shot after he had For Relief of in default of bonds of \$10,000 each. in attendance, besides a number of choir, of which Mr. Rancke Jr. is di- grabbed Ina Woods, an Indian girl,

Among the out-of-town people then cursed her. here for the funeral were Mrs. F. M. Lane, daughter of deceased, and from the time he entered the hos-Mr. Lane, from Dillon, S. C., Mr. pital. A 32-calibre bullet had severed Henry Rancke, a son, Mrs. Rancke his spinal cord and the entire lower and children and Messrs. W. B. and part of his body was paralyzed. R. L. Cole, of Rockingham.

less life and was loved by a large circle of friends. He was a man of remarkable vitality. Althought he passed his 87th birthday last April,

Monday.

FIVE STAR TOURING CARS UNEOADED TODAY. DELIVERED PRICE \$519.75. C. M. FULLER & SON.

mostly, arrived home Saturday. Dr. gladly note. Smith advises the writer that Rev. Lake Waccamaw for several weeks,

Anderson Maynor Died at Hospital Tuesday Night-Shot Night of Aug. 11 by Haywood Locklear After Maynor Had Killed Wise Lock-

Anderson Maynor, Indian, died Tuesday at the Thompson hospital as the result of a pistol shot wound The pallbearers were Sheriff R. E. he received on the night of Aug. 11,

and asked her if she loved him, and

**ELECTRICITY**; 4 ANIMALS

Laurinhurg Sept. 4-At Stewart- on account of earthquake and pestihe remained active and vigorous up ville gin here, which is run by electri- lence. The State's quota is \$25,000, to within two hours of his death. city, this afternoon two Percheron and Lumberton chapter is expected to He was a familiar figure daily walk- horses and two nules were electrocu- send in \$150 at once and as much ing or riding on his bicycle on the ted near the cotton stalls. The ground more as possible within the next streets and at Jennings' beach, of in an area was charged. Will Armer week. Lumberton is unusually res-which he was proprietor, and it was was owner of the horses. When he ponsive to the calls of assistance in at the beach that the fatal heart drove on the charged zone they began worthy matters of this kind, and a attack was suffered Monday morn-ing about 10:30, death coming less than two hours later at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Norment. Interest of the the team and could not get off the tongue. He was shoved off with a shovel and dragged to sefere . The the home of Dr. and Mrs. Norment. shovel and dragged to safety. The the local chapter, who will wire will get this year. He thinks the Fairmont was a Lumberton visitor current hit them they ran around, received. coming back to a charged place, and Lumberton Chapter, American Red

were killed. There was another team at the time which ran off to safety.

-Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. 'Van Glaughn.

who spent their time in Virginia much improved, his many friends will is Miss Moorehouse's third year as

Mr. Francis Northrop, who was at culty. INDIAN SUCCUMBS TO WOUND this season, he having to go a few where they will attend the celebra-

meeting. Miss Rosa L. Johnson, who spent Tuesday. a few days in our midst last week, lear at Ice Cream Supper in Johnson, who spent the remainder of accompanied by Mise Mary Lavinia the week with her in Fayeteville, re-

turning Saturday afternoon.

season.

remains to Meadowbrook cemetery, term of criminal court. Ed. Cum- A shower is to be given by the where interment was made. Among mings, Indian, who was arrested at Woman's auxiliary of the Presbythe large number of floral offerings the same time, charged with having terian church this afternoon at 4:30 that covered the grave were designs a part in the shooting affair, was re- at the home of Mrs. Jas. A. Johnson, complimentary to Miss Mary McLean,

# Earthquake Victims

Maynor had been expected to die Lumberton Chapter of Red Cross is Asked to Contribute \$150 at Once and as Much More as Possible Within Next Few Weeks.

To the Editor of The Robesonian. The local Red Cross chapter has received from the Southern headquarters at Atlanta, Ga., urgent tele-

ELECTROCUTED grams for assistance in the campaign for relief of the Japanese sufferers

Cross. L. R. Stephens, Chairman

-The condition of Mrs. W. W. Campbell, this morning at the Carlyle, who has been confined to

reported as somewhat improved.

Let Me Make Your Fall Suit-A Fi Guaranteed-Prices Reasonable. JOHN D. PURVIS Thompson hospital, a boy, William her- roo mfor the past few days, is National Bank Building. 3rd Stree Tailor

Mr. E. H. Willoughby of R. 1 from mule team had no driver. When the same in to headquarters same date

