

Among County Officers
Elected Are Some New Ones

County and Road Boards Each Has Two New Members—B. Frank McMillan Will Succeed R. E. Lewis as Sheriff.

FOUR NEW RECORDERS.

As a result of the election Tuesday the following new members of the board of county commissioners will be inducted into office the first Monday in December:

County Commissioners. W. Gerald Pittman of Lumberton, commissioner from district No. 1, succeeding Mr. C. B. Townsend, of Lumberton, who has served faithfully on the board for a number of years but was defeated by Mr. Pittman in the primary; and R. F. Stewart, district No. 2, succeeding Mr. John W. Ward of Rowland, chairman of the board for a number of years and who did not offer for the nomination. Mr. W. J. Council, district No. 4, was elected to succeed himself. Messrs. Rory McNair of Maxton and John G. Hughes of Parkton are members of the board holding over, not up for election at this time.

Board of Education. No change was made in the board of education, Mrs. W. M. Oliver of Marietta, Miss Katie McI. Bule of Philadelphus, Messrs. C. T. Pate and W. D. Johnson being elected to succeed themselves. The present chairman, T. L. Johnson, who is Senator-elect, will retire at the first of the year and his successor will be appointed by the Legislature.

Road Commissioners. The board of road commissioners will have two new members—Eli Britt in district No. 1, succeeding W. L. Thompson, and D. B. Lancaster in district 5, succeeding G. T. Fisher. Other members of the board were re-elected—D. J. Oliver, district No. 2, T. O. Evans, district No. 3, and G. A. McKay, district No. 4.

T. L. Johnson of Lumberton, for State Senate, and Collier Cobb of Parkton and D. P. McKinnon of Lumberton, for House of Representatives, of course were elected by large majorities.

B. Frank McMillan will succeed R. E. Lewis as sheriff.

M. W. Floyd was elected to succeed himself as register of deeds.

D. W. Biggs succeeds himself as coroner and J. Ed Tyson succeeds himself as county surveyor.

Judges and solicitors of recorders' courts were elected as follows: Lumberton district—P. S. Korve, recorder, to succeed W. B. Ivey; F. Ertel Carlyle, solicitor, succeeding himself.

Fairmont district—A. S. Thompson, recorder, succeeding A. E. Floyd. Rowland district—D. D. McLaurin, recorder succeeding D. W. Bullock. Maxton district—R. M. Williams, recorder, succeeding himself.

Red Springs district—J. N. Bwie, recorder, succeeding himself. St. Paul district—John D. Canady, recorder, succeeding Marcus Smith; J. Thomas Page, solicitor.

Road Supervisors. Road supervisors were elected as follows: Alfordville—W. Clinton Bracy; Gaddy—John E. Rowland; Fairmont—C. B. Johnson; Howellsville—J. Spurgeon Powers; Lumberton—Olyver F. Nance; Philadelphus—H. B. Ashley Jr.; Pembroke—Oakley McMillan; Red Springs—J. G. McKay; Rennett—S. Fred Tolar; Raft Swamp—Joseph Townsend; Orrum—R. W. Nye; Rowland—R. P. Dove; St. Paul—E. J. Dean; Shannon—F. W. Lindsay; Fowlings—J. W. Barnes; Thompson—J. V. Faulk; Wisharts—T. P. Monroe.

Superior Court

Regular Work Starts After Missing 2 Days—V. C. Wilkie Found Guilty of Operating Car While Drunk—Other Cases.

The term of Robeson Superior court for the trial of criminal cases, which opened Monday morning, started on regular work yesterday morning with Judge Thomas H. Calvert of Raleigh, presiding.

Court was adjourned Monday morning after opening until Tuesday morning. The same procedure took place Tuesday morning. Only a few cases have been tried. The following cases have been disposed of: Chauncey Chavis plead guilty to charges of nuisance and assault and was given 30 days in each case. Harrison Seals plead guilty to carrying a concealed weapon and was fined \$50 and costs.

Seoffield McNair was found guilty of possessing whiskey and was fined \$25 and costs. V. C. Wilkie was found guilty of driving a car while under the influence of whiskey, but judgment was withheld.

Mr. Kelly Bass of R. 3, Fairmont, was among the visitors in town yesterday.

Liquor Cause Of Theft
Man Says When Caught

Buck Dillard Admits Stealing Car While Half Drunk—Had to Abandon Car When Wreck Occurred on Wildcat Highway—Escaped From Convict Guard.

MAY TRY CASE THIS WEEK

Buck Dillard, of Boardman, is in jail here awaiting trial on charges of theft preferred against him for stealing a Ford touring car belonging to Mr. H. M. Beasley of Lumberton.

It is alleged by the officers, and according to them Dillard has admitted it, that he took Mr. Beasley's car while it was standing in front of the Lumberton barber shop, where Mr. Beasley was having some work done. Dillard drove the car down the Wildcat highway toward Orrum, and while turning the curve near Edmund mill pond ran the car into a big ditch, badly damaging the car, but escaping injury himself. A few minutes after the accident, he flagged a car in which a convict guard was riding, and asked the guard if he had seen a negro who had been driving the Ford. He then asked the guard to let him ride with him, that he was on his way to Boardman. The guard suspected something and tried to hold Dillard captive, but was unsuccessful.

Chief of Police D. M. Barker and Rural Policeman Cramer Miller went in search of the car and thief. The car was found in the ditch, and a few miles further Dillard was found and arrested. He told the officers that he would not have stolen the car had it not been for the fact that he was half drunk. It is expected that he will be tried at the term of Superior court now in session here.

Ports And Soldiers Loan
Given Majority In Robeson

Total figures on all candidates for Robeson county could not be obtained before going to press. The county board of election met in the court house this morning, and the work of compiling all the figures is still going on. The total vote on the port terminals measure was 2,565 for and 1,911 against. The soldier loan fund vote was 3,052 for and 988 against.

LOCAL FRIENDS OF ANDY GUMP
REJOICING OVER VICTORY.

Defeated All Opposing Candidates by Overwhelming Majority—Poll Holders on the Job Most of Time. Andy Gump won an overwhelming victory here Tuesday when he defeated all candidates opposing him. The final vote was 243 for Gump, 51 for S. S. Small, and a few scattering votes for other candidates.

Ben G. Floyd, campaign manager for Gump, had the ballot box placed in the court house between the places where voting was being done in South and North Lumberton precincts. The poll holders were on the job most all day, and allowed no one to vote more than 3 times each, except in rare cases where the voter was very desirous of voting for each candidate. One man who had not registered for this special election was required to go back home and return with his wife for proof that he was of lawful voting age. She was also required to vote.

The returns were scattered all over the floor, and it was not until after 9 o'clock that Mayor E. M. Johnson announced that the latest returns were about to be read. This provoked much laughter and everybody seemed well pleased with the overwhelming majority given this man of many ancestors.

SHOOTS MOTHER-IN-LAW
ON ACCOUNT OF POLITICS

Asheboro, Nov. 4.—Mrs. George Sheffield, Republican, went to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Colon Tysinger, in South Asheboro, this afternoon to accompany the latter to the polls to vote the Republican ticket. When she arrived at the Tysinger home, her son-in-law, Colon Tysinger, Democrat, became enraged and shot her through the abdomen.

Mrs. Sheffield was rushed to a local hospital, where efforts are being made tonight to save her life by a surgical operation. Tysinger was arrested and placed in Randolph county jail, where he is being held without bail. Little hope is entertained for the recovery of Mrs. Sheffield.

Votes Challenged.

A large number of Indians living in Gaddy township, and who voted in the primary, were challenged in the election Tuesday when they attempted to vote the Republican ticket, according to W. B. Oxendine, Democrat, leader among the Indians of South Robeson, who was a Lumberton visitor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. McLean and daughter, Miss Willie Mae, and son, Master Ray, Mrs. Ed Bryant and Mr. Jay Hammonds all of Rowland, were Lumberton visitors yesterday.

St. Paul News

District Club Meeting Enjoyed—Watson-Livingston Marriage—Personal and Other Items.

By Bessie G. Johnson
St. Paul, Nov. 4.—Relatives here were recent recipients of the announcement of a 10-pound daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. W. Frank Brock, formerly of St. Paul, who now reside in Louisburg. Mrs. Brock was Miss Eloise Singletary of near Bladen, a graduate nurse of a Fayetteville hospital. Besides the little daughter they have one other child, a little son a few years older.

Mrs. M. A. Bethune of Fayetteville came over Sunday for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Parnell.

Among the Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Howard were Mr. and Mrs. Scott McFayden and Miss Pearl Howard, who motored over from Fayetteville.

Friends of Miss Mary Janet McNeill were glad to have her in town for the week-end, having come over from Wagram, where she is again in charge of the music department in the school. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson, in whose home she was stopping, accompanied her upon her return.

Among those from here attending the delightful meeting of the 12th district Woman's club in Lumberton last Friday were Mesdames E. G. Rozier, E. C. Murray, C. C. Harrington, N. A. McEachern and Cobb, all reporting a wonderful trip.

Attorney and Mrs. Jno. D. Canady had as their delightful guest during the week-end, a statement yesterday in which he said that the measure had carried while General Albert Cox was claiming a majority of around twenty thousand for the measure. His figures last night showed an apparent lead of 2,500 votes for the measure.

The returns came in slowly. Many of the counties will not know their vote until today. The figures received are from all sections of the State. Practically all the thickly populated sections of the State have been heard from and the sections to be heard from now represent rural sections, which are not expected to increase the chances for the adoption of the measure.

Miss Etzel Fisher, who is a member of the freshman class at Flora Macdonald college, Red Springs, spent the week-end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Fisher, Armfield street.

Dr. J. F. Nash's many friends are glad to see him out again, having been confined to his room briefly from an infectious foot.

Miss Mary Evans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Evans of near town, came home Saturday from Flora Macdonald college, for a week-end visit.

Messrs. Chas. Caudell and H. M. Johnson spent Sunday in Raleigh. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Canady and children visited near Lumberton Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Bryan.

Mrs. W. T. Rhodes of Godwin, formerly Miss Macy Guiton, has been spending several days in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Guiton, to the delight of her numerous friends.

Little Miss Marie Powers, who spent a brief while in a Lumberton hospital undergoing treatment under Dr. R. S. Beam, came home Sunday but returns again today for examination.

Mrs. Leon Perry of Charlotte arrived Sunday night and is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Howard.

Miss Daisy McRainey of Flora Macdonald college was among the week-end visitors, she being a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McRainey of near town.

Miss Sallie Hughes of South Carolina arrived latter part of the week and has taken up her work in the home of Mr. L. Melnia and family, where she formerly had supervision of the household duties and care of the little folks, which she will continue if her health will permit. Since the resignation of Mrs. Campbell of Rockfish the aunt, Miss Sallie Gillis of near there, spent several days with Mr. McInnis and the kiddies. Miss Hughes during her stay in St. Paul made for herself many warm friends who gladly note her return and hope her health, which has improved, will continue.

Mesdames Ryan McBryde and Bert Nesbit of Raeford were recent guests in the home of Mrs. L. I. Grantham, on Armfield street, the latter being a sister, while the former is sister-in-law of Mrs. Grantham.

Mrs. L. A. McGeachy went over to Wagram yesterday to be present at the marriage of her cousin, Miss Mary Patterson Livingston, who is to be wedded this evening to Dr. T. M. Watson of Wilmington in the Presbyterian church at Wagram. Other St. Paul relatives who are attending are Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Johnson, their 2 sons, James and Duncan, and Mr. L. A. McGeachy.

Friends of Mrs. E. C. Murray are glad to see her out again after being indoors several days on account of a recent fall, as previously mentioned. Her injuries, while not serious, were indeed painful.

Practically all of the local school faculty attended the Robeson county association held in Lumberton Saturday, reporting a very interesting affair.

Quite a number from here motored over to Lumberton on last evening to the big rally given at the court house complimentary to Hon. A. W. Mc

Port Terminals Measure
Appears To Be Defeated

Incomplete Returns Indicate Close Vote With Small Majority Against—Morrison and Cox Claim Measure Has Carried.

(From Raleigh News and Observer.)
Eleven thousand votes behind on the face of returns from 643 precincts and estimated majorities from nine other counties not included in the precincts reported, the port terminals measure failed to pick up the expected lead yesterday and its defeat seemed certain last night.

These 643 precincts and the estimated majorities for and against the measure from nine other counties gave: Yes, 74,742; No, 85,769. This gave an apparent lead of 11,227 votes against the proposition. Indications were that this lead against would be increased as later returns came in though the most optimistic opponent would not claim a majority of more than 25,000.

69 Counties Heard From
Thirty counties reported majorities against the proposition and 39 against, indicating that the vote would be close in the final wind-up. Only 10 counties had reported their complete vote.

The 643 precincts represent less than one-third of the 1730 precincts in the State but the nine other counties reporting majorities would bring the total up to near a thousand precincts.

Morrison Claims Majority.
Governor Cameron Morrison, who was in Charlotte, issued a statement yesterday in which he said that the measure had carried while General Albert Cox was claiming a majority of around twenty thousand for the measure. His figures last night showed an apparent lead of 2,500 votes for the measure.

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Men's Prayermeeting
In Court House
Each Morning 8:30 to 9
Including Sunday

NEW TIRE-STEALING STUNT
PULLED BY YOUNG WHITE MEN

Horace Osborne and Tom Smith Submitted—Penny and Honey Found Guilty of Aiding and Abetting.
Horace Osborne of Lumberton and Tom Smith of Red Springs submitted this morning in Recorder W. B. Ivey's court to charges of theft, and H. C. Penny and Chalmers Boney were found guilty of aiding and abetting in theft. Judgment was held until this afternoon.

According to the evidence, the young men rode over town last night in a car driven by Boney, and when they saw Mr. Robert McIntyre's car parked in front of his home on North Elm street the car stopped and Smith and Osborne got the spare tire, rim and tube on the rear of the car. When the tire was in the hands of Smith and Osborne the car driven by Boney came back and picked them up. The same stunt was pulled when they saw Mr. H. H. Memory's car parked on Second street, and it was stated by officers that a tire belonging to Dr. J. N. Britt was also taken. Smith admitted to the officers, and carried them to a place on the Lovette road near town where the goods had been carried.

A petition is being circulated among the business men of town by a committee of the local post of the American legion asking that the business houses be closed next Tuesday, Armistice day. A number of merchants have signified their willingness to sign the petition, and it is understood that practically all business houses will be closed. Watch Monday's Robesonian for further announcement.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Harsellson have moved from the Stacy dwelling on East Fourteenth street to the Oliver house on North Pine, recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hedgpeth.

Miss Grace Fisher spent the week-end among her people at Fairmont. She was accompanied by Miss Laura Ipkoff, who was her house guest while there, both being members of the school faculty here this season.

Miss Geneva Eykes came over from Charlotte for a week-end visit to her mother, Mrs. J. W. Sykes, leaving Monday for Goldsboro.

Mrs. Beulah Bruntz, who has a position in the Kennedy Memorial home, near Kingston, was here for a brief visit to home folks, returning yesterday to resume her work.

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Clothes. Prices Right.
Old Garments made over.

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FULLER'S SERVICE STATION
Corner 2nd. & Chestnut Sts.

Fairmont Letter

Election Passed Quietly—Barrel of Molasses Boll Weevil Poison Stolen—Liquor in Man and Man in Car With Usual Result—New Members Added at Pleasant Hope.

By Mrs. H. G. Inman.
Fairmont, Nov. 5.—The election passed very quietly Tuesday. There were lots of people in town, and all during the day there was a roodly sprinkling of women at the polls.

A barrel containing molasses and boll weevil poison was stolen from a tobacco barn at Mr. John Lamb's a farmer on Mr. W. C. Brown's place, last Saturday night. It is guessed that the thief thought the molasses was all right and wanted them for the purpose of making whiskey or for table use.

Mr. Lab and Mr. Brown wanted something said about the theft so as to avoid a tragedy, or tragedies.

Too Much Juice.
Sunday afternoon a corporal and a private from Fort Bragg with a croatan from Pembroke rode in town, the soldiers getting out and leaving the Nash car with the croatan, who had drunk too much of the "fluid" that he had bought for the soldiers.

He started on a ride all by himself, ran over the gas pump at the Utility garage, tearing that down and bending a front axle and a fender. They will all be arraigned in court Saturday morning.

New Members.
Eight new members were added by baptism to the church at Pleasant Hope church, three miles west of town. Rev. A. P. Stephens of Red Springs did some good preaching during the revival, which has just closed.

Mr. Furman Betts, who was singer in the meeting which is in progress at the Baptist church, left Saturday for a meeting just below Columbia, S. C. Last week was an "off" week with Mr. Betts and he consented to come down for the week. Mr. Betts is a great singer and is in much demand; his time is arranged for meetings for a year in advance. While in the city Mr. Betts was a guest in the home of his cousin Mrs. C. B. Thompson.

Mr. E. W. Pittman suffered a very painful injury Tuesday. In pulling some boards from an out building he wrenched his right arm in such a position as to pull it out of place at the shoulder. Mr. Arthur Williams, who was passing in an automobile, heard his cries for help, and with the aid of Mrs. Lillie Stephens they got him in the car and carried him to a doctor. The shoulder is still painful, but Mr. Pittman is able to do about his work.

Dr. J. P. Brown took in the Sandhills fair at Pinehurst last week, staying throughout the entire fair.

Miss Rachel McNamara, teacher of the first grade is confined to her home in Lumberton with a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Wilson spent the week-end in Wake Forest with their son and daughter-in-law. Prof. and Mrs. Percy Wilson, Sunday they drove over to Louisburg and spent the day with Mrs. W. E. Gardner, returning to Wake Forest Sunday night and on to Fairmont Monday.

Mrs. C. H. Brown is spending a part of this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hill, in Wilmington.

Mr. Fred Jenkins left Monday morning for Sanford, where he will be employed.

A little child of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bracey, who was not expected to live for several days last week, is improving slowly.

Mrs. Lonnie Pittman, teacher of the fourth grade, was confined to her bed two days last week with severe cold.

Mrs. E. Lewis, who has been sick for some time, does not respond to treatment, very much and her condition does not improve.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Butler and son, Mr. J. Raymond, and little Eugene Butler, of Dillon, spent Monday with their daughter and sister Mrs. Allen Pittman.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams and baby Emily Frances of Vanceboro arrived Sunday night. Mrs. Williams will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Jenkins, while Mr. Williams left Monday morning for Sanford, where he will be contacted with the tobacco market until December 1st, after which time they will go to Johnston City, Tenn., to engage in the tobacco market there.

Miss Katie Andrews left last week for Newport News Va., where she will be a member of the school faculty.

Mr. LeRoy Floyd of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Floyd.

Bernie M. and Mrs. M. Turner of Route 1, Monday, October 19th, a daughter.

Miss Selma Ward of the Parkton school faculty spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Belle Ward.

Mrs. F. J. Barker is improving after an attack of flu.

Mrs. Sam Webster is confined to her bed with severe cold.

Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Price, Mrs. Galoway and Mrs. E. J. Chambers left Tuesday for Charlotte, where Mrs. Price will undergo an operation for removal of tonsils.

Coolidge Given Largest
Plurality in History

President Will Have at Least 100 Votes to Spare in Electoral College—Republicans Have Paper Majority in Senate and House.

COOLIDGE ELECTORAL VOTE
367 WITH 4 STATES DOUBTFUL

New York, Nov. 5 (Associated Press).—The full measure of the Republican victory at the polls could not yet be taken tonight, but the returns continued to show that President Coolidge would have at least 100 votes to spare in the Electoral college, and the largest popular plurality in history.

The showing made by John W. Davis remained unchanged throughout today and although Senator LaFollette began to creep up a little in one or two Western states, there was no certainty tonight that he would receive the electoral vote of any state group except that of Wisconsin.

No Working Majority.
On the face of the day's Congressional returns, the Republicans made certain of a paper majority, at least, in both Senate and House, but doubt remained whether the margin would be great enough to give the administration the whip hand over the combined opposition of the Democrats and the LaFollette bloc.

As the Presidential figures stood tonight, with only a handful of electoral votes still in doubt, the indicated strength of the three candidates in the Electoral College was as follows:

| State | Coolidge | Davis |
|----------------|----------|-------|
| Alabama | 12 | 12 |
| Arizona | 3 | 3 |
| Arkansas | 9 | 9 |
| California | 13 | 13 |
| Colorado | 6 | 6 |
| Connecticut | 7 | 7 |
| Delaware | 3 | 3 |
| Florida | 6 | 6 |
| Georgia | 14 | 14 |
| Idaho | 4 | 4 |
| Illinois | 29 | 29 |
| Indiana | 15 | 15 |
| Iowa | 13 | 13 |
| Kansas | 10 | 10 |
| Kentucky | 18 | 18 |
| Louisiana | 10 | 10 |
| Maine | 6 | 6 |
| Maryland | 8 | 8 |
| Massachusetts | 18 | 18 |
| Michigan | 15 | 15 |
| Minnesota | 12 | 12 |
| Mississippi | 10 | 10 |
| Missouri | 18 | 18 |
| Montana | 8 | 8 |
| Nebraska | 8 | 8 |
| Nevada | 4 | 4 |
| New Hampshire | 4 | 4 |
| New Jersey | 14 | 14 |
| New Mexico | 4 | 4 |
| New York | 45 | 45 |
| North Carolina | 12 | 12 |
| North Dakota | 4 | 4 |
| Ohio | 24 | 24 |
| Oklahoma | 10 | 10 |
| Oregon | 5 | 5 |
| Pennsylvania | 38 | 38 |
| Rhode Island | 5 | 5 |
| South Carolina | 9 | 9 |
| Tennessee | 12 | 12 |
| Texas | 12 | 12 |
| Utah | 4 | 4 |
| Vermont | 4 | 4 |
| Texas | 4 | 4 |
| Virginia | 12 | 12 |
| Washington | 7 | 7 |
| West Virginia | 8 | 8 |
| Wisconsin | 8 | 8 |
| Wyoming | 3 | 3 |

Totals 367-136
*Doubtful: Montana, 4; Nevada, 3; New Mexico, 3; North Dakota, 4.—Total, 15. La Follette: Wisconsin, 13. Necessary to choice, 266.

SECOND NUMBER OF LYCEUM
COURSE FRIDAY NIGHT.

Anne Theresa Davault, Reader and Impersonator, Will Present a Program of Highest Quality.
Lumberton folks will receive another treat in the way of entertainment Friday night of this week in the new high school auditorium when Anne Theresa Davault, reader and impersonator, will give the second number of the Lyceum course, which is being given here under the auspices of the local Woman's club. This dramatic artist will present a program of the highest quality, such as Lumberton people rarely have the opportunity of enjoying at home.

The first number was given a few weeks ago by the Criterion male quartet of New York city and was all to the good, pleasing a large crowd.

Season tickets \$2.25 and \$1.25, single admission 75 and 50 cents.

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Large Crowd Attended
Funeral Of Ira B. Townsend

Many Out-Of-Town People Gathered with Neighbors to Pay Last Tribute—Pastor Pays Tribute to Noble Qualities of Deceased—Numerous Floral Offerings.

The funeral of Mr. Ira B. Townsend, whose death Monday night was mentioned in yesterday's Robesonian, was conducted from the home, East Fifth street, yesterday afternoon at 3:30 by Rev. T. McM. Grant, pastor of Chestnut Street Methodist church, of which deceased was a member and steward, assisted by Rev. N. L. Seabolt, pastor of Lumberton circuit.

Among the unusually large crowd that attended were many relatives and friends from a distance. The remains were interred in Meadowbrook cemetery beneath a profusion of flowers, the floral offerings being numerous and beautiful.

The pallbearers were: active—L. T. and L. C. Townsend, Ira Bullard, John D. McAllister, C. A. McArthur, F. P. Gray; honorary—A. W. McLean, O. O. Duke, superintendent of Chestnut Street Methodist Sunday school, Vance McGill, Dr. S. L. Whitehead, H. M. McAllister, and members of the board of stewards of Chestnut Street church: A. E. White, J. A. Boone, O. G. Norman, C. B. Townsend, G. M. Whitfield, K. M. Barnes, T. M. Burney, N. P. Andrews, W. H. Humphrey, J. C. Fuller, J. P. Townsend, J. R. Poole, E. L. Hamilton, H. E. Stacey, J. A. Sharpe.

Among the songs sung by the choir were "Abide With Me", at the home, and "The Christian's Goodnight", at the grave.

In his beautiful and touching prayer and talk at the home Mr. Grant paid tribute to the noble qualities of the deceased and to his helpful efforts in church work. Mr. Townsend was among the first to welcome him when he came to Lumberton a little less than a year ago, said Mr. Grant. He realized some months ago that the end was near and in a heart-to-heart talk with his pastor said that he was not afraid to die, that he was ready for the summons.

At a meeting of the board of stewards of the church last evening on motion of Mr. Grant it