

COUNTY-WIDE BODY PROVES SUCCESS

Broadening of Scope of Greenville Organization Shows Good Results

What helps Pitt county helps Greenville, and what helps Greenville helps Pitt county, said H. L. Smith, secretary of the Pitt County Chamber of Commerce...

Mr. Smith, who went to Greenville from Dublin, Va., is very much impressed with the possibilities of Pitt county. "It is not generally known but it is a fact," he said, "that Pitt county produces the best grade of bright leaf tobacco to be found anywhere in the United States."

Greenville, Secretary Smith said, had just organized a Kiwanis club with 50 members. George Selig, of Knoxville, Tenn., Kiwanis organizer, was there Wednesday night. A big barbecue was given yesterday.

FORMER MAYOR DIES AT HOME IN STATESVILLE

J. C. Steele Long Prominent in Business and Civic Life of Iredeell County

Statesville, July 14.—Funeral services were held this afternoon for J. C. Steele, former mayor and prominent Statesville citizen, who died suddenly of heart failure yesterday while sitting in his chair, at his home. He was in usual health and was on the streets yesterday. He became ill this morning and expired soon after the physician came. Mr. Steele was a native of Iredeell county, and was 82 years of age. For many years he has been a leading spirit in the progress and development of Statesville and Iredeell. He was one of the pioneers of the town in the manufacturing line.

Thirty three years ago he established the brick making machinery business, which now operates under firm name of J. C. Steele and Sons, and is known throughout the world. For two terms he served as mayor of Statesville. He was president of the Imperial Furniture Company. For more than 20 years he was a member of the board of regents of the Presbyterian orphanage, at Barren Springs.

For many years he had been an elder in the First Presbyterian church. He was an honored Confederate Veteran and always took a keen interest in all meetings and reunions of the veterans. He is survived by his wife, four sons and one daughter as follows: C. M., H. O., A. P. and F. P. Steele, and Mrs. E. R. Rankin, all of Statesville.

J. P. WYATT'S MOTHER DIES IN VIRGINIA

Mr. J. P. Wyatt, 431 Halifax street, yesterday received a telegram announcing the death of his mother, Mrs. L. H. Wyatt at Sward's Creek, Va. Mrs. Wyatt has been ill for some time and Mr. Wyatt has just come from a visit to her. She was 67 years of age and there are nine surviving children besides Mr. Wyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wyatt have gone to Sward's Creek to attend the funeral and today the Wyatt Smith Fuel Co. office and yards will be closed.

"A neighbor gave me a bottle of Dr. BETH ARNOLD'S BALM. It cured an attack of bowel complaint." Recommended by S. W. Williams, Tucker Building Pharmacy, Clayton Drug Co., Clayton—adv.

RAILROAD SCHEDULES

Table with columns for destination, time, and train name. Includes sections for Southern Railway System and Raleigh-Durham.

RALEIGH-DURHAM All Trains Daily Except Sunday. Leave Raleigh for Durham 10:35 a. m. Leave Durham for Raleigh 2:55 p. m. (Yarborough Hotel).

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THREE MULES KILLED BY FALLING INTO WELL

Rutherfordton, July 14.—An unusual accident occurred about six miles north-west of Rutherfordton where Geer & Wilson, contractors, are excavating, filling and top-soiling the Asheville-Charlotte-Wilmington highway, when three fine mules being used as a snatch team on the Wheeler road scraper near the highway fell into an old abandoned well about forty feet deep, covered with vines and weeds, no one knowing that the old well was located at that place. Later the mules were removed from the well but two of them were dead and the other one died in a few minutes after being brought to the surface. It was fortunate that the driver or no one else fell into the old well, when in all probability their lives would have been lost.

THRILLED BY CAMP LIFE AT MOREHEAD

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The supervision of the "Y" in boxing particularly the interest is keen. Already certain men have begun to shine among the many lesser lights that enter the ring nightly. The first stellar appearance was that of Private T. H. Gallagher, of Company D, Durham. He rose Dempseywise from the multitude by a series of knockouts and thus far has held his own against all comers. With many contestants he still holds the belt in lightweight circles, his last fight, however, which took place tonight with Private F. L. Faulkner was hotly contested and went into several rounds. Private Bobbie Wood, Service Company, Raleigh, came suddenly into the limelight tonight by decisively beating Corp. Charles Thompson, Company A, Burlington.

Among the wrestlers, Private Gray Buncum, Service Company, Raleigh, has continued to hold his own among the enrollment men of 150 pounds; and Private C. Presley, Company F, Charlotte, has issued a challenge which he has so far made good, for men under 135 pounds.

The second battalion, composed of Company E, of Concord, Company F, of Charlotte, Company G, of Winston-Salem, and Company H, of Waynesville, held the second battalion parade of the enrollment this afternoon. The men have become well accustomed to drilling and their performance in the battalion parade was excellent.

Company M, of Wilson, under the command of Capt. Carl Batts, has the distinction of having the largest percentage of its total enrollment here at camp. The enlisted strength of the company is 74 and of that number there are present in camp 73 men.

Capt. Mallard Knowlton, head of the section on venereal disease of the State Department of Public Health, delivered a lecture to the men of the camp tonight, on sex hygiene. After his lecture a war department educational film on the same subject was shown.

Work in the camp has been progressing rapidly and successfully along the regular lines of military instruction. Particularly interesting is the work of the Howitzer company, of Gastonia, under the command of Capt. Steven H. Dolley. For the last two days the company has been having target practice with the 3mm. guns. Firing at a target 1,500 yards across the sound, the company today made a score of 85 percent hits.

Today the three machine gun companies here under the command of Major R. G. Cherry, went to the sea islands for target practice, where they are in no danger of destroying life or property by their fire. The three machine gun companies and their commanders are: Company D, Durham,

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Capt. M. B. Fowler commanding, Company H, of Waynesville Capt. W. F. Smith commanding, Company M, of Wilson, Capt. Carl Batts commanding, Mrs. Bayard M. Wooten of Wooten Maulden, photographers of New Eern, is in camp again this year as camp photographer. Mrs. Wooten is an invaluable part of the camp life and her excellent pictures have been a power for publicity for the State National Guard.

Call Legislature In Special Session Here December 6th

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tion upon the citizens of such towns and cities, but simply to give the towns and cities the right to tax themselves if they see fit through their proper officers to do so, and to authorize them to borrow money within certain limitations when they deem it to be in the interest of the towns and cities to do so.

"Another emergency grows out of a deficit of about \$700,000 in the school funds of the State for the year ending June 30th of this year. The General Assembly of 1920 provided that the State should pay the expenses of three months of the six months common schools, and the counties for the other three. The tax levied by the regular Session as amended by the Special Session in 1920, raised the amount of money which was required according to the estimate of the Superintendent of Public Instruction and the Board of Education, but the schools lost seven or eight hundred thousand dollars more money than the estimate. The fact of this deficit was not brought to the attention of the Budget Commission, nor was it brought to my attention, nor to the attention of the General Assembly of 1921. It was brought to my attention only some three weeks ago. When the General Assembly of 1921 was in session, the school year had not ended, and the school authorities were unaware, and did not foresee the deficit.

No Provision to Borrow

There is no provision in the law under which the Treasurer of this State can pay or borrow \$700,000 to make good the deficit. Some of it has been advanced by the Counties expecting it to be refunded at the close of the school year by the State. Some of it has not yet been paid, and in a few counties the teachers are unpaid. It would be a positive wrong for the State to fail to meet this obligation earlier than it could be done if we waited until the next regular session of the General Assembly.

"We have decided to advise the various County authorities to make provision to carry the State's unpaid part in their County until the extraordinary session of the General Assembly can meet and provide for its payment. We do not think any serious harm can come to the counties by being forced to wait until December, but we do think it would be almost impossible for many of them to carry the indebtedness through another year, and meet their current obligations for schools and other purposes.

"The reasons for the call of this

NOTICE

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina

In the matter of W. H. Fishel, Bankrupt. Under the power vested in the undersigned as Trustee of W. H. Fishel, Bankrupt, and in pursuance of an order made by Marshal C. Staton, Esquire, Referee in Bankruptcy, in the above entitled action, the undersigned as trustee, will offer for sale at public auction at Vaughan, in Warren County, N. C., on Friday, July 22nd, 1921, at 11 o'clock a. m.

- 497 white oak cross-ties. These ties are on the Greenleaf Sliding near Grove Hill. 4 mules. 11 head of cattle. 1 Peerless automobile. 3 2 horse wagons. 2 lumber trucks. Certain farming ut 150 cords wood. 1 iron safe. 1 adding machine. 1 typewriter. 1 check protector. 1 roller top desk. 1 planing mill outfit, consisting of the following: 1 100 horse power boiler, 1 80-horse power boiler, 1 Berlin planer complete, 1 tower trimmer, 1 Stern 100-horse power engine, 2 power cut-off saws, 1 rip saw, 1 nailing machine, shafting, pulleys and grinding machine. 1 saw-mill outfit. 1 35 horse power Reeves tractor. Terms cash. Sales will be made subject to the confirmation of the Referee. This the 7th day of July, 1921. H. F. Honney, Trustee.

extraordinary session will be set forth with the formal precision required by the Constitution when I issue the formal call, which will be done in due time. "We desire no change in the legislation enacted for this year and want to defray the expenses of the State Government, and to meet the constructive program adopted by the General Assembly. We not only do not anticipate any deficit, but time has confirmed my judgment that the last General Assembly adopted a program of taxation just and wise. The policy of making the school system of the State partially a State system and partially a County system did not work well, and the last General Assembly realigned the whole matter to the Counties, and ceased the experiment of making it partially a State system.

Fear is Unfounded

"The fear being expressed in a portion of the Press of the State that the General Assembly will have to convene to provide for carrying on the schools for the coming year is, of course, unfounded, because the Counties hereafter will have the entire school tax, except a few hundred thousand dollars appropriated from income, in inheritance license and other taxes by the State for the purpose of helping the weak counties. We have gone back to the old policy in raising the revenue for our schools. I earnestly contended

NUXATED IRON

Helps make rich, red blood and revitalize weak nerves DRUGGERY OF HOUSEHOLD WORK

WHY IT SO OFTEN SAPS A WOMAN'S BODILY AND MENTAL VIGOR, LEAVING HER WEAK, NERVOUS AND "RUN-DOWN."

The terrible strain on the nervous system which is caused by the constant drudgery of household work not only makes a woman nervous and irritable but it saps the iron from her blood, leaving her weak, pale and aged looking.

To make up for this great loss, woman should eat more spinach and other iron-containing vegetables and take organic iron from time to time to help put new red blood corpuscles into her pale skin, watery blood and revitalize her worn out, exhausted nerves. Without iron your blood loses its power to change food into living cells and tissue, and nothing you eat does you the proper amount of good—you do not get the full strength out of it.

There are 30,000,000,000,000 red blood corpuscles in your blood and each one must have iron—iron is red blood food. But when you take iron be sure that it is organic iron—Nuxated Iron—and not metallic iron which people usually take. Metallic iron is iron just as it comes from the action of strong acids on small pieces of iron, while organic Nuxated Iron is like the iron in your blood and like the iron in spinach, lentils and apples. Beware of substitutes. Look for the word "NUXATED" on the package and the letters "N. I." on every tablet. Your money will be refunded by the manufacturer if you do not obtain perfectly satisfactory results. For sale at all druggists.

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for this policy before the General Assembly and it met with Dr. Brooks' entire approbation. There will be no trouble with the revenues for school purposes in the future, because the State levies no property tax whatever in North Carolina, and gives to the Counties all the power contained in the organic law to raise revenue through ad valorem taxation. "The rumors abroad in the State that there is necessity for any legislation with reference to the program of the last General Assembly are utterly unfounded. We do not want the right to sell the bonds of the State at a higher rate than five per cent, and until the money market is such that we can sell the bonds at this price, we will do as the General Assembly ordered us to do, borrow short term money at the lowest rate of interest obtainable. We will have no trouble getting all the money we need in the meantime to carry out the State's program. We have never

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paid over six per cent for any money yet, and hope we will not have to. If it gets too high and we cannot go forward with our program without unreasonable rates of interest or selling long term bonds at a higher rate of interest than five per cent, we will stop the constructive program and wait until we can."

WENDELL PILLS AMBITION BRAND

For Nervous People The great nerve tonic—the famous Wendell Pills, Ambition Brand—that put vigor, vim and vitality into nervous, tired out, all in dependent people in a few days in many instances.

Thousands praise them for general debility, nervousness, mental depression and neuritic nerves caused by over-indulgence in alcohol and tobacco, or by overwork. As a treatment in afflictions of nervous system, Wendell Pills, Ambition Brand are recommended as being generally unsurpassed. Sixty cents at Hicks Uptown Store, Wake Drug Store, W. H. King Drug Co., Tucker Ridge Pharmacy.

Advertisement for SANUX: Hundreds Praise SANUX The Wonderful Hospital Home Treatment for Indigestion and Stomach Troubles

Large advertisement for Miller & Rhoads: "The Shopping Center", Of Greater Interest Than in Many Summers—The 1921 July Clearance Sales! THE DOWNWARD PRICE TREND which has been so marked here of late terminates this month in a decided climax, when stocks of Summer Merchandise throughout the store take on new pricings for the July Clearance Sales—

Large advertisement for KINGSDOWN MATTRESSES: LONG-LIFE KINGSDOWN MATTRESSES live long and useful lives! Years of constant use in many homes, and in hotels where the comfort of the guest is the first consideration, leaves the famous KINGSDOWN in perfect condition—as soft and comfortable as new! If you could watch the skilled workers as their needles fly in and out, securing the edges and tufting the center, you'd understand why hand-work means longer life. You'd realize why the KINGS-DOWN is almost time-proof. Let your dealer show you this long lasting Mattress. Inspect it thoroughly. Look at the sewing. Notice the quality of the ticking—and of course, the softness of the mattress. We are makers of the MAJESTIC Springs—and the complete line of MEBANE BEDDING. MEBANE BEDDING COMPANY MEBANE, N. C.