

HENRY A. BYNUM DROPPED DEAD

Well Known Citizen Victim of Heart Trouble — Funeral Services Sunday Afternoon Attended by Great Concourse.

Pittsboro is grieved at the death of Henry A. Bynum, who fell dead Saturday evening about 5:30 on the street a few yards from his home. He was standing in front of the narrow home directing some colored men who were carrying in household goods of the narrow home which had been taken out that morning when there was a threat of the home's burning. He told the men that he was dizzy and immediately dropped. Life was extinct when Dr. McBane came two or three minutes later.

Mr. Bynum had an automobile wreck a year or two ago which seems to have affected his health, already none too vigorous. For months he had suffered from angina pectoris, and only a week or less before his death had a serious attack.

The funeral service was conducted at the Methodist church, of which he was a long-time member, Sunday afternoon in the presence of a great concourse of friends and relatives. Pastor Dailey officiated. The burial was in the Methodist churchyard.

Mr. Bynum was 57 years of age. He was a talented mechanic, and spent part of his life as superintendent of cotton mills. He was the only son of the late Carney W. Bynum and Mary Atwater Bynum, of Baldwin township, the father being the founder of the cotton mills at Bynum and one of the most prominent and useful citizens of the county.

The deceased married Miss Annie Lutterloh, who with four children survive her husband. Two sons are Henry, a mechanical engineer, who holds a responsible position in South Carolina, and Carney, a registered druggist, who was recently promoted to a position in a Norfolk pharmacy. Daughters are Miss Mary Dell, a teacher in the Pittsboro school, and Miss Annie, a student at N. C. C. W. Greensboro. Mrs. Bynum herself is music teacher in Pittsboro school.

Two sisters survive. They are Mrs. Annie Taylor, wife of Dr. Taylor of Greensboro, and Mrs. Rives, a valued employee of the Methodist orphanage at Raleigh. They and numerous other relatives of the family were present for the funeral. From Baldwin township came many boyhood friends of the deceased. From Gastonia came Mr. A. B. Garter, who grew up in the Bynum mill, and there laid the foundation for a splendid career in the cotton mill industry. From Fayetteville came the Lutterloh relatives of Mrs. Bynum. While there was a general outpouring of the friends and neighbors in Pittsboro.

A DELIGHTFUL TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Gregory and Dr. and Mrs. Chapin enjoyed a delightful trip to Harrisburg, Penn., on the Thanksgiving occasion, and were there royally entertained by Mr. and Mrs. George Geide and their friends. Excursions were made to interesting points, including the Gettysburg battle grounds. Mrs. Geide is a niece of the late Capt. Wisler of Moncure and spends part of her time at the Wisler residence in Moncure, which she inherited.

Gulf News

Saturday afternoon between four and five o'clock the pretty home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Little was destroyed by fire. The A and Y train crew were the first to give the alarm. A crowd soon gathered and saved the best of the furniture. Mr. Little had come in from Parkersburg, made a fire and dressed. Expecting to return Sunday with his family, who had spent Thanksgiving and week-end with relatives there. A small amount of insurance was carried. The many friends and neighbors sympathize with these good people in loss of their home. Miss Virginia Murchison, teacher in Siler City schools and Miss Minnie teacher in City schools at Rocky Mt. spent week-end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Murchison. Miss Annie Tyner student at Elon College spent Thanksgiving and week-end with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Tyner. Mrs. Robert Jourdan was carried to Scotts hospital Sunday for treatment. Mr. J. G. Beal was carried to Scotts hospital Monday afternoon to have treatment for his leg he accidentally cut a few weeks ago with hatchet. Miss Mary Lucy Palmer, who is teaching at Zebulon spent the week-end at home. William Beal, student at U. N. C. spent Thanksgiving and week-end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Beal.

County Court Tries Only Four Cases

Monday's session of the county court passed upon only four cases, and none of these was of vital importance to the public, though sufficiently interesting and of moment to the persons directly concerned.

Richard Smith, who now stays in Durham, was charged with stealing a dog belonging to a colored man, and pleaded guilty—possibly his greatest mistake, as it never was proven that the dog is listed for taxation, and seemingly it cannot be proven.

Richard had another Durham young man had been down to the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. Lonnie Cooper, and the dog had joined the party as they walked over the Cooper lands, and followed the Smith car for a considerable distance when they started back to Durham. Smith said that he thought he was a lost dog and had pity on him and took him into the car and carried him to Durham. There he was found and Smith was arrested. The dog had been traded by the present owner and the former one would not tell from whom he got him; hence, it could not be discovered from the records whether the dog was listed for taxation. Anyway this cost Richard \$45 in the mere costs of the case, for though judgement was suspended for two years upon condition of payment of costs, the laws are such that the cost bill runs up more than a man during the present difficulty of getting a dollar should have had to pay in fines for taken a half-dozen such dogs, under similar circumstances. Even a jury fee of \$6.00 is charged, though there is no jury, and a solicitor's fee of ten or twelve dollars is likewise charged, though the \$100-a-month solicitor gave only a few minutes to the case.

Will Swift and Howard Swift were acquitted of a charge of stealing gasoline, but John Swift got three months on the roads on a similar charge. He admitted taking the gasoline from a saw mill tractor over in Williams township, but claimed that he was practically out of gasoline and borrowed this and was going to pay for it. But, unfortunately for the borrower if he really intended to pay, the officers got him before he got a chance to pay. However, this was not the first gasoline missed from the tractor supply, and John was rather liberal in his borrowings to tide him over till he could go to a filling station. He confessed that he took six and a half gallons, but it seemed that there were fourteen gallons missing, and that John had actually carried off some in a can. He had been employed at the mill from which the gasoline had been accustomed to disappear. Clifton Farrar admitted aiding and abetting the manufacture of liquor and got a term of four months on the roads.

Antioch News

Miss Geanie Oldham is visiting her brother in Yanceville. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Pilkington of Durham spent Thanksgiving with their parents in this community. Mr. A. H. Odham and son W. R. made a business trip to Holly Springs last Thursday. Miss Flossie Dawkins of Furlham visited her sister Mrs. E. C. Hart Thanksgiving day. So few attend our Sunday school that there is a question of discontinuing it for the winter. It will be decided next Sunday. The young people attend very well, but the older ones do not. If the latter will awake to their duty and responsibility, the school can continue. We hope the people will attend next Sunday and let's have the school continued. It means too much for the community for it to stop.

Kimbaltown News

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McManess of Bear Creek spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Ferguson. Mrs. Paul Blackwood of Durham spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Kate Burke. Farthing Clark of Greensboro spent a few days last week with his sister Mrs. Dora Ferguson. Earl Russell, and little daughter Margaret spent last week with his sister Mrs. Ernest Brewer. Will Covert and family of Sanford spent a few days last week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Elex Dowdy. Misses Edith and Eulalia Clark and Albert Sutton of Greensboro spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Ferguson. Miss Nell Fuller and Arthur Gregson of Creedmore spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brewer. Henry Whitehead and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Ferguson. J. E. Clark and family of Pittsboro Rt. 2 spent Sunday with Mrs. Dora Ferguson.



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LIVINGSTON HAS NOTHING ON THESE BOLD HUNTERS

Hollywood, Calif.—Photo shows two of the monks from the Chimpanzee Movie Colony, in Hollywood, out on a hunting trip in the wilds of the movie lot. By the expression on their faces, one would judge that they are about to encounter one of the jungle's many dangers. There is, however, nothing to worry about, as they are just registering the expression of fear for the benefit of the movie camera, during the filming of one of their recent comedies.

SOCIAL EVENTS AT GOLDSTON

Tuesday-Afternoon Club Entertains Book Club and Husbands—Mesdames Goldston Give Delightful Party—Misses Dixon and Burke Delightfully Entertain.—Other Goldston Items.

One of the most delightful affairs of the season was the lovely party given by the Tuesday-Afternoon club at the town hall last Friday evening, honoring their husbands and the Goldston Book Club members and their husbands. The hall, which is known for so many hospitable entertainments, was unusually attractive with its decorations of fall flowers, ferns, and palms. The guests were met at the door and shown to the cloak room by Mesdames Van Ellis, George E. Rives, James Alexander, and Marvin Womble.

After the guests had all assembled they chatted gayly for awhile, and then several spirited games were played, causing much merriment. Dinner partners were found by comparing slips of paper on which were written corresponding names. Much fun was had in finding partners.

Delicious chicken salad, saltines, stuffed eggs, sandwiches, and toasted bananas were served as first-course, and cocoanut yum-yums, pickle, and coffee with whipped cream. Small dishes of mints and peanuts were placed at intervals on the long and beautiful arranged table where all guests were seated.

Those enjoying this occasion were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Veasey, Mr. and Mrs. T. Percy Murchison, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Barber, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Goldston, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Goldston, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Goldston, Mrs. F. M. Barber, Mrs. James Goldston, Mrs. A. B. Womble, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Harris, Mrs. H. M. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Olive, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hester, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rives, Mr. and Mrs. Van Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Barber, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Ellis, and Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Rives.

Decidedly one of the prettiest parties of the Autumn season was that of Wednesday afternoon, when Mesdames T. W. Goldston and A. W. Goldston entertained at the latter's attractive home in east Goldston. The guests were shown to the cloak room and then directed to the living room, which was beautiful with its ferns and narcissus. The game of Autumn was played at four tables, after which Mrs. W. F. Veasey captured high score prize which was a lovely "doll" door stop. The consolation prize fell to Mrs. J. E. Goldston. One of the most attractive features of the afternoon was a "table of art" on which were many articles representing different flowers. This feature afforded much amusement. For the most correct answers, Mrs. P. O. Barber won beautiful candle sticks. In a turkey contest Mrs. Jacob Dixon received a lovely bed room picture. The hostesses served an elegant salad course with coffee and whipped cream. The invited guests were Mrs. J. B. Goldston, Mrs. A. B. Womble, Mrs. L. B. Hester, Mrs. F. C. Olive, Mrs. H. M. Phillips, Mrs. T. Percy Murchison, Mrs. W. F. Veasey, Mrs. L. W. Fields, Mrs. Dewey Barber, Mrs. James Goldston, Mrs. F. M. Barber, Mrs. W. L. Goldston, Mrs. P. O. Barber, Mrs. Jacob Dixon, Mrs. J. J. Harris, and Mrs. H. A. Burke. Mrs. Ralph Phillips of Richmond, Va., paid a short visit to Mrs. H. M. Phillips.

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List of Magistrates And Constables

The following are the names of magistrates and constables who were elected for the several townships last month. Their terms began December 1.

Albright township—Magistrate: Cletus Perry, A. A. Campbell, W. A. Hinshaw; Constable, James G. Pike.

Baldwin—Magistrates: T. J. Hearne, C. B. Smith, W. A. Snipes; Constable, R. V. Morris. Bear Creek—S. W. Willett, J. H. Brewer, W. S. Gardner; Constable, H. L. Brooks.

Cape Fear—Magistrates: E. E. Wilson, J. D. McIver, W. F. Olinger; Constable J. W. Bland. Center—Magistrates: W. L. Johnson, H. G. Beard, R. T. Farrell; Constable, L. C. Johnson.

Gulf—Magistrates: D. M. Tyner, W. H. Tyler, C. W. Elkins; Constable, C. V. Moore. Haw River—Magistrates: R. H. Wicker, J. B. Wright; Constable, J. R. Ray.

Hadley—B. D. Woody, E. M. Lindley, B. E. Moody; Constable, W. F. Crutchfield. Hickory Mountain—Magistrates: W. R. Perry, C. M. Covert, C. O. Gilmore; Constable, Lacy Webster.

Matthews—J. A. Dark, H. L. Stone, R. C. Dixon; Constable, T. T. Elkins. New Hope—Magistrates: N. J. Wilson, L. L. Bryan, R. G. Beckwith; Constable, Roy Farrar.

Oakland—Magistrates: L. D. Johnson, T. Matthews, O. H. Wecht; Constable, Albert Seagroves. Williams—J. T. Mills, J. A. Sharrach, W. C. Markham; Constable, Zeb Johnson.

The officers in Albright, Bear Creek, Gulf, and Hadley townships are Republicans.

SUES FOR \$20,700

Mrs. E. P. Paschal, whose husband was killed in an automobile accident near Siler City, Nov. 30, 1929, in which three cars were involved, including the Paschal car, has sued the Atlantic Bridge Company and Ralph Coble, driver of one of the cars, for \$30,000. Coble is alleged to have been an agent of the Bridge company. It will be recalled that young Forrester of Mt. Vernon Springs was acquitted here of the charge of manslaughter in connection with the wreck. It was Forrester's truck that actually killed Mr. Paschal, but it is charged that the Coble car had struck and made uncontrollable the Forrester truck. The case is docketed in Greensboro, where both Mrs. Paschal and Coble live.

Brown's Chapel News

Well, we welcome Pastor Dailey back to this circuit. Those who couldn't pay in cash should carry him wood or anything else that will help make up the deficit on last year's salary. As there seems to be a sentiment throughout the circuit to reduce the pastor's salary, we suggest that every member find means to express himself upon this matter before the assessments are made.

There is a kick about so many salaried folk in our county that could be dispensed with, for instance, the county agent and the road superintendent.

Miss Elizabeth Lutterloh spent the week-end in Raleigh and Misses Carrie and Christine Perry in Durham.

The widow Smith who moved to the A. F. Whitaker place has had difficulty in keeping things going these hard times. Mr. C. C. Whitaker in his generosity did not charge her rent and the good people of this community recently gave her a pouncing. Others wishing to help in a good cause may leave contributions at Mr. W. T. Mann's store. Mrs. Smith appreciates the gifts of the New Salem Baptist Sunday school as a Thanksgiving offering to her family.

We sympathize with the family of Mr. H. A. Bynum in their sudden bereavement, as with Mrs. Lizzie Dark in the death of her sister, Miss Inez Headen.

Our Sunday school took up a Thanksgiving offering of eight dollars for the Methodist orphanage Sunday.

It should have been that the demand for milk was cut ten percent instead of the price cut ten cents in the gallon. The great decline in the price of butter makes it unprofitable for the dealers to use the excess over whole milk delivery in butter-making as formerly, certainly at the regular price for milk. So it is sell less or take less for the part that goes to butter-making.

One man has been caught on leased land with a dead turkey and trying to call another. No offender will be too big to be reported to the game warden.

Henry Durham burned off a new ground last week and Bob Ellington shucked corn one of the cold days. Some one said they were going to try to get Durham in the asylum, but another advised to wait awhile and maybe a load could be got.

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Inauguration Day At Court House

New Register of Deeds Poe Becomes Tax-Collector — County Court Secures Longer Lease of Life—Hester Becomes Commissioner

Monday saw a goodly crowd in Pittsboro. Quite a number had come to attend the monthly session of the county court. But that institution had lived out its lease of existence and had to be revitalized before there could be any court. When the court was established a year ago the term of its existence was fixed for December 1, 1930. But if dead at all, it was not dead long, for one of the first things done after the reorganization of the board of commissioners was the reestablishment of that useful institution, with a lease this time of two years, and with the same officials, D. L. Bell Judge and Wade Barber solicitor.

This court has proven itself of worth and has saved the county and many citizens much money and time. Besides, there is little delay in meeting out penalties for actual offenses and relieving the innocent of the burden of false charges.

Mr. Wade Siler, the newly elected register of deeds, was promptly on hand and after being sworn in took his place as clerk to the board of commissioners, which had been newly organized with Mr. Hester sitting in place of Mr. Brooks, and with Mr. Moore continuing as chairman. Mr. Walden, though elected for the first time in November, had already become at home in the job, as he had been appointed to serve out the term of Mr. Johnson, deceased.

Mr. C. C. Poe merely stepped across the hall from the Register's office to the grand jury room, which has been fitted up as headquarters for the tax collector. However, a \$50,000 bond had to be accepted before he could undertake the job of handling the county's money.

There is as yet no perceptible change in the sheriff's office, though the transfer of the tax-collecting business from him to the newly appointed tax collector will doubtless in time show its effects. However, it is the sheriff's business to collect all taxes prior to the 1930 levy, and under the circumstances he is not through with the tax collecting by a jugful.

Miss Pearl Desern, the capable assistant to the register of deeds, retains her place under Mr. Siler. Though the sheriff and clerk of court are hold-overs, they had to take new oaths of office and present new bonds. Accordingly, it is an outright new administration, even if there are few changes in the personnel.

Miss Minnie Moffitt Dead
Miss Minnie Moffitt, an estimable lady of 54 years, passed Friday at the home of Mr. W. F. Bland, of the Hanks Chapel community. She was buried at Hanks Chapel Saturday afternoon. Rev. Mr. House of Durham and Rev. R. R. Gordon, of Pittsboro, conducting the funeral services.

Miss Moffitt was an aunt of Mrs. Bland, and since the latter's death has lived with Mr. Bland and kept house for him.

MEAT MARKET ROBBED
Thieves stole about \$75 worth of meats from the market of Richardson and Siler, at Siler City, Saturday night. Part of the loot was found hidden under a building, but no evidence as to guilty parties has been discovered.

Tax Relief is Not a Problem in Winton

The board of town commissioners for Winton at a recent meeting decided not to levy and collect any taxes for the year 1930. It is the county seat of Hertford. It has a population of between six and seven hundred. The town owns and operates two farms, totaling 450 acres. The treasury is said to have sufficient money to take care of all outstanding accounts and bonds. Winton claims to be the only town in existence entirely free of tax burdens and suggestions for the year 1930.

Mrs. Anna Mae Rodgers, wife of a fireman in Oklahoma City, filed suit for divorce alleging that when her husband was not chasing down unruly fires he was at the municipal airport studying to be a pilot.

The county agent needs an office down town. Man after man is found inquiring for his office. One can be secured for three or four dollars a month.

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