

## Maness and Newbold Cases For Trial Next Week

Lee Superior Court convenes Monday with above mentioned cases on docket—Court will last two weeks with Judge W. A. Devin presiding.

A two weeks mixed term of Lee Superior Court will convene at the Court House next Monday morning at 10 o'clock, with Judge W. A. Devin, of Oxford, presiding. Judge Devin has held court here before and is well known to many of our people. Since the Recorder's Court was established the criminal dockets of the Superior Court are not so heavy. There are now nine prisoners in jail, but some of these are Federal prisoners and will not be tried in Lee Superior Court. Most of the case to be tried are of a petty nature, and have to do with making and transporting liquor.

Two cases of outstanding importance are the one charging W. A. Maness, who is now in jail, with attempting to kill Dr. J. P. Monroe and one against H. C. Newbold, now out on bond, charged with embezzlement in connection with the Peoples Bank. Both these cases are docket for trial and it is expected that both sides will be ready when they are called. It will probably take much of the first week to try these cases and the trials of the defendants will be attended by a packed court room.

It is thought that the criminal docket can be cleared the first week and the civil docket disposed of the second week.

### W. M. LEMONS DROWNED IN PALMER'S POND

The report reached Sanford Monday afternoon to the effect that W. M. Lemons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Williams Lemons, of the Lemon Springs section, was accidentally drowned in Palmer's Pond, near Lemon Springs station, that afternoon about 2 o'clock. Upon learning of the tragedy, Dr. J. F. Foster, County Coroner, went over to the scene of the accident to investigate the matter. He found that the body had been removed from the water and a few people of the neighborhood had gathered at the lake site. Robert Seymour, son of Mr. D. L. Seymour, waded in and stepped on the body in water not more than four or five feet deep. He grasped the body by the overalls worn by Lemons and brought it out to a small house near the bank of the lake, where Dr. Foster examined it. In an effort to resuscitate young Lemons much of the water that had accumulated in his lungs was worked out, but he had been dead too long to restore him to life.

Charles Bullard, a companion, was in the water with Lemons at the time he was drowned, but for some reason failed to go to his assistance. It is thought Lemons stepped in a deep hole and lost control of himself. A number of children were at the lake at the time the accident happened. It was also reported that young women were there from Sanford, but we were unable to get their names.

Lemons, who was 27 years of age, was a single man. Friends and neighbors join the family in lamenting his tragic passing. The funeral was held at Ephesus Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock, and the interment made in the cemetery at the church.

### AEROPLANE WRECKED, BUT NO ONE IS HURT

An aeroplane was wrecked in a field this side of Broadway late Sunday afternoon but no one was killed or injured. Mr. Ralph Jordan, who carries a government license and has had much experience in flying, was at the controls when the plane wrecked. The wind was blowing in the wrong direction to make a successful flight. As the plane was getting under way and leaving the ground a puff of wind caught the tail of the machine tilting it over. No one was in the machine but Mr. Jordan, who was given a severe shake up, but escaped without injury. The aeroplane belongs to Mr. P. L. Dark, of this place, and has made many successful flights, giving people air thrills over Sanford. The right propeller wings and the wheels were broken off and there were other minor damages to the machine. Many people were passing on the highway and witnessed the accident.

### DEATH OF HENRY BROWN

Funeral service was held Sunday afternoon from the Gum Springs Baptist Church, near Moncure, for Henry Brown, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown, of Sanford. The service was in charge of Rev. Thomas Fred Wright, pastor of the Christian Church of Sanford. The child died at the home on Maple Avenue, following a brief illness. Surviving are the parents and one other child.

### COMMISSIONER'S PROCEEDINGS

At the regular monthly meeting of the board of Commissioners at the Court House Monday the following resolution was passed:

Whereas, complaint has been made to the County Commissioners with reference to the food of the inmates of the County Home, which has been investigated by this board, and

Whereas, it is the desire of the board of Commissioners that the inmates of the County Home have all possible care and nutrition, considering their need and physical condition, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the keeper of the County Home be furnished a copy of this resolution to the end that there may be furnished for the inmates of the County Home such food and care as their physical condition may require.

A motion was passed by the board directing the County Attorney to bring foreclosure actions affecting delinquent taxes and the County Auditor is directed to furnish the attorney with a list of such delinquents.

The chairman of the board reported that an appraiser had been secured for the purpose of ascertaining the value of the Heins Telephone Company, this being necessary for purpose of taxation.

Upon recommendation of the clerk to the equalization board, the value of the property of the Carolina Power and Light Company at the new substation was fixed at \$20,000; value of Sanford-Carriage line at \$18,000 and the value of the property of the Carolina Power and Light Company as located in Sanford was raised to \$80,000.

### FOURTH OF JULY IN SANFORD

Sanford did not celebrate the 4th of July with an elaborate program, drawing thousands of people from the surrounding country. The day seemed more like Sunday than the glorious Fourth. The banks were closed the entire day, the postoffice kept Sunday hours and the rural route carriers did not make their rounds. About all the stores and other places of business, except the drug stores, which never close, except a few hours the latter part of the night and part of Sunday and Sunday night, closed at the noon hour. The only outward sign of a holiday were the flags displayed in the business district. Many Sanford people spent the day at Lakeview, fishing, rowing, bathing, dancing. Others attended the celebration of the Fourth at Siler City, and several thousand people spent the day there. At night many attended the movies at the Temple Theatre, while others amused themselves on the miniature golf courses. Sanford and Fort Bragg played a good game of ball here in the afternoon, the latter team winning by a score of 11 to 5.

### MORE LAND IN DEWBERRIES

The satisfactory returns from the dewberry crop is encouraging farmers to set more plants, and it is believed now that the acreage for next spring will be materially increased. While the margin of profit is not as great as some would like to see, there is a sentiment that some profit has been realized, and that a considerable sum of money has come to workers in the fields through the production and harvesting of the crop, which has an appreciable effect on conditions. So the dewberry is finding favor again.

### LAND SOLD FOR TAXES AT COURT HOUSE LAST MONDAY

A large crowd of people from all parts of the county were present at the Court House last Monday to attend the sale of land for taxes. Mr. Dolph Griffin, county tax collector, and his assistant, Mrs. Griffin, were kept busy for several hours Monday morning signing tax receipts for people who called to keep their lands from being sold by paying their taxes. They would have saved the cost by paying their taxes four weeks ago. Very little of the land that was sold for taxes was bought by individuals. Most of it was bid in by the county. The owners have one year to redeem it. Should they not do this the county will take steps to dispose of it.

### MARION A. COLE

Mr. Cole was born March 12, 1892, died July 7, 1930; age 38 years, 8 months and 25 days. He was a son of the late John B. and Rebecca Cole. He joined White Hill Presbyterian Church in his early boyhood. Funeral services were conducted in White Hill Church, Tuesday at 3 o'clock, by his pastor, Rev. J. T. Barnham, assisted by Rev. Mr. Lawrence, of Vass; after which he was placed by the side of his wife who preceded him some time ago. Two sons of his went home on the same day, Joel A. and Marion A. Cole.

### MOOSE HAVE GREAT FROLIC IN SANFORD

Program at Moose Hall Wednesday Afternoon—Many Visiting Moose from Raleigh, Wilson, Fayetteville, Rocky Mt. and Other Places—Banquet at Hotel Carolina at Night—Covers Laid for 100—O. P. Makepeace Toastmaster—Speech of Welcome by Mayor Williams.

The Enoca Legion No. 69, Loyal Order of Moose, pulled off a great frolic in connection with their summer ceremonial here Wednesday afternoon and night. Many visiting members of this great order were here from Raleigh, Wilson, Rocky Mount, Fayetteville and other places. Many amusing stunts were pulled off by members of the order in comic uniforms in the street parade in the afternoon.

Covers for 100 were laid at the banquet which was held at Hotel Carolina at night. Mr. O. P. Makepeace, proprietor of the hotel, acted as toastmaster and the address of welcome was made by Mayor W. R. Williams. Following is the program which was carried out:

Moose Hall—Makepeace Building.  
2:30 P. M.—Registration.  
4:00 P. M.—Meeting begins.  
Great North Moose, A. H. McIver, presiding.

Reading of minutes. Reports of Officers. Reports of Committees. Introduction of Candidates. Ritualistic Ceremonial. Legion Degree Work. New Business. Good of the Legion. Presentation of Frolic Features.

6:00 P. M.—Adjournment. Committee in lobby of Carolina Hotel.  
4:00 P. M.—Ladies' Meet.  
Visiting ladies will meet local ladies. Entertainment will be provided.

### Officers Enoca Lodge No. 69

Edgar Womble, Past Great North Moose, Raleigh; A. H. McIver, Great North Moose, Sanford; C. A. Musselwhite, South Moose, Greenville; S. J. Maulsby, East Moose, Fayetteville; S. H. Mitchell, West Moose, Goldsboro; C. N. Winston, Herder, Raleigh; H. B. Winston, Treasurer, Raleigh; J. E. Fetway, Guiding Moose, Wilson; M. Duhling, Custodian, Durham; A. H. Cox, Argus, Sanford.

### Banquet Hall Hotel Carolina.

Toastmaster—O. P. Makepeace.  
Music by Mrs. Lee Holland, James McIver, Jack Connell.

Welcome—Mayor W. R. Williams.  
Response—C. C. Rich.  
Song—Miss Frances Riddle.  
Dance—Miss James.  
Our Legion—R. W. Vick.  
Duet—Miss Moffitt, Miss Tysor.  
Piano Solo—Miss Carroll.  
Song—Mr. Bill Tullock.  
Presentation of Cup—Edgar Womble.  
Trumpet Solo—Mr. James McIver.  
Violin Solo—Mr. Jack Connell.

### MENU

Fruit Cocktail  
Fried Chicken (Maryland Style)  
New Boiled Potatoes Cream Sauce  
Garden String Beans  
Frozen Heavenly Hash  
Neapolitan Cream and Cake  
Hot Biscuits Butter  
Iced Tet

Resolved, That Enoca Legion No. 69, Loyal Order of Moose, hereby voice its high appreciation of the whole-souled hospitality extended by the people of Sanford to each and every Legionnaire and we hereby express our warm thanks for the many courtesies which made our brief stay in your progressive city a delight. The cordial words of your honorable Mayor gave us peculiar pleasure. We thank the editor and management of The Journal for its enterprise in getting out a special in honor of our meeting. To the merchants who displayed P. A. P. signs, the local Moose and Legionnaires, the management of the Carolina Hotel, and all others who in any way contributed to the pleasure of the visitors and the success of the occasion, we return thanks.

Resolved further, That while the mercury climbed and the heat reached the Nth degree, it fell far short of the warm hospitality of the delightful people of Sanford, the home of our beloved Great North Moose, A. H. McIver.

### COMMITTEE

JONESBORO CIRCUIT.

M. E. Church, South.

IVEY T. POOLE, Pastor.

Services for Sunday, July 13th:

11:00 A. M.—Broadway.

3:00 P. M.—Morris Chapel.

8:00 P. M.—Broadway.

The third quarterly conference will be held at Broadway Sunday night, at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to be present and have their reports ready. Public cordially invited to all services.

### SITE SELECTED FOR COUNTY HOSPITAL

After Considering a Large Number of Lots Offered for the Hospital the Board Chose a Site in Melver Park at Its Meeting Tuesday Night—Ingram, Gunter and Chandler Made Building Committee.

The board of trustees of the Lee County Hospital at its meeting Tuesday night after discussing the matter for some time, took the final vote on the selection of a site for the building. When the vote was taken it was found that the following members of the board favored the Melver Park site: J. R. Ingram, chairman; J. U. Gunter, secretary; John H. Kennedy, G. T. Chandler and J. R. Jones. W. R. Hartness and H. H. Mann voted against the Melver Park site.

This lot is near the Carriage House entrance to Melver Park, and the hospital will face the street which leads through Melver Park from that side. It is in an elevated section of the Park overlooking the town. The price of the lot was first fixed at \$8,000, but was reduced to \$7,000.

The following members of the board were elected a building committee: J. R. Ingram, J. U. Gunter and G. T. Chandler. Accompanied by these gentlemen, E. C. Flanagan, the architect, left Wednesday morning for Waynesville, Mooresville, Thomasville, Morganton and other places to inspect county hospitals with a view to deciding on the plans for the Lee County Hospital.

The Express is informed that Mr. Flanagan will be assisted by Mr. L. M. Thompson, a local architect, in drawing up the plans and constructing the hospital.

### PLAY IN BROADWAY SCHOOL AUDITORIUM FRIDAY NIGHT

The Junior Order United American Mechanics, Council 269, of Broadway, will present a play entitled "Whisper to the Wind" in the school auditorium at 8:30 o'clock. Also additional short plays, good singing and dancing by J. Bowden and others. String band music and other entertaining features.

Proceeds go for benefit of worthy cause. Be sure to attend and you will not be disappointed.

### THE COMMITTEE

NEW GAS STATION FOR SANFORD

Excavations are now being made for a new gas and oil station which will be constructed on the lot now occupied by the bus station on the corner of Steele and Carriage Streets. The bus station will be moved to the back end of the lot. This lot has been leased by Mr. C. C. Bowers, who will own and operate the station. It will be 30x50 feet and take up much of the space between the corner and the Wood filling station on Carriage street. When completed it will be one of the most modern and best equipped filling stations in this section of the State. As Mr. Bowers is agent for Shell gas at this place, this popular gas will be handled by him at this new station.

### ATLANTIC BEACH BREEZES

Jarvis Brooks has returned from Atlantic City where he went to attend the annual meeting of Kiwanis International as a delegate from the Sanford Club and will have charge of the program at the meeting Friday night at the Carolina Hotel at which time he will tell the club about his trip to this famous resort and his impressions of the program put on at the convention. The following paragraph is taken from Secretary Teague's weekly letter:

"A BIRTHDAY: Our Republic had its 164th birthday the other day. Getting quite old. It has taken all these years to get down to us. And what a success, she has made. For instance, we have a Knight that radiates light, a Saint that sometimes sins, a Marsh that is high and dry, a King that wears no crown, a Jewell that does not glitter, a Wood that has never been carved, a Pit into which we have never fallen, a Davenport on which we have never sat, a Kirk in which we never worship, a Wagoner that never hitches up a team, a Wick-er that has never been lit, a Kue-keth that has never been shucked, a Farabow that has never fiddled, Over-ton that weighs under two hundred, three Make peaces and yet we have a committee on Good Will and Grievances, Brooks and yet we get our water supply from Lick Creek, and rews And er son, and until lately we had a Few tel, out just now, but hope to have some more later. With all this wealth of material, who could say that the world is not safe for Kiwanis on the Fourth of July, 1930.

### BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

The children of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Lee, gave a birthday dinner in honor of Mr. Lee's 67th birthday on Sunday, July 6th at Mt. Vernon Springs. Those present were Miss Maggie Lee and Mr. John Lee, Jr., of Sanford; Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cape and son, William, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Pope and daughters, Gwendolyn and Sybil, all of Durham; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Chesler and daughter, Opal, of Pittsboro; Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Kelly, of Broadway; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Todd, of Spencer; Mrs. Bessie Cole and daughter, Ann, of Durham; and Miss Mildred Patzsch, of Dillon, S. C.

### ROTARY CONVENTION

President Ingram in Brief Talk, Tells Rotary Club About Trip to Chicago—Committees Announced.

As president of the Sanford Rotary Club, J. R. Ingram announced Tuesday the following committees who will serve during the coming year:

Vocational Service—P. J. Barringer, chairman; R. L. Burns, J. H. Monger.

Club Service—J. I. Neal, general chairman.

Classification—J. C. Muse, W. H. White, C. C. Hatch.

Attendance—E. M. Underwood, E. C. Heins, Jr., W. H. White.

Fellowship—Hawley Griffin, W. H. Pitts, Jr., Lee McIver.

Program—F. P. Strong, R. C. Gilmore, R. E. Bobbitt.

Education—E. M. Underwood, Sr., C. E. Teague, L. P. Wilkins, Jr.

Music—Dr. M. L. Matthews, chairman.

Birthday—Dr. R. C. Gilmore, chairman.

Publicity—D. L. St. Clair, Dr. McIver, W. L. Simmons.

Luncheon—Alex. Wilkins, R. G. Copeland, J. L. Sauls.

Community Service—E. T. Usery, general chairman.

Boy's Work—A. M. Hubbard, A. D. Barber, W. P. Dyer.

Public Activities—W. A. Crabtree, T. G. Gunn, A. C. Harris.

International Service—O. P. Makepeace, chairman, W. R. Williams, Wilbur Melver.

After announcing the committees, President Ingram spoke briefly of his recent trip to Chicago as representative of the Sanford club at the Silver Anniversary of Rotary International. He was accompanied by Mrs. Ingram.

On the way to the convention city they met a number of Rotarians at Richmond. At Charlottesville the number had increased to a solid train of sixteen cars and the trip was continued through West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois, reaching Chicago in the early afternoon.

Chicago, where Rotary was organized a quarter of a century ago, was in gala attire for the occasion. Representative Rotarians were on hand from more than forty countries where Rotary now exists, and the great stadium, where the meetings were held was a busy place. High lights of the convention were reading of a message from President Hoover, who greeted the Rotarians and credited Rotary with aiding international good will, and the personal appearance on the stage of Paul P. Harris, who founded the first Rotary Club in Chicago, 25 years ago. It was Mr. Harris' first appearance at an international convention in some years, and he was greeted with tumultuous applause by a standing audience who spoke in different languages. Another big event of the meeting was the address of President M. Eugene Newsome. The keynote of his address was Friendship, Rotary's ideal, which he declared "is gradually though surely finding its way in the material attitudes and handshakes of the people of the world."

Among the outstanding speakers of the convention were Prince Ivesato Tokugawa of Japan, president of the Japanese House of Peers; Admiral Mark Kerr, of London, famous naval authority; and Sir Henry Thornton, of Quebec, head of the Canadian Railway and one of the foremost executives of the world.

Rotary's simple idea of friendship and understanding as the sovereign remedy for distrust and misunderstanding has challenged the faith and hope of men the world over, and its ever widening influence is drawing serious-minded men of good will together from all the nations of the earth in an effort to dispel doubts and fears and suspicion and to promote good will and understanding of each others problems. It is a significant thing that so many men of different nations get together in a Rotary International Convention and meet on a common ground.

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## BIG HORSELESS FARM NOW OPERATED IN LEE COUNTY

Owned and Operated By Sam V. Stevens, of Broadway—Land Cultivated by a Cultivator Pulled by a Farm-All Tractor—Large Area Under Cultivation in Corn—Stevens Plans to Start a Stock Farm—A Body of Low Lands Opened by Slave Labor Before the War—McKay's Quarters at One Time Owned by Dr. Neill and John McKay.

A few days ago a representative of this paper, accompanied by C. V. Lindley, of Siler City, a traveling representative of the International Harvester Company, W. M. Holt, of the Holt & Mann Hardware Company, of Jonesboro, and Alton Groce, Chief of Police of Jonesboro, made a trip to "McKay's Quarters," on the Lee county side of the Cape Fear river, above the Avent's Ferry Bridge, to visit one of the few horseless farms in this part of the State. Last January Sam V. Stevens, one of the most successful farmers in the Broadway section, bought 900 acres of land lying along the Cape Fear River in McKay's Quarters from the Salmon heirs of Harnett county. For corn, wheat and other grain and all kinds of grasses this is some of the most productive land in North Carolina. With favorable seasons there could be almost enough corn raised in McKay's Quarters, including the 63 acres on McKay's Island, to almost feed the population of Lee county, including that used for making liquor and home brew.

Back in the days before the Civil War there were 2,000 to 3,000 acres in the original tract in McKay's Quarters. There was a heavy original growth of timber on this land. The planters who settled along the Cape Fear river, opened and cultivated this land with slave labor. They made immense crops of corn when the seasons hit right. The Express is informed that as much as 600 barrels of corn have been made on the 63 acres on McKay's Island in one season, and the land along the river bank is almost as productive as the land on the island.

Some time previous to the Civil War Dr. John McKay and Dr. Neill, McKay's brother, bought some 1,500 acres of this land and put it under cultivation. The house in which they lived at the lower entrance to McKay's Quarters, has been torn down and an old well is the only thing that shows that at one time there was a dwelling there. Dr. John McKay, who was a medical doctor, sold his interest in the place to Dr. Neill McKay, who was for a number of years pastor of Buffalo and other Presbyterian churches in this section, and moved to South Carolina or Georgia. In going from Sanford to Lillington one sees a beautiful old home on the right that suggests the colonial architecture of the Old South, with its stately columns and deep front porch. This is the dwelling that Dr. McKay built and moved to after leaving McKay's Quarters. His daughter, who married the late S. A. Salmon, who was for a number of years sheriff of Harnett county inherited her father's interest in the land in McKay's Quarters at his death.

Some 250 of the 900 acres purchased by Mr. Stevens from the Salmon heirs lies along the river, and has not been in cultivation in several years. He has put a large acreage in corn and plans to open a live stock farm at McKay's Quarters within the next year or two. He expects to stock his farm with improved breeds of cattle and should the venture prove a success he will engage in the business on a large scale. The land is well suited to the culture of clover and all kinds of grasses as well as corn, wheat and other grains.

It was interesting to watch this big Farmall cultivator, which was manufactured by the International Harvester Company and sold by the Holt & Mann Hardware Company, of Jonesboro, in operation. It covered two rows at a time and cultivated it beautifully. One man can operate it without any trouble and it can be turned at the ends of the rows in about the space that a horse and plow can turn. With this tractor and big plow Mr. Stevens prepared the land and planted 15 acres in corn in one day. He says he will raise this crop of corn without having a horse or single tree on the farm. The crop will be entirely made by improved farm machinery. He expects to be able to make corn at about one half the cost of raising it by the old method of farming. This horseless cultivator will cultivate two acres per hour or 20 acres per day. Holt & Mann have sold a number of these cultivators to farmers in Lee county since they first began to handle them. They have done much to stimulate improved methods of farming in this section and in a few years we may hear of a number

of horseless farms in this part of the State. This farm machinery is especially adapted to the cultivation of land along Deep and Cape Fear Rivers and other bodies of land where big acreage is under cultivation. But this improved machinery is also a success on small farms as has been proven in this county.

Back in the days before the Civil War when the planters cultivated the farms along the Cape Fear with slave labor it is said they would engage in poker games, slaves being the stakes. Often, the story runs, the loser would have a slave swim the river and go to the winner on the other side.

Mr. Callahan will be available for other meetings Friday and Saturday and to assist farmers who are planning to dust to determine the time to start. Where there are other communities that want meetings, or individuals that want Mr. Callahan to help with dusting problems the matter should be taken up with E. O. McMahan, County Agent, Sanford; N. C. Mr. Callahan is with the Planters Produce and Storage Company, of Florence, S. C., and has had a lot of experience in poisoning boll weevils in the last few years. His company handles dust and dusting machinery, but Mr. Callahan is not connected with the sales department, his work is to see that farmers who poison the boll weevil do it at the right time and in the right way.

Lee county farmers have been fighting the weevils in a business like way with the sweet poison mixture and have them about under control where the poison was put on early enough. Those who have not poisoned with the molasses mixture and who did not start to poisoning until after they could find punctured squares will have to depend on the standard dust poison method to keep the weevils in check for cotton is now too large for the molasses mixture to be effective.

### E. O. McMahan, County Agent.

### ROY CARROLL DECAPITATED

While sawing slabs with a small saw at an old saw mill site in Chatham county, near Pittsboro last Tuesday afternoon, Roy Carroll, 21-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carroll, of that county, was forced against the saw by a pile of slabs falling on him, the saw almost severing his head from his body, killing him instantly.

The remains were brought to Sanford and prepared for burial by Mr. Chas. P. Rogers, undertaker. The funeral was held at Mt. Olive Baptist Church at Mandale, Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, and the interment made in the church cemetery.

### MRS. JULIA BURNS WILLETT.

Mrs. Julia Burns Willett died on Thursday, June 19th, at 4:30 A. M., at the home of her brother, Mr. O. D. Burns, at Cumcock. Mrs. Willett was visiting her cousin and life-long friend, Mrs. Orin Dowdy, when she was taken sick and asked to be carried to her brother's. She was sick only a week, suffering from a severe attack of colitis. The funeral service was conducted at Grace's Chapel by Revs. Cooke and Poole, of Jonesboro, and interment was made in the church cemetery in the presence of a large gathering of friends and relatives. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful.

Mrs. Willett was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elish Burns, of Chatham county, the oldest of five children, three of whom survive, Messrs. W. N., O. D., and J. N. Burns. When a young girl she married Mr. Jim Willett, and they made their home at Tramway. Mr. Willett died about ten years ago. They had no children of their own, but reared Mrs. Lottie Campbell, Cheshire, of Tramway, and Mr. Don Willett, of Greensboro. Mrs. Willett joined Asbury Methodist church early in life and was a faithful and regular attendant at church services, and at Sunday school until the last year or two. She was a consistent Christian and her influence will be missed in the community where she lived and visited. Truly a good woman has passed.

