

**TO CHERAW!**  
SANFORD WANTS THE BIGGEST DELEGATION AT CHERAW OF ANY TOWN ON FEDERAL HIGHWAY No. 1. Plan For The Trip.

**THE 1931 FAIR**  
Let's Get Busy Now And Have The Biggest Agricultural Fair Ever—Plan Now For Your Exhibits.

**TWO KILLED WHEN AUTOIST SNOOZES FROM LONG DRIVE**

Philadelphia Held Here Under \$5,000 Bond Charged With Involuntary Manslaughter.  
**COMPANION ALSO IS HELD**  
Lee County Young Men Were On Way To Work At Saw-mill When Killed.

Richard Hutchinson, of Bristol, Pa., is held in the Lee County jail under heavy bond on a charge of involuntary manslaughter in connection with the deaths of two youths who died early Monday morning after being struck by a car driven by Hutchinson. Hutchinson's companion and owner of the car, Eugene Beck, is in jail under bond of \$500, being held as a material witness. Hutchinson's bond was placed at \$2,000.

The horrible accident in which the two young men, Carl McLenny and Robert Holt, both in their early twenties, lost their lives, occurred on Federal Highway No. 1 near Deep River Consolidated School, eight miles north of here, about 8:30 o'clock Monday morning. McLenny and Holt, who were employed at a saw mill in the neighborhood, were on their way to work.

A coroner's jury, impaneled shortly after the accident, after holding an inquest ruled, "that they came to their deaths as a result of being run down on the highway by an automobile which was driven in a careless way by Richard Hutchinson."

In testimony at the hearing, said he had fallen asleep and was not cognizant of the accident until he awoke and found the radiator of the car had been smashed. He pointed out to Beck, who was asleep in the rear seat, they decided to turn the car around and retrace their course.

Beck said he and Hutchinson were on their way from St. Augustine, Fla., to Philadelphia when they left the former place Sunday at noon. He said no stop for sleep had been made since leaving St. Augustine and that from driving.

Holt, according to those who were first to arrive at the scene, was drug along the highway for several yards before being shoved from the concrete by the car.

**GAVIN NAMED TO JUNIOR OFFICE**  
Local Attorney Appointed Chief Supreme Judge State Council Jr. O. U. A. M.

Edwin L. Gavin, prominent Sanford attorney and Federal District Attorney, has been named Chief Supreme Judge of the State Council Jr. O. U. A. M. Mr. Gavin was recently notified of the appointment by Sam F. Vance, of Kernersville, State secretary.

**CONTRIBUTE TO LEE HOSPITAL**  
The following organizations and individuals have donated funds for the furnishing of private hospital rooms.

**MRS. B. W. PETTY DEAD**  
Mrs. B. W. Petty died Wednesday afternoon at her home near Sanford after an illness lasting for several months. The funeral was held this afternoon at Cool Springs. A more extended notice about Mrs. Petty's death will appear in The Express next week.

**SANFORD TO BE REPRESENTED BY BRILLIANT MOTORCADE AT CHERAW**

**HARRINGTON SELLS FIRST COTTON HERE**  
The first bale of cotton sold in Sanford this year was marketed Monday by Raymond Harrington. The purchaser was P. P. Kelly. The bale of cotton, grown on Mr. Harrington's farm about three miles from here, was ginned at the Matthews and Kelly gin. There were 1,390 pounds of seed cotton, and when ginned it tilted the scales at 520. Mr. Harrington was paid 3-4 cents for his cotton, a half a cent over the market price, this because the fiber measured above the average.

**EXERCISES HELD LOCAL SCHOOLS**  
Stout, Andrews, Brinn and Hawkins Address School Students At Exercises.

Informal public exercises were held at East and West Sanford schools on Friday morning, addresses by leading citizens being a feature of the program. Members of the school board and of civic organizations were present.

The exercises at East Sanford school were planned by the principal, Miss Louise Putrell, and opened with the singing of "America." Informal public exercises were held at West Sanford school, delivered a short talk and introduced the speakers.

Speaking in an inspirational vein, Joe W. Stout, referred to the economic depression and the enforced retrenchment this condition has wrought in the administration of school affairs but called upon the pupils, teachers and patrons of the school to face the future with courage and patriotism.

**MERCHANTS BOOST TOBACCO MARKET**  
Erect Four Large Signs Along Highways Leading Into Sanford.

Four large signs, measuring 8 by 24 feet, have been erected by the Merchants Association at points leading into Sanford. These signs extend a welcome to the farmer to sell his tobacco in Sanford and sets forth the advantages of marketing tobacco here.

**CARROLL PLACED UNDER BIG BOND**  
Wes Carroll who has the reputation of being one of the worst blockaders and bootleggers in this section of the State, was arrested last Thursday night by Federal Prohibition Officer J. J. Harris while asleep in his car at his home in this county.

Carroll served time on the Chatham county roads a few years ago on the charge of handling liquor. He has a handsome home and one of the best farms in the county.

**MONGER QUOTES ROGER BABSON TO ROTARIANS**

Sanford Grocer Delivers Interesting Address Before Rotary Club  
**BUSINESS BELOW NORMAL**  
Noted Economist Says Overproduction Theory Is A Myth and Delusion.

In a paper read before the Rotary Club Tuesday, J. H. Monger quoted Roger Babson as declaring that overproduction was a myth. Babson blames underconsumption for world conditions. There is only one practical and permanent cure today for unemployment and that is to increase our markets both at home and abroad by raising the world's standard of living.

**UNIQUE CONTEST**  
Prizes Are On Display In Window Of United Bank & Trust Company.

In keeping with its policy of presenting new and interesting features for its readers the Sanford Express is offering with this issue a new and unique contest and features entitled "What I Trade With These Business Firms," details of which will be found on another page of this week's issue.

**MRS. J. R. SLOAN DIES NEAR HERE**  
The unexpected death of Mrs. J. R. Sloan, of Sanford Route 2, was a great loss to her many friends and loved ones.

**OFFICERS HAUL IN LARGE STILL**  
Sheriff Rives and Deputy J. M. Thoma Capture Large Copper Still.

A large copper still the capacity of which measured 85 gallons and which had been recently in operation was captured Tuesday in the Little River section by Sheriff Arthur Rives and Deputy Sheriff J. M. Thoma.

**Rev. S. A. Cotton Dies Suddenly**  
Just as we go to press we learn of the death of Rev. S. A. Cotton, which occurred at his home about three o'clock this afternoon. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

**MOOSE OF CAROLINAS SETTLE ON SANFORD FOR 1932 CONVENTION**

Between six and seven hundred delegates of the Loyal Order of Moose from the two Carolinas and a part of Virginia, by far the largest body of people ever yet to assemble in Sanford for a convention, will be given an opportunity to enjoy the hospitality for which this city is renowned when they come here on Labor Day 1932 for their annual convention.

The chief feature on the program during the day was a business session held at Guilford Battleground Monday morning, starting at 11 o'clock. A. L. Brooks, prominent Greensboro attorney, delivered an address.

**COUNTY COMMISSIONERS PARING EXPENSES WHEREVER POSSIBLE**  
COURT DEVOID OF WHISKEY CASES  
Judge McPherson Presides Over Unusual Session Of Recorder's Court.

Hardly since the "memory of man runneth not to the contrary" has there been held a session of Lee Recorder's Court in which there was a total absence of cases of prohibition law violations. Such a session, perhaps the first one held since the establishment of this court, however, was held Tuesday and the noteworthy event did not escape comment from Judge McPherson who presided.

**BOARD WITHDRAWS FUNDS ALLOTTED FOR SUPERVISOR**  
Sanford School District Fails To Release Pro Rata Per Tax of \$672.

An allowance of \$2,180, including the salary of the county supervisor, supplies and travel, an appropriation included in the county budget upon the condition that the trustees of the Sanford Graded School District release from the pro rata per capita tax such district is entitled to receive, the sum of \$672 to be applied against the salary of the supervisor was eliminated Monday when the Board of Commissioners voted unanimously to amend the budget.

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Club To Be Entertained By The White Hill Women's Club At Early Date.

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**CAROLINA MINE CLAIMS VICTIM**  
Fred Haynes Believed To Have Died From Exposure To Monoxide Gas.

Deadly fumes of monoxide gas believed to have formed when an arc of the mine's electric wiring set fire to the gas about consuming the oxygen supply is thought to have snuffed out the life of Fred Haynes, 55, an employee of the Carolina Coal mine at Cool Glen early this morning.

**HONEST PEOPLE ARE STILL LEFT**  
Some three weeks ago, Mrs. O. B. Andrews, who lives near Buffalo church, lost her pocketbook, which contained \$71.00.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Livingston at the Lee County Hospital September 1st, a girl, Joann Vick, weight 8 pounds. This was the first successful baby born in the new hospital.