

OPTIMISM FELT ON NEW TOBACCO OPENING

SANFORD'S THREE WAREHOUSES  
OPEN FOR SEASON ON TUESDAY

Tobaccoists Are Predicting One Of Greatest Years In History Of Sanford Market—Three Warehouses Making Preparations To Take Care Of From Ten To Twelve Million Pounds Tobacco

Sanford is confidently looking forward to next Tuesday as the greatest tobacco opening in the history of the local market. Already the stage is being set for the reception of thousands of pounds of the golden weed and the consensus of local warehousemen, buyers and veteran observers of tobacco prices is that the prices here will "look upward."

Three Warehouses. As last year there will be three warehouses in operation. The 3-W Warehouse, under the management of W. F. Wood last year, will be operated again by Mr. Wood but by partnership with Mitchell Guthrie, an experienced tobaccoist and a former buyer for the Imperial Tobacco Co., of Tilley's Warehouse is to be run by A. J. Tilley who begins his third year in the tobacco business here. Will Tilley, associated with this warehouse last season, will be associated with Hester and Jordan in the operation of the Farmer's Warehouse.

FULL SET OF BUYERS  
ON LOCAL MARKET

Though the Express has been unable to get definite information concerning the names of the buyers who are to represent the leading tobacco companies on the Sanford tobacco market, it is understood that all the big companies and the independent companies will be represented here. There is a good crop of tobacco in this section and it is just the type these companies want and they will, of course, go after it.

KENNEDY MAKES  
ADDRESS BEFORE  
RURAL CARRIERS

Sanford Postmaster Talks On The Carriers' Mess-

HELD MEET AT SILER CITY  
T. C. Riddle And S. M. Watson  
Of Sanford, Also Speak-  
ers On Program.

The Central Carolina Letter Carriers held their annual Labor Day meeting in Siler City on Monday. T. C. Riddle, of Sanford, president, presided. Prayer was offered by Rev. J. C. Canipe, Mayor O. B. Reitzel welcomed the carriers, saying the keys of the town were theirs. W. C. Farrell, of Sanford, responded. Mrs. Barkdale played an organ solo. Hon. R. H. Dixon, Postmaster of Siler City then addressed the meeting on "Service," which was highly enjoyed. R. A. Kennedy, Postmaster of Sanford, ably discussed "The Carrier As A Messenger of Good Will."

TILLEY HERE TO  
HANDLE TOBACCO

Tobacconist Beginning Third Season Here; Has Been In Business 13 Years.

A. J. Tilley, head of Tilley's Warehouse, arrives here Monday evening from Kingstree, S. C., where he has been running a tobacco warehouse this season. Mr. Tilley, who has been in the tobacco business since discarding his uniform after the World War, has during that time been associated with tobacco warehouses in Winston-Salem, Sanford and Kingstree. He is a native of Surry County and his home is in Mt. Airy.

BOBBY BURNS IS  
ROTARY SPEAKER

Prominent Oil Dealer Emphasizes Better Attendance At Club Meetings.

R. L. Burns was the chief speaker at the Rotary Club luncheon Tuesday. Mr. Burns in a talk of about ten minutes in length stressed the necessity of better attendance at the weekly meetings of the club. In this connection he invited the members to attend in a body the celebration of the completion of U. S. Highway No. 1 at Cheraw today.

Miss Helen Dunlap, of Sanford, is spending a few days at the Dodge Hotel in Washington, D. C.

LOCAL THEATRE  
IS INSTALLING  
NEW EQUIPMENT

Management of Temple Theatre Passes Into Qualles Interest.

NEW VITAPHONE ADDED  
New Owners Planning To Make  
Sanford Theatre One Of  
State's Best.

Local theatrical lovers in and about Sanford will be thrilled Monday night when they will enjoy for the first time at the Temple Theatre the newly installed Western Electric Vitaphone, the most advanced mode of apparatus yet devised for carrying the human voice on the screen.

The new vitaphone, embodying the complete Western Electric sound system, has been purchased and installed by the new management of the local theatre at huge cost and represents their initial efforts of a program on which they are working toward making their theatre one of the finest and most modernly equipped in the State.

While the elder Qualles will continue to make his home in Burlington where he is engaged in the wholesale grocery business, his son, Arnold H. Qualles will make his home here and be in active management of the theatre. An alumnus of Wake Forest College, where he took active part in the dramatic presentations of the institution, Mr. Qualles entered the theatrical business immediately after leaving college. Until recently he was manager of the Concord Theatre.

WOOD TO BEGIN  
SIXTH SEASON

Mitchell Guthrie To Be Associated With 3-W Warehouse This Year.

KIWANIANS PUT  
ON GOOD PROGRAM

J. W. Tilley Discusses Local Tobacco Market And Gives Impressions of Crop.

The Kiwanis Club held its regular weekly meeting in the dining room of the First Baptist Church last Friday night and was served a most sumptuous supper by the ladies of the church. They sustained their reputation on this occasion as culinary artists. Following were the guests of the club: J. W. Tilley, A. H. Melver, R. E. Ebert, of Winston-Salem, and Harry Nealy, of Greensboro.

A STATEMENT  
The readers of The Express will see from this issue of The Express that we are carrying an unusually large amount of advertising. We have had to add four pages to take care of the advertising patronage and still we are short on space for reading matter.

REV. S. A. COTTON  
IS CLAIMED BY  
DEATH THURSDAY

Beloved Methodist Minister Died Suddenly On Last Thursday.

ANGINA PECTORIS CAUSE  
Funeral Conducted At Steele St.  
Church By Presiding  
Elder Cade.

The people of Sanford were shocked almost beyond expression when the news spread over the town last Thursday afternoon to the effect that Rev. Solon Ashe Cotton, pastor of Steele Street Methodist church, suddenly passed away at the Methodist parsonage on Summit Avenue at 2:45. Members of his church and friends in the town and community knew that he was not in robust health, but they were not prepared for the worst. He went away for a rest during the summer and his friends hoped that he would return stronger and better prepared to carry on his work.

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MOTORCADE, REPRESENTING SANFORD  
LEAVES FOR CHERAW THIS MORNING

A CORRECTION  
As our readers know The Express is carrying a page contest. It is stated in this page that the contest was to close yesterday, 16th. This is a mistake. Those who may wish to enter this contest and work for these prizes have till next Wednesday to send in their letters.

PRESBYTERY WILL  
HOLD MEETING AT  
HISTORIC CHURCH

Orange Presbytery To Hold Fall Session At Old Lee County Church.

WILL BE HELD SEPT. 22  
J. R. Jones, Sr. Is Delegate From  
Sanford Presbyterian  
Church.

Orange Presbytery will hold its fall session at St. Andrews Presbyterian church near Lemon Springs in this county beginning next Tuesday, September 22nd. St. Andrews church was organized and a house of worship built a short time before the Civil War broke out. This church sprang from Buffalo, which is known as "The Mother Church." From this church also sprang other Presbyterian churches in this part of the State, including churches in Sanford and Jonesboro.

BROADWAY SCHOOL  
TERM HAS BEGUN

Total Enrollment 425; Over One Hundred Pupils In High School.

The number of pupils enrolled in Broadway School will increase. The total enrollment now is 425. One hundred of this number being in the High School. Comparative reports show that there are fifty-nine more in the elementary department than were enrolled in the first month of last year. It is hoped that all children of school age will enroll as soon as possible in order to make a full year's work in school.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The regular services will be resumed at the Presbyterian Church next Sunday. Dr. Gilmore will return the W. of this week and preach on Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. cordial invitation is given to these services.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends for their kind expressions of sympathy to us in our bereavement.

REV. A. J. GROVES APPOINTED  
ACTING METHODIST PASTOR

Rev. A. J. Groves, a superannuated member of the North Carolina Conference, who, for the past year or two has been making his home here, has been recommended for appointment as acting pastor of Steele Street Methodist church to succeed the late Rev. S. A. Cotton, by Presiding Elder W. A. Cade, of the Fayetteville District. Mr. Groves will probably serve in that capacity till the meeting of the Conference at which time a pastor will be appointed by the bishop.

Kindergarten Class Opens Monday. The fall term of the Kindergarten Class will open Monday morning at 9 o'clock in the home next to Dr. J. P. Monroe's residence. All parents wishing to enter their children should make an effort to do so by October 1.

AROUND 60 CARS  
MOTORCADE WHICH  
GOES FROM HERE

Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt Of New York Will Deliver Address.

GARDNER WILL BE THERE

Between three and five hundred Sanford motorists left this morning for Cheraw where they will participate in the huge celebration there today marking the completion of U. S. Highway No. 1. Around sixty cars formed the motorcade representing this city.

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