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# UNITED BANK TO REOPEN FOR BUSINESS FRIDAY

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#### UNITED BANK TO OPEN DOORS FOR **BUSINESS FRIDAY**

Charles L. Abercomble, Cashier Sanford Unit, Arrived In City This Morning.

GIVE BANK A WELCOME

The United Bank & Trust Co. which closed its doors on December 30, 1931, will reopen for business tomorrow, it was stated here this morning by O. P. Makepeace, chairman of the board of directors of the local

that Charles L. Abercombie, of Greens boro, will be cashier of the new institution. Ernest L Kennedy, of Cumnock, will be assistant cashier. Mr. Abercombie has been associated with the United Bank & Trust Co., in its Greensboro office, for the past ten years. Mr. Kennedy, who is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Kennedy, of Cumnock, until the institution closed last December, was assistant cashier of its Reidsville unit. Several years ago he was connected with the Page Trust Co., of this city.

the called as soon as practicable after a match. He told the farmer that he shortly thereafter.

that the public and the stockholders in the new bank will appreciate the fact that there have been a great many details in connection with the reorganization which had to be delayed until it was known that a sufficient number of depositors had sign ed the depositors' agreement and the requisite amount of new capital had been raised. These facts became accomplished only a few days ago and thereupon it was necessary to perfect the legal details with the utmost possible speed.

ing was greeted here with great er thusiasm. In a paid page advertisement in this issue of The Express, the following merchants expressed their congratulations to the bank and the public spirited citizens who made possible its reopening: Wiliams-Belk Co., Efird's, Progressive Stores, Sanford Sash and Blind Co., Crabtree Drug Co., Thomas Drug Co., Lee Drug Co., Carolina Hotel, Sanlee Theatre, Sanford Ice & Coal Co., Lee Hardware Co., Lee Furniture Co., Dalrymple, Marks & Brooks and Holt & Mann

#### BILLIARD PARLOR OPENED IN CITY

Frank Clegg Opens Pool Room In the Carolina Hotel Building This Week

The Carolina Rilliard Parlor, of lnia Hotel building early this week. The pool room is located in the room formerly occupied by the American

wish and drink stand near the front She is survived by two daughters, of the building and invites his friends Miss Margaret McLeod and Mrs. wish and drink stand near the front to call there for refreshments.

SPEAKING CANCELLED

On account of conflict in engagespeak at the Town Hall tonight, (Thursday). Mr. Ward and Honorfrom 8:30 to 9:00 o'clock.

### Makepeace Lauds Spirit of Sanford and the Community

The following statement has sen issued by O. P. Makepeace, chairman of the board of direc-tors of the United Bank & Trust

Company:

"To the public spirited citizenship of this community who, through their moral and financial support, have made possible the reopening of the United Bank & Trust Co., I, on behalf of the bank, its directors and officials, wish to express sincere appreciation. Without your sacrifice, it could never have been possible.

"Lying before us is a task that will require arduous labor and indomnitable determination, but with your continued cooperation, the financial and commercial structure of our city and county can be rehabilitated. Again, I thank you one and all. "O. P. MAKEPEACE, "Chairman Board of Directors."

### TWO NEGRO OUTLAWS **MYSTERIOUSLY VANISH**

of its Reidsville unit. Several years ago he was connected with the Page and killed Thomas A. Beal and N. H. Perry at Cumnock on Saturday, 18th., are still at large and if the officers are still bunting them there is very the local unit, will be in charge of the new institution's department of new accounts in Greensboro. Al Coleman, who has been with the United since it began business here in June, 1930, will be associated with the Greensboro bank as a teller.

The organization of the new bank is subject to the approval of the stockholders, said Col. Frank P. Hob good, chairman of the reorganization committee and chairman of the board of directors, Tuesday. After expressing the high appreciation of the recognization committee and chairman of the board of directors, Tuesday. After expressing the high appreciation of the magnificent cooperation extended by depositors in the old bank, the civic bodies of the cities of Sanford, Greenshoro, Burlington and Reidsville, and of the public in general, he stated that seem to have made a clean get away.

Two of the three negroes who shot had been men in the river and got his clothes wet. After he left the farmer unhithhed his horse and went to the house of a still bunting them there is very little said about it. It is reported that Harvey Wallace, who it is be lived and told him that they were hunting Wallace and showing him in the field.

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ject to the approval or rejection of a majority of the stockholders of the new bank, a meeting of whom will cameron and Carthage and asked for 1932, for store breaking. Escaped

#### BELOVED WOMAN OF STOCKHOLDERS OF **BROADWAY IS DEAD**

Friends and neighbors were shocked to learn of the death of Mrs. Annie Lasater McLeod, of Broadway, who passed away at the Highsmith Hospital in Fayetteville after several weeks' illness, last Tuesday. She un-

church at Lillington.

Well cemetery

James L. Bridges, of Broadway; two sons, Rev. Lasater McLeod, of Louis iana, and Malcolm A. McLeod, of Broadway; two sisters, Miss Margaret Lasater, of Sanford, and Mrs. Mildred ments, Hen. Hallet S. Ward will not McKay R. F. D., Lillington, and se seven brothers, R. E. Lasater, Winter, Erwin, W. B. Lasater, Broadway;

## BANK ANNOUNCED

Many Lee County Citizens Are Stockholders In Reorganized United Bank.

The names of stockholders and di-

rectors in the United Bank & Trust Co have been announced as follows: be the sober gentleman he has always primary. He stated that they had is rather late in getting around to his derwent an operation, but failed to Gunn, A. O. Coleman, J. Melvin Clark, Old-time Democrats , who have charged him with saying in a picture of Representatives. rally from the shock. The body was Heins Telephone Co., W. L. Simmons, fought the battles of Democracy since the nomination for Governor by Mr. bly the House of Representatives, Kiwanis speller. The doctor, who Announcement of the bank's reopen brought to Broadway where funeral W. H. White, R. H. Thomas, E. M. red shirt days said yesterday they had Gardner by the small margin of two composed of 120 members, was able services were held at 5 o'clock Wed- Underwood, Sr., E. M. Underwood, never witnessed a more venomous votes he would not call for a second to carry on its work with 58 employ- "Blue-Back" as a rollicking youngster nesday afternoon from the Presbyter- Jr., T. G. Gunn, Abror M. Gunn, An- campaign against a man than the one primary. He said that he did not ees at a total expense of \$39,125; in Davidson county, has retained the ian church conducted by Rev. J. S. thony S. Jordan, J. W. Gilliam, Harris which is being fought against Sena-Cook, pastor of the Jonesboro Presbyterian church, assisted by Rev. Meless than one-half the membership of how.

Makepeace Hardware Co., R. A. Kenbyterian church, assisted by Rev. Meless than one-half the membership of the house, required 74 employees at Jimi nius, pastor of the Presbyterian Rogers, P. L. Long, S. W. Allen, C. libel, and of desperation, it was point- that is all together different from an expenditure of \$46,592. V. Barnes, R. W. Barnes, C. C. Bow- ed out today by Morrison supporters, that one. He said there were too Interment was made in Shallow ers, Geo. T. Candler, Cross & Brinn, that the high moguls of the Reynolds many grave things to handle for him Dalrymple, Marks & Brooks, J. T. organization, through their organ of to be willing to turn the affairs of have so many employees for his 50 second. Many who were present to attend Davenport, Sr., W. H. Fitts, Dr. J. F. publicity, fires blank cartridges in an the office over to Bob Reynolds, when senators—in the Senate he himself or the funeral failed to gain admission Foster, Clayborn H. Gurley, W. R. attempt to assasinate Senator Morrito the church. Many attended from Hartness, A. M. Hubbard, A. K. Hunt, son and those who urge his is om-Sanford. At the conclusion of the W. L. Jewell, Jones Printing Co., J. ination. services in the church the interment R. Jones, P. P. Kelly, Ernest Ken- The consensus on the eve of the was made in the church cemetery. The nedy, Harvey Kennedy, S. Q. Kimrey, primary, however, is that these broadgrave was banked with a collection King Roofing Mfg. Co., Dr. F. L. sides will react as a boomerang to an opportunity to express themselded an opportunity to express themselder and brought the length and at the polls.

Toulitain has accentified an opportunity to express themselder and brought the length and at the polls. Mrs. McLeod was the daughter of Marks, R. E. Marks, Doyle McFarland, county by a handsome majority.

Only one contest outside major of-Hardware Co., Stacy A. Love, T. O. that Senator Morrison will carry the the late Mr. and Mrs. William B. Dr. M. L. Matthews, J. H. Monger, Lasater. Her husband, Malcolm A. John C. Muse. G. H. Oliver, N. H. McLeod, preceded her to the grave Perry, J. C. Pittman, C. H. Porter, W. race for constable in West Sanford by several years. Prof. McLeod E. Porter, T. A. Riddle, Mrs. T. A. township where R. W. Craige and taught school at Broadway for a Riddle, J. R. Rives, T. C. Salmon, A. number of years, and Mrs. McLeod S. Sanders, W. T. Seagrove, H. G. which Frank Clegg is manager and is pleasantly remembered by a host Self, Cornella Simpson, Mrs. J. W. proprietor, was opened in the Carolina Hotel building early this week, ed there. Mrs. McLeod had been a H. M. Wagoner, G. R. Wheeler, W. R. member of the Presbyterian church Williams, J. F. Womble, Phil C. Yarsince girlhood and was an active boro, W. B. Bryant, G. C. Smith, worker all through the years. She also Lemmon & Jones, T. E. Graham, B. took an active part in many other B. Kammer, R. R. Morgan, Gilbert things calculated to advance the best Blue, G. J. Richardson, Mrs. E. V. to give the public clean recreational interests of the town and community, Kennedy, Marion C. Vestal, Garland facilities and that he will conduct a For her many good deeds she was Perry, J. C. Oliver, O. P. Makepeace, of the grocery stores; which will redecent place where those wishing to loved by the people of Broadway and J. R. Ingram, R. E. Bobbitt, John H. main open until ten o'cleck, in order

enjoy the sport of a billiard game section. She reared a family of Kennedy, W. A. Crabtree, W. R. to allow their customers an opportunity to get the day's supply of gro-Directors: O. P. Makepeace, chair-

EPISCOPAL SERVICES

Services will be held at St. Thomas Spiscopal church next Sunday at 11 with some sort of celebration or a a. m. instead of the usual afternoon picnic but this will not be done this services. The Rector, Rev. F. Craig- year. Due to the mammoth Moose hill Brown, will preach.

able Willis Smith will speak over Radio from WPTF in Raleigh tonight from 8:30 to 9:00 o'clock.

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POLITICA ROAR E STARTS

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Political v ers are shelling heir respective urday ret torate loc by the electhe horizon lashes from the C. B. Ehringhaus tain, candidates bernatorial nom

> opposing forces While neither statements, and ound the Morris known that a of work is going

paign did not set at that are being wn lack of conding their reof the whispering

tent. He neither pemocratic voters of the county for Ehringhaus." votes nor drinks vet. I have known him intimately for forty years and his support in the first primary. As Fountain," Mr. Smith said, "First, he on Cash, of Winston-Salem, was never, during those years, have I has been stated in these columns he known one having the superlative audacity to give vent to such a repre-hensible prevarication. I talked with the Senator while he was here Monday and he was sober as I or anyone in the gathering. Such reports are libelous, slanderous and unfounded." "I talked to the Senator," said Capt. Pat St. Clair, co-publisher of posited. The Sanford Express, "and contrary to the report which is said to have to the report which is said to have are opposed to him, have seen fit to out interfering with the useful functions of government! Mr. Fountain

been given circulation, found him to criticize him for calling for a second tions of government! Mr. Fountain

township where R. W. Craige and Norman S. Teague are conducting a and had never used liquor; that his militant campaign among the voters.

#### MONDAY, JULY 4th. Grocery Stores Will Remain

Open Until Ten O'clock: No Big Celebration

Sanford stores, with the exception ity to get the day's supply of groceries, will be closed on July 4th., the man; G. T. Chandler, Broadway; J. R. national holiday, announced A. K. Ingram, John H. Kennedy, Cumnock. Miller, secretary of the Sanford Merlects the tax on tobacco. The people

chants' Association, this morning. In the past it has been customary for Sanford to observe the Fourth celebration, which is slated to take The State Veterinary Convention ship of the city decided instead of a

### MORRISON INCLUDES LEE IN HIS 'SWING AROUND CIRCLE'

VISITING HERE. MORRISON BEAMS **MUCH OPTIMISM** 

Senator Says All Kinds of False-hoods Have Been Told About Him.

CHARGED WITH DRINKING

While on a swing around the circle in rounding up the second campaign for the primary which will be held next Saturday to decide who shall have the nomination for Senator from the west-ern half of the State. Senator Morrison stopped in Sanford last Monday at 2 o'clock to confer with his manager, Austin Mc-Cormick, and other workers. He came down by Pittsboro and

Siler City and when he reached Sanford at the appointed hour he was surprised to find a large number of both men and women from Sanford, Jonesboro and other outlying sections of the county at the hotel to greet him. He at first decided to make it a hand shaking reception, but upor being urged to make a speech all as-sembled in the ball room on the second floor of the building where he made a short speech on some phases of the campaign. As the time was limited he did not go into a long discussion of the issues of the campaign. He was introduced by Mr. Cormick the was introduced by Mr. Cormick in a few words, All, and especially the ladies, seemed vitally interested was here first time some of the lady workers had heard Senator Morrison speak.

the manner in which they rallied to

carried the county over all other can-

day, that to do this they must keep

on the job till the last vote is de-

not registered a choice as between

him and Reynolds, that in justice to

the voters of the State this should

not be done without giving the people

Senator Morrison said that all

kinds of falsehoods had been told on

him: that he had been charged with

kept at his headquarters. He stated

that he had always been a dry man

position on prohibition is not incon-

sistent with his life. He referred to

the fact that there are 11 other men

from North Carolina in Congress

that have taken a stand against the

liquor traffic. Senator Morrison

will be found standing on the plat-

vored the sale of liquor by law as the

would tend to lower other taxes in

the States where liquor is sold. He

asserted that this would not be the

case as the tax would be collected by

would not feel-it locally and it would

dred votes at the primary next Satur- thing.

FIRST COTTON BLOSSOMS APPEAR ON JUNE 27th.

The two first cotton blosstms

of the season were sent to The Express on the same date, June 27th, They were from Grant Thomas, Jonesboro Route No. 2. and Annie Gales, colored, who lives on the farm of Mr. W. B. Thomas, who lives near Broadway. Other blossoms were sent in by Mrs. P. H. Rogers, Jonesboro Route No. 3, 28th., and Mr. F. A. Sloan, Sanford Route No. 2, on June 28th. It seems that catton is later in this section than it was last year. As we recall the first blooms were reported a few days earlier last year. Cotton is unusually small for the time of year.

#### SPEAKER SMITH HITS FOUNTAIN

Says As President of the Senate **Candidate Permitted Gross** Extravagance.

Jonesboro, June 28 .- Willis Smith, speaker of the 1931 session of the general assembly, in his second speech today in behalf of John C. B. Ehringhaus, candidate for governor, Albemarle. Other officers elected and who led the first primary by a were W. A. Foneville, Wilmington, plurality of 47,000 votes, pointed out that although Lieutenant Governor Fountain, second man in the race characterized himself as "the most speak. ardent supporter of the McLean School bids of Winston-Salem and Wilmington that law it is interesting to note that the

"Before me is the platform of Mr.

"Mr. Fountain promised you 'al.

"If Mr. Fountain believed in real

SPEAK TO-NIGHT

Hallet S. Ward, over Radia Station

June 30th., from 8:30 until 9 o'clock.

recently spent a few days in the

western part of the State and found

things in good shape. He was also

encouraged with the outlook in Chat-

as well as men for the work they are

done. He said that some people fa- vital importance to the voters of Lee

not lift the burdensome tax from ham county. He thanked the ladies

Senator Morrison had very little how doing in Lee county in his be-

to say about Reynolds, but referred half. The ladies here are now well

to him as a showman holding circuses organized and are systematically

here and there over the State, but did pushing Senator Morrison's campaign.

County.

with its 120 members.

SANFORD MAN IS CHOSEN BUILDING AND LOAN LEADER

Joe E. Brinn Elected President North Carolina Building & Loan Association.

BLOWING ROCK IN -1933

New President Is One of San-ford's Leading Business Men—Very Able,

Joe E. Brinn, of this city, was last veek elected president of the North Carolina Building and Loan Associa-tion for the year 1932-33. Mr. Brinn, who is secretary and treasurer of the Sanford B. & L. Association, has be identified with the building and loan business, since the local organization was chartered a number of years ago. Mr. Brinn is a member of the local School board and active in church affairs. He will make a good menter for the State Association.

Wilmington, June 24 - Election of officers, selection of the 1933 convention, an address by of officers, selection of the scene of D. K. Laroque, Raleigh, deputy surance commissioner and supervisor of building and loan associations, on the "Home Loan Bank," adoption of a resolution indorsing the home loan bank bill and filing of reports featured the closing session yesterday of the 29th annual convention of the North Carolina Building and Loan league at Wrightsville Beach.

J. E. Brinn, Sanford, was elected president, succeeding A. P. Harris, Greensboro, secretary and treasurer (re-elected).

Blowing Rock was selected as the scene for the 1933 convention over

pledges himself to the McLean School committee and other members will be Law. To be sure every candidate. E. F. Allen, of Lenoir; George R. pealed to his friends and workers to for the governorship, and practically Wooten, of Hickory; W. Ben Goodmake every effort to see that this every candidate for the legislature win, of Elizabeth City, and J. L. majority is increased by several hun- has pledged himself to the same Horne, Jr., of Rocky Mount. KIWANIANS HOLD

and E. Y. Keesler, of Charlotte, Le-

economy in government insofar as SPELLING MATCH Dr. R. G. Sowers Emerges As Champion Kiwanis Speller; Advocate Canning. Dr. R. G. Sowers is the champion

little too late for the "Blue-Back,' seemingly unhandicapped by this early economy, why was it that he had to impediment, ran Dr. Sowers a close

70,000 people in North Carolina had ganized—than was used by the house won out over McIver was "clematis." Only technical words were given, be-"The answer to that question may ing chosen from the non-enclature of be found in the machine which Mr. botany, architecture, medicine and tex Fountain has attempted to steam tiles. The word "Baluster" almost say that if Mr. Fountain should be finally spelled. Disagreement as to elected governor of this Common- the preferred form ensued, however, wealth, the spoils of office would be and those who were scated were perfices engage the voters. That is the drinking liquor and that liquor was distributed in greater profusion than mitted to resume their places in the has ever been known before in the his- line. tory of North Carolina under Demo-

The word "Lombardy" was too cratic administration of government." much for Harold Makepeace, and excellent speller that he is, the word "hydrangea" seated D. B. Teague, local barrister. Charlie Rogers couldn't Hear Hon. Willis Smith and Hon. get his "latitude" right and S. W. Allen was floored on "strawberry." John WPTF, Raleigh, to-night, Thursday, Koonce missed "cupola" and the word "cosmos" sounded too much like Einform of his party as he has always These men will speak on issues of stein for H. M. Wagoner.

"Gynecology" knocked out J. C. Pittman while J. Melvin Clark, whose spelling was otherwise superb, missed on a syllable in "rhododendron." "Merchurochrome" was though to seat Gilliam Anderson and B. B. Kammer. Miss Ruth Phillips was chosen as sponsor for the club during the sum-

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank each and everyone for their kindness and sympathy shown us, and for the beautiful flow-Senator Morrison went from here ers sent during the illness and death not think a majority of the Democrats to Jonesboro and after meeting some of our beloved daughter and grand-

J. N. King and daughter,