

# Personals

Messrs. Forrest Cates and Bill Klivett, of High Point, spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wade T. Choate.

Mr. R. Floyd Crouse was a business visitor in Raleigh, this week.

Mrs. Ben Reeves and his father W. B. Reeves, are spending sometime in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones Waddell had as their dinner guests, Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Jones and J. M. Jones, of Colorado; Mrs. Josie Green and son, G. C., Dr. and Mrs. E. D. Jones, of West Jefferson. This is Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Jones first visit here in 14 years.

Miss Opal Andrews visited Dr. and Mrs. Willard Hudson and other friends in Bel Air, Md., this past week end.

Mr. Wade Choate was a business visitor in Winston-Salem, Tuesday.

Mr. Charles Dean Choate and Miss Doris Richardson attended the mid-winter formals at Wake Forest this past week end.

Mrs. Glenn D. Richardson, Miss Una Lee Richardson, Mrs. Jack Thompson and Mrs. Chas. Ed-

wards spent Wednesday in Winston-Salem.

Mr. S. C. Richardson is reported to be improving and expects to return from the hospital this week end.

Mrs. J. H. Wagoner continues ill in the Ashe Memorial hospital.

Mrs. W. F. Joines returned home last week after a two weeks visit in Chesterfield, S. C., with her son, Lundy, and Mrs. Joines.

Misses Norma Fender and Helen Brooks, of ASTC, Boone, spent the week-end with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Caldwell, of North Wilkesboro, spent the week end with Mrs. Caldwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cox, of Piney Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Templeton, Miss Sarah Blevins, Mrs. Belle Blevins and Allan Blevins, were visitors in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Gambill and sons, George L. Jr. and Steve, of Winston-Salem, visited his father, Dean Gambill, on February 8. When they returned to their home in Winston-Salem, it was learned that Mrs. Gambill's father, Frank Taylor, 52, of Walkertown had succumbed due to a heart attack.

## Mrs. Ford Cheek Is Given Shower

Mrs. Ford Cheek, recent bride, was honored with a shower on Saturday night, February 15, at the home of Mrs. W. M. Blackburn.

Those present enjoyed a delightful social hour and the honoree was presented with many lovely gifts, including glassware, china, and linens.

During the social hour, the hostess served delicious refreshments to the group.

The honoree is a niece of Mrs. Roy R. Badger, of Jefferson.

## Mrs. Roy Burgess Has Bridge Party

Mrs. T. Roy Burgess entertained at a bridge party at her home here Tuesday afternoon.

Three tables were laid when Mrs. Alfred Straus was high scorer for the afternoon. Miss Jo Doughton was second highest scorer and guest prizes were awarded Miss Jo Doughton and Miss Alice Doughton.

Following the playing the guests were served a salad and sweet course by the hostess.

## Bridge Club Has Meeting Tuesday

Mrs. A. V. Choate was high scorer when tables of three were laid for bridge at the meeting of the bridge club at the home of Mrs. T. Roy Burgess Tuesday night. Mrs. Ray Walker was high scorer for the visitors.

Mrs. Isom Wagoner was winner of the bingo prize.

## ANTIOCH CHURCH SERVICES ANNOUNCED

The services at the Antioch church on February 22 and 23 will be conducted by Elders Sumner and Edwards. The services will be held at eleven o'clock.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

## Films Are Shown At Lions Club

Moving pictures of Kentucky and Southwest Virginia horse shows were shown members of the Lion's club at their regular meeting at the Shell Cafe Tuesday night. In charge of showing the films was Dr. T. Roy Burgess.

During the business session, presided over by Eugene Higgins, in the absence of the president, Roy Ellison, plans for changing the date of the election of offi-

## WEDS IN VIRGINIA



Mrs. Walter Lentz, who was before her marriage on February 1 the former Miss Vena Smith.

## Vows Are Spoken At Independence

Announcement has been made this week by Mrs. Roy Blackburn, of Roaring Gap, of the marriage of her daughter, Vena Smith, to Walter Lentz, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lentz, of Stony Point, at Independence, Va. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Chastain.

For her vows, the bride wore a blue dressmaker gabardine suit with black accessories and a corsage of red roses.

Only members of the immediate family were present at the ceremony.

The couple plans to make their home in Oklahoma where the groom is a professional baseball player.

Members of the club was discussed. It was pointed out by changing the date that the new officers would be able to attend the national convention held annually in June.

## Your Tri-County Health Dept.

By Robert R. King, Jr. District Health Officer

Yesterday, Thursday, February 13, 1947, I sat in the house chamber of the Capitol building, Raleigh, to attend the hearings for and against a program of the North Carolina Medical Care commission which were presented to a joint appropriations committee of the North Carolina Senate and House of Representatives.

During the hour and a half allotted to each side many of the lay and medical leaders of North Carolina interested in the program of better health spoke in favor of the proposed program of the Medical Care commission. Even the opposition made a strong appeal to the committee to support the hospital building program and stated that their only major point of disagreement concerned the establishment of a four year medical school in Chapel Hill. The leaders and representatives of the North Carolina Good Health Association, Inc., were among the numerous speakers favoring the entire program. Included in this group were Dr. I. G. Greer, president of the Baptist Orphanage, Thomasville; Dr. W. W. Coppridge of Durham, president of the State Medical Society; Dr. Clarence Poe, Raleigh publisher and vice chairman of the Medical Care commission; Josephus Daniels of Raleigh, and numerous others expressed the need of enlarging the school of medicine of the University of North Carolina in order to provide the large need of employees to fill the present vacancies and the many new positions which are to be provided by the building of health centers, enlargement of tuberculosis and mental disease hospitals, and additions to many already existing hospitals.

The leading opponents to the building of a four year medical school at Chapel Hill were Don Elias of Asheville, a member of the Medical Care commission; Dr. W. S. Rankin of Charlotte, Director of the Duke Foundation and Dr. C. W. Bailey of Rocky Mount. Dr. Rankin opposed the building of the school because he believed that the real source of trouble lay in the improper distribution of physicians throughout North Carolina. He also emphasized that North Carolina already is training more doctors for every one thousand patients than most states. Dr. Bailey released figures on his own fact finding poll of physicians in N. C. He contended that two thirds of N. C. doctors opposed establishment of the four year school at Chapel Hill in spite of the fact that the Medical Society as a whole favors this action.

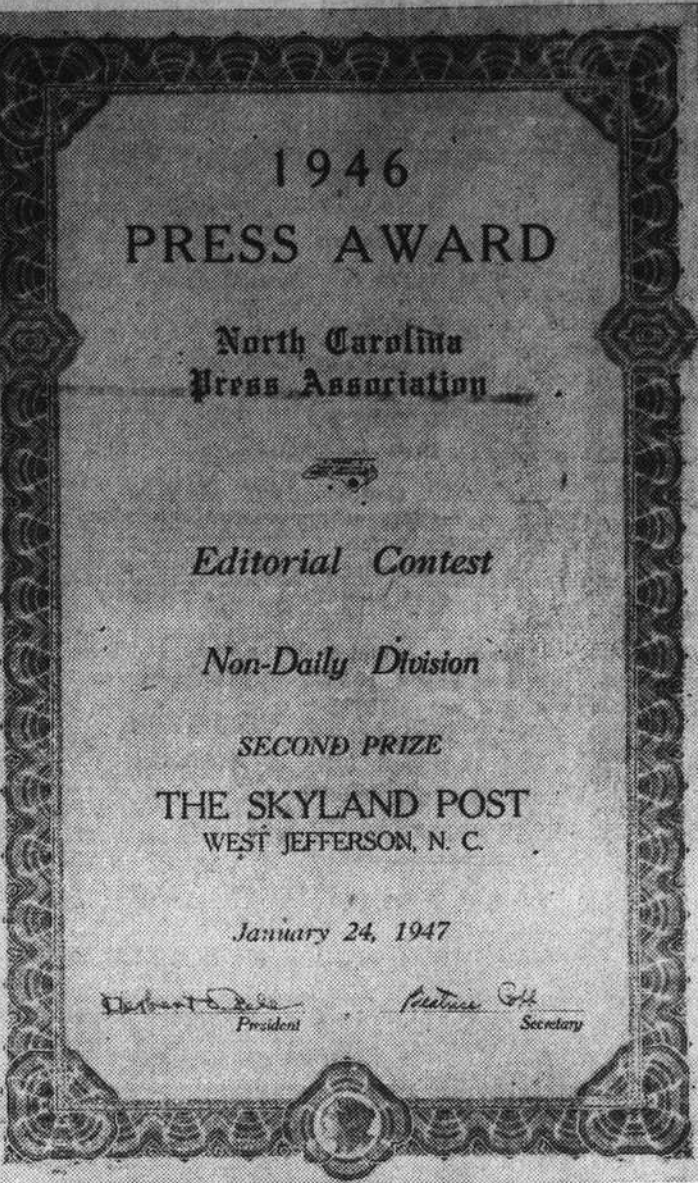
The chief reason for the proposed construction of this building in Chapel Hill is that it will be more nearly in the center of N. C. than if it were in Charlotte or Greensboro, and this together with the increased advantages of remaining on the same grounds with the graded University more than outweigh the disadvantages offered by the proposed school by its location in a small community. On the other hand, advantages to the medical school of being located in a larger town are that a greater variety of patients as teaching material for medical students would be available in a large town and that more highly qualified teachers could be attracted to the medical school because of the fact that they would be able to supplement their teaching salary with funds from private practice which would be difficult to obtain in a town the size of Chapel Hill without increasing the cost of medical service which is one of the fundamental aims of the state supported teaching hospital.

Final decisions as to this matter rest with the General Assembly but present indications are that the entire program of the N. C. Medical Care commission as published by the North Carolina Good Health Association including the building of a four year medical school at Chapel Hill will be approved by the General Assembly of 1947 and appropriations made accordingly for the execution of the proposals. In any case the state should be proud of the action taken by the representatives and members of the medical profession regardless of their personal feeling with regard to the location of the medical school and should heartily support this program.

Correct roasting of peanuts has more effect on the flavor of peanut butter than does the type or variety of peanut used, according to Harold J. Clay of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

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## Skyland Post Is Given Press Award



A certificate of merit was awarded this paper as second place winner on editorials among non-daily papers of the State at the annual institute of the North Carolina Press Association. The editorial on which the Post won this distinction, "An Indictment" is reprinted elsewhere in today's paper.

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