

THE COURIER

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There are loafers in every community who should be put to work. Let them understand they must go to work or go to jail and their idleness will be an end.

There is a law which says that no decaying food or trash of any kind shall be put into the streets within the corporate limits of the town. The town is undergoing a thorough cleaning and all of the streets will be put in good condition. Every citizen of the town should co-operate in keeping their premises clean.

Randolph county's Red Cross apportionment is \$2,500. Mr. C. C. Cranford, chairman, has completed arrangements for the campaign which lasts from May 20th to 27th. The Red Cross has asked for \$100,000,000 for its war work and this fund is to be raised in a week's time. The suggested plan is that every citizen in the county contribute the sum equal to one day's earnings. The work of the Red Cross needs no explanation. Our American boys are "over there." Are we Randolph citizens willing to contribute toward their needs? If they are wounded they need nursing, if they are sick they need care, if they are weary they need places to rest. The Red Cross supplies every thing our soldiers need. Let each citizen of the county man, woman and child respond to the request to contribute to Red Cross fund.

There is a growing disposition to stamp out illiteracy. The New York legislature has enacted a law requiring every child between 16 and 21 years of age, who cannot speak, read or write the English as required of the fifth grade in the schools, must attend a day or night school, under supervision of local authorities, until they can pass a creditable examination in English for the fifth grade in school. The requirements are that the illiterates must attend from 80 to 100 nights in each year until they can pass the required examination.

W. I. UNDERWOOD

A courageous member of the newspaper fraternity passed out of circle when W. I. Underwood died last Saturday at his home in McLeansville. He was a victim of tuberculosis and had been a sufferer for years. Mr. Underwood was for much of his life engaged in newspaper work. He was for a time editor of the Charlotte Chronicle when that paper was published by the Observer Company. Several years ago he became editor of the Greensboro Patriot and continued in that capacity as long as he was able to work.

DR. STEPHEN B. WEEKS

Dr. Stephen B. Weeks' death at Elizabeth City, Friday May 3, 1918, was a shock to his friends in this section of the state. He was born in Elizabeth City about 54 years ago, was a graduate of the State University, married a Miss Martin, daughter of a local Methodist minister at Chapel Hill, and a sister of Mrs. Frank Page, of Aberdeen. Dr. Weeks was a professor for some years before Trinity College was moved to Durham. He had tuberculosis and went west where he remained for several years doing educational work, probably for the government in the Indian schools. His health was believed to be restored. He returned to Old Trinity where his family resided and was for a year principal of Trinity high school. At the end of that school year some eight or nine years ago he continued his historical research work. He wrote much for the Van Noppen biographical publications and did the proof-reading.

In a year or two he moved his family to Washington City where he had a position with the Bureau of Education. He prepared a valuable index to the North Carolina Colonial and State Records.

His historical research work has been of great value to the state. Dr. Weeks married Miss Leach, of Trinity, the second time. She survives him. The deceased was a member of the Episcopal church. He was buried at Rosemont, Durham.

A GOOD TICKET OF STRONG MEN

Under the primary law which applies to this county all who are to be candidates for nomination for the various county offices and members of the House of Representatives must file their application for the nomination with the county board of elections on May 18. It is important that the Democratic party get out its full strength and vote.

ing the minds of our people, yet it is of the gravest importance that the affairs of our county and State as well as national affairs be administered by the Democratic party.

This newspaper has not discussed or given space to politics for several months but it will contribute what we can to a matter of such vast importance to our people as having our local affairs properly looked after.

Every good American should take sufficient interest in selecting men for office as to secure the best men for nominees for the various offices.

In the last issue of The Courier was published a synopsis of the primary election law. It will be noted that if only one candidate files application for the nomination for any office, there will be no vote in the primary as to a nominee for that office.

Good men should make sacrifices to run in times like these for their services are needed.

Mark the prediction that if the Democrats nominate a strong ticket this year, that they will win by a decided majority.

Mr. Robert Dicks Marries in New York City

The Courier is in receipt of the following announcement which will be of interest to the people of Randolph county. Mr. Dicks is the son of the late Robert Dicks, of Randleman.

Mr. Dicks was with Hunter Manufacturing Company and located in Greensboro. About eight years ago Mr. Dicks was transferred to New York City. He has been a successful business man.

Mrs. Herbert Dalton Thompson announces the marriage of her daughter

Mrs. Nora Thompson Keyser to

Mr. Robert Peel Dicks

on Saturday, the eleventh of May. One thousand, nine hundred and eighty

at the church of the Transfiguration in the City of New York

Confederate Memorial Day Observed

About twenty-five Confederate veterans, together with the members of the local Chapter U. D. C. met in the court house Friday, May 10th at 11 o'clock to observe memorial day with appropriate exercises.

Dr. F. E. Asbury, commandant of the local Camp U. C. V., presided at the meeting. The exercises were opened by the singing of America and other patriotic songs.

The address was then addressed by Mr. L. C. Moser of the local bar, who made a most appropriate and stirring speech. He began his remarks by saying that he would not dare address such a body of men had he not already offered his services to his country.

After the meeting adjourned, the veterans were the guests of the Randolph Chapter U. D. C. at an elegant luncheon at the Central hotel. After the luncheon the veterans and Daughters, laden with flowers, went to the cemetery where the graves of our heroes which had been previously marked with Confederate flags, were strewn with sweet flowers.

Franklinville News

A play, "Claim Allowed," a fine patriotic play, was given at the academy Saturday night by the music class of Ramsour graded school. It was well acted and highly enjoyed by everyone present, and it is to be regretted that it was not more extensively advertised for it deserved the patronage of a large audience.

On next Saturday night Coleridge graded school will give an entertainment and an excellent play at the academy entitled "Southern Cinderella." This is a play that everyone will enjoy and should have a large crowd. Let everybody come and bring his neighbor with him and enjoy the evening and thereby help in a good cause. Part of the proceeds will be given to the school at this place.

Miss Pattie Lutterloh is visiting her sister Mrs. E. E. Cranford at Spencer this week.

Mr. A. V. Marley and son Julian went to Greensboro Monday.

Mrs. J. T. Buie and son Master J. T. Jr., who have been spending some time at Boyden, Va., returned home last Wednesday.

Mr. E. A. Routh and family spent Sunday with William Byrley near Cameron.

Mr. A. W. Tippett, of Revolution, was in town Sunday.

Mr. J. T. Buie made a business trip to Greensboro last Wednesday.

An important meeting will be held at the Masonic hall Saturday night and every member of Hanks Lodge is expected to be present and participate in the proceedings.

Misses Fleta Burke and Berta Tippett spent Sunday at Greensboro.

Mr. James Buie and W. C. Slack and family visited at High Point Sunday.

Mrs. R. S. Craven and Mrs. P. D. Luther went to Greensboro Saturday morning returning Monday evening.

Miss Beulah Whitehead, of Ramsour, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Thelma Steele.

Mrs. B. F. Craven is spending the week at High Point.

Mr. W. G. Coble, of Greensboro, visited the family of Mr. W. A. Grimes Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Fentress, who has been visiting relatives at High Point returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Nancy Archer, of Greensboro, is visiting home folks in the city.

Mr. Lindsey Luther, of High Point, was in town Sunday.

News From Old Trinity

Dr. Robert Caviness and Mr. Ward and son, of Coleridge, passed through Trinity last Wednesday on their way back from Camp Boyer.

The Book Club met with Mrs. Bruce Craven on College Street.

Miss Mary Parker, who lives in the home of Trinity, spent the day Friday at home.

Miss Carrie Phillips is spending her vacation at home.

The educated horse exhibited here a few days ago did a good many things quite for a horse.

The lady's picnic meeting was held at the home of Mrs. H. H. Phillips.

Prof. D. M. Weatherly Candidate for County Treasurer

We desire to call the attention of all those who will vote in the Democratic primary to the candidacy of Professor D. M. Weatherly for the office of county treasurer. Prof. Weatherly has lived and worked among us for a number of years in the public schools, the continuation of which he has further declined. We know him and can conscientiously recommend him for election to this office.

In thus mentioning Prof. Weatherly's name we are hereby pledging ourselves to his support.

HUGH PARKS, J. T. BUIE, J. H. FENTRESS, J. H. MARLEY, C. H. JULLIAN, G. C. RUSSELL.

Series of Meetings Will Begin at M. E. Church Next Sunday

Beginning next Sunday at 11 a. m. a series of special services will be held at the M. E. church. Rev. C. S. Kirkpatrick, of Greensboro, will come on Monday and remain through the meeting, preaching at 4 and 8 p. m. each day. Mr. Kirkpatrick is a strong gospel preacher, and has been remarkably successful as a pastor-evangelist. Preparatory services are being held this week. Rev. Mr. Underwood preached Wednesday night, Rev. Mr. Vipperman will preach tonight, and Rev. Mr. Whitaker will preach Friday night. All christian people are cordially invited to attend and participate in the services.

BUSINESS BUILDERS

LOST—Postoffice key. Anyone find same, please return to Box 125.

WANTED—Five hundred to one thousand acres unimproved land, with plenty running water. Preferably on or near good public road, and within a few miles railway station. Must be cheap for cash. Address "G" Care The Courier.

WANTED—Saw mill labor; log cutters, teamsters, mill hands, tie cutters. Pay satisfactory wages. Write John Walker, Lilesville, N. C. A23-4t.

FOR SALE—One steel frame J. I. Case under-shot threshing machine; clover huller attachment; belting practically new. If interested call at once. Ferree and Ferree, Asheboro, N. C. 1tpd

TELEPHONES: We have received a few 5 B. Ohm telephones for farmer's lines that we can sell at a bargain. Also fresh batteries. Labor is scarce and time is valuable. Install a telephone and save both. RIVERSIDE TELEPHONE COMPANY, Ramseur, N. C.

WANTED—Small room for single man in private family. Address "Refined," Care The Courier, Asheboro, N. C. 1t

WANTED—Students to learn Bookkeeping, Shorthand at home or in school. Tuition on credit. Positions guaranteed. Edwards' Business College, Winston-Salem and High Point.

LOST—A gold Keystone case, eleven jewel watch. Lost somewhere in Asheboro. Finder will be rewarded. J. C. Hammer. 1tpd

FOR SALE—Five passenger Ford automobile in good condition, good tires, \$275.00. W. H. Dean, Worthville, N. C. m2-3t

FINE Tomato and Cabbage plants. 100 postpaid 15c, 600 postpaid \$1.00, 1,000 by express \$1.00. Walter Parks, Pisgah, N. C. m3-3tpd

OLD FALSE TEETH WANTED DON'T MATTER IF BROKEN We pay up to 15 dollars per set. Also cash for Old Gold, Silver and broken Jewelry. Check sent by return mail. Goods held 10 days for sender's approval of our offer. Mazer's Tooth Specialty, Dept. A, 2007 S. 6th St., Philadelphia, Pa. 5tm16pd

LOST—A cameo pin between home and court house. Finder please return and get reward. Mrs. D. T. Lewis. 1t-pd

THE ASHEBORO TELEPHONE CO.

Announces Red Cross Donations

All receipts for long distance calls on Friday, May 24, will be contributed to the Red Cross. Call up your friends on that date anywhere over Independent lines that you can reach over the Asheboro system and you will be contributing to the Red Cross.

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O. W. RICH

Auto Livery. Ford or Buick.

Phone No. 159, Asheboro, N. C.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

FOR SALE—One large registered Tamworth sow; second litter; good brood sow; also six nice pigs. H. N. McMaster, Farmer, N. C.

Administrator's Notice

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Jefferson Brookshire, deceased, late of Randolph county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 28th day of June, 1919, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

J. T. WOOD, Administrator of Jefferson Brookshire.

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THIS IS WHAT THE RED CROSS SAYS TO YOU
"Give of your safe and sure substance and I will soothe pain. I will gather up men, heroes who have been shot to the earth, and housing them I will nurse them back to life. For myself I ask no recompense. My reward is my conscience. My applause is restoring man to his family."
The Red Cross appeals to you personally. To you it opens its merciful heart and begs for assistance.
Space Donated By J. T. TURNER Dealer in Country Produce.

Administratrix Notice
Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of W. G. Brooks, deceased, late of Randolph county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 28th day of June, 1919, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. MRS. LENA BROOKS, Admx. of W. G. Brooks.

WANTED At Once
TWENTY-FIVE GIRLS TO WORK IN SEWING ROOM. NICE, CLEAN WORK. APPLY TO H. A. MOFFITT, HIGH POINT, N. C.
GIRLS GIRLS GIRLS
Best Paid Employment in State CIGAR-MAKING
We pay you large wages while learning and the work is easy and interesting. Write or apply: AMERICAN CIGAR COMPANY Cor. Green and Gaston Streets Greensboro, N. C.

May Drive on in Earnest at Atlantic Store, Inc.
We are endeavoring to clear our shelves and cases of as much merchandise as possible by offering exceptional values in READY-TO-WEAR APPAREL FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN—DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, AND SHOES FOR EVERY MEMBER OF THE FAMILY. We are to retire from business at an early date—Uncle Sam has called three of the four original members of the concern into service—and we wish to convert every article—every yard of dry goods—every garment—in our store into cash. The entire stock was purchased before the latest advances in the market and you will find merchandise that is seasonable and reliable in every respect here at almost unheard-of prices.
EVERYTHING IN THE STORE IS REDUCED—READ THE MENU AND LEARN OF THE SAVINGS. MADE POSSIBLE
Ladies' Tan Pumps and Oxfords
Ladies' Oxfords—All Leathers
1,000 Pairs Boys' Pants
Ladies' Black Oxfords
Men's and Boys' Summer Low Shoes
Men's Oxfords
Men's Overalls
Men's Dress Shirts
Men's Cool-Cloth Suits

THE ASHEBORO MOTOR COMPANY
Sells the old reliable Fords and recommends the Red Cross as an organization through which the people of Randolph may aid the soldiers in France.
HELP THE RED CROSS AND COMFORT THE AMERICAN SOLDIERS.
Space Contributed By THE ASHEBORO DRUG COMPANY
We sell an excellent line of Toilet Articles.
J. A. YORK, WHO IS IN THE LIVERY BUSINESS, ENDORSES THE RED CROSS MOVEMENT.
GIVE, GIVE FREELY TO THE AMERICAN RED CROSS FUND
Space Contributed By N. P. COX, JEWELER.

WHAT HAVE YOU DONE FOR THE RED CROSS.
What are you doing now? What are you going to do next week? You are asked to contribute one day's earnings during next week to the Red Cross Society. This plan has our endorsement.
ASHEBORO ROLLER MILLS
MRS. M. H. ALLRED, MILLINER,
Announces her interest in "the boys over there" and recommends contributing one day's earnings to the Red Cross Society.

WHAT THE RED CROSS IS DOING
It stands beside our boys in training here or "Over There."
It watches beside the pillows of battle broken men, and offers rest and sympathy to war-torn fighters on brief respite from the front.
It carries food and clothing to hungered mothers and little children in ruined villages.
It helps rebuild the scattered pile of brick and stone they once called home.
It brings back to the hopeless mother's arms her long-lost child.
It helps care for the orphans of the men who died that civilization might live.
It helps care for the thousands that have fallen prey to dread tuberculosis.
It nobly represents in deeds of mercy, relief, and restoration the more than twenty million members that have made its great work possible.
Space Donated By ACME HOSIERY MILLS.

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