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FRANKLINVILLE NEWS

M[illegible] Bradley, field secretary, [illegible] League of western North [illegible] Conference of the M. E. [illegible] Grady Dawson, secretary [illegible] District, League Association [illegible] interesting addresses [illegible] League of this place [illegible] church Sunday evening.

[illegible] Holladay spent one day [illegible] with Miss Pattie Lutterloh.

[illegible] Craven has moved his [illegible] Stanley Avenue to one of [illegible] houses in Grimes' [illegible]

Mr[illegible] Mrs. M. G. Maner, John M[illegible] and E. M. Hancock went to Greensboro one day last week.

The Baptist and M. E. Sunday schools will give entertainments and Christmas trees at their respective churches Saturday evening December 23. Everybody is welcome.

Miss Nannie Parks, Mrs. Ruth York and Messrs. Lacy and L. T. Parks, of Parks Cross Roads, spent Sunday in town.

The play, Dust of the Earth, by pupils of Ramseur high school will be given at the academy next Saturday evening. The Betterment Society will be glad to see a large crowd present. Admission 25 cents. Everyone should avail themselves of an opportunity to see this play.

Mr. G. C. Rusell, Mrs. G. P. Craven and J. B. Lutterloh went to Greensboro Monday.

Mrs. Charles Vestal and Mrs. Fannie Cox who have been spending some time with their mother Mrs. Wincy Parks, have returned to their home at Plainfield, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Haywood Parks, are spending a few days this week at Greensboro.

Mrs. Kate Makepeace has gone to Rocky Mount, where she will spend a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Preddy.

Mr. Foxworth, of Marion, S. C., who was a former citizen of this place was a visitor here Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Jessie Craven and Lena Grimes made a shopping trip to Greensboro Saturday.

Miss Dewey Coble, of Greensboro, spent Saturday and Sunday with the family of Mr. G. H. Jones.

DAVIDSON COUNTY'S NEW OFFICERS TAKE HOLD

Sheriff Bruce Tolbert, new sheriff of Davidson county, has appointed Charles W. Gilliam as his chief deputy and G. C. Loflin, of Thomasville, as jailor. Daniel Loflin, of Alleghany township, is one of his township deputies.

J. F. Cameron, R. M. Stokes and G. W. Smith are the new commissioners, Mr. Smith being the new chairman.

E. C. Byerly, at one time superintendent of Asheboro graded schools, is clerk of the superior court. Jesse W. Dickens, of Silver Hill, succeeds Mr. Byerly as county welfare officer.

W. J. Parker is the register of deeds.

W. O. Burgin is the new county attorney.

Gene Kirk, an ex-service man, formerly cook in Co. A, the Lexington company in the world war, is the new custodian of the court house.

Lee Crotts is the new keeper of the county home.

That is a fine report Miss Gertrude Alexander, home demonstration agent for Davidson county, has made.

The farm demonstrators in the various counties are making in most cases most excellent reports. The Randolph agent so far has filed no report of his activities.

MR. HENRY PRESNELL, FORMER RANDOLPH CITIZEN, DEAD

Mr. Henry Presnell, who was born and reared in Cedar Grove township, died at his home in Statesville last week. Mr. Presnell left Randolph county about fifteen years ago and moved to High Point, later moving to Statesville. He married Miss Maggie Luck. To this union there were five daughters, three of whom are married. One daughter married Mr. Robert Turner, a leutenant who was killed in the great war. Mr. Presnell was interested in the Hinkle Livestock Company, of Statesville. He was 49 years of age.

MRS. MILDRED HARGRAVES GOES TO STATE HOSPITAL

Mrs. Mildred Hargrave's many friends in Asheboro and Randolph county will read with interest that she has accepted occupational theraty work in the state hospital in Raleigh. Mrs. Hargrave was Red Cross nurse in Randolph county for some time and after resigning her position in this county went to New York where she took post graduate work.

NEW MAN ON ALBEMARLE NEWS HEARLD

A. E. Houser, of Shelby, who for more than two years held the position of reporter on the Greensboro News has accepted a position with the Albemarle News-Herald. Mr. Houser resigned his position with the Daily News to attend the law school at the University of N. C., preparatory to taking the State Board in February. He has, however abandoned the law idea to resume the newspaper work for which he appears to be particularly well fitted. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Houser, of Shelby.

Reports from various sections of the state indicate that people are still giving funds and clothing for the 3,000 made homeless by the two million dollar fire at New Bern. It is estimated that over 700 homes were destroyed by the flames.

WEEK'S SOCIAL EVENTS

B. Y. P. U. Meeting.

The B. Y. P. U. of the Asheboro Baptist church held its business and social meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Frazier, Jr., Wednesday December 6th. New officers were elected for the following year. Plans were discussed for Christmas activities. A social hour was enjoyed after the business was transacted. The hostess assisted by Miss Grace Frazier served chicken salad, saltines, pickles and coffee.

C. E. Social and Business Meeting.

Miss Esther Ross delightfully entertained the Christian Endeavor Society of the M. P. church Friday evening December 8, at her home on Wainman avenue.

After the business was transacted the meeting was turned over to the hostess.

They were taken on an automobile tour which caused much fun and merriment for the evening. During this a contest was held in which Misses Clare Presnell and Ethel Williams excelled, receiving a letter "automobile" for the prize. Later the hostess served lemonade and cake.

Mrs. Hayworth Hostess.

Mrs. S. L. Hayworth was hostess Monday afternoon to the joint meeting of the Woman's Foreign, Home and Ladies' Aid Societies of the M. P. church. The three societies come together annually in December for a Christmas and social meeting.

A great deal of business was transacted by the societies and especially was marked interest shown in the present drive for a million dollars to save our union colleges in China, India and Japan. Also for the student loan fund recently instituted by the Woman's Foreign Board.

After the business of the meeting was transacted the song "Silent Night" was sung. Miss Ruth Cox charmingly entertained with a Christmas reading, after which the meeting was turned over to the hostess and a delightful social hour followed. The hostess assisted by Mrs. Moses and Miss Ruth Cox served congealed salad, wafers, coffee and the noted Salvation Army doughnuts. A large crowd enjoyed Mrs. Hayworth's hospitality.

Friday Afternoon Club

The regular fortnightly meeting of the Friday Afternoon Club was held with Mrs. Ollie Pressnell on Salisbury street. The topic for the afternoon study was an interesting one. Mrs. J. G. Crutchfield read a paper on the Variety of Geographical Settings of the Present-day Short Story. This was followed by a paper read by Mrs. I. C. Moser on Variety of Social Conditions in our short Stories. The Club has this season been using the course on Contemporary Literature issued by the University of N. C., and the meetings have each been full of interest as well as valuable information. After the papers and business of the club were finished, the hostess served a delicious fruit salad course with sandwiches, wafers and coffee.

Jack Hayworth Celebrates Fourth Birthday.

Dr. and Mrs. Claude Hayworth entertained about thirty of the little folks in honor of their son, Jack's fourth birthday last week. There were various forms of amusement which the children enjoyed after which they were invited into the dining room, which was decorated artistically. A large white cake on which were four candles was in the center of the table. The colors were pink and blue and everything was carried out minutely. Ice cream, cake and home-made candies were served and the guests were presented with favors—the little girls with glass telephones filled with candies and the little boys with toy pistols also filled with candy. Everybody in town knows and admires little Jack Hayworth and congratulates him upon his fourth birthday.

Melva Edgerton Passes

Melva, the two and a half year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Edgerton, of Kemps Mill, died yesterday from diphtheria. The little girl had diptheria in its worst form and as a last resort was brought to Memorial hospital about 3 p. m. yesterday for an operation. She passed away but the parents are consoled that they did everything possible to save their little daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Edgerton and their sister from Ohio, who is visiting them, were with the little one when the end came. The parents and four brothers and sisters survive.

The burial will take place at Holly Springs today. Mr. and Mrs. Edgerton moved from Ohio to Randolph county about 18 months ago. They have the sympathy of the many friends.

CAPITOL THEATRE TO OPEN TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19

Asheboro's new moving picture show, the Capitol Theatre will be formally opened next Tuesday evening, December 19th. Mr. Francis White, who is the manager, has spent much time and money in thoroughly equipping the theatre and has arranged for an extra good line of pictures. The building belongs to Mr. W. J. Scarboro and is modern and up-to-date in every respect. The new theatre would be a credit to a town much larger than Asheboro.

GENERAL NEWS

It is of interest to note that six of the twenty names of the 1922 [illegible] were graduates in scholastic [illegible] prior to November 1st.

Dr. H. G. Hill, of Ma[illegible] was presented with a new [illegible] last week as a birthday present by the people of the Maxton Presbyterian church. Dr. Hill, on his birthday bought his first automobile and is learning to drive it. It is unusual for a man to learn to drive a car after reaching this age. Dr. Hill, it is said preaches as vigorously and forcefully as he did twenty years ago.

Former Governor Lock Craig, who has been seriously ill at his home at Asheville for several week is still considered in a serious condition.

Hickory public schools which were closed last week on account of an epidemic of influenza reopened this week with the situation reported improved.

The search for Mrs. Clara Phillips from the Los Angeles jail has so far been in vain. Mrs. Phillips was serving a term for the murder of Mrs. Alberta Meadows, for which she was tried and convicted several months ago.

DEFEATED COUNTY OFFICIALS PRESS INDICTMENT AGAINST W. L. COLTRANE AND WHITE

It is understood that a Republican lawyer jumped over the traces and ran as an independent in a certain county in the last election, and he was indicted at Greensboro United States court this month for taking $50 or $60 fee for aid in getting compensation for a world war veteran, while dozens of lawyers in other parts of the state who have charged much more have not yet got in the toils.

R. L. White, Jr., and W. L. Coltrane are indicted it is claimed because T. L. Cox, a former citizen of New Market, who refused to take the oath two years ago that he had been a citizen of the county six months prior to the election, as he has lived in Greensboro ever since and made no application to register this year, when he came up to vote, his name was not on the registration book it having been erased when he admitted he had not been a resident of the county six months prior to the election in 1920 and no one claimed he had a right to vote. Of course his running for justice of the peace was a part of the scheme and plan to get indictment, for it does not set well with the Republican bosses when they find they cannot run over the election officials in New Market. Their bulldozing methods make no headway there, and for years efforts have been made to find some way to indict certain election officers in New Market.

Now we have the spectacle of rushing to the federal court with a charge which at most could and would only be an error of judgment; but it is not even that for those who have looked into the matter state positively that there was nothing done by any election officer that is a violation of the law.

MISS ANNIE BELLE STOUT BRIDE OF WILLIE M. COX

On December 8th a quiet but beautiful wedding took place at the residence of the brides parents Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stout, when their most attractive daughter Annie Belle became the bride of Wilile M. Cox.

Rev. T. J. Green pastor of the bride's mother preformed the ceremony in the presence of a few relatives and most intimate friends.

The room was tastefully decorated with ferns and cut flowers.

The bride was beautifully dressed in a Midnight blue tricotine traveling suit. The groom and bride were accompanied by Mr. J. C. Brooks, Miss Myrtle Cox, Mr. Ralph Cox and Miss Nannie Pope to Greensboro where they left for Washington, D. C., where they will spend their honeymoon.

The bride is a most lovable young woman, and was loved by all who knew her.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Cox, of Greensboro. He received his education at Buies Creek, and is now a prominent business young man, of Greensboro, he holds a prominent position of book keeping with the Patterson Company.

After a few days in Washington Mr. and Mrs. Cox will return and make their home in Greensboro.

Fertilizer Prices Lower Next Season

Fertilizer salesmen in this section of the State are of the opinion that prices of fertilizer will be lower next season. A fertilizer man in the Sandhill section gives the reason for this opinion as follows:

While the crop of cotton will be short in the country, this man figures that North Carolina will gin probably 850,000 bales, which is a right big crop, which will mean a surplus of seed for the oil mill as the crushing season approaches, and with holders weakening, he intimates that a reaction in seed prices and meal may be as severe as the recent rise. With these conditions in mind he argues that the price of fertilizer may be materially lower, as he cannot see where the big crop of meal is to be absorbed without concessions in fertilizer prices. He says his mill has considerable seed to buy, and he expects it will be bought for much less than mills were expecting a short time ago they would have to pay, and that it is logical that fertilizer should be lower in consequence.

Many a man of small calibre thinks he is a big gun when loaded.

METHODIST MATTERS

W. H. Willis

Evening services till further notice will be held at 7.00 o'clock

Mrs. W. G. Ballard district secretary, visited our Missionary Society on the 12th and made an address.

Since the beginning of the Conference year, the following have joined the Asheboro church by letter: Mrs. W. E. Luck, J. W. Cox, Mrs. J. W. Cox, Miss Virginia Steed, George Steed, Joe Steed, Mrs. Carrie Foster, Mrs. C. J. Willard, Mrs. W. E. Black.

Will any one please phone the pastor, the address of any of the following: Ernest Steed, Mrs. Minerva A. Smith, Mary McDonald, Eugene Harrell.

Mrs. C. C. and Mrs. C. L. Cranford were joint hostesses, at the home of the latter, to the Womans Missionary Society and the Aid Society, Tuesday afternoon.

The following are new officers for the Missionary Society for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. W. B. Lassiter; Vice-president, Mrs. C. L. Cranford; Recording Secretary, Mrs. W. A. Underwood; Corresponding Secretary Mrs. J. D. Ross; Treasurer, Mrs. Marvin Lovett; Social Service Superintendent, Mrs. W. H. Moring; Mission study, Mrs. W. J. Moore; Appointment for Voice, Mrs. N. M. Cranford; Superintendent Children's work, Mrs. Dr. Haworth, Assistants Mrs. Dr. Asbury, Mrs. T. H. Redding.

Sermon subjects for next Sunday: 11 a. m. The Secret of Keeping on. 7 p. m. The Sin of Cain.

Judge Allen Retires This Month

Judge Oliver H. Allen is preparing to hold his last term of court as regular judge in the near future. Judge Allen will conduct a term of court at Smithfield after which he will step down and give his place to Henry A Grady, of Clinton. Judge Allen has served for nearly a generation and many months ago served notice to aspirants that he would resign at the end of the 1922 term.

MECHANIC NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher R. Mays, of Troutman, N. C., Iredell county spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ridge.

Mr. John Ridge and Mr. Alph Sechrest, of High Point, visited at J. C. and C. C. Ridges Thanksgiving.

Mr. Ira Summey killed a hog last Wednesday that weighed 779 pounds. The largest that has been killed in this community this season.

Miss Mabel Ridge, of High Point, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ridge at Mechanic.

Miss Elsie Cashatt, one of the teachers at Reiberry school spent the holidays with her parents at Farmer.

Miss Millie Bulla, principal of Reiberry school spent Sunday with Miss Mabel Ridge at High Point.

Miss Mamie Lackey, one of the teachers at Cedar Falls school last Saturday and Sunday at home.

Messrs. J. C. and C. C. Ridge and Fletcher R. Mayes were in Asheboro Friday on business.

Mr. Edward Surratt, of Greensboro spent one day last week with his brother, Mr. S. D. Surratt, of this place.

Mr. C. C. Ridge is receiving Christmas goods for his store almost every day now.

RANDLEMAN HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY ENTERTAINED

The faculty of the Randleman High school was most delightfully entertained last Saturday evening at a six o'clock dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Holland in honor of the superintendent and principal of the school, Ed B. Carrol and W. E. Powell, respectively, who are making their homes with Mrs. Holland.

The guests were received at the door by Miss Willie Milikan and invited into the parlor where a cozy fire and comfortable room presented quite a contrast to the bitter cold and rain outside. After a brief period of getting acquainted and exchange of pleasantries, the guests were ushered into the dinning room, which was prettily decorated with ferns and narcisus and where was spread a sumptuous repast consisting of turkey and other good things prepared in that inimitable manner as none other but "Granny" Holland can do.

After dinner the guests retired to the parlor where tables had been arranged for cards and the balance of the evening was spent in playing bridge, rook and "pig", while a few who could not resist the call of the Edison occupied themselves otherwise.

Those enjoying Mrs. Holland's hospitality were: Misses Vira Clodfelter, Ruth Coltrane, Mary Allen Bulla, Rachel Donnell, and Glenna Floyd; Mesrs A. B. Beasley, J. S. Hicks, Leonard Holland, Ed B. Carrol and W. E. Powell.

Farmer High School Gives Play.

The Farmer high school on the evening of December 22, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. will give a play entitled "Borrowed Money, at the school building, at Farmer. The proceeds will go toward school improvements.

ASHEBORO GRADED SCHOOL CLOSES NEXT WEEK

The Asheboro Graded School will close next Wednesday for the Christmas holidays, and the teachers who live elsewhere will leave for their respective homes.

The year round garden ocers health and happiness. Are you planning ours?

TRINITY HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

A spelling contest was held in the high school between the different rooms of Randolph county, Lula Belle Moore, a member of the seventh grade, received first prize. Friday at Asheboro was spelling contest day. We won't be able to report the results of the contest at this time. We are proud of her.

A play, The Old Time District School, was given in the high school auditorium last Tuesday night. The characters were the Dunstan Teachers and each played her part well. Lots of fun was the result of the school and the audience, it is rumored, had sore sides from laughing so hard. We hope that this is not serious. The proceeds consisted of thirty-three books for our library and about twenty-three dollars to buy books. This, added to the other amount we have made, will improve our library a great deal. Trinity is striving to get an up-to-date library and she is surely reaching her goal.

Examinations; then holidays! To we high school students the first examinations comes as a blot upon the anticipation of the second, the holidays. Probably we should be optomistic and that when we learn to enjoy the absence from school and the joy and fun in Christmas, we have our examinations through and packed behind us. Examinations started Friday afternoon, December 16th, and continue threough the following Wednesday. We then begin our Christmas holidays to return on New Years day full of resolutions to start a second term of successful school year.

The four literary societies hold their meetings regularly and so far have been successful in keeping a good spirit of work and interest going. The boys' societies held preliminaries for the purpose of choosing speakers who will debate between the two societies for the Johnson society. Enclid Auman, John Andrews, and Julius Meredith was chosen, or the Boys' Progressive, William Hall, W. R. Parkin, and George Arnold won. This debate will be held sometime this month.

Trinity high school has not yet fallen from its' excellent basket ball record. The boys and girles sent the Farmer outfits down in defeat by winning two games on Trinity Court. Both girls and boys showed excellent sportsmanship and the game went off well. Miss Lota Bouldwin carried off the honors for the girls, while her brother Herman, repeated the same act for the boys. This is the fifth straight game that the boys have won and the the first game the girls have played.

A new member has been added to the senior class of Trinity high school. This makes twenty-three members in the class of twenty-three.

Mr. Story, Andrews, and Miss Conley attended the Teacher's assembly in Raleigh Thanksgiving. They each report a profitable, enjoyable time and feel that the time was well spent. Three teachers from Trinity—we feel that was a pretty good showing.

TRINITY NEWS

Bob Gray, a colored man who driving a buggy had the misfortune of being run into by a heavy truck a few days ago. His buggy was almost totally wrecked.

It is reported that places here are for sale. One of the places the old Ganaway place, which is the prettiest place around town, also the Dougan Johnson place on South Main street.

A blind man gave a concert in the school building Friday night. It was well attended, and was worth the money. A comedian also pulled off some pretty good stunts.

Alvin English, who was reared here, but now resides near Hillsboro, in Orange county is visiting relatives. Mr. English told the writer he was cultivating a farm of three hundred acres, he is thinking of planting cotton next year in addition to tobacco.

Mr. Royals seems to be doing a fine business in the grocery line down on South Main.

Mrs. Marvin Andrews who has been sick is improving.

Mr. Frank Shaw, of South Trinity, was married a short time ago to Mrs Cora Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson, are back to their home in Trinity, after spending some time in Thomasville.

Mrs. Mary Thompson Hogan, with her two daughters Mrs. Kent Nance, and Miss Irene Hogan, of High Point, visited relatives on Johnson street last week, they were accompanied by Mr. Kent Nance.

Mr. Neuce McDowell, our mayor, is working in Virginia at present.

Elizabeth Johnson, of High Point, visited on Johnson street last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ingram, of High Point, were in town last week.

Mr. Wesley Reddick, who has been very low for some time continues about the same.

Mrs. Wagoner, mother of our townsman, is visiting here. Mrs. Wagoner lives in Cabarrus County.

Mrs. Parker, who has been in feeble health for some time, at the old Parker House, is about the same. She sits up most of the time. She is the last link connecting the old Trinity with the new.

GREYSTONE PARK IMPROVEMENTS CONTINUES

The work at Greystone park continues. A large force of hands is working putting in paved sidewalks sewer and gravel streets. It is understood that from forty to fifty thousand dollars will be spent in this development.

RAMSEUR NEWS

M[illegible] and Mrs. J. I. [illegible] spent [illegible] week end with Mr. W. [illegible] Troyden [illegible] at Mebane.

Mr. [illegible] of Greensboro, [illegible]

[illegible] accompanied by Mr. [illegible] of Greensboro. Mrs. [illegible] western N. C. Conference Woman's Missionary League spoke to a large audience Sunday morning at the M. E. church. Also at night the League heard Miss Anderson of Greensboro, and Mr. Dewey L. Webster, of Greensboro, on the work of the League.

Presiding Elder, W. F. Womble, preached at the M. E. church Sunday night.

Mr. Collet Coffey, of Greensboro, was pleasant visitor here Saturday night.

Mr. Wood, of Asheboro, spent Saturday night here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Branson are the proud parents of a fine son.

Mrs. J. A. Martin and others, of Liberty, were visitors here Saturday.

The Box party given by the school at the gymnasium, Saturday night, was a great success. The athletic exercises were much enjoyed by all and the splendid boxes prepared by the young ladies sold like "hot cakes" (altho' they had gotten cold) bringing with the other articles on sale over eighty dollars.

There are so many things to be said in favor of the school work here that a correspondent could write weekly news on the school alone Principal Marsh and his splendid corps of teachers are doing a great years work and the community is furnishing the background for the worthy efforts of the faculty to produce fruit.

Probably the next move our town should make for the benefit of this generation of town citizens and the next is to put in water works. Our town is peculiarly situated in favor of this work. There are hardly two streets in the town that do not parallel a valley between them, making it several thousand dollars easier to place watermains. If we ever expect to progress as a town let's think about doing this in the near future.

The several Sunday schools of Ramseur will give entertainments for the children (both old and young) during the Christmas season.

Escapes With Bride's Money.

After a letter or two, then a visit and a brief courtship of four days, Miss Fannie Speagle, of Hickory, was deserted by her husband, W. H. Hunt. The couple were in Salisbury when the groom stated that he must go to Kannapolis or Concord for his baggage, and has not been heard of since. Before leaving however, he persuaded the bride that it would be better to draw out $900 of her savings which it had taken her years to accumulate, and let him carry for safe keeping. Her bankers protested and advised her, but to no avail, and now the police are at a loss to locate the man. They have no idea he gave his correct name.

Colder Weather Prophesied

The Weather Bureau at Washington prophesies much colder weather for us, and indeed it would seem that it is well on the way. Storm warning also are displayed on the Atlantic Coast. This is expected for the next two or three days.

SHERIFF COX STARTS IN

On last Sunday night Sheriff A. Card Cox had information that a distillery was in operation near the old county home, and with a deputy and two members of the police force of Asheboro, he located the distillery almost in plain view of the public highway and waited until about day light when two men went to the still carrying jugs. Just as they got to the still they scented the officers, and made a dash for other "diggings". The officers started in pursuit and would have caught them if they had not became entangled in the meshes of a barbed wire fence of which the officers did not have knowledge or information and about which the "blockaders" had knowledge. While the new sheriff failed in this his first raid to get the offenders, although the still and equipment and mash were destroyed, yet we like the way sheriffff went about doing things, of his conduct shows he means to go after violators of the law and not content himself with getting a still now and then.

DR. M. G. EDWARDS RETURNS TO ASHEBORO

Dr. and Mrs. M. G. Edwards, who have for the past year lived in Salisbury, have returned to Asheboro to make their permanent home. Dr. Edwards who is a veterinary surgeon and who practiced in Randolph two years accepted a position with Rowan county last year, moving there about a year ago. Dr. Edwards has been interested in Randolph county and has decided to return here. He has many friends in this county who will be glad to know of his decision. Dr. and Mrs. Edwards will reside in the Methodist Episcopal parsonage. Mrs. Edwards is visiting her mother, Mrs. Parlier at Wilkesboro.

Broughton, of Troy, Candidate

Mayor C. C. Broughton of Troy, has announced that he will be a candidate for the reading clerk in the next senate and a good fight is anticipated, as Judge Phillip Cocke, of Asheville, has also announced himself as a candidate. It is understood that both men have friends actively at work for them now. Mayor Broughton has served in this ca[illegible] for several terms.

State Library