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WOMAN'S CLUB PLANS YEARLY WORK

Mrs. Marvin Lovett Appeals for Co-Operation

The Woman's Club of Asheboro met in regular session at the Court House, Wednesday, May 9th, at 3:30 P. M., Mrs. Marvin Lovett presiding. It is the desire of the new President that the meetings be opened with short devotional exercises, and requested that a regular Chaplin be appointed or else use the "Collect of Club Women of America". After some discussion, motion was made and carried that we use the "Collect of Club Women of America". Each member to clip and memorize in order to be able to repeat in concert at the beginning of each meeting.

A short business session followed including the mentioning of the different amounts pledged at the Federation for the tollowing funds: Social Service Scolarship Endowment Fund. The Sallie Southall Cotton Loan Fund, and to the Federation Head-quarters in Washington, D. C.

The Ex-Soldier Fund, The Legislative Fund, and the McBrayes' Memorial Bed, at Sanatorium are annual pledges, not called for at the Feder-

The \$1500.00 debt for furniture used at Samarcand Manor, of which we had a part last year has all been paid.

The Club decided at this meeting to give a medal to the High School pupil making the greatest improve-ment in spoken and written English during the coming school year. In behalf of the absent members of the Club motion was made and carried that the President's paper, which she very successful meeting, and it is at read before the club ve published in the Courier.

Our officers for the coming year aro:

Mrs. Marvin G. Lovett, Pres. Mrs. Basil F. Brittain, Vice Pres. Mrs. J. A. Spence, Recording Secy. Mrs. K. Alexander, Corresponding

Secy.
Mrs. C. A. Hayworth, Treasurer.
Mrs. I. C. Moser Chairman of Civ-

Miss Esther Ross, Chairman of Mrs. W. B. Furgeson, Chairman of

Music. "Collect of Club Women of America" Keep us, O God, from Pettiness; let us be large in thought, in word, in deed.

Let us be done with fault finding and leave off self seeking.

May we not away all pretence and meet each other face to face without

self-pity and without prejudice.

May we never be hasty in judgment and always generous.

Teach us to put into action our better impulses, straight- forward and unafraid.

Let us take time for all things; make us grow calm, serene and genthe little things that create differences; that in the big things of life we are as one.

And may we strive to touch and to know the great common woman's heart of us all; and O Lord God, let us not forget to be kind, amen

#### PROMINENT MONTGOMERY COUNTY FARMER DEAD

M. C. Rush, a prominent farmer, of Montgomery county died May 20th at the Charlotte Sanitorium following an illness of about a year's duration caused by heart disease. Mr. Rush was 72 years old. He was a consistent member of the Methodist Episcopal church.

# MEMORIAL DAY

Memorial day, May 30, is now an event of great significance in the South, as since the World war veterans of the war on that day pay honor to their dead. The American leigon has been very thorough in its ob-servance of the day, keeping bright the memory of those who died in the war or have died since. They are deserving of all honor, for they gave everything they had for their country,

the most any man or woman could do. The day was well observed through out the entire country.

# M. E. MATTERS

By W. H. WILLIS On Saturday last, the writer united marriage Mr. Byrd and Miss C. label Morgan, at the residence of a and Mrs. C. A. Hayworth. The many friends of Mrs. Charlie f. Granford gave her a birth dinner unitary. This seribe enjoyed the

s pastor witnessed the graduatof Misses Clarabel Morris and
Ava Wolff at G. C., Tuesday,
as Mary Bulla was one of the
halls at the Davenport comsement. She received special
for for her work in English and
hand.

Dally's have returned to id have taken their m

REV. E. S. P'POOL, TH. D.



REVIVAL SERVICE AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Conducted By Home Board Evange-list, Rev. E. S. P'Pool, Th. D., of Hattiesburg, Mississippi

Mr. P'Poole was educated at Missippi College and Rochester Theo-logical Seminary N. Y. He has held meetings in every state in the South except four, and in some of the northern states. He has met with wonderful success as an evangelist. When you hear him once you will not quite one-fifth.

3. The average is the property of the pr here fourteeen months ago and held a the request of those that heard him then that he is back here again.

HOURS OF SERVICE 3:30 and 8:30 p. m., during the week, and at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. than 5 per cent of the short term adm. on Sunday. The meeting will continue until Sunday, June 10th.

4. Collateral was required for less than 5 per cent of the short term advances made by banks, whereas more than 40 per cent of the advances from

The music will be directed by Mrs. C. W. Scott. She is a good soloist as well as a good leader of music. The Christian workers of the other churches of the town are cordially invited to join in the great soul-winning campaign.

JAS. W. ROSE, pastor.

MR. JAMES DUNN, MOORE

Mr. James Dunn died at his home at Steeds Route 1; Tuesday at an advanced age. Mr. Dann is survived by his wife and several sons and daughters. He was a prosperous farmer and a good citizen. Funeral and burial ervices were conducted at Dover yesterday.

STATE FAIR OCTOBER 15 TO 19

The sixty second North Carolina State Fair will be held in Raleigh October 15 to 19. Plans are well under way to make this year's exhiebition superior to any previously held.

The Executive Committee has decided to conduct the fair practically along the same lines as last year.

### ONE THOUSAND PEOPLE KILLED IN EARTHQUAKE

An earthquake which covered period of several hours caused the death of more than 1000 persons at Turbat-I-Maidra early Tuesday morning. This place is a small Persian town in a central province of Persia. Central province of Persia.

JULIA VAN GRAVES, DAUGHTER OF FORMER ASHEBORO WO-MAN DEAD

Sadness reigns in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Graves of near Burlington since the death of their little two year old daughter, Julia Van. The little girl was stricken of Mr. and Mrs. Gurney Nance of seriously ill on Monday morning May South Asheboro died Tuesday night seriously ill on Monday morning May South Asheboro died Tuesday night 7, and her soul passed into the great at the Memorial hospital. Burial beyond on Tuesday May 8.

bright and beautiful must leave this world so young, but if we pause and JUSTICE CLARKSON TAKES think for a moment we remember that God too, loves the things that are beautiful, therefore He called her to be one of His bright little angels. The funeral and burial was conducted from St. Paul's church May 9.

Among those attending from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Tickle and Mr. Luther Tickle from Gibsonville, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. McPherson and Mr. Clarence McPherson of Greensboro, Mr. Fred W. McPherson of High Point and Mr. Buren McPherson of Asheboro.

The beautiful floral offerings pespoke unusual sympathy for the parents and love for the little child. The little girl's mother was before her marriage Ruth McPherson of Asheboro.—Contributed.

### JOSEPH W. FOLK FORMER GOV. OF MISSOURI DEAD

uri, died in New York City Mr. Folk was a former democratir circles. He came

FARM CREDIT IN NORTH CAROLINA

By B. W. KILGORE, Director There has lately been a great deal of beneficial discussion of farm credit, and Federal legislation has been enacted providing a larger volume of credit for the production and market-ing of crops, as well as the conditions for obtaining this credit. In considering the matter of farm credit the cost of this credit must not be lost sight of as it has been this "cost" as much, or more than the lack of volume of credit which has made it difficult for the farmer to make enough from his farming operations to make a living, and something additional, for the purchase of a farm. A survey made in 1921 of 800

farms in North Carolina by the State Division of Markets and the Federal Bureau of Agricultural Economics, representing the State and Federal Departments of Agriculture, by F. R. Yoder, H. S. Beardsley and A. J. Honeycutt of these institutions, established the following facts regarding credit conditions on these farms, and these may reasonably be taken to represent average conditions for farm

credit in the state:
1. More than half of all credit obtained for current expenses was advanced by stores and less than one-sixth by banks. Advances from landlords to tenants was almost equal to all short-term bank advances to farm-

2. More than half of all credit obtained for long term purposes on land mortgage security came from individ- it was uals. Commercial banks furnished

uals. Commercial banks furnished not quite one-fifth.

3. The average rate of interest charged for short term advances from banks was 6.3 percent as compared with 26.6 from stores. For mortgage loans the rate from banks was 6 per cent even as compared with 6.1 cent even as compared with 6.1 per cent charged by individuals.

vances made by banks, whereas more than 40 per cent of the advances from stores were fully secured.

5. From the foregoing it is evident that farmers would profit by get-ting more of of their credit from ting more of of their credit from banks and paying their store bills with cash, if possible. Two means will be useful toward accomplishing full of interest. Rev. H. F. Fogleman, paster of the Methodist Protestant

(a) Farmers may form credit unions and get funds by co-operative efforts as explained briefly in a bul-COUNTY CITIZEN, DEAD letin prepared for this purpose.

(b) Both bankers and farmers can

the farm and the growing of food and feed crops will help in reducing the need for the more expensive merchant credit.

AUTOMOBILES

Robert Allison Waddell, five years which occured near his home.

The child stepped from behind an ice wagon directly in the path of the machine, which, drawing a trailer young loaded with brick, was running at a low rate of speed.

Suffering from the shock of the tragedy, Mrs. Waddell the mother of the little boy said this was her third child to be run down by automobiles, the other two having recovered. The second accident was that of

Clen Lovett a youth who sustained a fractured skull from an automobile medals were presented, by Mr. Basil the reckless driving of a man who was intoxicated.

# DEATH OF LITTLE CHILD

Benford, the seven months old son services were held at 3 o'clock yes-

OATH OF OFFICE

Judge Heriot Clarkson, who last week appointed to **Buccee**d Associate Justice Walker of the Suoffice in Raleigh yesterday. In elevating Mr. Clarkson to this position, Governor Morrison has performed a service which has met the approval of the people of the State. Judge Clark-son is a member of the Charlotte bar, and a man of marked strengeh and ability.

RURAL CARRIERS OF RANDOLPH COUNTY MEET AND OR-GANIZE

At a meeting of the rural carriers of the county in Asheboro yesterday the following officers were elected: S. J. Buckner, Liberty, President. Abe Hudson, Franklinville, Vice President.

J. C. Walker, Seagrove, Secretary nd Treasurer.
Executive Co man, H. C. Royals, Trinity, Shorfner, Liberty, A. J. Ma-sheboro, G. E. Julian Millboro.

ASHEBORO SCHOOL

COMMENCEMENT

The commencement exercises of the Asheboro High School began last Sunday morning, when Dr. A. N. Ward, preddent of Western Maryland Methodist Portestant College, delivered the annual sermon. Dr. Ward chose friends in the county. He is the oldest and one of the most distinguished it along social and educational lines. His text was taken from John twelfth

May and Miss Nannie Bulla, who have charge of the music department in the school.

The senior class held their class ex-

ercises at the Capitol Theatre Monday

afternoon. These exercises were most

class meeting, the president calling for the following items; class history tiff record by Virginia Redding, Class Poem by Merie Moore. The Last Will and Testament was read by Samuel Brittain and Miss Annie Lee Spoon announced the Senior Vote. After this it was decided that all was complete

of each member of the class in an inldwin Morris presented the humor-ous rifts of the class. Following this was the Valedictory by Ida Smith which was delivered in an unusually capable manner. The class song ac-companied by Miss Bulla on the guitar, John Hadley on the violin, and others with ukeleles was quite worthy of high praise.

r of the Methodist Free which head in prayer, after which hap-Rev. J. W. Rose, pastor o fthe Baptist church, presented Mr. E. S. P.-Pool, evangelist of the Home Board

out upon life's pathway to the great Mississippi River which rises in the Minnesota woods and performs its mission in life as it flows southward, OKLAHOMA SUFFERS BY FLOODS He exhorted each and every one to do something worth while: to The speaker made excellent illustra- been lost. Much damage has been

of age died Sunday from an accident the best qualities, if necessity arises. has been sustained. Following the address some special music by the Senior class was ren- MEMORIAL SERVICE dered, after which the following young people received diplomas. John Hadley, Edwin Morris, Glenn Callicutt, Tyson Ferree, Samuel Brit-Callicutt, Tyson Ferree, Samuel Brit-tain, Clara Presnell, Gertrude Atkins, Day in High Point. Extensive ar-before coming here. Ruth Amick, Annie Lee Spoon, Helen rangements were made for the ocas-Sykes, Linnie Birkhead, Frances Barlion. ker, Virginia Redding, Ida Smith, was the principal speaker, delivering dolph for a day or two this week. Moore.

The Junior and Senior scholarship smash Sunday morning. The cause Brittain, to Miss Nannie Atkins and of this death the Jury attributed to Charles Anna Fox. Professor D. W. Maddox told of the work of the past was 690. He further said that while present Mr. York is located in a conditions had been very much crowded much good had been accomplished, of town. Mr. Maddox made a number of suggestions concerning improvements in FORMER RANDOLPH WOMAN schoolwork for the future among Sometimes we wonder why one so terday afternoon at Charlotte church. and equipment. Mr. Maddox has advocated improvements from time to

> pupils of the school of his interest and good wishes at all times. Following Mr. Maddox's talk dippupils, also certificates to a number of pupils who had not been absent during the year and received

garet Hammond. It will be gratifying to everyone circle of friends. who is interested in the education of Surviving is the these young men and women to know children, Edns Marie and H. O. Wilthat sixteen of the eighteen boys and liams, Jr., the latter an infant six girls of the graduating class have weeks old, and her father, Mr. J. W. made application for college entrance. Brown, of Greensboro, and one broth-Ashebore has always furnished a er, Marvin Brown, of Kemp Mills.

The closing exercises of the commencement were held at the Capitol Theatre Tuesday evening when a play "Patty Makes Things Hum" was given by ten of the seniors.

A negro man, Ola Covington, living the seniors.

RANDOLPH SUPERIOR COURT IN SESSION

The May term of Randolph Superior court convened Monday morning jurists in the state. Judge Allen is a retired Judge and came to Randolph chapter, "And I, if I be lifted up to hold court on account of the conwill draw all men". As additional text he used "Go ye into all the world".

Special music had been arranged under the direction of Miss Bertie week of civil court. Criminal court will be in Asheboro next week for the last week of civil court.

will begin June 14.

unique in that after the opening words of welcome from John Hadley, presidest of the class, the curtain rose on the class seated in a semicircle on logs. The setting and stage decorations were from the woods and the floor was carpeted in leaves. The girls were bright colored linen sport dresses and were typical school girls, whils the boys of the class were white trousers with lingeric shirts. The exercises took the form of a regular class meeting, the president calling for the following items; class history tiff recovered \$125.00 with interest. tiff recovered \$125.00 with interest. Floyd Smith vs. W. G. Brown in which Smith is suing Brown for the alienations of the affections of his wife and resulted in no damages for

A number of the colleges are in the graduates at the close of the various institutions.

Miss Clarabell Morris and John D. Wolff will graduate at the Greensboro,

The school commissioners of Lex-(b) Both bankers and farmers can work toward a better contact. In this way bankers obtain a first hand knowledge of prospective borrowers which they often prefer to collateral security or loans, and which enables them better to know and to meet the farmers' needs.

6. More legumes and live-stock on the farm and the growing of food and the farm and the growing of food and dississippi River which rises in the school will bear his name. the school will bear his name.

Oklahoma City has been floods TWO NEW BERN CHILDREN DIE aim in life and to embrace the splen-the Northern Canadian River which from INJURIES CAUSED BY reach of every determined individual. homeless and the lives of some have tions of how adversity can bring out done to the country and great loss

OBSERVED IN HIGH POINT

Katie Smith, Lois Presnell, Merle the memorial day address in the High School Auditorium.

ASHEBORO HAS NEW

Mr. W. C. York has installed three year, saying that 760 pupils had been handkerchief machines and will also Half Million Endowment Fund-Miss enrolled and the average attendance manufacture shirts and overalls. At building on his lot in northern part

DIES IN GREENSBORO

Mrs. Beulah Williams, wife of H. vocated improvements from time to O. Williams, of Greensboro, died time during his stay in Asheboro and Monday at St. Leo's hospital at the upon this occasion embraced the op- age of 30 years. The funeral services portunity of assuring the patrons and were conducted by Rev. H. Russell Clem, pastor of the First Christian church, of Greensboro, at Pleasant preme Court Bench, took the oath of lomas were presented to the 7th grade Interment followed in the church large cemetery.

Mrs. Williams was, before her marriage, Miss Beulah Brown, daughter no tardy marks. Following this the of J. W. Brown, formerly of Kemp music prizes were presented to Hen-Mills. She was a consistent member rietta Underwood, Linnie Birkhead, of Union Grove Christian church. Katie Smith, Jackie Brooks and Mar-She had lived in Greensboro for a number of years and leaves a large

Surviving is the husband, two small

A flegro man, Ola Covington, living one mile south of Rockingham, committed suicide last week by pulling the trigger of a shot gun with his toe. He lived a couple of hours. Before dying, he stated to an officer that he was simply tired of living—hence his decision to shuffle off this

NEWS FROM THE STATE CAPITAL

(By Maxwell Gorman.) Raleigh, May, 29.—In the appointment of Hon. Heroit Clarkson of Charlotte to succeed the late Justice Platt D. Walker of Charlotte of the State Supreme Court, Gov. Morrison has again manifested fine judgment in selecting men for high office, a number of whom he has been called upon to name during the last two

Justice Clarkson, added to his native ability, is one of the best equip-ped legal minds in the State; no other man available could outrank him in qualification backed by long and val-uable experience, and therefore his The following jurors are serving:
D. Y. Bray, Joel Hammond, George
Morgan, J. D. McMasters, Milton Cox, appointment was generally anticipated by those familiar with the mond, J. T. Macon, W. F. Jones, E. A.
Thomas, T. A. Brookshire, W. F.
Governor Morrison and Mr. Clarkson.
Ivey, J. F. Wall, Jno. A. Graven, W.
R. Neese, D. O. King.

A propher of coors have been dealer asset to the cause of fustice in the

factory to the people, but a valuable asset to the cause of justice in the courts of North Carolina, Justice Clarkson will arrive in Raleigh this week, but may not remove his family to this city till later.
N. Y. Senator Copeland at Raleigh

This is the week of schools and college "commencements" in Raleigh, from the Raleigh High School, with its graduating class numbering 75 (despite inadequate school building and other serious hindrances) to the State A. and E. College, and including three colleges for young women—St. Mary's, Meredith, and Peace Institute. Four baccaulaureate sermons were delivered here Sunday by notables in educational life in other states, and every day till Friday night will be taken up with commencement and graduation work and formalities.

The most distinguished man taking part in these ceremonies is the new Democratic U. S. Senator for New York, Doctor Royall S. Copeland, who speaks at A. and E. State College Tuesday, delivering the annual address.

Wolff will graduate at the Greensboro, College for Women; Miss Carrie livered the address to the Meredith Brittain will receive her diploma at the North Carolina College; Mr. Stanton Skeen will receive his diploma at the Agriculture and Engineering College in Raleigh; Mr. Frank Redding will receive his diploma at Redding will receive his diploma at Western Maryland college at West Raleigh, and the home-going for the holiday season even slackens up business here appreciably, especially in West Raleigh, home of the A. and E. State College.

WEEKLY-HERALD OF SILER CITY SUSPENDS PUBLICATION:

Weekly Herald, which has been published at Siler City, by Mr. Colin G. Shaw, has suspended publication. This is the first time in 19 cation. This is the first time in 19 years that Siler City has had no paper. Mr. Shaw was forced to suspend the paper on account of lack of support by the business people of Siler City. He also owns the Chatham Record at Pittsboro and says that the Herald will be consolidate

Prominent Agricultural Workers To Be In County

Mr. O. F. McCrary, District Agricultural Extension Agent, for this section will be in this county for a few days this week.

This is Mr. McCrary's first visit te this county since taking charge of this The Andrew Jackson Post of the district. He has won an enviable rep-

Mr. J. M. Watt, of the swine exten-Congressman Wm. C. Hammer sion department will also be in Ran-Mr. R. U. Payne will be in Asheboro Saurday for the Farm Bureau meeting Saturday.

> ENTERPRISE GREENSBORO COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT

> > Morris of Asheboro President Senior Class

The commencement exercises of Greensboro College have been in progress this week. At a record breaking meeting of Alumnae, a half million dollar endowment fund was endorsed. One of the outstanding features of the Alumnae meeting was the report of the memories committee over which Mrs. Flagge presided. Among other tributes was one to Mrs. Jennie Page Hancock who was for many years connected with the college and one whom Mrs. Flagge said" is remembered with love and affection by hundreds of girls."

Miss Clarabel Morris of Ashebore who is president of the senior class presided over the class day exercises in a most gracious manner extended greetings.

DEATH OF RAS SHOFFNER BROTHERS NEAR LIBERTY

Ras Shoffner Brothers, the young est son of D. R. Brothers, who lived nine miles north of Liberty, died Sunday morning. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. C. A. Crisman at Pleasant Union M. P. church Mon-

The boy was 17 years old. death was unusually and because the number of deaths that have in the Brothers family in recent The deceased is survived father, two sisters Mrs. L. Brothers and Mrs. Wake States one brother, Master William B