

PEOPLE WANT AN AUTO MAIL ROUTE

File Petition With P. O. Department Asking For Better Daily Mail Service.

A large number of citizens of the county have signed and forwarded to the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General a petition asking for the establishment of an auto mail service between High Point and Asheboro. The petition asks that two star route trucks be put on by the postoffice department making two round trips daily and serving High Point, Archdale, Trinity, Sophia, Randleman and Asheboro.

People of the county have been dissatisfied with the mail service since two mail trains were discontinued several weeks ago on the railway line from Asheboro to High Point. The mail service which the town has had to endure since the discontinuance of these trains is not commensurate with the business demands of Asheboro and the other points along the line affected. The train which is scheduled to leave High Point at 8 o'clock in the morning and due to arrive in Asheboro at about 10 o'clock is often delayed because of the heavy freight it carries. It usually reaches Asheboro about noon and sometimes too late for the mail to be distributed until after the noon hour. This does not afford the business men of the town time enough to get replies to their mail off on the star route which leaves for Greensboro by way of Franklinville and Ramseur at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Consequently the replies have to wait until the morning star route service the next day.

The postoffice department has been asked to arrange a star line to High Point similar to the one between Asheboro and Greensboro. The schedule suggested provides for a truck to leave High Point after the arrival of the Southern main line train No. 29, which is due to arrive at 8:02 a. m. The truck would reach Asheboro at 9:20 a. m. On the return trip this truck should pass over the same route, leaving Asheboro at 10:30 a. m. and arriving at High Point at 12 m. thus connecting with the north and south bound Southern Railway main line trains. No. 39 is the train which brings in most of the mail for Asheboro section from the north.

To complete the schedule, the petition recommends that an additional truck be provided to leave High Point at 2:30 p. m. and serve the same offices as outlined above, arriving at Asheboro, at 4 p. m. On the return trip, it would leave Asheboro at 5 p. m. and arrive at High Point at 6:30 p. m.

It is claimed that this service would touch 25,000 or 30,000 people directly and indirectly, as it would serve an entire county and contiguous territory.

Postmaster York, of High Point, last Saturday measured the distances to be covered by the proposed service and finds them as follows:
High Point to Archdale postoffice, 3.4 miles; Archdale to Trinity 1.35; Trinity (retrace back to Archdale) 1.35; from Archdale to hard surface road, 3; from there to Sophia, 8.8; from Sophia to Hinshaw Fork (intersection of Asheboro and Randleman roads), 3.15; from Hinshaw Fork to Randleman and retrace, 3.15; Hinshaw's Fork to Hughes place, 3; from Hughes' place to Spero, 1; from Spero to hard surface road, 6; from there to Asheboro, 2.8.

P. H. Hanes Dead

P. H. Hanes, aged 79, president of the P. H. Hanes Knitting Company, of Winston-Salem, died Tuesday night following an illness of several years duration.

Another Gift To Trinity

President William P. Few announced Tuesday that James Buchanan Duke had donated \$2,000,000 to the building fund of Duke University, making a total fund available of \$9,500,000. This last gift on the part of Duke makes Duke University, Durham, the fifth largest in the United States in the point of assets and funds for equipment.

Asheboro Gets \$133.75 From Firemen's Fund

Asheboro gets \$133.75 from the Firemen's Relief Fund distributed by the State insurance commissioner. This represents one-half of one percent of fire insurance premiums paid by citizens of the town on property insured within the fire zone of the town. The total of the fund distributed by the Insurance Commissioner is a little more than \$30,500.00. Lexington gets \$205.74, Thomasville \$208.31, High Point \$1,032.95. Charlotte gets the most, something over \$3,000.

Surprise Birthday Dinner

A number of relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Osborne, in North Asheboro, last Sunday to celebrate Mrs. Osborne's 64th birthday. A large table was arranged on the lawn from which a sumptuous dinner was served from the well-filled buckets which the guests had brought with them. Among the out of town visitors present were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Davis, of Elon College; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stout, of High Point; Mr. and Mrs. Grove, of Greensboro; and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hines, of Greensboro.

Hands Off



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MRS. DIXON, SISTER OF MRS. H. M. ROBINS, DEAD

Mrs. Loula Erwin Dixon Dies Suddenly At Rock Hill, South Carolina.

The announcement of the recent sudden death of Mrs. Loula Erwin Dixon at the home of her sister, Mrs. T. I. Carruthers, at Rock Hill, S. C., whom she was visiting, was a shock to her many friends in Asheboro. For the past two years Mrs. Dixon has suffered from heart trouble. Mrs. Dixon had visited her sister, Mrs. H. M. Robins, in Asheboro, a number of times and was much admired and greatly beloved by those whom she had met in the town.

She was the widow of the late Rev. J. H. Dixon, who died suddenly about six or seven years ago in a Charlotte Presbyterian church, which he was serving as pastor.

Following the funeral services at Rock Hill, the body was brought to the Erwin burial grounds at Mallord's Creek church, in Mecklenburg county, for interment.

The following brothers and sisters survive: Mrs. T. I. Carruthers, of Rock Hill, S. C.; Mrs. J. M. Byers, of Rock Hill, S. C.; Mrs. R. E. Carruthers, of Fort Mill, S. C.; Mrs. Henry Robins, of Asheboro; Frank Erwin, of Mecklenburg county; F. L. Erwin, of Charlotte; and Dr. E. A. Erwin, of Laurinburg, S. C.

Mr. Finch Improving

T. J. Finch, who has been undergoing treatment at Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, for several weeks, and who has been in a serious condition, is reported to have passed the crisis in his illness and is now improving.

Walter Staley Recovering

Walter Staley, prominent farmer of the Liberty community who was seriously injured Tuesday morning of last week when cut with a knife by Ed Brown, negro working on the Staley farm, is reported as recovering from the effects of his wounds. Brown is still held in jail without bond.

VISITS HOME COUNTY

Mr. George H. Aldridge, who was born and reared near Millboro, is in the county on his annual visit. Unlike many business men, Mr. Aldridge takes some time off each year and visits old friends and the scenes of his childhood. For many years Mr. Aldridge was an officer on active service with the United States Army, but is now retired and lives in Washington. His visits are a source of pleasure to his many friends in the county.

Mr. Aldridge's first visit to Asheboro was during the gubernatorial campaign of 1876 when Zeb Vance and Thomas Settle were candidates. They spoke at the fair grounds on which the Asheboro school now stands. Mr. Aldridge was impressed with the tremendous crowd and the bigness of Asheboro. The fair grounds was at that time considered out of town. Mr. Aldridge says there were three stores in Asheboro at that time, these being Dr. Worth's, O'Fife and Spoon, and W. P. Wood's. He boasts of having been one of The Courier's regular readers, having begun reading The Courier when it was first published by M. S. Robins under the name of the Regulator and has continued his subscription from year to year.

Will Carter Dies In Harvest Field

Will Carter, of Hemp, died suddenly Monday in the harvest field, aged 60 years. The funeral services were conducted Tuesday at the Presbyterian church, in Elise, of which he was a member, and interment made in the Carter burial ground at the Carter home. Mr. Carter was twice married, his first wife having died about two years ago while in the garden gathering vegetables. His second wife and 11 children survive.

Postmaster Must Pay Up

C. M. Freeman, former postmaster at Troy, was ordered last week in Federal court in Greensboro by Judge Webb to pay a bonding company \$1,401 to make good a sum paid by the company on his bond by next December or serve two years in the penitentiary.

General News Of The World Told In Brief

A Digest of Things Worth Knowing About Events Throughout the World During the Week.

Frank Hill, aged 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hill, of near Madison, was killed Thursday of last week when a shotgun which he was carrying accidentally discharged the entire load entering his breast.

G. R. Hooper, for years superintendent of the Jewel cotton mill at Thomasville, has gone to Clover, S. C., where he will become superintendent of the mill there belonging to John Tillett, of Charlotte, and others. He will be succeeded at Thomasville by his brother.

Mr. John Lambeth, of Thomasville, head of the Lambeth Furniture Company, and owner of Cedar Lodge farm, has purchased this year 100 bushels of Mexican big boll cotton seed for planting on his farm. More than 750 bushels of this improved variety of cotton seed have been purchased by Davidson county farmers this year.

Asphyxiating gas may be outlawed as a weapon of war. The conference on traffic in arms in session in Geneva, Switzerland, has been favorably impressed with the banning of gas following a plea against its use made by Theodore E. Burton, a member of America's delegation to the conference.

A. Crouse Jones, prominent Davidson county farmer who disappeared from his home about ten days ago, was found last week in Lynchburg, Va., in a dazed condition, apparently suffering from shellshock or similar trouble. He was turned over to relatives who brought him home.

MR. J. C. JOHNSON HAS DISAPPEARED

Left Sawmill Monday At Level Cross and Hasn't Been Heard From Since—Fear Suicide.

J. C. Johnson, of Level Cross, completely disappeared Monday and his relatives and friends fear that he may have killed himself or is wandering around mentally unbalanced. Mr. Johnson, who worked at a sawmill in the community and boarded at Harry Fields', had been ill for some time recently and suffered intensely during his illness. It is feared that the illness may have unbalanced his mind.

Johnson left the sawmill where he was working taking a pistol with him, it is said. When he left he told a negro employed at the mill that he was going home and told another negro that he was going to his boarding place. He went to neither place, it develops, and nobody in the community knows his whereabouts. Monday afternoon when he was missed the search began and bloodhounds were taken to the scene from Asheboro. However, no trace has been found of the missing man. The entire neighborhood has been searched for a radius of several miles.

Mr. Johnson is described as about 60 years of age, about five feet and six inches in height, weighs about 140 pounds, bald, with mustache, and left wearing his overalls and working shoes. It is requested that any person who sees him inform Mr. J. C. Kivett, Greensboro, Route 5. Mrs. Kivett is a niece of the missing man.

WILLIAM BOLING DEAD

William Boling, aged 81 years and five days, died Saturday, June 6, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. P. R. King, near Seagrave, from a combination of diseases. Funeral services were conducted at Pleasant Hill church Sunday and burial was made in the church cemetery.

Mr. Boling was married September 1, 1867, to Miss Amanda Trogon, who died August 1st, 1908. To this union was born nine children, all of whom survive except two sons, Elom and Eri. The children are as follows: Mrs. M. C. Tucker, Mrs. George Boling, Mrs. J. E. Pressnell, Mr. Carson Boling, and Mrs. P. R. King. Besides the children he is survived by 49 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. Since the death of his wife in 1908, a granddaughter, Miss Essie Tucker, has been living with Mr. Boling. He had been a farmer all of his life near Seagrave and was a good citizen.

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The next annual reunion of the Confederate veterans of North Carolina will be held at Wilmington. This was decided at the reunion held last week in Wilson. A number of veterans from Randolph county attended the meeting.

Approximately 450 persons were received into the Winston-Salem churches Sunday following the close of the revival conducted in that city by Billy Sunday.

C. R. Chatham, of Caswell county, has been arrested for cruel treatment of his son who is ten years old. It is charged that one day last week the boy was chained for six hours in the blazing sun.

Archie Riddle, white, was fatally injured and Nathan Council, colored, was scalded as a result of a boiler explosion at the sawmill belonging to S. F. Dorman, five miles south of Dunn, one day last week.

Charter has been granted to the Lexington Realty Company, at Lexington, to do a general real estate business. The authorized capital is \$40,000 with \$500 subscribed by S. W. Finch, Alexander Springs and P. V. Critcher.

Miss Julia Holt Black, daughter of Mrs. Flora C. Black, of Carthage, was married Saturday to James A. Davis, of Raleigh.

Forty automobiles were stolen in the State in May and forty were recovered. Twenty-nine of the cars stolen were Fords and the same number of Fords were found.

Last Friday the thermometer reached 100 in Boston, Mass., this being the hottest day ever recorded in that city. At the same time in the mountains in the far West there was snow on the ground and one or two States were in the grip of freezing temperatures.

Two hundred and thirty young women received degrees at North Carolina College for Women at the commencement exercises Tuesday.

Robert G. Glenn, aged 75, pioneer fire insurance agent of Greensboro, died Monday morning in St. Leo's hospital from a combination of maladies.

W. C. Gully, road foreman, and R. V. Tyler, guard, are charged with the death of Joe Armstrong, negro convict, who died one day last week after he had been severely whipped by the men named and tied to a chain and dragged seventy-five yards. The verdict against the charging officials was entered by a coroner's jury at Rocky Mount.

In Memory of Elmer Hayes

Elmer Hayes, who was killed in the Coal Glen mine May 27th, was buried at Holly Springs cemetery Saturday, May 30th. Mr. Hayes was 26 years, 6 months and 28 days old. He leaves a wife and one child, one half-brother and his grandparents. Mr. Hayes was a kind husband and father and was greatly respected by all who knew him. He was a member of the Coal Glen mine and was a member of the Holly Springs cemetery.

Carolina Mine Hero



Howard Butler of Connock, N. C. single-handed made a vain effort to save 60 fellow workmen in a mine there when three terrific explosions wrecked the works.

CAN GET STATE LICENSE TAGS FROM HAYWORTH

Motorists are again to receive assistance of the Carolina Motor Club in obtaining their license plates, according to an announcement of G. W. Hayworth, manager of the local office of the club. Plates serially numbered from 137001 to 141000 have been received and will be distributed beginning with June 15. The plates are orange with black numerals. The local office of the club are at the Asheboro Motor Company and will be open from 9 until 5 o'clock each day for the purpose of taking care of applications for title and distribution of plates. All trucks are required to have titles and it is suggested that fleet owners who do not wish to be delayed in operating their trucks make early application for title. All municipal and county owned vehicles are required to have title although such titles are delivered without cost.

Believes In Humane Treatment

Governor McLean, in talking with newspaper men Monday, expressed himself as thoroughly believing in the humane treatment of prisoners, but thinks they should serve their time and work while in the State's hands. He thinks that it is natural that there should be more complaints from county camps than from State camps for the reason that they are not as well equipped to take care of prisoners.

Won't Hunt For Amundsen

Secretary of the Navy Wilbur says that the United States will not send an airplane into the polar regions to look for the Amundsen expedition which is believed to have been lost for days. Already plans have been started in Norway to send a rescue party to look for the ill-fated expedition.

SEAGROVE NEWS

Mr. E. B. Leach went to Durham on business one day last week. Mr. Frank Auman motored to High Point on business last Thursday. Mr. Garrett Leach attended Federal court at Greensboro last week. Mr. Daniel McCann, of Liberty, was in town on business Friday. Little Thelma Ruth Leach spent a few days with her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Walker, at Hemp, last week. Mrs. Elizabeth McLeod, of Greensboro, spent last Tuesday night at the home of Mr. E. B. Leach. Miss Gertrude Brown, of Elon College, was in town a few hours Saturday. Mrs. R. K. Harris and son, Mr. A. C. Harris, were guests Sunday of Mr. Rome Harris, who lives in western Randolph.

Miss Leta Auman, of Hemp, was the guest of homefolks the past week-end.

Mr. Howard Auman spent a few days last week with his grandfather, Mr. C. T. Luck, on Seagrave, Route 2. Mr. F. O. Statts, of Winston-Salem, visited his father, Mr. W. L. Statts, the past week-end.

Miss Grace Auman is at home for the summer after attending school at N. C. C. W., Greensboro, the past session.

Mr. D. A. Cornelison and Mr. and Mrs. B. A. King spent Sunday at Eagle Springs.

DUKE ISN'T TALKING

The sharp trading in Norfolk-Southern bonds is ascribed by the Durham Herald to the activities of interest aligned with the Dukes. This raises the query as to whether the Dukes are to control the Norfolk-Southern. In Durham there are rumors based on certain deals that have been made recently that the Dukes plan to extend the Piedmont and Northern Railway from Charlotte to Durham. The Dukes have recently purchased several million dollars worth of property in Durham and that city foresees some great developments. It is argued that an extension of the Duke railway lines from Charlotte to Durham and a connection to Goldsboro and the alignment of the Norfolk-Southern with these holdings, Duke would be in a position to serve North Carolina even better than "Duke's ancient enemy, the Southern Railway, serves the South". Duke, however, has never been known to make any announcement of his plans until something has happened, so all these hopes of the Durhamites may be hopes after all or there may be something behind it. Duke knows, but Duke isn't giving out any interviews.

James Staley, Colored, Shot

James Staley, negro, was shot in the arm and left side, and another negro is dead as a result of a gun battle at High Point Tuesday between two police officers and a bunch of negro gamblers. The two officers are in the hospital, one shot through the abdomen and the other through the hip. The battle started when the officers raided a negro home while a card game was in progress.

Police Review Writes Up Asheboro Cops

Contains Pictures of Chief Steed and Policeman Gaddis—Has Interesting Facts About the Town.

A recent issue of the Police Review, published monthly at Hagerstown, Md., the official organ of the National Association of Policemen, issued a historical edition for North Carolina, containing many interesting facts about North Carolina past and present, and other matters of interest about the State. A large portion of the edition was devoted to write-ups of the towns and cities in the State, the police force in each town, and interesting data about the municipality so written up.

The section devoted to Asheboro contains the pictures of Chief of Police C. W. Steed, Policeman R. A. Gaddis, J. A. York, mayor of the town at that time, and Arthur Ross, former mayor, together with interesting data with reference to the various industries of the town.

In the article with reference to Chief Steed it is stated that in 1911 he was appointed policeman and two years later was made chief. "Quietness," the article states, "is the chief characteristic of Chief Steed. He talks little, but when he does, like most quiet men, he says a lot. In all that he does he exhibits faithfulness and efficiency and the city may well compliment itself on the selection of its chief."

With reference to Policeman Gaddis it is stated that his worth as an officer is indicated in "his steady attention to things which comprise his duty and constant willingness to expend effort on things of more or less unimportant nature."

An interesting sketch is also given of the lives of then Mayor York and former Mayor Ross.

In the section devoted to Thomasville an interesting article is written about Chief of Police Everett T. Kearns, who was born and reared at Farmer, this county.

Land Sale at Troy

An auction sale of valuable lots will be held at Troy July 4th, sale to be conducted by Dr. Frank A. Henly, of High Point, auctioneer. These lots are adjoining the corporate limits of Troy and are ideally located for those desiring to purchase a homesite or land for investment.

Governor McLean Delivers Most Practical Address

What the Winston-Salem Journal termed "one of the most practical and helpful utterances ever heard at a commencement in Winston-Salem," was Governor McLean's address Tuesday of last week to the graduating class of Salem College. He fully sustained his reputation for wisdom and common sense in his heart-to-heart talk to the members of the class on matters in which all citizens of North Carolina are interested.

The Governor devoted his attention chiefly in his speech to the training in character and the training in citizenship in the schools. He was not unmindful that many content that the place for building character is in the home, but he did not fail to realize the ugly truth that in many homes the child has little or no opportunity for character development.

Upon examination of the court records, the Governor has found that 85 per cent of all crimes are committed by youths twenty years of age and under. This, in the opinion of the Governor, offers a challenge to the schools. He pointed out the responsibility resting upon the teacher to mold the character of his pupils. Not only is this a responsibility, but also the training of children in the duties of citizenship, something which is more than often neglected.

The Governor also stressed his economy program. He said the State must like the individual live within its income. But he expressed the determination that no State institution during his administration should suffer from the want of money.

To Begin Distribution City Auto. Tags 15th

Distribution of city automobile license tags will begin June 15th, the same date distribution of State tags starts. Chief of Police Steed will have charge of the distribution of the tags in Asheboro for the city. He urges that people get them as soon as possible beginning the 15th. The tags cost \$1.00.

EDGAR NEWS

There was a good service held at Marlboro Sunday, 120 being present for school. Revs. Gathier and Spough, of Greensboro, were present. Also Miss Sarah Charles, a missionary of New Mexico, gave a good talk on the work there.

Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Newlin and children and John Newlin, of Randleman, were visitors at J. O. Newlin's Sunday afternoon.

Misses Elva, Eva and Sarah Charles, of Richmond, Ind., have been visiting relatives in this and other sections of the State.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Davis and Annie Cox were in Greensboro Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Charity Connor spent Friday with Mrs. Jaz. Davis, at Glenside.

Miss Delphina Farlow spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. R. F. Ridge.

TWO COLERIDGE BOYS IN WRECK

Were Seriously Injured Saturday When Car Collides With Telephone Pole.

Carl Caine and Arthur Chilton, Coleridge youths who have been working in High Point for some time, were seriously injured last Saturday shortly before dark when the Ford roadster in which they were riding unable to make the sharp curve in the road at Jamestown collided with a telephone pole. Both of Caine's legs were broken and Chilton suffered an injured arm and other wounds. Chilton was driving the car, which, it is stated, was going at a rapid rate of speed. Another man in the car escaped uninjured. The Ford was practically demolished.

Caine and Chilton were taken to the Guilford General hospital where their injuries were treated. Caine states that in his opinion he was thrown from the car against the telephone pole.

Relatives of the injured youths at Coleridge were notified of the accident after the boys were taken to the hospital. It is stated at Coleridge that the young men were on their way home when the accident happened. Both are resting well despite their serious injuries and are expected to recover.

J. A. McAuley Dead

J. A. McAuley, more familiarly known to a wide circle of friends as "Bud" McAuley, died suddenly at Miami, Fla., Saturday morning. Until about three years ago Mr. McAuley was for eight years clerk of the court of Richmond county, this State. For the past three years he has been engaged in the real estate business at Rockingham, spending the past winter in Florida where he met with exceptional success as a realtor. The funeral services were held at Rockingham.

Order Taylor To Vacate

Arden Taylor must vacate the office of sheriff of Lenoir county, according to an order of the judge. Taylor was ousted from the office last December by the county commissioners who proceeded to appoint another sheriff after Taylor had refused to make settlement with the board. Taylor held on claiming to be the lawful officer and Lenoir county has for several months had two sheriffs.

Local And Personal News From Liberty

Rev. B. A. Barringer to Marry—June 18th—Rev. Brendall Gets Diploma at Emory University.

Miss Lizzie Cameron had as her guests Friday Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Pegg and family.

Miss Frances Wager, of Sanford, is the guest of Miss Lizzie Cameron. Miss Lois Williamson is home from North Carolina College for Women, Greensboro, for the summer vacation. Mrs. Cecil Frazier is a patient in St. Leo's hospital, Greensboro. Mrs. H. J. Frazier and Mrs. J. M. Reese visited her Friday.

The last meeting of the season of the Liberty parent-teachers' association was held Wednesday afternoon of last week in the school building.

Mr. H. C. Causey is home from Wilson, where he attended the State annual reunion of the Confederate veterans.

Little Miss Marjorie Elkins is the guest of relatives and friends at Goldston.

J. F. Taylor, who was seriously injured Friday by falling from a wagon, is taking treatment at St. Leo's hospital, Greensboro. He sustained a fracture at the base of the brain and is in a very serious condition.

Mrs. Franklin Bolz has returned to her home at Portsmouth, Va., after a visit to her grandmother, Mrs. Lida Kirkman.

Rev. J. H. Brendall attended the commencement exercises of Emory University, Atlanta, Ga., last week. He will get his diploma at the university this commencement. It is expected he will be away two or three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Williams and family, of Roper, were in town last week. Mr. Williams is looking for a location for a grocery store.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Frazier, June 1st, a daughter.

Willie Bowman and Coda Martin are at home for the summer vacation from Wake Forest College.

Invitations have been received in Liberty to the wedding of Miss Loren Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Arndt, of Hickory, to Rev. B. A. Barringer, pastor of the Lutheran church, at Liberty, on Thursday, June 18th, 8:30 P. M., at St. Andrew's church, Hickory.

The younger set enjoyed a midnight supper at Kimesville Thursday night. Among those enjoying the occasion were the Misses Fleta and Dixie Coward, Grace and Lola Walker, Elizabeth Johnson, Clara Stroud, Lisa Cole, Helen Long Hammer, Pauline Elkins, Elberta Smith, Thomas Martin, Dorothy Curtis, Maude Martin, Willie Bowman, Coda Martin, Charlie Frazier, Arthur Cox, Noel Neal, Jack Blackwell, George Williamson, Ralph Frazier, Winford Smith, Foster Taylor and Clyde McCann. Mrs. H. J. Elkins and Miss Florence Owen were also present.