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Stack Dispenses With Long Charge To Speed Up Court

Says Grand Jury Could Better
Employ Itself With Large
Amount Business Ahead.

More Than 280 Cases

On Docket For Trial—Cases In-
volving Violations Prohibi-
tion Laws Take Up Time.

The regular September term Randolph Superior Court convened in Asheboro Monday morning with Judge A. M. Stack, of Monroe, presiding, and Solicitor Zeb V. Long, of Statesville, prosecuting for the State. The court found itself faced with a heavy docket, more than 280 cases, and with this in mind Judge Stack consumed very little time in charging the grand jury. He presumed that the members of the jury were men of intelligence sufficient to know their duties, which he sketched briefly and set them to work.

The grand jury for the term is composed of J. M. Brown, foreman, and A. J. Robbins, W. E. Kennedy, C. H. Yow, I. F. Farlow, L. H. Curtis, O. H. Callicutt, Eugene Farlow, C. W. Lawrence, J. T. Council, C. W. Wall, Eli Leonard, G. M. Pugh, W. P. Vestal, W. F. Ivey, J. B. Smith, J. R. York and John Pritchard.

The regular petit jury includes J. H. Moffitt, O. T. Macon, Virgil Gray, Henry Stephenson, Ernest Briles, A. W. Leonard, U. H. Cornelison, A. S. Rush, A. S. Meyers, W. P. Vestal, W. T. Carter, S. A. Hoover, Jule Hoover, Walter Rich, J. E. Snider, E. L. Johnson, W. B. Fulton, R. L. Kearns, A. B. Bulla and F. Eugene York.

Cases tried other than that against Paul Ferree and Everett Ferree and Theodore ("Buddie") Gunter, include the following:

State vs Paul Smith and Vinson Green, defendants found not guilty.

State vs Eugene Pickard, defendant entered plea of guilty and was fined \$10 and costs.

State vs Al Swaney, defendant at close of State's evidence announced he would not resist verdict. On

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A Revival To Begin At Flint Hill Church 3rd Sunday In Month

Randleman, Rt. 3, Sept. 2.—A large crowd attended the play, "Home Acres," given by the Willing Workers Sunday School class last Saturday night. The proceeds will be used toward heating the new church.

A revival meeting will begin at Flint Hill Community church the third Sunday in September. The pastor will be assisted by Rev. Samuel Nelson, of Greensboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Roseoe Farlow, of Broadway, spent the week end in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ferguson and Miss Stella Ferguson have returned home after spending a few days in Hoke county.

A number of fox hunters from here had a good chase near West End Monday morning of this week. They brought back a grey fox.

Mrs. J. E. Ward left Sunday for Stokesdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Farlow are real proud of a young daughter, Nancy Lou.

Miss Flora Lanier has returned home from N. C. C. W., where she attended summer school.

A tobacco barn belonging to Mr. W. B. Fulton was burned last Wednesday morning.

Miss Ella Smith, of High Point, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith.

Large Congregation At Local M. P. Church For Musical Program

The musical program given at the local Methodist Protestant church last Sunday evening proved to be one of the most enjoyable of its kind ever given in a long time. The main auditorium of the church was filled to capacity with people who had come for the occasion, some coming from other towns in the county. The local choir, under the leadership of Mrs. H. W. Walker, rendered a number of selections. Miss Maude Lee Spoon, sang a beautiful solo, while one of the special attractions was a solo by little Ann Harrison Ridge, the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ridge. Miss Elizabeth Bona read a history of some famous hymns, after which the congregation was asked to join in the singing of them.

Mr. Clark Welborn and daughters, of Kansas, were present and they together with the Kearns brother quartet rendered a number of selections. The large audience went away hoping to have another such evening of music in the near future.

**BOMB BURNING DAY SET
SUNDAY AT MT. SHEPHERD**

St. Stephen's church will hold a home coming day on the third Sunday in September, Sept. 15, for the purpose of administering the Oriental service. After which there will be an

**SPECIAL MEETING JUNIOR
ORDER HERE SEPT. 16TH**

There will be a special meeting of Juniors in the Asheboro council room Tuesday night, Sept. 16th, for the purpose of administering the Oriental service. After which there will be an

Ferrees Are Sent To Prison For Long Terms For Receiving Stolen Property

Attracting more attention than any case that has been tried in any recent term of criminal court in Randolph county since that in which a negro was convicted of rape and sentenced to the electric chair last spring, was that against Paul Ferree and his uncle, Everett Ferree, who were charged with attempting to rob the Bank of Ramseur, at Ramseur, on the afternoon of August 13th. The Ferrees went on trial Tuesday afternoon and when court closed the State's evidence was practically in. The jury took the case at 12:20 o'clock Wednesday afternoon and in less than fifteen minutes had returned a verdict of guilty.

Each of the Ferrees was sentenced to serve from five to eight years in the State penitentiary at hard labor. But this sentence was not meted out for attempting to rob the Ramseur bank, but for having received stolen goods knowing them to have been stolen. For the conspiracy to rob the bank, capias not to issue until expiration of the penitentiary sentence and not thereafter during good behavior.

It was charged that the Ferrees were in possession of goods stolen from the Carter Mercantile Company's store on the night of July 1st. In fact, some of the merchandise was in their car when it was found wrecked near Parks Cross Roads, shortly after the attempted bank robbery. Other goods identified by Mr. C. B. Smith, of the Carter Mercantile Company, were found in possession of Ev-

erett Ferree. It was on this count that Paul and Everett Ferree drew their long terms in the pen. But the bank case was that which drew the greater share of attention and which had been more deeply impressed on the public mind.

Gunter Not Competent
Another case which attracted more than usual attention was that against Theodore ("Buddie") Gunter, young white man charged with dynamiting the store and filling station of J. R. York, at White's Chapel, near Ramseur, on the night of August 13th, the night following the attempt to rob the Ramseur bank. Gunter was declared mentally incompetent by the jury, and Judge Stack sent him to the department of the criminal insane of the State prison until such time that he would be competent to answer to charges against him in the Randolph court.

Chief Myers Defendant
A case begun yesterday afternoon which is bringing crowds to court is that against C. W. Myers, Randleman chief of police. Chief Myers is defendant in a suit in which he is charged with assault with a deadly weapon. The charge grew out of the alleged shooting by the Randleman chief early in the spring of Otis Trogdon, of Randleman. Myers had gone to Dwight Trogdon's home to arrest Otis when the shooting occurred. This case probably will not go to the jury before noon today.

Too Weak to Cry, Gnawing Feebly at His Fingers, Sadly Neglected Baby Boy is Found

Too weak to cry, feebly gnawing at his little fists shrunken to mere bony appendages, unable to lift his head, emaciated beyond comprehension in this land of plenty, a boy baby scarce 18 months old was found about three weeks ago in one room of a small dwelling house near the confluence of Uwharris and Caraway in Concord township, Randolph county. On a bed in another room lay the stepmother of the child, herself ill and unable to care for the infant. The father, Blanche Swaney, was away from home when the officers made their visit. He was engaged in work at a saw mill.

The child was found by T. Fletcher Bulla, county superintendent of schools and also welfare officer for the county, together with Deputy Sheriff Walter Robbins and County Surveyor Sam Barnes. It had been reported to the welfare officer that the child was being left locked in the house alone at night and that it was starving from neglect and want of food. The condition of the child bore out the truth of starvation. It had been ill, it was emaciated, and would not eat.

But two weeks after the baby was brought to the county home by the officers and placed in the motherly care of the matron now, it was able to hold its own bottle and to smile at those who gave it kindly attention. The evidences of starvation and neglect are still upon it, but fast disappearing. It couldn't be brought back to normal, healthy babyhood in so short a time that it has been the pink bloom of health will bud on the now pallid cheek. Fresh, pink, healthy baby flesh, will soon put protecting cover over protruding little ribs and backbone.

Nobody in Asheboro seems to know the little boy's name. His mother died shortly after he was born and the child was taken to rear by his aunt. Soon afterwards she passed to her reward, and the child went back to his father. The baby boy has a deformed left foot, but appears to suffer no illness. This foot, authorities here hope to have corrected at the State orthopedic hospital, and so that when the baby boy is old enough to run and play, his shall be the happy privilege. The father will have to face the court and give an account. Presentment has been made to the grand jury

in session here this week, alleging that Swaney has failed to support his family. Was the child sick? The county health officer can find no evidences of any malady. Was it left neglected locked in the house alone at night? That is charged, but remains to be proved. Was the child abused? Nobody seems to think so other than the great abuse of neglect. These are questions for the court. Local authorities know only that whatever loving care and protection within their power can be thrown about the baby boy will be his and freely so.

**Good Progress Made
In Rebuilding Plant
Home Building, Inc.**

**Framework Of Temporary Structure
Is Going Up—Business
Going On As Usual.**

The site of the burned buildings of the Home Building plant has been the scene of much activity during the past two weeks. Since the morning after the fire, Mr. Arthur Ross, who owns the buildings and plants, has had a force at work clearing up preparatory to rebuilding. Already the framework of temporary quarters for the plant has been put up, and the work will be pushed rapidly to completion. Arrangements were made the day following destruction of a large part of the plant to run that machinery in the sash and blind building, untouched by the flames, by electricity. Other machinery was placed in this building. It will be a matter of only a few days before the Home Building will be ready to go ahead as usual.

It is the intention of Mr. Ross to replace the present temporary structures and the burned buildings with brick buildings, and to equip the plant with the best of machinery.

The management of the Home Building, Inc., has exerted every effort to meet the requirement of the situation since the fire. Orders have been filled right along as if there had been no conflagration and interruption of business. Stock and machinery on hand was utilized to best advantage, and that which could not be made at the plant was obtained elsewhere. The management determined that business should go on as usual and it has.

Seagrove, Sept. 3.—Misses Maple Lawrence, Mary and Alberta Auman will leave this week for Elon College where they will enter school again.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Lawrence spent Saturday and Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. J. M. Farlow, at High Point.

Misses Leta and Alberta Auman spent a few days of last week at Hemp and Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Auman, of Seagrove, Route 1, have moved into Mr. C. M. Tysor's house where they have rooms on the second floor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cox, of Tampa, Fla., arrived here Monday for a visit with relatives and friends. Mrs. Cox will be pleasantly remembered here as Miss Etta King, sister of Mr. J. E. King, of this place.

Mr. Jessie Page and family visited at Lillington Sunday.

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Lack Of Sentiment To Observe The Law Deplored By Stack

Tells Grand Jury There Is Apparent
Lack Of This Sentiment
In Randolph County.

**Urges Special Term
To Help Relieve Congested
Docket; Also Suggests Establish-
ment Recorders Court.**

Judge A. M. Stack, presiding over the term of criminal court in session in Asheboro this week, called the members of the grand jury before him in the court house Tuesday morning, and advised them to use particular care in investigating matters relative to the entire good of the county, and especially that they inquire into the liquor situation in Randolph. He deplored the apparent lack of public sentiment for law observance, and urged that the people of the county create this sentiment.

The judge spoke of the congested docket at this term of court, and pointed out that this is the usual situation in the county rather than the exception. If this condition continues to exist it will bankrupt this or any other county, he declared. He suggested as a possible means of relief the establishment of a recorder's court. He stressed the fact that the congested docket made it necessary to continue cases from term to term and year to year at a useless expense to the county, and when tried sometimes unfair to both defendant and State due to absence of witnesses.

A special term of court was recommended for the trial of criminal cases. This term, the judge believed, should be held at an early date. Solicitor Long volunteered his co-operation in securing this special term.

Road Matters Get Much Attention From The Board

Will Furnish Lumber For Building
Small Bridge Near New
Hope Church, In Union.

**Road Maintenance
Stressed In Practically All
Orders Made—Accept Road In
Columbia Township.**

The board of commissioners for Randolph county in regular session Monday found itself confronted largely with matters relating to upkeep of roads. The following disposition was made of these matters:

Petition of citizens of Union township for a small bridge on road leading from Route 70 at Elkman Lowdermilk's place to New Hope church. The county is to be at no expense other than furnishing lumber for bridge.

It was ordered that road from A. T. Aired's place by way of Earl Walker's to forks of road at Edgar Underwood's be machined up while road force is in the community. Mr. Walker is to be furnished a drag for keeping the road in order.

William Coltrane was instructed to put the Glenola-Coltrane road in good order.

The road leading from Ramseur to Julian via White's Chapel and Melancton was ordered repaired by the road force. Order was entered also that when road force has completed this job, the G. P. Kivett road be improved.

The people living along what is known as the Gibson Tuttle road are to be given some relief in the way of improved road. A drag will be furnished L. H. Tuttle for keeping this road in repair.

The board agreed to build a highway from H. G. Latham's to Highway 62, citizens agreeing to put the road in shape for grading at their own expense or by their own labor.

Road supervisor was instructed to investigate proposed cartway from J. M. Seabrook's place to Highway 62.

A mile and a half of road in Columbia township leading by Jordan's mill was accepted for maintenance as a part of the county system.

The road force was instructed to widen and straighten and otherwise improve the road leading from Highway 90 by Dock Hick's place to the old Staley road.

Harwell Is Suing Kemp Alexander On Account Son's Death

A suit for \$50,000 for the death of Hugh M. Harwell from injuries received in an automobile accident on August 9, 1929, has been started in Guilford Superior Court by the administrator, D. F. Harwell, of Greensboro, against Kemp Alexander, of Asheboro, whose car was said to have been in the wreck and whose wife was said to have been driving at the time of the accident. The accident occurred on the highway just north of the corporate limits of Randleman.

The plaintiff alleges that the death occurred as the proximate result of the negligence of the driver of the Alexander car. It is also claimed that the young man who was killed was a passenger in the car.

Mr. Nelson Allen and Mrs. Mary Allen, of Greensboro, were in the car with Mr. Harwell at the time of the accident.

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Asheboro Pays Debt Of Gratitude To Those Who Helped In Hour Of Need

Two weeks ago Friday night Asheboro greeted fire companies from Greensboro, High Point and Siler City with leaping tongues of flame, showers of sparks, and fed their churning engines with floods of water driven at high pressure by electrically operated pumps. Friday night, two weeks later, the city overwhelmed these same firemen with gratitude and fed them with fried chicken, fish, cake and all the accessories to make a picnic supper complete.

Promptly at 6 o'clock last Friday night Chief C. Rush, of the Asheboro volunteer fire department, marshaled these visiting firemen, the 27 other members of Asheboro's own fire company, town officials, visiting guests, all to the number of nearly 100, around improvised tables on the sloping banks of Redding Lake, two miles west of Asheboro. It was a feast to delight the heart and the taste of the most fastidious. The setting was perfect. There was one of those sunsets on Highway 90, which Dr. Howard Rondthaler, president of Salem College, had declared to be unsurpassed in beauty anywhere in the State. Hills

of Caraway were in the background, and the ripples of the waters of the lake caught and reflected the sinking rays of the setting sun.

The picnic was by the members of the Asheboro fire company and town officials for those who helped so nobly two weeks prior when the town had been twice threatened by fire. Business men of the city had contributed liberally to finance the picnic, and Jim Burns and Herman Cranford had seen to it that the food was prepared tastefully and plentifully.

Verily, as Dan Burns told the gathering about the table before the real business of the occasion was begun, the hills of Caraway resounded with Asheboro's welcome to the visiting firemen. Gullford and Chatham are peopled with folks who have the same heritage as their neighbors in Randolph, and it was little wonder that in the time of dire need Greensboro, High Point and Siler City lent a helping hand.

Mayor R. R. King, Jr., of Greensboro, responded in a few well chosen words.

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Faculty Announced For The Fall Term Asheboro City School

The following named teachers will compose the teaching staff of the Asheboro city schools, which will open for the fall term on Monday, September 16th:

Superintendent: R. J. Hilker.
High school department: Miss Cornelia Ayers, Rowland; Miss Massa E. Lambert, Asheboro; Miss Alma J. Lassier, Mechanic; Miss Ronie Sheffield, Randleman; Mr. J. T. Fox, Franklinville; Miss Mary E. Denning, Mt. Olive; Miss Josephine Shaw, Oak Grove, Ky.

Elementary department: Miss Lucy Leigh Lovett, Asheboro; Miss Maude Louise Hunt, Greenville, S. C.; Miss Ila Velna Wood, Troy; Miss Susie Ann Thomas, Catawba; Miss Helen Hilliard Hayes, Henderson; Mrs. Bessie L. Rice, Asheboro; Miss Donna Lee Loffin, Asheboro; Miss Bertha Presnell, Asheboro; Mrs. John T. Moffitt, Miss Callie Vuncannon, Asheboro; Miss Jeanne Osborne, Grassy Creek; Miss Catherine Moffitt, Wakefield, Va.; Miss Elizabeth Bulla, Asheboro; Miss Etta Bulla, Asheboro; Miss Louise Bethea, Dillon, S. C.; Miss Virginia Pickens, High Point; Miss Dorothy Milliecent Howard, Mooresville; Miss Frankie Mundy, Denver; Miss Clara E. Gill, Henderson; Miss Ina Cockrell, Statesville; Miss Etta Reid Wood, Asheboro.

Approval Given To
Tax Levies Made For
The Special District

The board of commissioners for Randolph county in meeting Monday approved recommendations of the county board of education relative to taxes to be levied for the year 1929-30 in special school districts in Randolph. These rates are as follows:

District—Township	Rate on Rate on \$100 val. poll
Charlotte—Back Creek	10 .30
Cross Roads—Richland	09 .27
Farmer—Concord	30 .30
Franklinville—Frankville	35 .35
Julian—Liberty	28 .60
Mt. Shepherd—Tabernacle	10 .30
Mt. Pleasant—Columbia	10 .30
Pleasant Hill—Tabernacle	10 .30
Ramseur—Columbia	30 .90
Staley—Columbia	20 .60
Liberty—Liberty	40 .40
Walnut Grove—Liberty	10 .30
Randleman—Randleman	50 .50
Central Falls—Fville	10 .30
Seagrove—Richland	50 .50
Worthville—Randleman	20 .20
Trinity—Trinity	40 .40
Trogdon—Brower	10 .10
Gray's Chapel—Fville	25 .25
Providence—Providence	25 .25
Mariboro—New Market	10 .10
Sophia—New Market	15 .15
Plainfield—Back Creek	15 .15
Balfour—Asheboro	25 .25
Oak Shade—New Mt	24 .24
Cedar Square—New Mt	20 .20

Half Acre Of Sweet Pepper Brings \$500

J. F. Hayes, who moved from Florida to a farm in Brower township last fall and engaged in the trucking business, was among the visitors in Asheboro Tuesday for court. Mr. Hayes, who has had considerable experience as a truck farmer in Florida, especially in the growing of sweet pepper, planted a half acre on his Brower township farm to the vegetable. He has marketed the bulk of his crop, and has obtained nearly \$500 for it. The crop is expected to bring a total of this figure after it is all sold. Mr. Hayes has been selling his pepper in Asheboro, High Point, Greensboro and Winston-Salem, hauling it by the truck load.

**BOARD OF EDUCATION
TO MEET ON SATURDAY**

The regular September meeting of the Randolph county board of education will be held in the office of the county superintendent, T. Fletcher Bulla, on Saturday afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock. No meeting of this board was held Monday.

Burlington Youth, Out To See World, Stopped At Liberty

Byrd Royal 15-year-old boy of Burlington, started out last Friday to see the world but got no farther than Liberty. Notified by telephone that the young man had left home and was headed toward Liberty, Chief J. H. Dixon found the youngster Friday night and invited him to stop and rest. Then the Chief got busy with the telephone wires and soon a motorcycle of fiercer came from Burlington to escort the wanderer back home. The boy had walked most of the distance between Liberty and Burlington. He had expected to make his first stop at Fayetteville, but was quite willing to compromise on Liberty and still more willing and eager to catch a free ride back home.

Hayes Reunion
The Hayes Reunion will be held at New Salem church next Sunday, September 8th. Every one related to the Hayes family is cordially invited. Come and bring a well filled basket as it is expected to have a basket picnic dinner on the grounds.

Flaky
Grunt, goggle-eye, Jew fish, hound fish, snapper, amber fish, yellow tail, black fish, king fish, hog fish, bone fish, margate, and grouper, are among the numerous kinds of fish eaten by the inhabitants of the Bahamas.

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W. D. Spoon Called By Death Sunday At His Home Here

Death Followed Illness Extending
Over Period Of A Year—
Funeral Held Monday.

Was Pioneer Merchant

Opened Grocery Store On Depot
Street 25 Years Ago—Later
Operated Gas Station.

Mr. W. D. Spoon, who died at his home on South Fayetteville street Sunday afternoon following an illness covering a year's period, was seventy-one years of age. He was the son of the late William and Priscilla Spoon, who lived about six miles east of Asheboro.

While he only had the educational advantage of the public schools in his community, his practical education was sufficient for him to be a success in the business in which he was engaged. Born of sturdy, honest stock he inherited and practiced the principle of fair dealing to all men. His ancestors were of Primitive Baptist faith, and while he was of that belief he attended the local Baptist church with which his family are affiliated.

In early manhood Mr. Spoon married Miss Lola Leonard, daughter of the late Milton Leonard, also of this county. Around twenty-five years ago Mr. Spoon moved his family here, opening a grocery store in one of the wooden buildings on Depot street. After remaining in this business for several years, he opened the first bottling plant the town ever had and finally sold out to engage with his son in a service station.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by the following sons and daughters: Mrs. J. T. Brooks, of Siler City; Mrs. George H. Andrews, of Miami, Fla.; Mrs. J. M. Baker, of Raeford; Misses Allie, Rilla and Annie Lee Spoon, of Asheboro; three sons, Cleon and John Spoon, of Asheboro; Colon Spoon, of Miami, Fla. He also leaves three sisters, Mrs. Caroline Scott, of High Point; Mrs. Jane Craven, of Sanford, and Mrs. K. L. Winghamam, of Asheboro, and one brother, P. F. Spoon, of Asheboro.

The funeral was conducted by Rev. O. G. Tillman assisted by Rev. J. E. Pritchard in the Baptist church, after which interment was made in the local cemetery. The profusion of beautiful flowers and the large number attending the last rites attested the esteem in which Mr. Spoon and his family are held.

Those from elsewhere attending the funeral services were: Milton Alfred, Franklinville; Mrs. Jane Craven and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Davenport, Sanford; Mr. A. C. Craven, Mr. E. B. Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Leonard and family, Mrs. Mary Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Shellie Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Leonard and Mrs. G. R. York, of Ramseur; Mr. O. M. Andrews, Mrs. Caroline Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Will Scott, Mrs. Sam Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Worth Hill, High Point; Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Tyson and family, Bear Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Burch Tyson and Mr. Joe Smith, Kemps Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Scott, Star; Mr. and Mrs. Lena Edwards, Mrs. Bob Dorsett, Mrs. Colon Dixon and Mrs. Fox, Siler City.

Missionary Program Given At Home Mrs. Bulla Last Saturday

Randleman, Route 2, Sept. 2.—The members of the Home and Foreign Missionary Society met with Mrs. M. E. Bulla on Saturday afternoon. An interesting program was rendered. Scripture lesson was read by Mrs. Mabel Hughes. Talks on missions were made by Mrs. E. D. Packer, Mrs. S. T. Brown and Mrs. Gertrude Hill. Mrs. R. C. Caudle sang a solo, and "Irene's Gift to Missions" was read by Mrs. Hattie Bulla.

The Baptist Sunday school of Balfour gave a watermelon feast at the home of Mr. John Pierce Saturday afternoon at 6 o'clock. Games were enjoyed by all for about an hour before the feast which was enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kirkman, of Mt. Airy, visited their daughter, Mrs. R. C. Caudle, Sunday, Mrs. Kirkman and her daughter, Mrs. M. O. Taylor, also of Mt. Airy, are visiting in Asheboro this week.

Little Mary Hyton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hyton, who underwent an operation in the High Point hospital recently, is improving.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest MacPherson, Sept. 2, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Williams have moved into their new bungalow on highway 70.

The Sunshine Prayer Circle No. 2 will meet at the home of Mrs. J. C. Pierce Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Coleridge News
Thomas Ward To Enter Duke University For Fall Term.

Coleridge, Sept. 3.—Thomas