

Court Gets Away With Good Start First Of The Week

Bad Weather Monday Delayed It
While, But Court Has Been
Moving Since.

Few Road Sentences

Daniel Hogan Gets Year For Car
Theft—Most Sentences Sus-
pended With Fines.

Judge A. M. Stack, of Monroe, opened the December term Randolph Superior Court in Asheboro Monday morning. Solicitor Zeb V. Long, of Statesville, was on hand to prosecute for the State. Though the inclement weather caused the court to get off with a belated start, any time lost has been made up in disposition of cases in quick order. Judge Stack made one of his usual brief and pointed charges to the grand jury, containing his remarks to some of the specific duties of that body instead of a lengthy generalization of the law and the procedure involved in grand jury action.

The entire term of this court will be taken up with the trial of criminal cases.

The grand jury selected is composed of the following: J. R. Hammond, foreman, and W. C. Covington, John Gibson, Auda Brown, C. R. Hinshaw, C. D. Laughlin, Sam T. Jones, John D. Scott, J. E. Ward, J. M. Spencer, P. P. Fentress, D. L. Burgess, W. H. Gregson, R. A. Stevens, L. E. Redding, Fred B. Hendricks, W. J. Oates and A. J. Blair.

Among the cases disposed of, not including those continued for one reason or another, include the following: State vs Richard Covington, judgment that sentence of 4 months to roads be suspended on payment of costs.

State vs Dolphus Hunter, defendant entered plea of guilty to charge of driving a car while intoxicated, and

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Farmer Faculty To Present A Play On Saturday Night, 7th

The faculty of Farmer high school will on next Saturday night repeat "The Eyes of Love," which was splendidly presented two weeks ago for the benefit of the school library. On account of the inclement weather, however there was not a large crowd, consequently numerous requests have come for a repetition of the play. It is hoped a large assemblage will be present and will thereby patronize the library fund.

DEEP SEA MUSEUM SEEN IN ASHEBORO THIS WEEK

One of the best collections of deep sea specimens ever seen in this community is that being shown in the Allen building on Worth street this week by Capt. Jack Vera, under auspices of the Asheboro Boy Scouts. Capt. Vera has been 37 years in making this collection in which will be found specimens of deep sea fish, shells, coral, ferns, and the famous crucifixion fish. Other specimens in the collection include a giant octopus and porcupine fish. The museum is open from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m., and only a small admission fee is charged.

Sophia, Route 1, News

B. F. Ridge Kills A Hog That Tips Scales At 400 Pounds.

Sophia, Rt. 1, Dec. 3.—Thanksgiving was a beautiful day and very quietly spent in this section. A number of the men enjoyed hunting and some visiting.

Clyde Loflin, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Loflin, recently had his tonsils removed at High Point.

Fine hogs have been killed during the cold weather, among which was one of B. F. Ridge's which tipped the scales at 400 pounds.

Walter Davis, of Stuart, Fla., recently spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Davis, here. He is now a patient in the High Point Hospital.

We are glad to report that J. C. Newlin, who has been indisposed with erysipelas, is now able to be out again. Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Parker and Miss Griffin, of Winston, spent the holidays with Mrs. Parker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Ridge.

Oliver Pearson, of Memphis, Tenn., recently visited the Newlin relatives in this section, being a nephew of J. O. Newlin and Mrs. Emily Farlow and a brother of Mrs. Emily Ball.

W. D. Taylor and family, Mr. Orr and two sons, and Roy King, of High Point, were at H. A. Brown's Thanksgiving day.

The condition of Mrs. Emily Farlow, who has been confined to her bed several months, remains very much unchanged.

B. E. Brown, of Sophia, is awaiting a visa for residence there. J. O. Newlin has not been very well for the past week.

Mrs. Amanda Robbins recently spent a few days among relatives in High Point.

Miss Emma Ridge, of Farmer, was the Thanksgiving guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Deane, of High Point, were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ridge.

Only Sixteen More Shopping Days Until Christmas Is Here

There are but 16 more shopping days before Christmas. This means you will have to get busy with your holiday shopping. No need to wait until the last minute and then have to take what everybody else has picked over. Just now you will find Christmas stocks of goods in the stores in Randolph county selected for your needs. There is little need for you to look elsewhere than right here at home for your holiday goods. Your home merchants have prepared for you; have laid in stocks of goods that are equal in quality and correctness as any stocks of goods in the county, and you will find the prices just as reasonable, and in most cases, more reasonable than those elsewhere. Watch this newspaper next week and the next for advertisements of these live Randolph county merchants. They will let you know in this newspaper what they have to offer you and you may rely on what they say. By all means, try at home first for your holiday goods. If you can't find what you want here, then you will be justified in going elsewhere, but not before.

First Real Touch Winter Weather Experienced Here

For Two Consecutive Week Ends
Community Has Suffered
Freezing Temperatures.

Only Few Mishaps

J. B. Ward, Jr., Hurt When He
Fell On Steps—School Bus
Turns Over On Rt. 62.

For the second successive week end winter held North Carolina and the rest of the South in its grasp. Asheboro citizens awoke last Saturday morning to find the temperature had dropped to about ten degrees above zero. The thermometer hovered about freezing through Sunday and the weather has been cold since. The previous week end this section had witnessed the first snow and sleet of the winter. On Monday of this week, it appeared for a while that there would be a heavy sleet as the first rain fell and melted only when the temperature became warmer followed by heavier rain.

While several deaths and serious accidents were reported in various parts of the State and South, there were none serious in this vicinity. J. B. Ward, Jr., part owner of the Asheboro Laundry, was most seriously injured by any person in this community, though several slipped and fell on the ice covered streets and steps on Monday. Mr. Ward slipped and fell on the steps at E. H. Cranford's home, hitting the back of his head. He was rendered unconscious for an hour or more.

The bridge over Deep River at Randleman was the scene of some near-accidents. A car from Hamlet going north skidded across the bridge and turned over on the north side. None of the occupants of the machine was hurt, however. A mule pulling a delivery cart slipped and fell on the bridge, and traffic was held up quite a while until the animal could be gotten off the bridge.

Considerable difficulty was experienced by motorists on the newly graded 62 highway from Asheboro in the direction of Bombay and Farmer, but no serious accident were reported.

Walsh Reminds Senate Of Fight On Wilson

Washington, Dec. 2.—Senator Walsh of Montana in a statement issued through the Democratic National Committee criticized those critics of the Democratic and Progressive Republican Senators who are opposing the tariff in the Hawley-Smoot bill for their silence in 1919 when the same reactionaries behind the tariff were wrecking the great reconstruction program of President Wilson. He outlined the war President's program to get from a war basis to a peace basis as follows:

"The establishment of conditions of permanent peace, early disarmament by all important nations, equitable tax reduction and readjustment from a war time to a peace time basis, beginning with the excess profits tax and grading down to the smallest taxpayer; economic cooperation with our European customers to maintain sound reciprocal market conditions; early return of public utilities to private operation; vigorous handling of the high cost of living problem; early removal of war restrictions, budget and water power legislation; punishment for criminal profiteering, and suppression of wild speculation."

So told how the Republican Congress had neglected the government for two years to delay and defeat this program and said it had cost the people billions of dollars in money because of the delay, as well as a sacrifice of good will.

General collections in the United States for the first six months of 1929 amounted to \$175,144,144. A total of \$200,000,000 of donations was raised for the relief of the unemployed, as well as a sacrifice of good will.

County Gained 62 Purebred Cattle During Past Year

And All These Were Registered
Guernseys, And In Addition
64 Grade Cows.

Large Hay Acreage

Sown In County—Poultry Ship-
ments Large—All Shown In
Millsaps' Report.

The annual report of E. S. Millsaps, Jr., county farm agent for Randolph, was presented to the board of commissioners in session yesterday. This report contains an exhaustive and comprehensive record of the farm agent's work during the past year and is a document well worth the time and study of the citizens of the county.

It is not possible to give in detail many of the outstanding accomplishments of the farm demonstrator and farmers of the county working under his supervision in this issue. But a brief resume of the report discloses some interesting matter, which will be later taken up by this newspaper.

The report shows that Mr. Millsaps spent 66 days of the past year in his office and 237 out in the county with farmers. He made 1,026 visits to farms during the year and held office conferences with 1,504 farmers. He was rather busy with the telephone, for he held a total of 1403 telephone conversations with various farmers relating to their work for the year, prepared 42 articles for the press, wrote 1191 official letters, mailed 830 farm bulletins, prepared 23 circulars himself and mailed 8,405 copies of same. He traveled 12,266 miles in pursuance of his duties.

Forty-nine farm meetings were held during the year with an attendance of 3,634 farmers, and 735 definite farm field demonstrations were carried out in the county during the year under his supervision.

Work In Dairying

A brief summary of the work Mr. Millsaps assisted in the dairying industry indicates he placed 20 registered bulls with as many Randolph farmers in the year, 24 registered Guernsey heifers with as many club

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Farmer School Bus Turned Over On 62, But Nobody Injured

One of the school trucks serving the Farmer consolidated school at Farmer turned over Monday afternoon on one of the bad places on Highway 62, recently graded, though no injury was done to either truck or driver. The truck, which is used to make two trips daily, was returning from the first of these trips when it turned over. The other truck, sent to carry the last load of pupils home, mired in a bad place on the same highway, and residents of the Farmer community had to be called on to convey the pupils to their homes. Highway 62 has been graded recently by contractors on the route, and has not been top soiled. This places the road in a very bad condition, and with winter setting in the route is likely to become impassable except during short intervals of good weather. The highway, aside from being used by general traffic, is used by school trucks and by the rural free delivery route carrying mail from Asheboro to Farmer, and is used for similar purposes in the direction of Bombay.

Temporary Basketball Court Being Prepared

Several boys of the local schools have been busy at their spare time this week unscrewing the seats from the floor in the auditorium so they may be slipped to one side and the floor used for a temporary court on the occasion of basket ball games with neighboring schools. The first game of the season to be played on the new court will be the one between the girls' team of Farmer and the Asheboro team of girls. This game is scheduled for next Friday afternoon at four o'clock.

The boys of Asheboro are, also, practicing the game and will be ready to play neighboring teams in the near future.

Mutual Potato Storage

The Mill Springs Mutual Potato Storage House in Polk county was opened recently and 170 bushels of sweet potatoes were brought in on the opening day. It is expected that the full capacity of the house, 4,700 bushels, will be used by the co-operating farmers this winter.

Wages Increased

Henry Ford has put into effect a schedule of wage increases which will add \$50,000,000 a year to the payroll of his plants. The minimum wage will be \$7 per day instead of \$6 as formerly. This is the third major increase in the Ford wage schedule since 1914.

Miss Hix Recovering

Miss Ada Hix, who was severely injured on Tuesday morning, Nov. 25, when struck by an automobile on Salisbury street, is slowly improving at Memorial hospital, where she was taken for treatment immediately following the accident. She was unconscious for several days, but now has no serious wounds.

Important Notice Relative Changes In Calendar For Court

In order to expedite the work of the court, Judge A. M. Stack, presiding over December term Randolph criminal court, yesterday morning ordered that all cases calendared for trial on Monday of next week moved up to Saturday of this week. Cases calendared for trial on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week have been ordered moved up to Monday, while Thursday's and Friday's calendars have been moved up to Tuesday. All interested in cases so calendared and moved up should take notice of this change in order that they may be ready for court action on days specified. This does not mean that court will close Tuesday, by any means, but that the court is moving ahead of the calendar and Judge Stack is insistent on trying as many cases as possible during this court.

Sheriff Millikan Collects \$20,000 Of New Tax Levy

Total Levy Amounts To \$326-
110.25, And Of This Amount
\$20,197.80 Collected.

Small 1928 Balance

All 1928 Taxes Except \$2,658.39
Collected By Sheriff Milli-
kan, Report Shows.

Sheriff Millikan's report made to the Randolph county board of commissioners in regular meeting Monday disclosed that he had collected all 1928 taxes with the exception of \$2,658.39. Of this amount, \$2,658.39 represented the insolvent list and \$16.98 releases made during the month.

Of the new tax levy of \$326,110.25, Sheriff Millikan has collected a total of \$20,197.80, leaving a balance of \$305,912.45. Discounts allowed taxpayers for early payment of taxes amounted to \$146.50.

Only a few minor matters came before the board of commissioners. Road work is not being pushed in the county due to the inclement weather and there were few requests for road improvement. The board ordered that the road leading from Clay Dorsett's via of Arnold's to the T. J. Finch place in Trinity township be repaired and a drag for use on the road be left at Bill Dorsett's.

Another road matter was the ordering of some top soiling to be done on the road leading from Mary Jane Barker's to Kemps Mill, and a drag be left at Charlie Allen's place for use in that vicinity. A number of drags will be made for use at various points in the county, it is said, by authority of the board of commissioners.

Community Club Orders \$50-Worth Books For Library

Decision Made To Help School
Library At Franklinville At
A Recent Meeting.

Next Meet Dec. 18

Musicians To Make Records For
Victor—Already At Radio
Broadcasting.

Franklinville, Dec. 2.—The Community Club met in regular session Wednesday evening at the school auditorium with a good attendance. Mrs. E. S. Thomas, presiding. For the first half hour they were delightfully entertained with a program, a playlet by grammar pupils in charge of Miss Pearl Spence, music teacher. During the business session it was decided that the school children should have charge of the sale of Red Cross Seals. It was also ordered that fifty dollars worth of books be added to school library to meet the needs of the different grades. Next meeting will be Wednesday evening, Dec. 18.

Friday evening, Dec. 6, the Ladies' Aid Society will hold its regular monthly and talent meeting in the class rooms of the church. Every member is asked to bring a friend, the friend to bring a silver offering. Refreshments will be served.

Mr. Carson Smith has moved from the Hayes' residence to house on Sunrise street recently occupied by C. T. Henson. Mr. Harvey Pilkenton has moved his family from near new school building to the Hayes residence.

Miss Winnie Davis and Mr. Jesse Hicks were united in marriage Wednesday evening, Nov. 27, at the Methodist parsonage, Ransour, Rev. G. W. Williams officiating. Miss Davis is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Davis. Mr. Hicks is a prominent young man of Ransour, and for the past year has held a position with Acme Hosiery Mills, Asheboro. They will make their home at Franklinville.

"Sun Bonnet," an operetta play in two acts, will be given by high school pupils at school auditorium Wednesday evening, Dec. 11. Everybody invited. This will be one of the best plays of the season.

Messrs. Boyd and Dewey Hayes

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Tariff Seen As Paramount Issue Of 1930 Campaign

Therefore, Action Of Present
Session Of Congress Will Be
Of Great Importance.

Long Session Ahead

Simmons Thinks It Will Last
Until Next September, Just
Before The Campaign.

(By David F. St. Clair)

Washington, December 3.—The 71st congress begins its regular long session facing a long pull and bitter friction. The extra session which ended on November 22 has left the senate in a worse mood than it has been in since Senator Simmons became a senator on March 4th, 1901. The death of Senator Warren of Wyoming last week makes Simmons the senior member of the body in point of service. The North Carolina senator if he serves out his present term will have been in the senate thirty years and if he should be re-elected to succeed himself and lives out that term he will have been consecutively a senator longer than any other man in the country's history.

That the senator will succeed himself seems now to be as practically assured as any personal event could be a year in advance of its actual realization. Those opposed to him in the Democratic party in the state have thus far been unable to find a candidate who would have a ghost of a chance of defeating the senator in the June primary and the Republicans have openly confessed that they cannot defeat the senator in the election.

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Suffers Broken Right Leg While Practicing Football At School

Wade Brookshire, 14, student in the Asheboro city schools, and son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Brookshire, suffered a broken right leg Tuesday morning while engaged in football practice at the school. The break was a clean one and was about midway between knee and thigh. The young man was taken immediately to the High Point Hospital, High Point, where his condition is reported as satisfactory. It is probable that he will be in the hospital four or five months.

REV. W. H. NEESE AND HIS FAMILY MOVE TO SEAGROVE

Pastor Takes Up New Work On Why
Not Circuit—Personal Items Of
Interest In Seagrove Section.

Seagrove, Dec. 3.—Misses Mary and Alberta Auman and Maple Lawrence, of Elon College, spent from Wednesday until Sunday with homefolks. Miss Lena Russell, who is teaching at Attamahaw, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Auman spent last Thursday night and Friday with Mrs. Auman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Bingham, at Farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Farlow, of High Point, visited Mrs. Farlow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Lawrence, the past week end.

Rev. W. H. Neese and family moved into the M. P. Parsonage here last Wednesday. Mr. Neese is pastor of the Why Not Circuit for the coming year. A crowd of the neighbors and friends gathered in and gave them a "pounding" Wednesday night. We're glad to welcome Mr. Neese and family to our community.

Miss Edith Lockey, who teaches music here, spent the holidays with friends at Burlington.

Messrs. Howard and Leslie Auman, who are in school at Chapel Hill, spent the holidays with homefolks.

Prof. and Mrs. H. E. White visited relatives at Greensboro during the holidays.

A. J. Maxwell Has Good Chance For Appointment

There is a strong belief prevailing in North Carolina and among the North Carolina delegation in Congress that A. J. Maxwell, revenue commissioner for North Carolina, will be named by President Hoover to fill the vacancy of Richard V. Taylor, whose term expires on Dec. 31st. Mr. Maxwell has long been considered one of the greatest rate experts in the United States. His long service in North Carolina as corporation commissioner has demonstrated his ability in this regard. There is considerable interest in Mr. Maxwell's candidacy in Asheboro, where Mr. Maxwell is well known. He is the father of Mrs. E. D. Cranford, of Asheboro, and has many admirers and close personal friends here.

Nellie Allene Hicks, 10, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hicks, of near Climax, died Thursday morning from pneumonia. Burial was made at Bethlehem Methodist church.

A total of 5,017,800 motor vehicles was produced in the United States the first ten months of this year.

Thirty-two new automobiles have been built in Buncombe County this season as a result of a campaign by the farm agent to have a sign on each farm where the owner has ten or more acres.

Conduct Campaign To Improve Health Of School Children

The Asheboro schools are now conducting a campaign to try to improve the health of the pupils. All the boys and girls are carefully weighed once a week, and their height measured once every three months. Measures will be taken to improve the condition of the undernourished children.

Health is one of the great problems being studied by the civics department. Dr. G. H. Sumner, county health officer, visited the school one day last week and talked to the civics pupils on the need of more effective quarantine and other means of preventing the spread of disease.

Dr. M. G. Edwards, local veterinarian, has also been a visitor in the school recently and made an address to one of the civics classes on the importance of pure milk and water, careful inspection of meats, and other matters pertaining to healthful foods and drinks.

Two of the civics classes are taking part in a contest to see which can sell the more Christmas health seals. To the winning class will be given some kind of prize.

Hoover Neglects One Major Matter In Long Message

Touched On Nearly Everything
Else In Discussing Country's
Problems Tuesday.

Only 2 Dark Clouds

Seen By President, These Being
Disrespect Of Law And The
Stock Market Crash.

Congress convened in regular session Monday. On Tuesday, President Hoover transmitted to the assemblage a 12,000-word message, giving an analysis of the country's problems. His message mapped out a comprehensive program for Congress to follow.

The President, touching on both foreign and domestic problems in a detailed way, expressed hope of success of the London naval conference; urged adherence by the Senate to the Root World Court protocol; advocated early adoption of the \$160,000,000 tax reduction proposal; appealed for strengthening of the prohibition laws, which he considers inadequate; urged ratification of the \$4,000,000,000 French war debt agreement, and reduction of expenditures for national defense, among major projects.

Short On Tariff

The message was regarded as inadequate in one major particular, and that a pressing and immediate issue—the tariff. Many members were disappointed that the President did not elaborate in a specific way upon what sort of a bill he wanted.

He did not indicate any further what he meant by "limited revision," but confined himself largely to a restatement of the general principles enunciated at the outset of the special session. There was general accord with his plea for speedy action on the tariff, however.

The President, in his survey, saw only two dark clouds on the horizon at present—the stock market crash and the growth of organized crime and general disrespect for law.

He expressed the belief that measures he initiated to stabilize business have re-established confidence, and that this situation growing from the stock market slump will be adjusted.

Down To Business

The House of Representatives will get down to business of considering tax reduction, while the Senate will dispose of the case of Senator Vane, of Pennsylvania, whose seat is contested, and then turn to a continuation of the tariff fight left over from the special session.

Get Voting Booths

150 new voting booths to be used under the new secret ballot law have been obtained by the board of elections for Davidson county at a cost of \$1,350 delivered.

Announcement

Nothing preventing and the weather permissible, there will be preaching at High Pine Wesleyan Methodist Church this coming Sabbath at 11:00 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. by the pastor; Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.

The prayer meeting at Neighbors Grove Church has been changed from Tuesday night to Saturday night, 7:15. We trust all will take notice of these announcements and a goodly attendance will be had at all these services. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

—Rev. E. D. Packer, Pastor.

Nine persons, five whites and four negroes, were killed and forty others injured when eight coaches of an excursion train, Norfolk to New York, jumped the tracks at Otney, Va., Sunday morning early. A broken rail is blamed for the wreck.

P. C. Painter, city manager for Greensboro, has tendered his resignation to become effective Dec. 31. Resignation has been accepted.

Classes are being held at the University of North Carolina in English, the world language, with 40 students enrolled.

Randolph Lost A Good Citizen In Death Of S. S. Cox

Had Long Been One Of The
Leading Citizens Of His Com-
munity And The County.

Head Farmers Mutual

And Growth Of This Association
Largely Due To His Guidance
—35 Years A J. P.

Randolph county lost one of its most highly esteemed and most substantial citizens Monday about 10 o'clock in the death at his home on Asheboro, Star Route, of S. S. Cox, aged 68 years, who passed away almost suddenly but quietly. He had been in ill health for several months, but recently had taken a turn for the better and was able to be out to greet his friends and attend to business matters. His complete recovery, however, had not been hoped for since the beginning of his ill health.

Mr. Cox was president of the Randolph county branch Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Company for 17 consecutive years and served the association in other capacities. His wise leadership and counsel is held largely responsible for the steady and healthful growth of this co-operative business enterprise, affecting every part of the county and numbering hundreds of farmers in its membership. He was justice of the peace in his community for 35 years and his decisions were ever tempered with mercy, though he held true to the course of justice as he interpreted it. Mr. Cox was a high-toned Christian gentleman, a man with the problems and welfare of his community, county and country at heart.

Funeral was held from Union Grove church, Wednesday morning by Rev. Joel B. Trogdon with the assistance of Rev. J. E. Pritchard, of Asheboro. Mr. Cox had been for many years a member of Pleasant Hill Christian church.

He is survived by his wife, who before her marriage was Miss Mary E. Lowdermilk; five children, Mrs. J. C. Allen and Mrs. J. W. Phillips, High Point; Mrs. H. P. Lindsay, Winston-Salem; Miss Florrie Cox, Asheboro, Star route; and Carl L. Cox, Rockingham; and five grandchildren. A daughter, Mrs. S. S. Allen, died nearly 20 years ago. Mr. Cox is also survived by one sister, Mrs. E. R. Toy, of Asheboro.

County Board Buys Voting Booths For Use Next Election

The county board of commissioners in meeting yesterday placed order with a Laurinburg manufacturer for voting booths to be used in the next general election under the Australian ballot law passed by the last general assembly. Thirty master booths were purchased, one for each voting precinct in the county and one additional, and 105 units made up the order. The 30 master booths cost a total of \$355, while the cost of the units amounted to \$787.50, a grand total of \$1,042.50. The booths are to be delivered May 1, 1930.

The booths are simple in construction. They are made of canvas on steel frames and are collapsible. When not in use they may be folded up and packed away in a very small space. Being collapsible and light they are easily carried and erected.

The only other business before the board was the acceptance of the annual report of the county farm agent and the renewal of several thousand dollars in tax anticipation notes coming due this month.

Weather Report Shows That November Warm And Wet

According to the monthly report of the weather observer here the month of November was warmer and wetter than the normal November. The mean temperature this year was 50.1 degrees compared to a normal of 47.1 degrees. The highest temperature for the month was 78 on the 3rd while the lowest was 12 above zero on the 30th.

The precipitation was 3.96 inches as compared to a normal of 2.08 inches. The heaviest rainfall during the month was 1.44 inches on the 4th. There were nine days that were classed as clear, six as partly cloudy and fifteen that were cloudy. The minimum temperatures for the month of November here so far as the record dates back are: 1928, 20 on the 12th; 1927, 26 on the 7th; 1925, 19 on the 26th. The twelve on the 30th this year was by far the lowest on record here for November and was six degrees colder than the coldest of all last winter.

Card Of Appreciation

The faculty and students of the Asheboro public schools wish to express to the Educational Department of the Woman's Club their sincere appreciation for the thoughtfulness and desire to co-operate that