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Sheriff Millikan Reports Balance Taxes Due County

Balance Of \$55,738.52 Of 1929 Levy Uncollected—\$40,152.07 Paid Recently.

Board Holds Meet

Hears Sheriff's Report And Takes Several Road Matters Under Consideration.

Sheriff W. B. Millikan reported to the Randolph county board of commissioners in regular session Monday the collection of \$40,152.07 in taxes during the month of March, leaving a balance of the 1929 levy of \$55,738.52 still uncollected.

Few matters were taken up at the board meeting save that relating to roads. Several petitions for road building were presented, the board, and these taken under consideration.

Citizens residing in Grant township petitioned the board for a road connecting the Cox and Coleridge roads, and this matter was referred to G. L. Millikan for investigation.

Coleridge township citizens petitioned for a bridge across Little Brush creek, offering to furnish labor and material for same, provided the county would furnish foreman for the job and also the required cement, roofing, bolts and nails. Petition was for construction of a covered bridge. Messrs. Millikan and Hinshaw were instructed by the board to investigate this matter and report on same.

Supervisor Millikan was instructed to investigate the improvement of a road leading from Route 90 and running in an easterly direction to the old Franklinville road. He was also instructed to investigate a road and bridge in Brower township, being the road leading from what is known as the Brower road to the Moore county line. Another road Mr. Millikan was instructed to investigate is that from Zion church to Three Forks on the Pleasant Garden road.

Mr. Millikan was instructed to investigate the condition of the road leading from Arthur Davis' place east to Brower's Mill, and to do the work necessary on this highway.

It was ordered by the board that the road from Route 77 by way of Thomas J. Coltrane's place be machined up.

The road leading from Route 77 by way of Bryson Hill to the Guilford county line was ordered improved, and the road leading from G. P. Kivett's to E. A. McMaster's was ordered improved.

J. A. Briles Called By Death Monday At Home On Caraway

Mr. J. A. Briles, a prominent farmer of the Caraway section, died at his home Monday afternoon at the age of seventy-four. Until eighteen months ago, Mr. Briles had been active and energetic. He then suffered a light stroke of paralysis, but had since that time partially recovered and was able to do considerable work. He was again stricken around eight weeks ago, but was much improved until Thursday of last week when he suffered a final stroke which resulted in his death. He was an honest straight-forward citizen who had the confidence and respect of those with whom he came in contact. In early life Mr. Briles was enrolled as a member of the Mt. Pleasant Methodist Protestant church, of which he continued an earnest and faithful member. He was married fifty-four years ago to Miss Roxana Spencer, of Trinity township, and to this union are the following sons and daughters: Mrs. G. W. Crofts, Los Angeles, California; Mrs. M. M. Keegan, High Point, N. C.; Mrs. C. R. Crofts, Asheboro; Mrs. L. L. Parker, Meigsville, N. C.; A. L. Briles, superintendent of Simpson Cotton Mills, Cedar Falls; R. A. Briles, a clerk in the Asheboro postoffice; and E. M. Briles, a farmer of Caraway, Rt. 1. His son, Lee Briles, a prominent citizen of High Point died several years ago.

Mr. Briles was the last of a family of six to go to his reward.

The funeral was conducted from Mt. Pleasant church at eleven o'clock yesterday, Rev. Joel B. Trogdon, a former pastor, officiating. A large crowd attended the last rites.

MR. HAMMER ENTERS FOR SIXTH TERM IN HOUSE

The News and Observer carried the following news item from its Washington, D. C. bureau in its issue of Wednesday, April 9:

Washington, April 8.—Representative Hammer has sent his \$50 to the State Board of Elections as his fee for entering the primary as Democratic candidate for Congress from the Seventh North Carolina district.

Representative Hammer has been in Congress for nine years, which is far from being a record as Representative Pog, dean of the North Carolina delegation in the House, has been here for 30 years, and Representatives Sedman and Doughton have each been here for 20 years, and Representative Weaver, until his defeat two years ago, had been in the House for 16 years.

Representative Hammer looks himself as a mere youth as he has just been assigned to a major House committee, the Judiciary. The Democratic leader of the House has been here for 23 years.

Committeemen Are Appointed By Board At Regular Meeting

Very few matters came before the county board of education at its regular meeting on the first Monday in April. Returns from the special school tax election in Farmer district, held on April 25th, were affirmed. It developed that out of a registration of 288 votes, 189 were cast for the proposition, while 99 were cast against it, the election being carried.

School committeemen were appointed as follows:

Trinity: Doak Finch, Reid Mendenhall.

Providence: O. T. Macon, W. W. Hockett.

Tabernacle: C. R. Kindley.

Gray's Chapel: W. L. Kirkman, J. E. Routh.

Balfour: J. C. Pierce, A. B. Cave-ness.

Farmer: Allen Macon, Carson Cranford.

Pleasant Hill: L. E. Hoover.

Pierce: P. H. Snyder.

Tabernacle: C. S. Swaney.

Mt. Pleasant: C. S. Swaney.

Poplar Ridge: Robert Walker.

High Rock: Nemma Wood.

Piedmont B. Y. P. U. To Hold Meeting In Greensboro, 12-13

The 10th annual B. Y. P. U. convention of the Piedmont association B. Y. P. U. will meet with the Ellier Memorial Baptist church, Greensboro, April 12 and 13. The Piedmont association includes all of the Baptist churches in Guilford county and a number of churches in Randolph and Rockingham counties. The convention will begin Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock and close Sunday afternoon.

A program will be rendered on the theme of "Youth In Christian Training." A number of young people will have part on the program. Miss Mary Ayscue, state B. Y. P. U. field worker, with headquarters at Rocky Mount, will give two addresses and conduct a conference period. Miss Annie Lee Spoon, of Asheboro, will have a part on the program. Other speakers will include Dr. J. Clyde Turner, Rev. J. Lester Lane, H. A. Helms, Rev. J. D. Barnette, Edwin Lashley, Wilbur Hutchins, M. D. Teague, Mrs. W. K. Dickens, Misses Vetha Braswell, Alma McFarland, Marie Miller, and Grace Wright. A large attendance is expected.

ASHEBORO WINS GAME FROM REIDSVILLE, 11 TO 3

The baseball team of the local high school defeated Reidsville by a score of 12 to 3, in a conference game, on Asheboro's diamond last Tuesday afternoon.

The game was loosely played, and there were many errors on both sides. Asheboro got eleven hits while Reidsville got eight.

Siler, Asheboro's pitcher, struck out seven men. D. Cranford, the local shortstop played the best game of any man on either team.

The batteries were as follows: Asheboro, Siler and Kivett; Reidsville, Saunders, Flynn, and Field.

MASS MEETING TO BE HELD IN COURT HOUSE

A mass meeting will be held in the court house in Asheboro on Friday evening, April 11, at 7:30 o'clock. A. Cyclone Gale, of Shreveport, La., will be present to discuss the chain store question, and to place before the citizens of the county information concerning chain stores. The public generally is invited to attend this meeting.

PRIMARY CERTAIN FOR REPUBLICANS IN STATE

Whether the powers that be in the Republican party in North Carolina are favorable to a primary or not, one is in prospect for the G. O. P. Rev. Grady Dorsett, of Wake Forest, several weeks ago announced he would be a candidate for the Republican nomination for the United States Senate, and duly posted his \$50 with the State election board. About a week ago, Major George Butler, of Clinton, sent his \$50 to the State election board and announced his candidacy for the Senate. Yesterday, Representative George Pritchard, of Asheville, entered the race for the nomination. The next entry is expected to be Hon. David H. Blair, of Winston-Salem, former internal revenue commissioner, and a power in Republican politics in North Carolina. The Republican race promises to be second only in interest to that between Senator Simmons and Hon. J. W. Bailey for the Democratic Senatorial nomination.

TO ADVERTISE LAND FOR TAXES IN FEW WEEKS

Sheriff W. B. Millikan stated yesterday that, according to law, he would be forced to advertise all land for taxes on which the 1929 tax levy was not paid by the first Monday in May. Those who have not paid their taxes should do so before that time in order to save themselves the costs in the matter.

Meningitis Spreads
County health boards have been urged by the State Health Board to take every precaution against the spread of spinal meningitis. So far this year 57 cases of this dread disease have been reported in the State as against 14 for the same period last year.

Major Rich Talks About Old Trails Through Asheboro

One Of These Is The Old Yadin Road, Used By The Buffaloes, Speaker Says.

Boone Used Trail

In Carrying Good Catch Of Fur To Market At Wilmington—Old Trading Path Trail.

Major J. Hampton Rich, of Winston-Salem, was in Asheboro Friday and made an interesting talk at chapel exercises in the Asheboro city schools. He spoke about old trails which pass through Asheboro and related some interesting facts about them. One of these trails was the old Yadin road, used, Major Rich stated, by the buffaloes in passing from the tall grass at the "forks" of the Yadin to the tall reed thickets on the lower Cape Fear. It was in these reed thickets that the buffaloes spent the winter months. In the spring the animals migrated to the green grass on the Yadin.

Daniel Boone learned of this trail, said Major Rich, and followed it to Fayetteville at one time to sell an extra good catch of mink and muskrat skins. At another time Boone went to Wilmington to sell a catch of muskrat. On this particular trip the trail blazer, as Boone is often called, used the old Trading Patch, which runs a little farther north than the old Yadin road.

Major Rich announced a medal and cup contest, which is being sponsored by the Boone Trail Association. A marker for the Yadin road, he stated, would be placed in Asheboro in the spring.

Major Rich also spoke on the same subject to the Kiwanis Club at its regular meeting on Thursday night.

Young People Will Meet In Asheboro On Tuesday, Apr. 15

The third annual Young People's Conference for Randolph county will meet in the First M. E. church, in Asheboro, next Tuesday morning promptly at 9:30 o'clock and will continue throughout the day. There will be three sessions, the one beginning at 2 o'clock, and the banquet at 7 o'clock in the evening. A large attendance is expected for this event. An interesting and instructive program has been arranged, with speakers from various parts of the State and county billed for talks and lectures. This conference has come to be one of the most attractive features of young people's church work in Randolph county.

MARSHALS ARE ELECTED FOR SENIOR CLASS PLAY

The Senior class of Asheboro High School met one day last week and elected marshals from the Junior class to serve at the play to be given Friday night of this week and at all the other public exercises of the school for this year. The following are the boys and girls elected: Waldo Cheek, Chief; Stanton Pressnell, Colvin West, Eldon Cox, Chloe Allen, Lucy Clyde Ross, and Esther Lambert.

These marshals were chosen from the members of the Junior class who made an average of 2 on all subjects for the first term of the year 1929-30.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH

The series of revival services came to a close at the First M. E. church a few days ago. The results were very gratifying. The church has been greatly helped by the services. Sixteen were received into the church last Sunday morning and for several reasons quite a number who had planned to join could not be present for the service and they will be received next Sunday morning. Fifty-five have been received into the church to date this year.

The Sunday school will meet Sunday at 9:45 a. m. Any who are not in Sunday school elsewhere are invited to join us.

The pastor will preach at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on the subjects: "The Lamp on the Stand" and "The Heart behind the Deed" respectively. Special music will be rendered by the choir.

The third Annual Young People's Meeting for all of the churches of Randolph county will meet here Tuesday at 10:00 a. m.

The Mid-week Service will be held Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. "Building Christian Character" will be the subject for consideration.

Suggested Asheboro Needs Swimming Pool

Among other suggestions along the line of needs in Asheboro and vicinity is a swimming pool. Our attention has been called to the fact that hundreds of people go to Ritters and other convenient lakes for swimming and bathing and that one near Asheboro would not only be more convenient but would be good investment. Since Dogwood Acres development is promising to be a popular section, this might be a logical place for a swimming pool, pleasure park and picnic grounds combined. Dogwood will soon be in bloom, drive by and think about our suggestion.

Two Negroes Lose Lives In Accident On High Point Road

And Mrs. Claude Isley Is Arrested As Result Of Mishap—Several Were Injured.

Mrs. Claude Isley, of Seagrove, was given her freedom Wednesday morning under \$2,500 bond after having been in jail since Sunday morning on charge of manslaughter, following an automobile accident near Coble's filling station on the Asheboro-High Point highway shortly after midnight Saturday.

In the accident a negro boy, Fred Peeler, of High Point, was killed outright, and another negro, Claude Ingram, also of High Point, so badly hurt that he died Monday morning. Others injured in the accident were: Bill Garner, young white man of Randleman, and Sarah Craven, white girl of Cedar Falls, all in the car with Mrs. Isley; and Thornwell Ingram and J. B. Miller, negroes, of High Point.

The accident occurred when the Ford sedan in which the negroes were riding sideswiped a new Chevrolet coach after passing another automobile. Seven negroes, it is reported, were riding in the car, though three of them escaped the scene before officers arrived.

Garner and the Craven girl were riding in the car with Mrs. Isley. There are conflicting reports as to the driver of this car. Garner's left arm was so badly mangled that it had to be amputated above the elbow, while the Craven girl was bruised and knocked unconscious when the two cars hit. The injured were taken to a hospital in High Point for treatment. Mrs. Isley was taken to High Point jail and later brought to Asheboro.

Both of the cars were demolished. They were discovered about 100 yards apart, the Chevrolet headed down a deep embankment on the right hand side of the road and the Ford on its side on the left hand. The Chevrolet, it was reported, had been traveling towards Asheboro and the Ford towards High Point.

Pupils Take Seventh Grade Examinations In Randolph County

Between 250 and 300 public school pupils in Randolph county have taken the State-wide seventh grade examinations, according to T. Fletcher Bulla, county superintendent of schools. These examinations were given at centrally located schools on April 26th, and all papers then turned in to the county superintendent's office for grading. Announcement of the result of the examination will be made later from Mr. Bulla's office.

Music Contest Held At Ramseur Saturday

A county wide music contest was held in the high school auditorium at Ramseur Saturday, April 5. The contest began at 10 o'clock and lasted until 1 p. m. at which time lunch was served to the contestants by the music clubs of Ramseur. The judges were Mrs. Atkinson, Miss Towne, Miss Burrus, all of Greensboro.

Those winning from the four groups were: First group, first prize, Mary Black Covington, Ramseur; second, Helen Brown, Asheboro. Second group, first prize, Eleanor McCain; Asheboro; second, Mary Thomas, Liberty; third group, first prize, Elizabeth Smith, Liberty, second, Pauline Ellis, Asheboro; fourth group, first prize, Lucy Clyde Ross, Asheboro; second, Virginia Lambert, Asheboro.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION SATURDAY

The Randolph county G. O. P. convention will be held in the court house in Asheboro next Saturday, April 12, at 1 o'clock p. m. Precinct meetings to elect delegates and township committees were held last Saturday. The county convention will elect a chairman and secretary, and delegates to the State convention the following Thursday and the Congressional convention in Lexington on Wednesday. Mr. W. L. Ward, of Asheboro, is chairman of the seventh district Republican congressional committee. There is little talk among Republicans in the seventh district regarding a congressional candidate. Young H. F. Seawell, of Carthage, has been mentioned, as has Henry Reynolds, of North Wilkesboro.

FINE ROLE FOR LOWE IN "PAINTED ANGEL"

Edmund Lowe, hero of many a hard-boiled screen role, portrays one of his most vivid characters as leading man for Billie Dove in "The Painted Angel," the First National and Vitaphone picture coming to the Sunset Theatre Monday and Tuesday.

Lowe appears as a violinist in a New Orleans cafe whose arm is shot and paralyzed forever in a fight to protect the heroine (Billie).

This polished actor has the opportunity to draw a clear-cut depiction of the saddened and crippled musician. Lowe himself says he believes it is one of the best things he has done for the talking screen.

Billie Dove portrays a night club owner and entertainer in "The Painted Angel," which is a screen version of Fannie Hurst's "Give This Little Girl a Hand." Millard Webb directed.

Training School At M. P. Church Very Satisfactory

Attendance Not So Large, But Quality Of Instruction Of The Highest Order.

25 Persons Attended

And Came From Asheboro, Siler City And Denton—School One Of Three In State.

The Leadership Training School, which has been in progress at the local Methodist Protestant Church since March 24, came to a close on Monday evening of this week. While the school was not as largely attended as some schools put on in this State yet it was very satisfactory. There were about twenty-five persons in the classes, these coming from Denton, Siler City and Asheboro. There were two classes of pupils, those who worked for credits, that is, did all the work assigned by the instructors, and the other class were those who did not care to work for credits but came and took part in the class room discussions and got as much as possible out of the course. Mrs. H. W. Maier, of Thomasville, conducted a class in Training Worship and the Devotional Life; Rev. F. L. Gibbs, of Durham, who was dean of the school, taught a class in the Principles of Teaching; and Rev. E. L. Ballard, of High Point, taught a class in the New Testament.

This school was one of three being carried on in this state at the same time, the other two being in Greensboro and Graham. The enrollment at Greensboro was about seventy-five and at Graham about 120. Of the three schools the largest enrollment from any pastoral charge was from Mt. Hermon circuit, a strictly rural charge near Graham, with a registration of 33.

Junior Order Will Endeavor To Enroll Youths In Councils

April, May and June have been designated as the time for an "Enlist the Youth Campaign". Planned by the state council officers of the Junior Order in honor of the 12 young men who founded the order 77 years ago, Charles W. Snyder, of Winston-Salem, chief organizer for the Juniors, and his corps of workers are busily engaged in visiting councils of the state in the interest of increasing membership.

It was on May 17, 1853, that 12 young men under 21 years of age met in the old Concord schoolhouse in Philadelphia and organized the first council of the Junior Order. Since then the order has spread to every section of the Union and North Carolina has a membership of more than 52,000, given it the distinction of being the strongest fraternal order in the state.

Medals are being offered every man under 21 years of age who joins the order during the three months period and similar medals will be presented every member securing a new member. Mr. Snyder is calling upon council to secure 12 new members or more. Indications are that the administration of Charles E. Hamilton, of Monroe, state councilor, will be one of the most successful in the history of the state organization from the standpoint of gains in membership.

Tax Listers Busy In Randolph County

The tax listers in the various townships are busy this month listing taxes and taking the farm census. Those who wish to avoid the rush should meet the list taker at the first opportunity and list their property. As has been stated previously, property is listed this year as of April 1st ownership, instead of May 1st, as formerly. The list taker in Asheboro township will be at the court house all this week for the purpose of listing property. Those who wait until the last day will be caught in the usual rush.

RATHER CUSS THAN BE CURSED, SAYS CRAVEN

According to Tuesday's High Point Enterprise, George Craven, municipal bond buyer, bond printer and newspaperman, of Trinity, here today said the report that he would be a candidate for the legislature in Randolph was put out without his knowledge and that while he deeply appreciates the compliment, he is not likely to make the race this year or next or ever. Mr. Craven, in and out of newspaper work for more than a quarter of a century, and who 20 years ago was news editor of the Greensboro Daily News, is now doing editorial work on the Thomasville News and Times, one of the liveliest weeklies in the state.

Two years ago his name was freely mentioned in Randolph as a possible candidate for the legislature but thus far he has consistently refused to enter politics, remarking today: "Why, if I were to be elected to a term in the legislature I would be forever barred from cussing out the boobs who go down there and enact such fool laws as those creating the State Sinking Fund commission, the County Government Advisory commission and the State Industrial commission, and there is a deal more fun in cussing than in being cussed."

524 Business Houses In Randolph County According To Census

According to Mr. A. I. Ferree, director of the census for the 8th district, that Randolph county has a total of 524 business houses, of which 179 are manufacturing industries. These figures were revealed in the census of manufactures and distribution made by Mr. J. M. Kivett, of Asheboro. This number includes all saw mills, manufacturing establishments, business houses, etc., with the exception of beauty parlors, barber shops, shoe repair shops and bowling alleys. Saw mills constitute no small part of the number of business and manufacturing industries in the county.

If there is any business house or manufacturing industry in the county that has been overlooked in this census, the matter should be reported either to Mr. Kivett, Mr. Ferree or to any one of the enumerators now engaged in taking the census of population and farms in the county.

Corwith To Offer Dogwood Acres For Sale Next 3 Days

Sale Will Begin Friday And Last Through Monday—Attractive Homesites Offered.

Mr. Henry P. Corwith, owner and developer of Dogwood Acres, has spent much of the past two years in Asheboro, and is back again looking after his real estate interests here. Mr. Corwith is a successful apple grower, ex-banker and former president of the State Horticultural Society, and an authority on growing fine flavored apples for which North Carolina is noted. His residence for the past fifteen years has been at Saluda, N. C.

He is a firm believer in the prosperous future of Asheboro and North Carolina. He has secured the services of Mr. H. J. Russell, of Gaffney, S. C., one of the most successful real estate men of the Piedmont section of North Carolina, to take charge of his special home site sale in Dogwood Acres, beginning Friday, April 11th, and closing Monday. Dogwood Acres is composed of 377 acres, about 100 acres of which have been platted into home sites of various sizes. About two miles of streets have been graded at a cost of from \$3,000 to \$4,000. Ample space has been reserved for lakes, parks, picnic grounds and swimming pools. Mr. Corwith has under consideration a plan whereby Asheboro this year may have a concrete swimming pool, located in Dogwood Acres.

Liberal terms will be offered those who buy lots in Dogwood Acres at this sale, as may be seen by referring to advertisement on another page of this issue of The Courier.

Democratic Precinct Meetings On June 21st

According to the Democratic plan of organization, the precinct meetings will be held on Saturday afternoon, June 21, at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of electing a precinct committee and delegates to the county convention, which will be held in the court house in Asheboro for Randolph county on Saturday afternoon, June 28, at 2 o'clock. The county convention will elect delegates to the State convention, which will meet in Raleigh on Thursday, July 3rd.

DISEASES OF THE HEART CLAIMING MORE VICTIMS

For the sixth consecutive year diseases of the heart were responsible for nearly one-third of all deaths in the United States, according to figures compiled by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, largest insurance company in the world. Cerebral hemorrhage and chronic nephritis ranked next in order, while accidents and cancer came next, followed by influenza and pneumonia.

SENIOR CLASS PLAY TO BE GIVEN FRIDAY NIGHT

The Senior class play, "So This Is London," will be given in the Asheboro high school auditorium Friday evening, April 11, at 8 o'clock. Tickets will be sold at the door for 25 and 50 cents. A large attendance is expected at this play, which is one of the newer ones and is considered exceptionally good. The cast has been well trained and is expected to present the play in a most capable manner.

TAR HEELS HAVE CUT MOTOR BILL IN HALF

Tar Heel citizens cut their bills for new automobiles for the first quarter of this year to less than half the \$16,762,775 expended during the first three months of 1929, according to the State motor vehicle bureau. Total cars sold in the State during the first three months of 1930 was 10,074, as compared with 20,247 the first three months in 1929. Sales so far this year have cash value of \$8,311,050. This time last year 400,000 cars were registered in the State as against 395,000 at present.

Nominate Woman

Mrs. Ruth Hannah McCormick was nominated by the Republicans as candidate for the United States Senate from Illinois over Senator Charles S. Densen in a primary held Tuesday. The vote was by the ratio of 3 to 2.

Judge Shaw Asks Special Term Of Court For County

In Order To Clear Up Criminal And Civil Dockets—Solicitor Wants Term Also.

Regular Term Closed

Last Saturday—Several Stiff Sentences To Roads And Pen Meted Out By Judge.

Provided the recommendations of Judge Thomas J. Shaw and Solicitor Zeb V. Long are carried out, Randolph county will have at no late date a two weeks' special term of court for trial of cases on both the criminal and civil dockets. These dockets have again become congested despite the special terms of court which were held in the county last year for the purpose of clearing them.

Several cases were disposed of last week in criminal court, and Judge Shaw was not slow in imposing stiff road sentences in several instances. The longest sentences meted out by the judge were against Bunk Patterson and Joe Shoffner, who were found guilty of larceny, and sentenced to served ten years each in the State penitentiary at hard labor.

An unusual case was that against Joe Bronson, who was arrested in Trinity township on April 2nd on charge of larceny of grain, a wagon and a mule. Bronson was tried the next day, and after pleading guilty, was sentenced the next day to serve two years on the county roads.

Other cases tried included the following: State vs Russell Wicker, suspended sentence of three months on roads, conditioned on paying costs, and not driving a car within 8 months.

State vs Fred White and Cecil Richardson, mistrial ordered by court.

State vs Bronson Swaney, defendant found guilty of manufacturing whiskey, and was sentenced to serve 15 months on the county roads.

State vs Bill Burns, defendant found guilty of larceny and was sentenced to serve two years on the county roads, and a suspended sentence of four years also imposed.

State vs Woodrow Allen and Hezekiah Dunn, sentences to roads for 8 months and 4 months respectively suspended upon payment of costs.

Randleman Debaters Win Both Contests In Triangular Debates

Defeated Golston And Bonlee In Unanimous Decisions—Go To Chapel Hill.

Randleman, April 8.—The Randleman high school participated in the State-wide triangular debates held on Friday night, April 4.

The Randleman debaters on the affirmative side defeated Goldston at Randleman. Louise Helms and Forrest Matthews composed the affirmative team. The negative team composed of Mildred Talley and Louise Matthews went to Bonlee and won a unanimous decision of the judges over Bonlee high school. The two teams will go to Chapel Hill for the finals on April 17 and 18.

The Randleman baseball team defeated Farmer last Thursday at Farmer by a score of 7 to 4.

The annual Junior-Senior banquet will be held Friday night, April 11, in the new gymnasium at Randleman. Both the Junior and Senior classes are anticipating the event with pleasure.

The Randleman high school commencement exercises will begin with a play, "Eighteen Carat Boob," Saturday night, April 26. Miss Virginia Tinsley is coaching this play.

Dr. W. A. Harper, President of Elon College, will preach the commencement sermon Sunday night, April 27, in the school auditorium.

The class exercises, the graduating exercise and the address will be on Tuesday night, April 29.

NOTICE

I want to call your attention to the chicken ordinance in the City of Asheboro, which says it is unlawful for chickens to run at large.

I am requesting the Chief of Police to see to it that no chickens run at large when they destroy the property of others.

Register all complaints with R. A. Gaddis.