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Local Churches Plan Christmas Season Programs

Appropriate Sermons And Music Will Be Feature In All Churches On Sunday.

Also Christmas Day Which Comes On Sunday, Special Programs Will Be Given In The Churches.

The churches in Asheboro will celebrate with special sermons, pageants and appropriate music for Christmas, which falls on Sunday this year.

At the Presbyterian church, Dr. Cochran G. Smith will give a sermon relative to the birth of Christ and the choir will use the anthem, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear."

At the First Methodist church, Dr. R. S. Truesdale will deliver an appropriate sermon this Sunday and the vested choir will give a Christmas anthem.

At the Baptist church Sunday, December 18th, the pastor, Dr. Herman Stevens, will bring a Christmas message in the morning with fitting music by the choir and in the evening at 7:30 o'clock the choir will sing carols.

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Miss Olive Hodges To Deliver Address At Tomorrow's Meet

Miss Olive I. Hodges, who has served as missionary in Japan for 25 years, will be in Asheboro tomorrow and speak at the seventh district auxiliary meeting of the women's work of the M. P. church.

In the heavy egg producer the pelvic bones are wide apart, thin, tapering and pliable. In the non-producer they are drawn close together and are usually covered with an accumulation of fat.

Asheboro School To Begin Its Christmas Holiday, Dec. 21st

The local schools will close Wednesday, December 21, for Christmas holidays, and will reopen Monday, January 2.

Confederate Vet Claimed By Death On December 7th

"Uncle Wyatt" Brady, One Of County's Few Veterans, Answers Last Roll Call.

After Brief Illness Died At Home Of His Daughter, Mrs. Callie Shields, In Town Of Asheboro.

One of the few last remaining Confederate veterans of the county, well known to many as "Uncle Wyatt" Brady, died at his home in Asheboro December 7th, after a brief illness.

Mr. Brady was born and reared at Cheek's Mill and spent his young manhood there. It was from that place that he joined the Confederate army and was attached to Company E, 5th North Carolina cavalry.

Phillips Makes Talk On Cost Of Schools At Kiwanis Meeting

The Asheboro Kiwanis Club had as their guest-speaker Friday, Superintendent Guy B. Phillips, of Greensboro city schools.

"Factors in the 500% Increase in the Cost of Schools 1914-15 and 1929-30," was the subject of Mr. Phillips' discussion. The major factors which enter into the increase in the cost of the schools, as pointed out by the speaker, were: Increased number of children in attendance, increase in number of days taught and length of term, fluctuation in the purchasing power of money, increased services offered by the schools—more high school facilities, transportation of children, better trained teachers, enrichment of offering in the course of study.

This group of business men were pleased with the opportunity to hear this discussion and enjoyed Mr. Phillips' splendid and thorough presentation of this subject of which he had made a close study over a considerable period of time.

Only A Few Days Left In Which To Get Courier Dolls

For a few weeks The Courier has been offering dolls with the payment of subscriptions and many a child will be made happy Christmas morning with these dear, cuddly babies and the sporty, Frenchy little girl doll. There is only one week left before Christmas, so get your doll before the supply runs out.

Community Chest Drive Progresses In Splendid Way

All The Money Not In Hand And Goal Not Yet Reached, But Drive Succeeds.

Schools Help Out Both White And Colored Schools Give Nearly \$100; Others Are Contributing.

William Armfield, III, head of the Asheboro Chamber of Commerce, is greatly pleased with the progress and most appreciative of the cooperation of the people in the community chest drive during the past week.

The grown-ups have been asked to help with money, food and clothing and the children have been asked to share their pennies and toys.

White teachers, \$45.25; white pupils, \$28.09; total, white school, \$73.34; colored teachers, \$7.00; colored pupils, \$6.23; total, colored school, \$13.23; total, both schools, \$86.57.

A drive is in progress this week to collect clothing, food and toys for the needy of the town.

A letter has come from John P. Harvey, of Lynchburg, Va., secretary-treasurer of the Old Dominion Box Company.

Mr. W. J. Armfield, III, Pres., Asheboro Chamber of Commerce, Asheboro, N. C.

We have your letter of December 7th addressed to the writer with reference to your Community Chest Drive for funds.

It is needless to say that we are at all times anxious to cooperate in every way with the people of Asheboro in the interest of the community and in the welfare of the people of your city.

Obviously, adverse conditions at this time do not permit of as large contribution as we would like, but at the same time we want you to know that we are with you in this worthy movement and appreciate the privilege of enclosing our check which we hope will be of some assistance.

With best wishes for the success of your undertaking and assuring you of our appreciation of the privilege of sharing in this good work, we are, Yours very truly, OLD DOMINION BOX CO., John P. Harvey, Sec.-Treas.

Randolph Students Are Making Good At Appalachian College

The Courier is pleased with a bit of news from J. W. Dowdum, registrar of Appalachian State Teacher's College.

Miss Dorothy Dixon, Ramseur, honor student; Miss Opal Scott, Franklinville, good student; Miss Edith Thomas, Franklinville, honor student; Miss Maggie Curtis, Franklinville, good student; Miss Margaret Robbins, Trinity, average student; Miss Helen McArthur, Staley, average student; Miss Unice Clark, Staley, average student; Miss Pauline Hobson, Staley, good student; John Staley, Staley, honor student.

Newspaper Folk To Honor Gardner's At Dinner In Raleigh

More than 400 newspaper folks of the state are joining hands and giving Governor O. Max Gardner and Mrs. Gardner, Governor-elect J. C. B. Ehringhaus and Mrs. Ehringhaus a live-at-home banquet at State College Friday evening, December 16th.

Soon after Mr. and Mrs. Gardner took up residence at the Mansion in Raleigh, they entertained the editors of the state at a live-at-home dinner—delightful occasion with unexcelled food. All the food was from North Carolina.

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Officers Of Sunday School Elected By Baptists Of Staley

At Conference Held Friday Evening, December 9; M. E. Church Activities.

Staley, Dec. 12.—The Staley Baptist church held its annual conference, Friday evening, Dec. 9. The Sunday school officers for the year 1933 were elected. They will be installed in January.

Those elected are as follows: Superintendent, C. P. Fox; asst. supt., Wade Ward; secretary, Miss Evelyn Cox; clerk and treasurer, Mrs. C. P. Fox, G. M. Staley, Mrs. M. R. Cox, Mrs. W. J. Vestal, Mrs. C. D. Caviness, Wade Ward, and Mrs. A. R. Williams were chosen teachers.

Rev. R. C. Methany, of Duke University, conducted services at the Staley Methodist church, Sunday morning, Dec. 11. He was substituting for Rev. J. L. Barnette, the regular pastor. Mr. Methany is one of the Foundation students at Duke. He conducted a Bible school in Staley during the past summer, and is now working with the young people in some of the churches in the vicinity of Durham.

Sunday afternoon a community singing was held in the Staley M. E. church. Three choirs and a quartet represented the nearby churches.

100,000 Back On Jobs As Result Of New Chevrolet Car

Force Employed In Domestic Plants Of Chevrolet Co. and Fisher Body Plant.

New Car Saturday Goes On Display In Showrooms Of Nance Chevrolet Co., On Sunset Avenue.

Nearly 100,000 people are back at work as the result of the introduction of the new Chevrolet which goes on display here Saturday at the sales room of Nance Chevrolet Co. R. E. Nance, president, announced today.

For four of the past six years Chevrolet has led in building and selling more automobiles than any manufacturer and this year they offer a car which is in keeping with their position of first place in the automobile industry.

According to Mr. Nance, this new car incorporates 192 improvements. A longer wheelbase, a more powerful six-cylinder engine, an entirely new body styling which reflects the master craftsmanship of bodies by Fisher, and new skirted fenders which conceal all the under parts of the car are just a few of these many improvements.

Mr. Nance has made special arrangements to accommodate the large crowd which he is confident will visit the salesroom on Sunset avenue Saturday.

Junior Order Held Chicken Dinner At Local Cafe Tuesday

Forty-one members of the Asheboro Junior Order enjoyed a chicken dinner Tuesday evening at the Old Hickory Cafe at the expense of a group of men.

The organization was divided into two teams sometime ago and an attendance drive staged. The losing team was to entertain the winning team at a dinner.

People Are Asking Why Bars Have Been Let Down On Selling Fire Crackers In City

It is reported unofficially as we go to press that a child has been seriously injured by a fire cracker on the streets of the town.

This notice is published as The Courier goes to press at the urgent request of a number of leading citizens of the town who oppose selling fire works to children of all ages, then the third day of the shooting, arraigning some of these children in court for that which the city fathers are responsible.

9 Randolph Boys Are Making Good At Wake Forest

County Is Well Represented By These Young Men Who Have Formed County Club.

Wake Forest, Dec. 12.—Nine sons of Randolph county citizens are among this year's enrollment at Wake Forest College.

Personnel of the group includes Waldo Cheek, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Cheek; and Herman Stevens, son of Dr. and Mrs. H. T. Stevens, both of Asheboro; J. C. Luther, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Luther; J. B. Brower, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Brower; W. L. Hardin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Hardin; W. F. Ashburn, son of Dr. T. F. Ashburn, and M. B. Dark, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Dark, all of Liberty; A. P. Wall, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wall, of Sophia; and R. P. Stroup, son of Rev. and Mrs. H. M. Stroup, of Ramseur.

This group is well represented in student activities on the Baptist campus. Waldo Cheek, is assistant in the College News Bureau, and a member of the Euzelian Literary Society.

Herman Stevens, a junior, is assistant in biology, and is taking a medical course; and Robert Stroup, who is a senior and an applicant for the Bachelor of Science degree this spring, is also a member of the Euzelian Literary Society.

All are members of the Randolph County Club, which was recently organized and the officers of which are: Herman Stevens, president, Robert Stroup, vice-president and Waldo Cheek, secretary.

Recent success of the Old Gold and Black teams in forensic and athletic activity has released a wholesome spirit at Wake Forest that has toned up every phase of college life.

With 99 years having passed since its organization in 1834, Wake Forest is preparing for a second century of service. Construction of its new sixty-thousand-dollar medical building is well under way, and blue prints for an adequate gymnasium were recently submitted.

The enrollment this session, some 850, is approximately ten per cent greater than that of last session.

Hunters Make Haul Of 4 Foxes During One Morning's Hunt

H. H. Kennedy, formerly of Randolph county, now of High Point, and J. W. Farlow have recently returned from an interesting fox hunt in Robeson county, near Maxton.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Harris spent the week-end recently with Mr. Harris' mother, Mrs. R. K. Harris, and other relatives at Forest City.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Comer, of Asheboro, spent the week-end at Mrs. J. R. Comer's.

The Seagrave basketball team defeated the Franklinville teams on the court at Seagrave Wednesday, the girls winning 21 to 9, and the boys, 22 to 11.

Mrs. J. R. Comer and daughter, Hazel, and sons, Boyce and Doctor, and W. L. Harper, Miss Evelyn Pollard and G. A. York were in Greensboro shopping Saturday.

Miss Jessie Wood, of the school faculty, spent the week-end at her home in Asheboro.

The Seagrave school will close for the Christmas holidays Wednesday, December 21, and reopen Monday, January 2nd.

The monthly meeting of the parent-teachers association will be held in the school auditorium Monday evening, December 19.

Dr. Peeler Speaker At Sunday Evening At Local M. P. Church

An unusually splendid service was held at the Asheboro Methodist Protestant church Sunday evening with Dr. Shuford Peeler, of Salisbury, the speaker.

Dr. Peeler, prominent in state Sunday school and young people's work, gave a fine talk on the "Value of Children." In addition to the period of childhood, Dr. Peeler, from wide experience, told how important young people are to the home, church and communities, stressing the importance of training and care, especially during the adolescent period.

Several young people of the church and a few visitors from neighboring churches braved the downpour of rain and enjoyed Dr. Peeler on this occasion.

Miscellaneous Food Sale The woman's auxiliary of Charlotte Methodist Protestant church, four miles west of Asheboro, will hold a miscellaneous food sale in the Cox & Lewis Hardware Store Saturday, December 17th, beginning at 10 a. m.

If you want to sell it in a hurry—advertise it in The Courier.

Request Made That News Items Be Sent In Early Next Week

The Courier is asking the correspondents and the friends who are good enough to give us news by telephone or letter to get all news in early next week.

The Courier closes the columns at noon Wednesday always, but we hope to get all the news in by Tuesday night next week in order to publish early. By doing this, the paper can be mailed early enough to catch the rural routes, thereby giving better service to our advertisers.

For the past several weeks a great deal of good news items have been omitted from necessity because they came into the office after the columns are closed. We want the news, want to publish everything that happens that has any news value, but help us get it early.

Plan To Furnish Stage Equipment At Franklinville

Announcement Of This Fact Was Made At Business Meet Of Parent-Teachers.

Christmas Programs Are Being Planned By The Sunday Schools Of The Franklinville Section.

Franklinville, Dec. 12.—The P. T. A. held the regular monthly meeting at the school auditorium Wednesday evening with a large attendance.

Mr. R. H. Kirkman, president, had charge of the program. After devotional, led by W. P. Rodgers, an operetta presented by the children of the second and third grades was enjoyed.

Vocal music by Glenn Robertson, of Greensboro, and one of the faculty of Gray's Chapel high school, added to the program. The banners given for the grades getting out the largest number of friends and patrons were won by the third grade in the elementary department, and the eleventh grade in (Please turn to page 8)

Thieves Rob Store Near Seagrave And Make A Big Haul

Merchandise Valued At From \$300 to \$400 Stolen From Miss Harper's Store.

Seagrave, Dec. 13.—Thieves broke into Miss Winney Harper's store near here Friday night, forcing entrance through the front door and taking between \$300 and \$400 worth of merchandise, including shoes, dresses, coats, rugs, etc.

There will be a Christmas exercise at the Christian church Friday evening, December 23rd.

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An order was issued by Judge Finley confirming the sale of the Federal Land Bank of Columbia and C. C. Cheek.

It was ordered in the case of Ella Bowman vs. Wachovia Bank and Trust Co., that the receiver be paid \$25.00 for services in collecting rents.

A true bill was found against Dock Watson, colored, charged with killing his mother, Helen Frances Watson, with a burning lamp. He was found guilty and given from 3 to 5 years in the state penitentiary.

Delvert Richardson, already confined in the county jail for 3 months charged with assault on a female, was given a nine months sentence on the county roads to be confined in the county jail.

Herbert Bonkemeyer, charged with driving a car while drunk was fined \$50.00 and costs and deprived of driving a car except to and from work.

Grady Bennett plead guilty of possession and transporting whiskey and was fined \$25.00 and given a jail sentence with road work for six months.

Douglas Brady plead guilty of possession and transporting and was sentenced to ten months on the roads.

George McNair, transporting, fined \$25.00 with eight months road sentence.

T. C. Love, escaping work on the county roads, found guilty and given six months.

Taft Overman and Clarence Cranford escaping from prison camp, consigned to county roads for 60 days.

Jack Gaither, escaping from camp, given four months.

Walter Worth, nine months on roads for possession of whiskey.

Robert Williams and L. H. Smith, possession and transporting, \$25.00 fine and six months on county roads.

The grand jury reported and were discharged December 9th. They visited the county home and found 16 white males, 16 white females, 5 colored males and 1 colored female, all in good condition, well fed, clothed, with plenty of food, poultry and meat raised on the farm and canned goods in the pantry valued at \$18.00.

At the prison camp, they found the prisoners well cared for. Two sick prisoners are receiving adequate care from the county physician. Conditions at the jail and court house were found satisfactory.

Changed Open Dates For Asheboro School Library Announced

Dates Changed In Order To Save Fuel And Light; Public Is Urged To Use Books.

In order to save fuel and lighting, the school authorities have decided to change the hours for opening the high school library to the community from Thursday evening to Tuesday and Thursday afternoons, from 3:30 to 5:00 o'clock.

As announced in last week's Courier, it is hoped that the people of the town will avail themselves of the use of the valuable material in the library. Those who are doing research work; for example, members of book clubs, missionary societies, and other organizations, who are preparing papers or talks can find much helpful information on hundreds of vital subjects.

Miss Beatrice Daniels, librarian, is ready to assist in extending every facility and convenience to patrons free of charge.

Besides the large collection of high class fiction, poetry, and other literature, the Asheboro school library contains general reference works that are of the best. Some of these are the Encyclopaedia Britannica, The Americana, Twentieth Century Encyclopaedia, Outline of Knowledge, volumes of biography, and many other works of highest merit.

The following magazines are to be found on the library tables: Boys' Life, National Geographic, Woman's Home Companion, Open Road for Boys, Literary Digest, Child Life, Nature Magazine, American Boy, American Girl, and Colliers.

REQUEST PATRONS NOT TO DRIVE ON SCHOOL GROUNDS

The school authorities ask that parents do not drive on the school grounds when bringing children to school and coming for them. The lives of the other children are endangered by such practice and the authorities are asking cooperation hoping that other measures will not become necessary.