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Happenings Briefly Told

50,000 MEXICAN RAIL EMPLOYEES BEGIN STRIKE

Mexico City.—Despite personal intervention of President Cardenas at the last minute, 50,000 employees of the vast Mexican national rail-ways walked out Monday afternoon. The strikers demand a wage schedule giving seven days' wages for six days' work, a general wage increase, permanent jobs for temporary workers, and observance by the company of the labor laws. Within two hours the federal labor board had declared the strike illegal, thus obliging the men to return to work by Tuesday night or risk loss. work by Tuesday night or risk los-ing jobs and seniority rights.

BAPTIST LEADER DECLARES FREEDOM IN DANGER

St. Louis.—At a session of the Northern and Southern Baptists Monday, the nation was warned to beware attempts to undermine our religious freedom in the disguise of patriotism. The Rev. Frederick L. Anderson, professor emeritus of Newton Center, Mans., referred to the Massachusetts school children who were sentenced to what was practically a reform school when they refused to salute the flag because of their religious convictions. Dr. Anderson predicted that this could easily be the forerunner of systems of persecution and repressive made in Germany and Italy, (Please turn to page 8)

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NEW DEAL LOSES TWO COURT DECISIONS

Washington.—The Supreme Court Monday dealt the New Deal another body blow when it declared the Guffey Coal Law unconstitutional by a vote of 6-3, the majority holding that in the law congress had overstepped its constitutional power in attempting to regulate interstate commerce. This is the bill which stirred up so much criticism of President Roosevelt last summer when he urged a house committee not to let doubts of its constitution-ality keep them from approving it. The second rebuff for the New Deal came when the District of Columbia court of appeals judged invalid the resettlement administration and Roosevelt rights.

ACCUSES PRESS OF CULTIVATING COMMUNISM

Asheville.—At a meeting of the Southern Newspapers association Monday, Mrs. Jessie Daniel Ames, executive director of the Association of Southern Women for Prevention of Lynching, declared that suppression of facts and distortion of news were encouraging communistic tendencies in the minds of our more inflammable people. Mrs. Ames said that in their desire to play up the spectacular side of murder, lynching and war, newspapers were inclined to appeal to the emotions of fear and hate which only increased the desire for violence in the reader. Consequently, more people are being filled with ideas of force and lawlessness which are the principles of communism and radicalism.

and in addition enthusiastic squads of canvassers are going around town.

The bonds are of various denominations up to \$25, and are non-redeemable and non-interesting from a money-making point of view. However, coupons to be clipped from them indicate that dividends such as health, sportmanship, teamwork spiritual growth and good character will accrue from investment. Consequently, farseeing citizens should be eager to seize this opportunity to provide for the future welfare of their community.

Rev. N. M. Harrison, general manager for High Point college, who is chairman of the central committee, plans to have two playgrounds in operation by the first of June. Each will be under the supervision of two trained recreational leaders, so that not only will children have a place to Asheville.-At a meeting of the

INITIATE BOB REYNOLDS

Washington.—The staid white marble steps of the United States capitol were enlivened yesterday by the sight of Senator Bob Reynolds the sight of Senator Bob Reynolds surrounded by a score of picture squely attired Sioux Indians who were accepting him into their tribe. Doffing an elaborate headdress of brown, white and red feathers, the senator was greeted with the name Oyate-Naweakiciji, in plain English. Chief Stands-For-His-Peopla After smoking the pipe of peace with his new brothers, Senator Reynolds was presented with a sister in the person of six months old Princess White-Crov-Broken-Rope, whom he obligingly held in his arms until her squalls brought an anxious squaw to the rescue.

An all day singing convention will be held at the Piney Grove Methodist Protestant church in the Jackson Hill church in the Jackson Hill community Sunday, May 31st. This will be an all day affair and the public is cordially invited to come and bring baskets and join in the picnic dimer on the grounds at the noon hour. A number of good singers are expected to be present including a number of good quartets. A special invitation is extended to all singers.

T. Wingate Andrews Addresses

Balfour School Senior Class At

UNITED STATES REACHES AGREEMENT WITH CHINA

W. KERR SCOTT Clyde R. Hoey who has, for many years, been termed the "silver-tongued orator of Carolina." Mr. Hoey will speak at the court house in Asheboro tonight at 7:45. He will discuss the W. Kerr Scott Will political situation as well as his own platform as a candidate for governor

commissioner of agriculture, will come to Asheboro Wednesday night to discuss the agricultural problems confronting North Carolina farmers today. Scheduled to speak in the court house at 8 o'clock, Mr. Scott, a World War veteran and an active farmer, Bonds At Present plans to show his audience the need to "revitalize agriculture" and develop his program to put some life in it.

Mr. Scott is not merely a theorist Local Civic Organizations Join-ing With Central Committee In Selling These Bonds tion for his experienced judgment and progressive leadership in every phase of agriculture. Moreover, he is a farmer himself, living on a 500 acre Rev. N. M. Harrison Chairman farm in Hawfield community of

court of appeals judged invalid the resettlement administration and declared that the 1935 relief act the improperly to senting the various churches, Sunday for industry. Realizing that North schools, Rotary club, Kiwanis club, Carolina is fourth among the states Woman's club, American Legion, in possibilities for development, Mr. Parent-Teachers Association, Chamber Scott wants to attain to a position of of Commerce and other civic organizaleadership where he can make these tions. Miss Kate Hammer's Hat Shop possibilities blossom into realities and is the headquarters for the campaign, and in addition enthusiastic squads of restore agriculture in North Carolina to its rightful place.

His practical wisdom is evidenced by his recognition of the importance of forestry in the maintenance of the soil and good farms. His interest in securing a more satisfactory rural telephone system points to his pro-

Ever since his birth in 1896 in Haw (Please turn to page 5)

Trinity Girl Will Receive Diploma At **Brevard On June 10**

Brevard, May 18.-Miss Ruth Colplay during the long vacation days, when 100 young people will graduate from Brevard college.

Dr. J. Henry Highsmith, of Raleigh, who is the director of the Division of An all day singing convention will Instructional Service of the State Debe held at the Piney Grove Methodist partment of Public Instruction, will be Protestant church in the Jackson Hill the principal speaker on the occasion. Community Sunday, May 31st. This The alumni of Brevard Institute, partment of Public Instruction, will be will be an all day affair and the public is cordially invited to come and bring baskets and join in the picnic dimer on the grounds at the noon hour. A number of good singers are expected to be present including a number of good quartets. A special invitation is extended to all singers.

The alumni of Brevard Institute, Weaver college and Brevard college are planning to make the occasion a home-coming day, and from two to three thousand people are expected to attend. Those who are to participate in the reunion are invited to bring baskets for the lunch which will be served picnic atyle on the grounds.

Balfour School Senior Class At Commencement Friday Evening

not only will children have a place to

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Singing Convention

T. Wingate Andrews, superintendent of the High Point city schools, addressed the graduating class of Balfour school on Friday evening on the subject of, "What Makes Good Citizens". Mr. Andrews was introduced by L. F. Ross, chairman of the county board of education.

Miss Margaret Hooker was valedictorian of the class and Miss Violet Pritchard extended the welcome for the class. Mono Rose Brown and Bonnie Ann Pearce, class mascots, wore in evidence and in attractive contumes for the occasion.

The class is composed of the following manners; Colon Davidson, John Chas, Milton Johnson, Wesley Jurden.

Arthur Ross Leader In Randolph County

Mrs. George Birkhead Selected As Vice Chairman By Pre-cinct Committee

Harmony Prevailed

Good Attendance, Interest And Enthusiasm Characterized The Convention

to Arthur Ross.

The chief business of the convention was to name a chairman for the county and to select delegates for the state convention to be held in Raleigh

Birkhead was quite pleasing to the convention as a whole and enthusiastic applause greeted the announcement of the officers.

As to the selection of the delegates to the state convention in Raleigh, all Democrats in good standing were made delegates to the judicial, con-gressional and state conventions meeting at noon of June 10th.

The convention was well attended for the morning hour which varied from the customary Saturday after-noon affair. The interest in matters hand ideas. As farm agent for Alamance county for ten and a half years, he gained state-wide recogniplanned, set traps and baited hooks for the coming primary, convention and campaign of the fall.

There was no formal speech at this meeting, but several well known In order to finance supervised playgrounds for children during the summer months, a campaign to sell

Alamance county, where in addition to his specialty of breeding registered Jersey cattle, he keeps 400 laying hens, 9 brood sows and 25 sheep.

Mr. Scott helicuse that a minimum of Democrats made a few informal remarks while the precinct committee was selecting the officers for the county.

Destroys M&M Cafe **In Business Section**

Flames Of Unknown Origin Ravage Cafe In Closely Built Business District

Plan To Rebuild

Randolph Drug Company Next Door Suffers Slight Loss From Water At Time

The "M & M" Cafe on Sunsei avenue was ravaged early Monday street.

morning by a fire of unknown origin which had gained great headway bethis we fore an alarm was turned in. Although Fire Chief Clarence Rush had water on the blazes inside five minutes, little could be done but keep the fire nual event of that community. from spreading, and there the Ashetrane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. boro volunteers were very effective. B. Coltrane, of Trinity, will receive Stock and furnishings of the cafe were has accepted a position on the police her diploma at the "Brevard College totally ruined, but prompt work by Day" to be held here on June 10, the firefighters kept the conflagration within bounds.

When the alarm aroused Asheboro at 2:30 a. m., flames were already breaking through the roof. Rush had his men on the job almost immediately, laid two lines of hose through the Randolph Drug Store, and effectively checked the spread of the blaze. Officials of the Randolph

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Cedar Falls School Will Close Friday

This week Cedar Falls school will conclude its second very successful season in the fine new building, Mrs. Myrtie Cotton has prepared an attractive program for the enjoyment of parents, friends and visitors.

Democrats Choose Dr. Holland Holton, Duke University Summer School Head, Will Address Senior Class Of Asheboro High School

Cleveland Thayer To **Speak At Conference** Of Rotarians, 19-20

Cleveland Thayer, of Asheboro, district governor of the 57th District of Rotary International, will speak at Democrats of Randolph county met the opening session of the district's in convention at the court house in tenth annual conference, which will Asheboro Saturday morning at the be held in Winston-Salem on Tuesday call of Chairman C. C. Cranford. The convention was called to order by Mr. bero delegates are Bob Wood and Cranford who turned the chair over Murray Field, and there is expected to be a good representation of other

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include Theodore S. Johnson, Raleigh; (Please turn to page 5)

Ramseur Pastor Is Attending Baptist Meet At St. Louis

Rev. H. M. Stroup Represents tist Convention

Ralph Wilson Dies

Funeral Is Held Sunday For Popular Young Man; L. A. Kelly Leaves For Durham

week by Rev. H. M. Stroup. He left City, Long Island, N. Y.

spending some time with her sister, harmonic society, which is under the Mrs. M. E. Johnson, who is ill. | leadership of Gene Porter Smith. Mrs. M. E. Johnson, who is ill. N. F. Phillips.

Hattie Burgess.

Mrs. John Ellison of Patterson's Grove is spending some time with position. Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Hardin. As dir Rev. E. J. Harbison and family of

R. Curtis last week. Miss Etholyne Leonard continues seriously ill at her home on Main

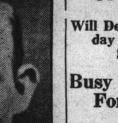
Miss Marie Caveness is spending this week with friends at Siler City. Mr. and Mrs. Bob White and family spent Sunday at Hawfield, attending "home-coming day", an an L. A. Kelly and family left last week for Durham where Mr. Kelly

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J. T. LYLES CALLED

J. T. Lyles, Jr., manager of Allen esides the Asheboro resident.

Class Day Speaker



DR. HOLLAND HOLTON

Asheboro Musician **Receives New Post**

H. Grady Miller, Popular Asheboro Citizen, Will Leave For New Post In Fall

Position Coveted

Has Been Director Of Music And Chorus At Chapel Hill For The Past Two Years

H. Grady Miller, well known Asheboro musician, has recently received an appointment that is in the form of a distinct promotion. The announcement of this promotion for Mr. Miller will be most pleasing to his many friends in his home town and county. Mr. Miller is the only son of the late Jesse Miller and Mrs. Miller. He has, for the past two years been instructor in music and director of the university Ramseur, May 19.—Ramseur and glee clubs at Chapel Hill.

Frankline III - Raptist churches are The new position is an appointment being represented at the Southern as supervisor of music and choral

attention. By this change Professor Miller goes to a national important

As director of the choral organizations, he has directed Handel's Mooresville visited Mr. and Mrs. N. Mrs. E. C. Williamson of Liberty was the week-end guest of Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Hubbard.

Mrs. Amanda Pierce, who has been suffering from a severe attack of (Please turn to page 8)

Rev. H. P. Powell Is Commencement Speaker At Farmer

Farmer, May 18.-A large audience was present Sunday morning at 11 o'clock to hear the commencement sermon delivered by Rev. H. P. Powel of Asheboro. After the scripture read-HOME SATURDAY MORN ing and prayer by Rev. L. A. Bennett, pastor of the local church, the choir rendered very effectively the anthem, Stores in Asheboro, was called to his "O, Thou, Whose Tender Mercy". Mr. home at Cheraw, S. C., Saturday Bennett then introduced Mr. Powell morning. Mr. Lyles' mother died sud- and his sermon was one of the finest denly Friday night from a heart at- ever delivered here on a similar octack. Funeral service was held at casion. He spoke most convincingly on Cheraw Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Lyles the thought that behind the instruis survived by her husband, J. T. ment used must be the power of a Lyles and several sons and daughters strong personality if we make our work effective.

Dr. Holton Known Leading Educator Of North Carolina

Will Deliver Address On Thurs-day Evening, May 21, At School Auditorium

Busy Week Planned For Graduating Class

Commencement Plans Set Forth In Full; List Of Members Of Senior Class

Asheboro high school is to be congratulated upon its choice of a commencement speaker, for in Dr. Holland Holton, head of the department of education of Duke University and director of the summer school at the same institution, it has secured the services of one of the outstanding educators in North Carolina. Dr. Holton will deliver an address as the feature of the closing ceremonies of the high school on Thursday evening, May 21, at 8 o'clock. Also occupying In New York State prominent places on the program will be the graduating exercises and presentation of diplomas to the 45 graduates. In addition there will be various scholastic and achievement awards.

Members of the graduating class will indeed have a busy week. Tonight at 8 o'clock the music pupils of Mrs. Murray Field will give a recital. The following evening, Wednesday, at 8 o'clock, the class day exercises will

take place.

The baccalaureate sermon was delivered Sunday in the school auditorium by Rev. H. A. Parker, pastor of the Asheboro Friends church. Invocation was by Dr. C. G. Smith, scripture reading by Rev. H. P. Powell, and benediction by Dr. S. W. Taylor. The Hawthorne Girls' Chorus sang "Awake, Arise" as a special

The following comprise the graduating class of 1936 at the Asheboro high school: Marjorie Ella Brittain, Bertha Mae Brown, Annie Ruth Cheek, Agnes Moore Cox, Catherine Adeline Cro-Baptist Convention at St. Louis this director in the schools of Garden well, Mattie Lewis Green, Cornelis Hunt Hedrick, Dorothy Evelyn Henlast week in company with other An important part of Professor ley, Elizabeth Arnold Kearns, Ruth ministers of this section and will re- Miller's new duties will be the organi- McDaniels, Wilma Mae Miller, Juanita zation of a choral group in conjunc- Grey Morgan, Margaret Pierce, Mrs. J. A. Marsh of High Point is tion with the Nassau County Phil-Catherine Lee Phillips, Cleo Pugh, pending some time with her sister, harmonic society, which is under the Helen Janette Rush, Mary Isabelle rs. M. E. Johnson, who is ill.

Miss Blanche Marsh of Liberty The offer comes in recognition of Grace Stout, Alice Mae Smith, Mary pent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Professor Miller's signal success in Virginia Smith, Helen Mae Styers, the development of the music in the Mildred Anne Tillman, Eugenia Tysor, Mrs. Ernest Eulass of Liberty spent Greensboro schools and his work in Hazel Underwood, Cleta Lee Williams, last week with her sister, Miss choral music, which has attracted wide Frances Earlene Wood, Samuel Jackson Burrow, Jr., William W. Bulla, R. Alton Cox, Joseph Albert Cox, Jim Henry Crutchfield, Sherman Jerome Craven, Herbert Spurgeon Edwards, Jr., Wayne C. Freeman, Emmitt Frederic Glass, Gordon Byrd Hall, George Daniel Hughes, James K. Lowdermilk, Carl Frederick Phillips, Hal Dixon Steed, Clarence Ray Thomas, H. Aubrey Underwood, Lee M. Kearns, Jr., Gustavus William

Neighborhood News Of Current Week Records Visiting

Temperance Meeting Planned For Fourth Sunday In May; C. F. Lambert Dies

Sophia, May 18.—Rain is badly needed in this section and gardens are a complete failure due to drought. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ridge and family were visitors at N. E. Davis'

Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Eliza Edwards and daughter, Miss Cora, visited Mrs. W. S. Skeen

at Asheboro recently. Funeral service for C. F. Lambert of High Point was held at Marlboro Friends church Wednesday. Burial followed in the local cemetery.

Mrs. Hal Farlow returned Saturday after teaching a very successful school at Caraway the past winter.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Auman and son, Aaron, of near Trinity visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Auman Friday. Rev. E. B. Harris preached an able sermon at Marlboro Sunday.

Saturday, May 22, 23 North Carolina Burial Ass'n In Two-Day Session Asheboro **Pugh's Funeral Home Chapel**

There will be nine pupils graduated at the commencement exercises Friday evening, May 22, at 8 c'elock. The whole school will participate in the program, which includes "A Farty in Mother Goose Land", by the first and songs by the third and fourth grades; and "Ye Old Field Day of Long Ago" by the first hand a seventh grades; No admission will be charged.

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