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## Schools Closing In Asheboro With Several Programs

or. S. W. Taylor Will Preach Baccalaureate Sermon To Graduates On Sunday

### Pageant On Monday

Superintendent Of Schools Will Deliver Commencement Address

Clyde Erwin, state superintenent of education will be the prinpal speaker at the Asheboro chools commencement exercises the high school auditorium Tues-

The address of welcome will be ven by Miss Fernko Johnson, utatorian of the 1937 senior ass and the farewell will be given Miss Betty Prevette, valedic-Fifty-three seniors will be pre-

nted with diplomas and several ill receive special awards. Music ill be furnished by Mrs. Murray ield's pupils. The commencement week will

ficially open Friday evening when s. Field's music students will ve a recital in the school audi-

The commencement sermon will delivered by Dr. S. W. Taylor nday evening at 8 o'clock in the gool auditorium. Music for the ening will be furnished by a oir composed of members from rents and friends of the seniors d the public is cordially invited attend. The middle aisle, front, ill be reserved for members of senior class who will wear their s and gowns for the first official

Monday evening the graduation ss will present an educational "Out of the Past" under ection of Miss Massa Lambert d Mrs. Murray Field.

Wednesday will be the final day school when report cards will be ued to the students.

### rs. Roy Reaves & Hallie Reaves Hurt

ly injured this morning car in which she was riding lided with a truck. The details the accident are not known deitely but the accident occurred ut 10:00 o'clock eight miles uth of Greensboro on the Ashepro-Greensboro highway. Mrs. Reaves suffered two broken

and several cuts and bruises. is understood that her injuries the tax claim hearing in New more painful than serious. York. Uncle Sam claims they owe allie Reaves, brother-in-law of rs. Reaves, the other occupant of car, escaped with a few cuts, pecially about his face and head. Graduation Plans The car is said to be badly damed and it is considered quite fornate that Mrs. Reaves and Mr. aves are not more seriously

### **News Flashes** · from -Everywhere

Chain Store Tax Raleigh .- North Carolina's chain ing station tax, under which 00,000 was paid under protest by companies during the past mium, was upheld by the Unit-States circuit court of appeals Baltimore, Md., Harry McMulassistant attorney general,

School Buses Raleigh.—Four hundred school chassis and composite bodies re bought by the state yesterfor \$387,305.

Crop Insurance Washington.-The crop insure plan, which was to have been will be a small admission fee. ied next year to wheat, may dropped by the house leaders as esult of the economy wave tured by a playet "The Fortune eeping congress. The president, wever, continues to urge its sage.

Bishop To Preside Vinston-Salem.—Bishop Edwin Penick will preside at the 121st vention of the Protestant Epis-al diocese of North Carolina

e May 11-12. Attend Rehearsal school play, "The Henpecked the Sunset either Monday or Tuesto Westminster Abbey today preached by Rev. Mr. Weaver,

earse their part in the corona-

May 12. harleston, S. C .- Leo T. Crow- tion exercises will be held Tuesday chairman of the federal de-

### du Pont Raskob At Tax Hearing

000 losses in their income tax re-

turns, John J. Raskob, below, form-

er chairman of the Democratic Na-

chemicals magnate, are seen at

At Balfour School

Rev. John A. Clement To Give

Baccalaureate Sermon;

Comedy, Saturday

The baccalaureate sermon at the

Balfour school will be given Sun-

day afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by

the Rev. John A. Clement, presi-

ference of the Wesleyan Methodist

church. Cox and Hushing, evange-

listic singers, the choir of the Bap-

The graduation exercises will

take place Tuesday evening. Miss

and Miss Lucy Moffitt the vale-

dictorian. The commencement

speaker will be Dr. John H. Cook

dean of the school of education

Woman's college, University of

Saturday night at 8 o'clock the

pupils of the 5th, 6th and 7th

grades will present a three act

Monday evening at 8 o'clock the

Close Friday Eve

The commencement exercises of

pastor of the local Baptist church.

Class night exercises by the senior

evening, May 11. Dean P. E. Lind-

ley, of High Point college, will de-

class night exercises will be fea-

Staley School To

comedy "Bound to Marry". There

vocal

singers will ofurnish the

music

North Carolina.

\$1,500,000 in back taxes.



Impossible Legally

Congressman Weaver Will Discuss Matter With President Upon His Return

The North Carolina side of Great Smoky Mountains National park may not be opened this season due to the fact that the Tennessee acreage has not been purchased by the park service. Information to this effect was announced in Washington yesterday. The National Park service put its foot down on any attempt to open the great North State section until the entire park can be opened officially.

Col. James Roosevelt, White House secretary, notified members of the North Carolina delegation that President Roosevelt had been advised by the National Park service that "it is impossible under the law" to open the North Carolina side of the park with the project in its present status.

Immediately Representative Zebulon Weaver of the Eleventh district took the matter up with the Park service and plans to pursue further the course of opening the park when the president returns from his Gulf of Mexico fishing trip. A conference is contemplated between members of the North Carolina delegation and President Roosevelt on the chief executive's

### North Carolina To Receive Funds

Sixteen Applications Approv ed For State Schools To Eliminate Hazards

Attention of PWA workers has recently turned toward applications for PWA funds for construction of schools to help or eliminate varied conditions that are hazardous to the children. Sixteen such applications have been approved by Washment of planning stock deals for ington for North Carolina schools the purpose of showing \$27,000,-

The information was submitted to congress in compliance with a request by Senator Schwellenbach, Democrat of Washington, made as Pont, top, wealthy munitions and

> The 16 North Carolina applications totaled \$1,296,000. Six were to eliminate school fire hazards, seven to overcome health and panic hazards, and three to replace schools which burned down, creat-

county, \$29,200, and bring. Gates county, \$32,900.

Applications to eliminate health and panic hazards and the PWA G. P. Upton New allocations requested, follow: Wadent of the North Carolina Con- tauga county, \$12,600; Caldwell county, \$81,000; Cabarrus county, \$55,600; Rockingham county, \$61,tist church and the 6th grade Point, \$142,300, and Caswell county, \$120,000.

Applications to replace schools destroyed by fire and the PWA county, \$118,600, and Raleigh, \$35,-

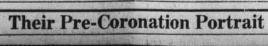
# Winfred Hughes

Young Winfred Hughes of Ashe boro, Star Route, is the lucky winner of The Courier News Tip Contickets to see "King of Gamble" showing at the Capitol Friday and Saturday. Winfred's tip concerned a very unusual happening and his interest in the contest proves once again that this newspaper is read

by young and old. The next period begins at once and ends at 6 p. m. Saturday. The winner for the next period will the Staley high school will get receive two tickets to see the seaunder way on Friday night, May 7, sons most delightful musical pic-with the presentation of the high ture "Swing High, Swing Low" at

Washington. - Secretary Hull issued new neutrality regulations yesterday requiring persons and class will be presented Monday organizations desiring to solicit MEMORIAL SERVICE evening, May 10. Senior gradua- funds for the relief of war sufferers in Spain to register with the

state department. The recently enacted neutrality It insurance corporation, urged ley, of High Point college, will de-kers today to save profits for next depression instead of pay-larger dividends on bank present the diplomas to the





Posing for their official coronation pictures, King George VI wears the elaborate uniform of the admiral of the fleet while Queen Elizabeth looks regal in a simply jeweled coronet and a multiple-strand necklace of pearls. For the coronation, however, they will don the vestments dictated by centuries of tradition.

### Cooking School Closing Today Was an Enormous Success

### **Noted Speakers** At Peace League

dist Protestant church tonight at 8

Applications to eliminate fire scheduled speakers. The organiza- and absorbed modern ideas. hazards and the PWA allocation tion is decidedly fortunate in ob- Many of the same women rerequested in each case, follow: taining these two noted men as turned the second and third time,

Votes: Has Served 7 Years As Mayor

election Tuesday in one of the and families at home. closest elections in the history of Especially interesting to see a

ticket for members of the board of busy on the farm, the women alderman were also elected one be- "caught a ride" with a neighbor ing Charles A. Lamb, named on who was coming to Asheboro in his test for the period ending this both tickets and Dr. A. B. Free- truck. The tiny baby who came afternoon and will receive two man and Jack Newlin who also had along with this party, slept through no opposition.

The names of the new board members and the ward results are there who had never attended a appended:

Ward No. 1 Thomas H. Swain, 268. M. C. Beck, 260.

Ward No. 2 C. A. Lamb, 342. W. F. Matthews, 262. Ward No. 3

J. W. Glenn, 256. O. M. Stout, 227. Ward No. 4 Dr. A. B. Freeman, 392. Jack Newlin, 388.

A memorial service will preach. The public is invited.

Women From Town And County Eager To Learn **New Methods** 

New London, Texas, consolidated that two interesting and well ery practical food preparation and line provisions?" ery, practical food preparation and known speakers have accepted in- household methods, closed Thursvitations to address the organiza- day morning at The Carolina tion and their guests in the Methotheatre after three mornings of successful programs. During the three mornings that the picture Dr. G. I. Humphries, High Point was shown, approximately a thouscollege president and Dr. Raymond and women of the town with a ing travel, overcrowding, and oth-Binford, president emeritus of great many from various sections Guilford college are the two of the county, enjoyed the picture

Bladesville, \$21,300; Burke county, guest speakers and the public is but there were also many new \$93,200; New Hanover county, urged to attend in order to take faces who came to learn new \$229,900; Leicester, \$65,700 advantage of the message they will tricks. Some interesting incidents occurred at the school. On each of the three mornings, there were several men-possibly from lunch rooms and cafes, but they appeared glad to receive their menu sheets Randleman Mayor as they left the theatre each time. There were smart young women who parked their golf clubs in 200; Kernansville, \$165,400; High A. N. Bulla, Defeated By 22 their cars and hurried in for the picture lesson. There were various groups of country women--smart too. Several of these had brought Randleman, May 6, (Special to produce to town, sold it and gone allocations requested, follow: The Courier).—A. N. Bulla, mayor down to see how to prepare modern Velma Bulla is the salutatorian Chowan county, \$31,500; Beaufort of this place was defeated for re- and better meals for their husbands

the town. G. P. Upton was carried group of women-seven-unload into office by a vote of 235 to 213, from a truck Wednesday morning. a majority of 22 votes. Mr. Bulla Two of the party had seen the pic-Wins Tip Tickets has served seven terms as mayor. ture Tuesday and had gone home The candidates on the Upton with news. Their husbands, being the show without a whimper.

There were several women movie before-did not approve but, after seeing the picture Tuesday, returned-and got one of the many attractive prizes donated by the local business firms and makers of national products used in the picture. One woman who has no one to cook for but herself, has already tried one of the recipes and visiting friends and relatives. They liked banana scallops tremendously. And on, and on.

Suffice it to say the school was a decided success, new as it wasbeing the second one to have been held in the state and one of the few first ever to be held entirely by a movie. The Courier speaks AT PATTERSON CHURCH for those cooperating in saying we are glad to have had you all, and wish more could have enjoyed and observed at Patterson church Sun- profited by the clever method of to free 2,000 Italian troops trapped prior to the stroke and about her

(Please turn to Page 3)

### **Old-Age Pension** System In Hands **Of Supreme Court**

May Dismiss Case Without Decision; Court Will Close In June

## **Questions Status**

Hughes Contends Public Interest Phase Is For Congress To Decide

The fate of the old-age pension system, which provides for taxation of wages to handle benefits for some 26,000,000 employes when they become 65, was in the hands of the United States Supreme Court today.

The justices took the question under consideration yesterday afternoon after listening to arguments by attorneys for George P. Davis, Boston, who contends the system is unconstitutional.

A decision may be announced May 17. Litigation involving Federal unemployment insurance law and supplementary state legislation may be decided at the same

Arguments on the old-age pension case were the last the court will hear this term. The justices will adjourn early in June for the A possibility that the tribunal

night dismiss the old-age pension case without deciding whether it is constitutional apparently arose from questions asked today by Justice Stone. He expressed doubt that the court has jurisdiction at pre-Stone pointed out that the gov-

ernment had contended in several cases that a taxpayer first should pay a levy and then sue for recov-Robert H. Jackson, assistant at-

torney general, and Edward F. Mc-Clennan, attorney for Davis, argued they had the right to waive the question of jurisdiction because of the importance of the case.

Arguments were concluded by Charles E. Wyzanski, Jr., special assistant to the attorney general, with an assertion that the legislation "gives to every man a vital stake in our present political and economic order."

After Jackson had argued that the pension system promotes the general welfare, and that the sections imposing the tax and providing the benefits are entirely separate, Chief Justice Hughes asked:

Motors finance chief, and Pierre du killed hundreds of students at the Pont, top, wealthy munitions and "The entire scheme (for paying meeting brought the recorded mem-

Jackson said that could be done. He argued that whether the legslation advances the general welfare is a "political question rather than a judicial question."

Hence, he added, it was up to congress and not the courts to decide whether the law is in the public interest.

He said there were 150 years of tradition against old age pensions by the federal government, but that now it "has become a question of national welfare."

## May Abandon Part Of Navy Program

Repairs To Lexington And Saratoga May Meet Economy Delay

The ranking minority member of the house naval committee said Bragg, stated Randolph county yesterday that a \$180,000,000 navy construction program would be abandoned, at least temporarily, in the interest of economy.

Representative Millard, Republican of New York, asserted a decision had been reached to recommend delay in construction of a number of auxiliary vessels as well have stated they will give the as proposed reconditioning of the necessary physicial examinations aircraft carriers Lexington and at no cost to the applicant. Saratoga.

The New Yorker said he hal Aces Air show to be given at the discussed the matter with Chair- airport Sunday afternoon at 3 man Vinson, Democrat of Georgia, o'clock. The post was assured that and added, "We're going to help no activities were planned until 3

the president balance the budget.' Vinson, however, was reluctant to discuss the question and said nothing had been decided.

### BRAULTS OFF FOR AUTO RACES TODAY

Mr. and Mrs. Jean Brault left today by motor for Indianapolis, Indiana for a stay of ten days will also visit in Bedford, Indiana and Louisville, Kentucky, returning to Asheboro late in the month. Mr. and Mrs. Jean Brault, Sr., of Bedford, Ind., mother of Jean and A. L. Brault of Asheboro will accompany them back here and will remain for a few weeks stay.

Bilbao, Spain.-Desperate but following the attack. She was in fruitless attempts of the insurgents her usual state of good health observed at Patterson church Sunday, May 9, at 11 o'clock. Junus Harden of Burlington will speak after which Rev. A. L. Lucas will preach. The public is invited.

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The profited by the clever method of to free 2,000 Italian troops trapped profit to the stoke and about the stoke and about the modern housekeeping. Several in the Bermeo sector northeast of usual duties when she was siezed. Her several daughters and sons spotlight in the battle for the capital of the Basque state.

The clever method of to free 2,000 Italian troops trapped profit to the stoke and about the ganization selected this day for the several daughters and sons spotlight in the battle for the capital of the Basque state. capital of the Basque state.

# Be Add at Liberty High School in 1938 |Education Board

Economies Courses To

Laughing Off The Years

Advancing years hold no terrors

for Justice Owen J. Roberts,

youngest member of the United

States Supreme Court. The smile

that wreathes his while, face tells

of his 62nd birthday hope to spend

many more years on the high

bench, no matter what congress

does in the way of limiting the

Asheboro Passes Previous

Records; Amateur Show

At Capitol May 21

Dixon Post 45, American Legion

this year has passed all member

ship records in the history of the

organization according to an an

nouncement made by Dr. B. M.

Weston, post adjutant Tuesday

night. Dr. Weston stated that two

new members received at May

adding to this number before the

state convention later in the sum-

The post plans to stage its final

amateur broadcast Friday night,

May 21, in the Capital theatre.

Participants will include winners

of previous shows as well as a large

number of talented people who

have not appeared previously.

There will be two shows, one a

the evening.

7:30 o'clock and one at 9 o'clock in

The program includes solos and

olored singers; tap and acrobatic

dancing and several string bands

from various sections of the coun

The funds will be used for ex

penses incurred in managing the

Junior baseball team and other

Henry Ingram, reporting for the

committee in charge of county en-

listments in the C. M. T. C. at Fort

has been granted 13 places this

to take advantage of the course.

Application blanks may be obtain-

ed from Mr. Ingram or Dr. Weston,

Several physicians in the county

The post endorsed the Flying

ed the meeting calling attention of

the activities of the 40 and 8 and

refreshments included W. T. Bur

PARALYTIC STROKE WED

Mrs. L. E. Cole, well known

Asheboro woman, suffered a stroke

of paralysis Wednesday morning

and is in a very grave condition

Frazier and A. E. Presnell.

MRS. L. E. COLE SUFFERS

o'clock in the afternoon.

necessary post expenses.

post adjutant.

meeting.

**Legion Post Here** 

ages of justices.

**Approves Requests** Central Falls School Asles

Heating Plant Close Two Schools

Many Repairs; May Add

**Board Considers Request For** Gymnasium At Farmer High School

The board of education of Randolph county at its regular monthy meeting this week decided to establish a home economics department at Liberty high school on a twelve months basis with funds derived from the state department known as the George B. Reed fund. It is understood the county is to pay one-half the salary of the George B. Reed teacher.

The board also decided to allow Franklinville a home economics department to be taught by one of the school teachers allotted by the state department. The county is to participate in furnishing the necessary equipment.

A request by parties interested in Central Falls school to make repairs at the school building was received. The board decided to take the matter under consideration when the county supplementary budget is made and if possible provide funds to supply running water and a heating plant there. The 1equest filed with the board includes recommendations for brick veneer to the building, an auditorium, heating plant and water supply.

Has 85 Members A request of residents of Trinity township that vocational agriculture course be added there was discussed by the board. Any definite decision was postponed until definite information can be obtained relative to the availability of funds for this suggested department.

To Close School On account of the low average attendance at Union Grove one teacher school in Grant township, and after discussing the advisability with the committee of consolidating this school, it was decid-

ed to abolish it and that it be trans-

a communication written by Effic R. McCoy, Jeans supervisor for the negre schools which included many requests for additional appropriations for the next school year. The supervisor gave a review of the activities among the negro schools. The request will be considered when the board pre-

It was decided that St. Peter one-teacher negro school in Level Cross township should be moved to Randleman as a bus now operates in that vicinity carrying high quartet numbers by white and school pupils to Asheboro, thereby doing away with one teacher for another year.

nares the new budget.

School committeemen and patrons of Farmer high school district requested funds to erect a gymnasium on the school grounds. The matter will be taken up when the board prepares its supplementary budget for the next school year.

Approve Land Purchase The board approved the purchase of additional land at New Market summer. He urged all members to school from Thomas Farlow for interest and encourage young men \$350. The board's attorney was authorized to draw a deed and complete the transaction. Purchase of land at Gray's Chapel from W. M. Gates was also approved.

The county superintendent was authorized to pay for any additional land purchased by the board of education out of funds derived from the sale of old school property and to be shown as expenditure on the 1937-38 supplementary budget.

The following were appointed committees: Banks L. Teague for no activities were planned until 3 Staley school; Fred Bingham for Farmer school, and J. R. Dougan John Stephenson, 12th district chairman, Southern Pines, address-

for Tabernacle. The board members present were L. F. Ross, chairman, J. A. Martin, urging members to join. Several D. J. Boyles, Charles L. Kennedy applications were received at the and A. F. Cox.

### The committee in charge of the Carnation Sale By **Mothers Saturday** row, Dr. J. C. Crutchfield, L. C.

The Randolph chapter of the American War Mothers will conduct the annual carnation sale in Asheboro Saturday for the benefit of disabled War Mothers and veterans. Mrs. L. C. Phillips, president urged the support of residents in the sale.

Since the sale is conducted day before Mother's Day it is considered appropriate that the or-