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HENRIETTA NEWS OF INTEREST

Mrs. R. H. Henson Died Saturday-Smith-Harmon Nuptials-Other Items Of Interest.

Henrietta, Feb. 24.-Mrs. R. H. Henson died at the Rutherford hospital Saturday night after about a month's illness. She was taken to * You will do well to hear him. the hospital Sunday, Feb. 15th and everything was done for her that * at 11:00 a. m., on "God's Com- * friends and neighbors could do to re- * fort for a Troubled World." store her to health, but all in vain.

She leaves a husband, five daughters and two sons, Mrs. Clyde Lowry, Misses Allie, Jessie Mae, Eunice and AVONDALE HOME ECONOMICS Henson. Her father and mother and three brothers and three sisters also

She was laid to rest in the Holly Springs cemetery Sunday afternoon. Rev. Tom Harris was in charge of the service.

She was thirty-nine years old.

She was a kind, loving mother; a friend to all, and always had a smile for everyone. A large crowd attended the funeral service. The grave was covered with beautiful flowers, showing the esteem and respect in which her friends held her.

Mrs. C. B. Wiseman was called to North Wilkesboro Friday, on account of the illness of her father, Mr. Wray.

Springs, spent Sunday with Miss Vena Camp.

Miss Mary Ella Clegg spent the week-end in Shelby.

Sunday afternoon.

Spencer, N. C. He will be succeeded here by Dr. J. F. Sherard.

Miss Broma Layne, of Gramlin, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Layne, Miss Minnie Lee Fagan visited in Campobello, S. C., Sunday.

Miss Grace Harmon and Mr. Walter Smith were quietly married in Spartanburg Monday afternoon, Feb. 23. They left shortly afterward for Georgia, where they will spend their honeymoon.

Mrs. Smith is the talented young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Harmon, of Gaffney, S. C. Mr. Smith is the son of Mr. Will Smith, asst. manager of the Henrietta Mills, store

Mr. and Mrs. Smith are both connected with the Henrietta store.

POWER TURNED ON IN RURAL SECTIONS

people were both delighted and well- and Weldon Harris. lighted when the power was turned which has been erected by the Southern Power company for the purpose and John Elliott. of furnishing lights for Boiling Springs, Mooresboro, Lattimore, Ellenboro and adjoining communities. All those who have not already wired their houses are making a rush on the electricians in order to get the Converse, S. C., visiting friends. benefit of this necessary luxury.

This step not only means the bringing of power to the small towns in the county, but the movement has spread until if present plans are carried out the rural sections will have a network of electric lines running through them. It will also mean industrial development in these smaller towns in the near future.

The 15-thousand dollar central heating plant which is being erected at the high school here is practically completed. It is heating satisfactorily the three buildings attached to it and will eventually heat five.

SPLENDID LECTURE AT RUTHERFORDTON

The noted lecturer, Mrs. Horton Williams Clegg, is coming to Rutherfordton on Friday, Feb. 27th. She will give her humorous entertaining first to look for No. 2 as soon as she and inspiring lecture, "Book Agent Friday," at the Methodist church at 7:30 p. m. An admission charge of 25 and 50c will be charged. If you have not heard "Book Agent Friday," you have something to look to be appointed a deputy attorney forward to.

KHANSAMAN AT SPINDALE SUNDAY

Khansaman (Albert Osborne) of Bhupalpatran, India,, will * speak in native costume at the * Spindale Methodist church Sun- * day night, March 1st, at 7:30 o'clock. Dr. Osborne's subject * will be "Jesus Christ in the * Modern World." He is a na- * * tive of India, born of mission-* ary parents, and a graduate of Oxford University, England. Rev. O. L. Simpson will speak *

Last Saturday night the Avondale Home Economics Club sponsored a community party which was held in the community hall.

A program consisting of music, stunts and group games had been planned. Several selections furnished by the Avondale band, two songs by the Avondale teachers, songs by a group of high school girls and selections by a men's quartet helped to make the evening very enjoyable. A large number of men and women were present and every one entered heartily into the spirit of jollity and good fellowship which pervaded the

This party is just one manifestation of the interest that the Avondale Home Economics Club takes in Mr. Guy Scruggs, of Boiling the life of the community. At the present time these women are undertaking the project of furnishing the cottage which is used for their meeting place. The ultimate aim is that A large crowd attended the sing- this cottage may be furnished siming convention at the Baptist church ply and tastefully as a real home, in order that the furnished cottage Dr. Kerr left Sunday morning to may be an inspiration and example assume his new duties as druggist in to every woman in Avondale who vishes and strives to make her home attractive and livable.

The activities of this club are directed by Miss Murriel Barnes, one of the Home Economics teachers employed by the Cliffside school and membership in this group is open to every woman in Avondale who wishes to study home making problems.

BOSTIC R-3 NEWS

Bostic, R-3, Feb. 25.-Mrs. Delia Thompson, assisted by her sister, a number of friends Monday night in honor of her niece, Miss Edith Faulkner. Several interesting games were played. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening. Those enjoying Mrs. Thompson's hospitality were Misses Edith Faulkner, of Converse, S. C.; Gladys Harris, Esther Bailey, Minnie Elliott, Bertie Lee Kendrick; Messrs Lester Bailey, Farrice Bailey, David Hoyle Kend-Boiling Springs, Feb. 19 .- The rick, Worth Elliott, Colmen Harris,

Visiting at the home of Mrs. B. B. on at the substation at Mooresboro, Smart Sunday were Mrs. Elliott, Miss Minnie Elliott and Mr. Worth

> Miss Bertie Lee Kendrick spent Saturday night with Misses Ethel and Elizabeth Daves.

> Mrs. Delia Thompson and little son, R. E., spent the week-end at

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Kendrick spent Saturday night with their daughter

at Alexander. Mrs. Delia Thompson, Miss Edith Faulkner; Messrs Ed Faulkner and E. Daves spent Monday in Shelby.

Mrs. Dick Carson spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. D. H. Kendrick. Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Jenkins visited the home of Mr. E. Daves Tues-

day afternoon. Mrs. W. C. Harris spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. E. Daves.

Mrs. Hulda Huntsinger is improving some after being very ill for some time.

Misses Esther and Wilma Bailey spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Bertie Lee Kendrick.

Quite So. A married woman who says she wishes she were single again is the becomes a widow.

Woman Deputy Attorney General. Mrs. Jennette Brill, a practicing lawyer of Broklyn, is the first woman general of the state of New York.

WASHINGTON SUPPER DR. ABERNETHY TO AT THE KIWANIS CLUB

Increased Attendance and a Splendid Supper-Good Program and Many Visitors.

The good ladies who serve the Kiwanis Club suppers gave the members a treat Monday night when they the Older Boys' Conference in Ruthserved a "Washington Supper" that erfordton March 13, 14 and 15. The was in keeping with their efforts to conference is for boys fourteen years please. The Washington idea was old and over. The preliminary an-* carried out in detail and the occas- nouncement has aroused a great deal * ion was much enjoyed.

present, among them being noted B. L. Smith, secretary of the general Ruby Henson and Festus and Kelly CLUB GIVES COMMUNITY PARTY Mrs. J. M. Edwards, Mrs. J. H. Thomas, Miss Juanita Minish, Miss Ruth Moore, Mrs. R. W. Minish, Mrs. Kate Mullican and Mrs. W. H. Hall.

> A letter from Mr. Chas. Moore manager of the Cliffside Theatre, was read, in which he invited a delegation from the Club to see a private Monday, March 2. Dr. W .A. Ayers time the conference will get in full said in introducing the subject, that swing. Based on conservative calcuthe only way to put down bad things lations, the attendance at the banis to put in good ones. Those appointed by the club to attend were Isothermal has ever provided for. J. W. Dalton, W. L. Brown, Prof. Lee, Prof. Finch and J. M. Edwards. and wife and the ministers.

R. R. Blanton. Short talks were Grady Leonard of Hickory. made by Messrs. J. W. Dalton, Prof. Lee and J. M. Edwards.

The attendance prize went to Mr. G. C. McDaniel, after a spirited drawing contest with Messrs. C. C. Blanton and Paul Moore. The lady visitors acted as judges.

Next Monday night has been designated "Educational Night."

REAL ESTATE SALES BY

Blanton and Greene, real estate agents of Mooresboro announce the following sales for last week: T. A. M. Bridges, 49 acre tract near Cliffside to W. J. Ramsey for \$2,700. The W. F. Daves five room bungalow and 7 lots at Alexander to J. W. Rhymer near Cliffside for \$3,000. Alexander Motor Company in Alexander to J. W. Rhymer, of near Cliffside, consideration \$1,500. J. W. Rhymer Ethel, was the delightful hostess to 20 acres to W. F. Daves of Mooresboro, consideration \$5,000. J. P. Smith house and four acre lot in Cliffside to John M. Whisnant, consideration \$1,700.

a good assortment.

FOUR PAGES

Page 1—Twelve Southern

States

This is a true Map of Dixie showing the twelve SOUTHERN

States completely. It shows the Automobile roads, the best roads

being indicated by a heavy red

line, the second class roads by a

lighter red line and the third class

roads by a still lighter red line.

rulers, etc.

Getting Ready For Rutherford County's Greatest Event-Older Boys' Conference March 13-15.

Dr. J. E. Abernethy of Charlotte will deliver the opening address at of interest on the part of boys in all Quite a number of visitors were sections of the county, according to committee promoting the conference.

While the program has not been announced in detail, S. E. Elmore, president of the committee, stated that there will be an organization meeting of all delegates to the conference Friday afternoon, March 13, probably in the school auditorium. screening of his latest big picture, Friday night the big banquet will be "Abraham Lincoln," on the night of held at the Isothermal hotel, at which quet will probably be the largest the

The following speakers have been secured: Harry Price, Davidson Col-Among others from here who were lege senior and holder of the North invited by Mr. Moore are the editor Carolina tennis singles championship; Dr. R. L. Lemons of Shelby; Dr. C. The program was in charge of Mr. M. Richards of Davidson; and Mr.

> The general committee will meet at Forest City Kiwanis Club quarters, Friday night, February 27, at 7:30

RUN OVER BY CAR

Mr. Ike Frady, of Green Hill, was jured, Monday afternoon, when he site next to the new ten cent store, since. Efforts to locate him have Mr. Frady, with a friend from Green erect a fine business house at an a flax seed that was placed in the BLANTON AND GREENE Hill, had parked facing the Spindale Hardware Co., building and were leaving the car. As he stepped into the road a truck, driven by a negro, Clyde Miller, of Rutherfordton, driver for McFarland Bros., hit him, fracturing his skull. He was rushed to the hospital. Latest reports indicate little change in his condition.

> It appears that the accident was unavoidable.

INCOME TAX ASSISTANT **COMING MARCH 9-10TH**

A letter received Monday from Mr. R. B. Boger, Deputy Commissioner of Revenue, Morganton, N. C., states rate for the opening of this fine subthat he will be in Forest City on March 9th and 10th, for the purpose Come to Bostic Mercantile Com- of assisting the taxpayers in preparpany Wednesday, March 4th, for ing their state income tax returns. Spindale Gingham Bundles. We have Mr. Boger will gladly give assistance free to any one who desires it.

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BUILDING RESIDENCE

Mr. Q. A. Collins is having a new nine-room residence erected on that he had a friend, Dr. Butler, who Young street. He expects to have it was an eye specialist and could cure completed at an early date and will him and that he would be along a

ton, of Lockhart, S. C., will soon han's eyes one time and stated that move to Forest City. He will also the price was from \$6 to \$7 per build and make his home here. He treatment and that he would be back is an experienced electrician and soon. He assured the Confederate plumber and a graduate of Clemson veteran that his eyes would soon be College, S. C.

BUSINESS DEALS

Mr. C. S. Hemphill has purchased the storeroom occupied by Watkin's grocery, from J. D. Ledbetter. Mr. Hemphill has also announced that he a much needed rest.

Mr. Geo. Jones has recently purchased the Smith storeroom on Depot street, and also several cottages in that neighborhood.

has purchased the storeroom he has ed to see some friends at Rutherfordbeen occupying on Depot street from ton and get dinner at the Isothermal, the Biggerstaff estate.

was hit by a Ford truck at Spindale. on East Main street, where they will failed so far. Physicians think it was early date.

> Mr. C. E. Alcock last week purchased a nice residence lot on Arlington street from Mr. C. C. Blanton.

The Cyclone Auction Co., has secured the fine Lynch property on West Main street, which will be developed at an early date. The Company will sell the Bud Simmons farm, near Harris, next Saturday.

One of the largest and best developments now under consideration is that of the property of Mr. J. A. Wilkie, between the city schools and his residence on Caroleen road. Preparations are going forward at a rapid division. This is most desirable property and when placed upon the market will sell rapidly.

COMMISSIONERS' TERM TWO YEARS: DRIVERS' LICENSE

Two Bills Will Likely Be Enacted Affecting Rutherford County.

tative citizens, held at the school Mr. D. F. Scruggs and little son, house in Forest City, Saturday night, Allieu; Bertha Whiteside, Bryan the question of raising funds for county roads and the terms of county commissioners were discussed at Saturday, accompanied by her father. length. Senator Roach and Representative Moss were both present to get the views of their constituents Dodge ball. Mr. Hampton and Miss on these important matters.

After thorough discussion, it was finally decided that the County Commissioners' term be placed at two years, as it was agreed that a majority of voters favored a change to the two-year term.

On Monday, the County Commissioners sent the following telegram to Senator Roach and Representative Moss:

"There seems to be quite a sentiment against the six-year term of office of the county commissioners, and we are anxious to meet the wishes of the people and urge you to pass the bill to reduce the term to two

This bill, having already passed the House, will likely be enacted into law by approval in the Senate.

Relief for the county's road sys- in the county.

FOREST CITY MAN IS VICTIN

of the greatest subscription of * Dr. L. J. Miller, Charlotte Or tometrist, Charged With Conspiracy and Practicing Without License.

Quite a sensation was create

* here last week when a man posin as Dr. L. J. Miller of Charlotte, or The Courier and take advantage * tometrist, was arrested for conspir * acy to defraud, peddling and prac * ticing without license. Some fer * days previous Miller came to Fores City and happened to meet up wit Mr. R. A. Callahan, well known citi zen and Confederate veteran. Mr Callahan has been troubled with his eyes for some time. Miller stated few days later. The said Dr. Butler His son-in-law, Mr. C. C. Thorn- came in due time, treated Mr. Callaall right. He stated that his price was \$675 as he put radium in his eyes. Mr. Callahan was unable to pay the price but went to the Building and Loan secretary for it, where he had his savings. The secretary could not pay him for a few days. Mr. Callahan consulted a physician will sell his stock of goods and take and lawyer about the big fee for treating his eyes and asked for advice. They urged him to arrest the said Dr. Miller or Dr. Butler. The said Dr. Miller showed up for his fee and was arrested. He gave a \$100 cash bond for his appearance in Re-Mr. P. N. Long, popular grocer, corder's Court, stating that he wantas the trial was at 2 p. m. and the Messrs. C. C. Blanton and John warrant served about 11 a. m. Miller ran over and possibly seriously in- Pool have purchased a nice building has not been seen or heard from eyes of Mr. Callahan.

Mooresboro, R-1, Feb. 24.-Miss Sadie Whiteside who has been the efficient teacher at Ferry school, for three years, was married Friday night, at Spartanburg to Mr. Ralph Beason, of Mooresboro, R-1.

Mr. Beason is from a well known family. The son of Mr. Robert Bea-

Mrs. Beason is the attractive daughter of Mr. J. D. Whiteside, of Rutherfordton, R-1. She is a graduate of Union Mills

High school. She has received quite a number of congratulations from a host of friends. May these two who are fulfilling

God's greatest commandment establish a home built on the cornerstone of love. May their home be free from the common preplexities of our modern homes. The following have visited the bride and groom of Ferry to wish them prosperity and happiness: Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bridges, of Rutherfordton; Miss Carrie Beason, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Scruggs. The bride's family came Sunday to express congratulations. The following took dinner with the Beason family Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. J. D. White-At a mass meeting of represen- side, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Scruggs, Whiteside.

Miss Byrd motored to Great Falls Ferry school played the Floyd's Creek boys Friday in a game of Byrd supervised the game. The Ferry team won 17 to 6 minutes.

Making of Ica.

The largest item of expense in the artificial ice industry is neither labor nor raw materials, as in most other manufactures, as the material, being water, costs little, and the machinery does the work. The big item of expense is coal, with which to product the heat to expand the steam and run the compressor ice machine

India Leads in Oil Seeds.

With a production in normal years in excess of 5,000,000 tons, India raises more kinds of oil seeds than any other country.

tem will come through a bill we be passed, which, among other will place a tax on drivers o