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OBJECTIVES TO BE OUTLINED BY COUNTY CLUB

Will Formulate Program of Work for Year at Meeting to be Held Friday.

The January meeting of The Rutherford County Club will be held in the hall over the Caroleen Store, at Caroleen, on Friday at one o'clock. The Woman's Missionary Society, of the Methodist church, of Caroleen, under direction of Mrs. L. B. Harrill will serve the luncheon.

Each member is requested to come prepared to suggest objectives as to the work of the Club for 1930. Mr. Z. O. Jenkins will speak briefly on some suggested objectives which the Club should work toward. It is expected that some of the bank officials of the county will be present and discuss the financial outlook for 1930. Each member of the Club will be given an opportunity to suggest any ideas, plans or changes that he may desire.

LOSES LIFE WHILE DRIVING NEW CAR

Funeral Service Held For A. I. Vallotton Friday at Tryon.

Rutherfordton, Jan. 13.—Learning to drive a car cost the life of Alexander I. Vallotton, 47, who lived near the Rutherford-Polk line at St. Thomas Mission in Polk County. Thursday Mr. Vallotton was in Rutherfordton, purchased his first car, and was learning to drive while near Taylor's Store close to Mill Springs. He saw a car approaching and turned his car, going over an embankment. The steering wheel crushed him. This was at 5:45 o'clock in the afternoon and he died Friday morning at 5:45 o'clock at a home nearby. His condition was such that he could not be carried home or to a hospital. A boy was with him but escaped injury. Mr. Vallotton was buried Friday afternoon at Holy Cross Episcopal church, Tryon, with the rector, the Rev. C. P. Burnett, in charge. He has been living in this section since 1906. He came here from New York State and leaves a wife. He was a member of St. Francis Episcopal church, of this place, and formerly lived here. He was of Swiss descent.

MRS. JANE HAMRICK PNEUMONIA VICTIM

Passes at Age of Seventy-One at Home of Daughter at Henrietta Last Saturday.

Henrietta, Jan. 13.—Mrs. Jane Hamrick, aged 71 years, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Kansas West here Saturday. She had been about eight days with pneumonia which proved fatal to her.

Funeral services were held at Sharon Baptist church, near Shelby, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Z. D. Harrill, of Ellenboro, Rev. Mr. Padgett, of Shelby and Dr. Whitley, of Gastonia, were in charge of the service. Interment was in the Sharon cemetery.

Mrs. Hamrick, who was twice married, is survived by her daughter, Mrs. West, two sons, O. G. Morehead, of Gastonia, L. E. Moorehead, of Shelby; one brother, S. M. Holland, of Shelby; four sisters, Mrs. T. O. Lee and Mrs. John Moore, of Boiling Springs, Mrs. Sarah Haynes, Cliffside and Mrs. W. N. Hamrick, of Shelby.

Pallbearers were Messrs. R. L. Huskey, J. L. Reinhardt, H. McKelire, H. P. Higgins, A. O. Ammons and C. L. Jolley. Honorary pallbearers were Messrs. L. P. Hamrick, N. J. James, J. W. Willbanks, J. L. Hamrick, Fred Rollins and Jess Neal.

Flower girls were Misses Rose-

Polk-Rutherford C. E. U. To Meet

Rutherfordton, Jan. 13.—The Rutherford-Polk counties Christian Endeavor societies will hold their regular quarterly meeting at Rutherfordton, Friday evening, January 24. A pageant "The Old Ship of Zion" will be given at that meeting. A fellowship supper will be served to members of the various unions of the two counties and visitors at five o'clock. The pageant will take place after the supper.

TWO KILLED BY C. C. & O. TRAIN AT HARRIS SUNDAY

Henry Jenkins and Six Year-Old Son Killed When Car Is Hit By Time Freight.

Harris, Jan. 14.—A father and his six-year-old son were killed at noon Sunday when a freight train hit the car in which they were returning from the postoffice near Harris. Henry L. Jenkins, 36, prominent farmer, and his boy, Lynn, were the victims of the crash which demolished the automobile.

Father and son are said to have been laughing over the Sunday comic papers and to have disregarded the approaching train.

Mr. Jenkins' neck was broken when the sedan was struck and dragged 50 feet or more down the tracks of the Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio railroad by the northbound "time" freight train. He died instantly. The little boy died soon after he was taken to the Rutherford hospital.

Six or more persons witnessed the tragedy that wiped out two of a family of three. They said that the track was clear for a number of feet in each direction. Officials of the railroad asked Sunday that a coroner's inquest be held, but no such hearing has been held. Six or more persons were eye-witnesses to the tragedy.

Mr. Jenkins leaves a widow, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jenkins, four brothers, Roy Jenkins of Florida; Mack Jenkins of Forest City; Fred and DeWitt of Harris; and two sisters, Mrs. Earl Miller and Mrs. Otto Hopper, who lived near Harris.

Mr. Jenkins was a devoted member of Holly Springs Baptist church and was a prominent citizen of the county.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at two o'clock at Holly Springs Baptist church, of which Mr. Jenkins was a member. Rev. D. J. Hunt, the pastor, had charge of the service. Interment followed in the Holly Springs cemetery.

Mary and Nell Morehead, Mary Lou West, Zelma Hicks, Ethel Hall, Sarah Clarke and Ruth Hamrick, Mesdames L. P. Hamrick, C. W. Willbanks, Jess Neal.

A special feature of the funeral was the music by Messrs. Will and Ed Huskey, of Avondale. Mrs. Hamrick was a member of Bethel Baptist church, at Ellenboro.



De fust Piggly Wiggly wuz born fightin' fer fair prices. en take it fum me, chile, de little Piggly Wiggles ain't nevu went back on dey raisin'.

KIWANIS CLUB COMMITTEES ARE ANNOUNCED

New President, Howard Doggett, Announces Committees for 1930—New Officials Take Office.

At the meeting of the Kiwanis Club Monday evening, January 6, the new officers recently elected took office. The incoming president, Howard Doggett, announced the committees for 1930 as follows:

1930 Kiwanis Committees.
Agriculture:—D. H. Sutton, Chairman; J. W. Matheny, Terry Moore.
Attendance:—A. M. McKeithan, Chairman; R. C. Alexander, M. H. Hewitt.

Business Standards:—T. R. Padgett, Chairman; J. R. Moore, R. R. Blanton.

Classification and Membership:—Chas. Z. Flack, Chairman; Bryan Harrill, John Dalton.

Goodwill and Grievance:—B. T. Jones, Chairman; J. M. Shuford, T. T. Long.

House:—J. W. Eaks, Chairman; Marshall Giles, John Dalton.

Reception:—J. T. Harris, Chairman; W. S. Moss, F. I. Barber, M. H. Hewitt.

Inter-Club Relations:—Charles Erwin, Chairman; Francis Little, B. T. Jones.

Education:—Marshall Giles, Chairman; J. T. Harris, Chas. Z. Flack. Laws and Regulations:—R. R. Blanton, Chairman; Clarence Hughes, T. T. Long.

Music:—Dr. R. R. Howes, Chairman; R. C. Alexander, Clarence Hughes.

Program:—F. I. Barber, Chairman; Dr. R. R. Howes, Dr. A. C. Duncan.

Public Affairs:—John Dalton, Chairman; Chas. Z. Flack, C. E. Alcock, J. M. Shuford, Bryan Harrill.

Publicity:—C. E. Alcock, Chairman; D. H. Sutton, Charles Erwin.

Underprivileged Child:—Dr. A. C. Duncan, Chairman; J. W. Eaks, R. L. Rheinhardt.

PASTEURIZING PLANT DISCUSSED BY DAIRYMEN

Meeting At Oakland Well Attended by Farmers and Dairymen—To Inspect Shelby Plant.

The dairy farmers who supply milk to the towns of Rutherfordton, Spindale, Forest City and Alexander, gathered at Oakland school last Wednesday night to discuss whether or not it would be practical to install a pasteurizing plant for all the above named towns.

The meeting was called by Mr. M. L. Treadwell, Agricultural teacher, at the Central High school. Mr. O. J. Holler, Manager of the Rutherford County Farmers Federation, and Mr. D. H. Sutton, Agricultural teacher, at Cool Springs High school were invited to take a part in the discussion. A majority of the dairymen were present, and seemed to be very much impressed with the movement. Many times they took the lead in discussion of the project, and offered many helpful suggestions.

Mr. Holler told the farmers that the Federation was ready to help and finance this proposition if they would organize themselves, and do all they could themselves.

At the close of the meeting, a committee was appointed to go to Shelby, to investigate the plant there, also to visit some of the farmers, which furnish milk to this plant. Thus they hope to determine whether or not a plant is likely to be a success here. This committee will journey to Shelby Saturday the 18th. They will report their findings at a meeting on the 22nd, at Oakland school at 7:00 p. m.

Mr. J. L. McClure, president of the Farmers Federation, and several other influential men have been invited to be present. Mr. McClure will probably have a definite proposition to make the farmers at that time.

Twenty-Five Students in City's First Mid-Term Graduating Class

Double Promotion System Enables School to Graduate Two Classes Each School Year. Large Number Students to Graduate From Grammar School Jan. 17.

Business Good-- Or Bad--Which?

Chief of police, Chas. R. Price is puzzled. He doesn't know whether to say business is good or business is dull. On last Saturday night for the first time in many weeks not a single arrest was made by the police department. According to Chief Price right after the holidays the policeman's business is always dull, or would you say good? Anyway, whether you would call it dull times or good times, the police do not have much to do for everyone is on their good behavior.

All joking aside, it is hoped by the police department that this good record can be maintained and that people will continue to stay on their good behavior.

SUPERIOR COURT CONVENES FEB. 3

Juror List February Term Superior Court for Trial of Civil Cases is Drawn.

Rutherfordton, Jan. 13.—The February term of superior court for trial of civil cases will convene here Monday, February 3. The judge to preside at this term of court has not yet been designated. The following men have been drawn to serve as jurors:

First Week.
James Epley, S. E. Melton, J. S. Waters, J. J. Jones, J. R. Bennett, J. C. Toms, W. W. Suggs, J. A. Bailey, A. L. Hensley, S. S. Blanchard, Chas. H. Moore, Horace Cole, W. S. Huntley, Roy Logan, J. H. Mayse, Don C. Melton, Ed. Henson, F. A. Matheny.

Second Week.
W. P. Alexander, Z. O. Jenkins, G. E. Morgan, T. B. Taylor, A. L. Dalton, John F. White, M. J. Harrill, E. M. Henderson, B. B. Freeman, C. G. Crow, J. C. Frady, A. C. England.

HON. ZEB NETTLES TO SPEAK HERE

Asheville Man Will Address Members of American Legion Post and Auxiliary Here January 28th.

Hon. Zeb Nettles, of Asheville, will deliver an address here before the American Legion Post and the Woman's Auxiliary, as well as to the public in general, Tuesday January 28, at 8 p. m. Mr. Nettles' address will be on the aims and purposes of the American Legion, with especial reference to the Legion's 'Round-up' Week, of January 27 to February 1st. Spruenge Moss, commander of the local legion post, says that the ranks of the disabled veterans are constantly increasing, requiring a large membership in the Legion to furnish funds, leadership and administration to insure them opportunities to which they are entitled. For the purpose of filling North Carolina's membership quota "Round-Up Week" has been designated, during which time it is hoped to secure 9,800 more members in North Carolina and about 150 to 200 more new members in Rutherford county.

Z. O. Jenkins, Avondale; Sarah Haynes Love, Winter Haven, Fla.; J. R. Skull, Charlotte and B. P. Caldwell, of Cliffside.

Mr. Haynes was prominent in the business circles of Rutherford county, and also had extensive business interests in Florida.

The Forest City high school as it was called in 1924 was the first school in Rutherford county to be accredited by the Southern Association of colleges and High schools. That same year the double promotion system was established in grammar school. This system makes it possible for a pupil who fails on a grade for a half year to begin work and make a half grade. This system was begun in the second grade and now we have the first class graduating at mid-term. In four more years Cool Springs Township High school will graduate a class in January and one in June.

The double promotion system is very popular for two reasons. First it enables a pupil to get out of school a half year earlier and thereby permitting the pupil to begin college work a half year sooner. If the student does not want to go to college, but wants to go to work, he will have an extra half year's work to his credit. It costs as much to teach a pupil a grade the second time as it did the first time. Therefore the expense of instruction for a half year will be saved for the taxpayers of the township.

The health of the pupils determine in a large way the progress of the pupils. A health program has been established in the schools of Cool Springs Township. The principals inspect the laboratories and the building and grounds each day. Also the buildings are kept as nearly the right temperature as possible.

In addition to this the pupils are rated from the physical examination given by Dr. W. C. Twitty, the county health physician. The pupils are rated on five points, hearing, vision, teeth, throat, and correct weight. This grouping will soon be completed. All the boys and girls who meet these requirements will be given a blue button and ribbon. A second group will be given white buttons but will later be given a blue button. This group may have defective teeth, bad tonsils, or be more than 5 per cent over or under weight. This would mean two pounds for a child who weighs forty pounds and six pounds for a pupil who should weigh 120 pounds. Unless a pupil is ten per cent or more over weight or under weight his health is not regarded as being in danger. As soon as these defects are remedied the pupils will be admitted to the Blue Ribbon Club. The club will have over sixty members from the second thru the seventh grades in Forest City. The other schools of the Township will have members in the club too. The names of the Blue Ribbon Club will appear in the next issue of the paper.

MISS REBECCA EARLY IS BURIED NEAR ELLENBORO

Ellenboro, Jan. 13.—Funeral services for Miss Rebecca Jane Early, 71, who died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Fisher McDaniel, near Ellenboro, were held Friday afternoon at Walls Baptist church, two miles from Ellenboro. The Rev. J. D. Harrill was in charge of the service.

In addition to her sister, Miss Early is survived by two brothers, Sam and Dock Early.

APPOINTED DEPUTY FIRE AND FOREST WARDEN

Mr. C. W. Mayfield, of Forest City, R-2, was appointed this week deputy fire and forest warden for Cool Springs Township, by Mr. W. J. Hardin, county forest and fire warden.

Miss Katie Hardin left Monday for Newnan, Ga., where she will enter the Southern Telegraph Institute.

Robert E. Haynes Died Suddenly Last Thursday

DEATH CLAIMS MRS. MOSES HYDER

Henrietta Woman Passes Suddenly Friday—Funeral Services Held at Providence Saturday.

Henrietta, Jan. 14.—Last Friday, while engaged in housework, Mrs. Moses E. Hyder, aged 50 collapsed and died a few hours later at her home here with heart trouble. Funeral services were held Saturday at Henrietta Methodist church with Rev. Mr. Lynch, of Henrietta, in charge, assisted by Rev. F. H. Price, her former pastor. After the service at the Henrietta church her body was taken to the Providence cemetery, where it was interred.

Mrs. Hyder is survived by her husband, Moses E. Hyder, and the following children, B. P. Hyder, F. E. Hyder, John Hyder, Vernon, Bernice, Fred and Lois Hyder, all of Henrietta.

Three brother and three sisters also survive, as follows: M. B. Mahaffee, Caroleen; C. B. Mahaffee and J. M. Mahaffee, of Forest City; Mrs. Nannie Pigford, Blackburg; Mrs. Sadie Rippy, Ruth; Mrs. Annie Spencer, Gaffney.

Pall bearers were Messrs. Harry and Clyde Pigford, John and Vernon Hyder, Rufus and Leroy Spencer. Flower girls were: Alpha and Abbie Ann Cooper, Grace Gillespie, Mary Etta Henderson, Mary Ledford, Willie Sue Covington, Juanita Gillespie, Edna Beulah Spencer, Fannie Chapman.

Mrs. Hyder was a consecrated Christian, and was designated as among one of the best women in Henrietta.

Death Comes to Prominent Citizen After Few Days Slight Illness—Funeral Held Saturday.

Cliffside, Jan. 13.—Last Thursday afternoon about two o'clock just as the undertaker was preparing to place the body of Mr. G. K. Moore in the hearse to go to Pleasant Grove for burial, news came of the sudden death of Mr. Robert E. Haynes at his home at Avondale. Though Mr. Haynes had been slightly ill his passing brought to his family and friends a great shock all the more overwhelming because of the fact that the hearts of his family and friends were already heavy with grief over the passing of two very dear friends and relatives.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon from the Haynes Memorial Baptist church, at Avondale, of which Mr. Haynes was a member. Rev. A. T. Stoudenmire, pastor of the Avondale church, was in charge of the service and was assisted by Rev. D. H. Reinhardt, pastor of the Cliffside Methodist church, and Dr. Zeno Wall, of Shelby.

Interment was in the Cliffside cemetery where his grave was completely covered with many beautiful floral tributes of which there was such a profusion the graves of his first wife and a child was also covered with several wreaths and other designs placed on the graves of Mr. R. R. Haynes and two wives.

Mr. Haynes leaves besides his companion three children; Raleigh Haynes of Cliffside; Mrs. Dennis Camp, Forest City; and Miss Margaret Haynes at home. Surviving brothers are Messrs. Charles Haynes and Walter Haynes of Cliffside and Grover, C. Haynes of Winter Haven, Fla., and the following sisters. Mesdames