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Fletcher's CASTORIA

HALF OF PEOPLE IN RUTHERFORD CHURCH MEMBERS

Total of 50.6 Percent of County's Population Belong to Church—County Ranks Fortth-first.
A total of 18,657 people in Rutherford county belong to some church, according to figures released by the Department of Rural Social-Economics, of the University of North Carolina. This is 50.6 percent of the county's population. This is slightly above the state average of 49.3 percent.

Rutherford county ranks forty-first among the one hundred counties in percent of total population of church membership. Hertford county leads the list with 74.9 percent, or 12,814 of her population being church members. Stokes county is on the bottom, with 28.5 percent of her population listed as church members.

There is a total of 67 religious denominations in North Carolina, with a total membership of 1,407,005.

It is surprising how widely the counties differ in the ratio of the population belonging to churches. In one county four-fifths of the entire population belong to churches. In another county only a little more than one-fourth of the people are church members.

There are fourteen counties where sixty percent or more of the people are church members. There are twenty-two counties where less than forty percent of the people belong to churches. How does one account for the wide differences?

The Tenant Belt.
There are two groups of counties that rank low in percent of population belonging to churches: twelve counties in the combination cotton-tobacco belt centering around Wilson, Edgecombe and Pitt counties, the heart of the farm tenant belt; and the bulk of the mountain counties. Field studies have shown definitely that farm tenants do not join church or attend churches as frequently as farm owners. They move about too much to become affiliated with churches, or to take part in any community enterprise. Tenants take little interest in churches, and churches take little interest in tenants, or

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the problems connected therewith. The percent of tenant children who attend Sunday school is far below the percent of owner children who attend.

The mountain counties and northern piedmont counties rank low in church membership. Only four mountain counties rank above the state average. The percent of mountaineers belonging to churches has always been low. There are many factors, among them isolation, small income, and large ratios of adults who did not have good educational opportunities.

High-Ranking Counties.
There are two groups of counties that rank exceptionally high in church membership, and a third large group that rank well above the state average.

The first twenty-four counties fall in two solid groups: seventeen counties in the northeastern part of the state from Granville east including all the Albemarle counties, and eight mid-state piedmont counties lying in between the northern tobacco-industrial and southern textile-industrial belts. It appears that the rural live-at-home counties rank high in church membership. Such counties have high ratios of farm ownership and therefore stable populations. There is not an important industrial or cash crop county that ranks high in church membership.

The second highest ranking counties are found almost entirely along or near the South Carolina border. Practically all the counties in the southern third of the state, from Cherokee east to the ocean fall in one group just above the state average. However, not a single county in the southern part of the state from the Tennessee border to the ocean rank among the leaders in church membership.

As a general rule it appears that live-at-home rural counties rank high in church membership; combination cotton-tobacco and mountain counties rank low in church membership; southern border counties rank just above the state average; and industrial counties just below the state average. There are very few exceptions to the above generalizations.

MRS. MOSS WITH RED CROSS.
Mrs. F. B. Moss, former Superintendent of Public Welfare of this county now has a position with the American Red Cross with headquarters in Washington, D. C. She will do Roll Call work in Eastern North Carolina this fall.

ELLENBORO DEFEATS LATTIMORE SCHOOL.
Ellenboro, Aug. 30.—The "Country Gentlemen" of the Ellenboro high school won their sixth straight game by defeating Mooresboro high school 10-0 on the latters' diamond last Tuesday afternoon. Callahan allowed Mooresboro just two hits and backed by airtight fielding had an easy time in blanking the opponents.

The return game with Mooresboro was forfeited to the local school last Friday afternoon the Cleveland lads decided that it would be best to not take chances.

The "Country Gentlemen" also defeated Harris High here last Friday week 12 to 2. Owens, pitching for the local team had a shutout victory until after two men had been retired in the last inning when two hits coupled with an error gave the visitors their two runs.

In both of these victories the local team has hit hard and often. The defense has performed well, keeping the offense of the opponents well in check.

N. C. Democrats On Battle Line
The Democrats of the State are determined to let the people of North Carolina know that they are on the battle-lines and with weapons in hands to wage militant warfare this Fall with the Republicans over the immediate issues that are to the fore, notably, of course, that of prohibition.
From the tone of Clyde Hoey's speech in Randolph county the other day, he is one campaigner for the Democrats who does not propose to let the Republicans get away with the claim that they compose the dry party of North Carolina and of the United States.
"The Democratic party" shouts the Shelby oracle, "brought prohibition to this State and passed every law upon our statute books looking to its enforcement. Now the State is enforcing the prohibition laws with energy and zeal and there are at least twenty-five prosecutions by State officials, to every one by Federal officers. The Republican party came out for prohibition in North Carolina two years ago. They were suddenly converted and they are still professing faith. In the nation they have shown no special zeal for prohibition, and we see the Republicans of New Jersey nominate Dwight Morrow for the Senate upon a wringing wet platform of absolute repeal of the 18th Amendment, and we hear President Hoover announce that he will use all the power of the White House to elect this wet Mr. Morrow. That's how dry the Republicans are. They never let prohibition interfere with politics unless they can fool some Democrat by professing prohibition. The Democrats gave North Carolina prohibition and they are going to maintain and enforce it, but there never will be a national enforcement of prohibition while the Republican party is in power. It will continue to make it a football of politics."—Charlotte News.
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SMITH'S GROVE
Forest City, R-3, Sept. 1.—We have a good prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock. Everybody come and bring your friends with you.
Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hudlow and children were the pleasant visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Smith on Sunday afternoon.
Misses Jennie Hudlow and Emma Crowley spent Saturday night with Misses Pearl, Mary E., and Ruth Crowder.
Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Luckadoo spent several days last week with friends and relatives at Race Path.
Mr. W. P. Crowder visited in Shelby and Kings Mountain Saturday.
Mrs. A. L. Hardin spent one day last week with Mrs. W. P. Crowder. Mrs. Forest Fortenberry spent one evening last week with her mother, Mrs. Charlie Lee.
Misses Lola, L. C. and Pauline Crofts accompanied by friends spent awhile Sunday evening with Misses Pearl, Mary E., and Ruth Crowder.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.
This is to notify the public that J. C. Ellen, on August 8, 1930, sold his interest in the Model Chevrolet Co. The above mentioned firm will not be responsible for any debts contracted by retiring party after publication of this notice.
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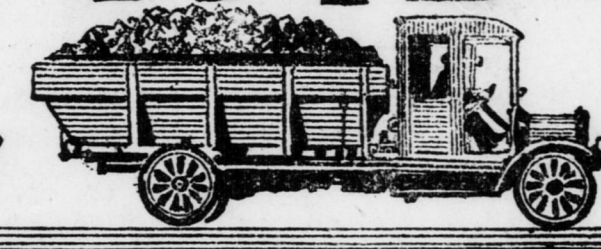
CHIMNEY ROCK VISITOR BURIED AT COVINGTON, KY.
Asheville, Aug. 25.—The body of Alexander G. Simrall, 71, prominent real estate and insurance man of Covington, Ky., who died at a local hospital after a short illness, was sent to Covington Sunday night for burial. He was spending the summer with his family at Chimney Rock and was taken suddenly ill with cerebral hemorrhage. He was brought to the Asheville hospital for treatment, dying shortly after arrival here. He is survived by his widow, two sons and a brother, G. W. Simrall, president of a Covington bank.

Catawba county had the largest delegation of 4-H club boys and girls attending the recent short course at State college. Fifty-one boys and 23 girls were present.

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