

SIXTEEN GIRLS FACING COURT

One Rutherford County Girl To Be Tried On Capital Charge in Carthage This Week.

Carthage, May 18.—Trial of 16 young girls indicted Monday by a Moore county grand jury for first degree arson, a capital offense in North Carolina, probably will get under way in superior court here Wednesday, it was indicated Monday night.

Solicitor Don Phillips said he expected to call the cases as soon as possible.

The girls are charged with burn-

ing two buildings at the state institution for delinquent girls at Samarcand, March 12, causing damage estimated at \$50,000. They were inmates of the institution.

Six of the girls have rioted twice since the fire at Samarcand, once in the Robeson county jail and once while in jail here. At both these times they set fire to their cell mattresses. These are Margaret Pridgen, Wilmington; Marion Mercer, Ayden; Josephine French, Haw River; Delorise Seawell, Cove City; Rosa Mull, Rutherfordton; and Wilma Owens, Waynesville.

A seventh who rioted in the Robeson jail but not in the Moore prison, who was indicted is Virginia Hayes, of Leaksville.

The other nine indicted are Thelma Council, Tarboro; Mary Branson, Rocky Mount; Margaret

Abernethy, Kinston; Estelle Watson, Lexington; Cloae Stillwell, Kinston; Edna Clark, Halifax; Orlie Harding, Chocowinty City; Bertha Hall, Norfolk, Va., and Teral Stulles, Canton.

Nell Battle Lewis, Raleigh woman lawyer, is counsel for the girls.

COURIER REPRESENTATIVE VISITS SUNNYSIDE DAIRY

One of the most interesting, as well as educational visits, the writer has ever had, was made on Monday afternoon when, with three friends, we visited the Sunnyside Dairy, operated and owned by Mr. James Crow, Route 2, Forest City. We arrived at the farm about 5:15, inspected the barns, in which we found 28 cows which were being curried and washed by the caretakers before being milked. The barn is well lighted and ventilated and also has a concrete floor which is kept immaculately clean at all times by the use of a splendid drainage and water system, to which the water hose is attached at convenient places in the barn. In a small new building entirely separate, is the milk rooms, where we were shown the process of washing and sterilizing all utensils, bottles and every article used in handling the milk. There we were shown the steam room, in which all these utensils are kept from one milking time to the next. Next we were shown the cooling process, straining and bottling of the milk.

This milk house is completely screened, has concrete floors and every precaution is used for sanitation. We all had the pleasure of seeing the milk brought in and run through the separator and cooling system. The milk when first started through has a temperature of about 90 degrees, but after passing through the cooling system stood at 50 degrees. The greatest pleasure of all was that we were treated to a refreshing cool bottle of milk, which was "rich to the last drop." Another interesting device we saw used was the automatic milking machine, which is another feature that makes a grade A dairy, of which the Sunnyside Dairy is one of the few in the county.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Crow were very hospitable and we wish to congratulate them on having a perfect dairy and wish them much success.

—"DOT."

Eleven Graduate At Union Mills

Union Mills, May 19.—The sixth annual commencement exercises of the Alexander schools, Inc., opened Saturday evening with the readers and delaimers' contest, in which fourteen boys and girls took part. The baccalaureate sermon was delivered Monday evening, by Dr. Luther Little, of Charlotte. The evening's program opened with prayer by Rev. C. C. Matheny, of Forest City, followed by an anthem "Darkness is over", by the seniors. Dr. E. B. Dillard read the scripture lesson, and Prof. W. E. Sweatt pronounced the benediction.

The primary grades gave an operetta Wednesday morning at nine o'clock.

The graduating exercises of the seventh grade class will be held Friday morning at ten o'clock. The senior class day program will be given immediately after the close of the seventh grade program. On Friday afternoon the new gymnasium will be dedicated. Dr. W. A. Ayers will make the dedicatory address, Prof. W. A. Smith will read the scripture

lesson, Rev. R. T. Baker, will be in charge of the devotional, and the dedicatory prayer will be by Dr. J. W. O'Hara.

The graduating exercises will be held Friday evening at eight o'clock. There are eleven members of this year's senior class, as follows:

Haskell Bates, Frank Boger, Paul E. Bowie, Jr., Fred Byrd, Lucile Champion, Olin J. Owens, Emmett Francis, Louise Henson, Vera Hughes Thelma Hoover, Clifford Icard.

The program for Friday evening follows:

Invocation, Dr. W. A. Ayers. Salutation, Fred Byrd. Class Song, "Follow the Gleam."

Valedictory, Paul E. Bowie, Jr. Piano solo, Louise Henson. Address, Prof. I. G. Greer.

Awarding of prizes and medals, Prof. W. E. Sweatt. Announcements and Awarding of Diplomas.

Song—"Alma Mater", Seniors. Benediction, Rev. C. C. Maheny.

Poppy Day, Saturday, May 23.

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CLIFFSIDE ENDS SEASON WITH WIN

Cliffside, May 18.—Cliffside completed a successful season by defeating Marion high, 13 to 3.

The victory gave Cliffside a record of 11 won and 4 lost for the season.

ELLENBORO BALL TEAM HAS GOOD SEASON

Ellenboro, May 19.—The baseball team of the Ellenboro High school has enjoyed another successful season, having won 13 and lost four games during the past season. This record is unusually good considering the fact that every school played had a larger enrollment than the local school.

Lloyd Greene, Red Wilson, Callahan and the Allen Brothers were the leading offensive men of the club for the season, all of these players hitting well over the 300 mark.

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