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COUNTY SCHOOLS BUDGET FOR THE YEAR IS COMPLETED

Superintendent William McCluskey, who has been busily engaged for some days, finished the task yesterday afternoon, dividing \$41,446 among the schools, white and colored, of the county. The distribution is made on a basis of the white and colored school population of the county, according to the census recently made when the compulsory attendance law went into effect, being 12,522. The expenses of the board of education for the past year amounted to approximately \$5,806, including school supplies of every kind, an appropriation of \$400 for carrying on the work of the girls' tomato clubs in the county, \$300 for the Carnegie library privileges and several other items. After the deduction of the \$5,806 expenses from the entire \$47,252 at the disposal of the board, the \$41,446 was distributed among the schools as follows:

County	No. Districts	% White Schools	% Colored Schools
Charlotte	1	270	120
Berryhill	1	854	100
Steel Creek	1	443	100
Sharon	1	613	100
Providence	1	600	105
Clear Creek	1	927	100
Crab Orchard	1	236	100
Deweese	1	1,599	125
Mallard Creek	1	1,285	175
Lemley	1	466	100
Long Creek	1	229	100
Pineville	1	1,958	125
Paw Creek	1	547	140
Morning Star	1	220	100
Huntersville	1	1,485	105
Matthews H. S.	1	920	100

INTERSTATE CONVENTION.

As announced last month the Eleventh Annual Interstate Convention of our Carolina Association will be held at Greenville, S. C. The date finally fixed is February 5 to 8, beginning on Thursday night and closing on Sunday night. We have been peculiarly favored in securing Honorable Josephus Daniels, the Secretary of the Navy, as one of the principal speakers. He will speak at the Convention Banquet on Saturday night and address the Mass Meeting for Men in the Grand Opera House on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Daniels has been an advocate of the Young Men's Christian Association all of his life. During the Raleigh Building Campaign his newspaper, The News and Observer, gave splendid service and since his appointment at the head of the Navy Department he has not only spoken on many Association platforms but has been showing his sympathy with young men by giving special consideration to the welfare of the lads in the Navy.

Mr. A. G. Knebel, former Interstate Secretary, is another speaker who has a multitude of friends in the Carolinas. He will give the opening address on Thursday night and speak at the banquet. Mr. Knebel has been very successful in his work as International Railroad Secretary since leaving the Carolinas.

Dr. S. C. Mitchell, former President of the University of South Carolina, and now President of the Medical College of Virginia, will address a mass meeting of the whole Association constituency of Greenville, City, Student and Cotton Mill on Friday evening. Dr. Mitchell's ability, knowledge of affairs and excellent spirit are well known.

It has been the desire of the committee to make this convention especially helpful along special spiritual lines and with this in view Dr. E. M. Poter, of Furman University, has been secured to give three addresses during the meeting on topics related to Christian life and service.

Three prominent topics of the convention program will be "The Boy's Life" of the Carolinas presented by L. W. Dunn, Southern Boys' Work Secretary; "The Industrial Life," by Dr. H. T. Foster, Secretary of the Industrial Department, and "The Boys and Young Men in the Rural Districts," by Prof. W. K. Tate, superintendent of South Carolina Elementary Schools.

B. G. Alexander, the new Executive Secretary for the Southern Field, A. A. Jamison, the new Boys Secretary at Atlanta, and many Carolina Association leaders, will be present and take part in the discussion of these topics.

There will be group conferences on Saturday afternoon for the delegates from the City, Cotton Mill, Railroad, Student Associations and for delegates especially interested in work for boys.

T. D. PAYNE'S FATHER DIED YESTERDAY AFTERNOON AT HICKORY
Mr. T. D. Payne of the McCoy Furniture Company, received a telegram last night announcing the death of his father, Mr. A. J. Payne, a prominent citizen of Hickory, which occurred yesterday afternoon at a late hour at that place. Mr. Payne left at once for Hickory.

CAPS AND GOWNS WILL CLOTHE BAPTIST SENIORS WITH BECOMING DIGNITY

Wake Forest, Jan. 14.—The senior class has decided to wear caps and gowns at all public functions this spring. They will first appear in a body wearing the caps and gowns on the anniversary celebration, which comes off February 20.

A contract has been signed with a Philadelphia firm to furnish the invitations for the anniversary exercises. Chief marshals Middleton and Neal are negotiating with the Norfolk marine band to furnish the music for this occasion.

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WILSON ITEMS

Special to The News. Wilson, Jan. 14.—Notwithstanding the fact that the large number of Wilson county tobacco farmers rushed their crop to the market during the earlier part of the season Wilson warehouse men report very good sales for December. The total amount of the leaf sold here amounting to 2,317,359 pounds for the month. The price is still above former years and there is a considerable stock of the bright leaf yet in the barns. During the month of December, Wilson handled almost one-seventh of the total amount of tobacco sold in the state.

Reports of a negro shooting affair at Lucama reached Wilson Monday. The trouble occurred Saturday night shortly after midnight and from all reports seems to have been the result of bad humor. Anderson Peacock shot Julius Parker and was sent to the roads for the assault yesterday.

The four year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Taylor, who live in the county died yesterday at a local hospital following an attack of appendicitis.

THE FATHER OF TWENTY.
(Rockingham Post.)
Mr. C. R. Smith of Hamlet, was in Rockingham this week attending court. Mr. Smith is the father of a family that would call for a "bully" from Roosevelt. Mr. Smith has been married 26 years and is the father of twenty children, thirteen of whom are living. The oldest is twenty-three years old and the youngest four weeks. None of the twenty children were twins or triplets.

A conscientious man should back up the good opinion he has of himself.

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SALISBURY ITEMS

Special to The News.

Salisbury, Jan. 14.—Salisbury's national banks—the First and the Peoples—held their annual meetings yesterday. The Peoples' elected all the old directors and these in turn elected the present officers for another year. There are: President, John S. Henderson; vice president, D. L. Easkill; cashier, J. D. Norwood; assistant cashier, W. T. Busby. This bank reports having now the largest surplus and largest amount of deposits in its history. The First National elected N. B. McCanness, presidential elector N. B. Ragand, vice-president; W. B. Strachan, cashier. The stockholders unanimously endorsed the membership of their institution in the federal reserve bank. The meeting was most harmonious and the past year was reported as the most prosperous in the bank's history.

Two of Salisbury's largest fraternal orders, the Knights of Pythias and Winona Council of Junior Order, held banquets last night each of which was largely attended. Among the Pythian speakers were Grand Chancellor Pridden, of Durham, and Grand Vice Chancellor Baird, of Charlotte; while the Juniors had on their program State Councilor Secest, of High Point.

A mass meeting was held at the court house last night to finally launch a building and loan association among the negroes.

Local authorities of the Southern Express Company struck consternation by notifying them by post card that there was whiskey at the office for them. Heretofore this notice by card business has not applied to whiskey shipments here but orders have been received to make no exceptions in the matter of whiskey in the future.

A. B. Saleeby, Salisbury's well known Greek merchant, has gone to Washington to take the consular ser-

vice examination. He wants to represent this government in his native country of Syria.

Mrs. W. B. Hatcher, who had charge of the Red Cross Seal business in Salisbury, has closed her account, and has found that 4,950 of the seals were sold here.

Mrs. John D. L. Brown is dead from pneumonia at her home near Organ church.

The Southern Y. M. C. A. launched a membership campaign which promises to assume large proportions before it closes on January 31. The workers are divided into two bands and the winning one will take a banquet off the losing one.

A movement is on foot looking to the establishment of one or more rural routes out from Spencer which now has no route.

POCAHONTAS TRIBE WILL INSTALL OFFICERS TOMORROW NIGHT

Pocahontas Tribe, Improved Order of Red Men, No. 29, will meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the Woodmen Hall on South Church street for the installation of officers for the local camp for the coming year. Deputy Grand Sachem R. B. Ilam of North Carolina, who lives here, will preside at the exercises, which are known as "raising the chiefs." The officers to be installed are: Sachem, J. Melton Todd, Senior Sagamore, W. W. Killough, Junior Sagamore, Burgess Blackman, Prophet, J. C. Love.

Refreshments will be served and a

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musical program will be carried out. The installation exercises will be public.

POETS' ESTATE WORTH \$14,996.

By Associated Press.

Oakland, Cal., Jan. 14.—The estate left by Jotquin Miller, who died last year, is valued at \$14,996 according to an accounting filed in the probate court here today. The estate, which is unencumbered, consists principally of the poet's homeplace, "The Heights," near this city.

The girl who marries the first chap who proposes misses a lot of more or less valuable experience.

ATTRACTIVE LOW ROUND TRIP FARES VIA SOUTHERN RY.

Premier Carrier of the South.

\$17.15—Charlotte to Jacksonville, Fla., account National League of Commerce Merchants, January 14-16th, 1914. Dates of sale January 11th, 12th and 13th, final return limit midnight of January 31st, 1914.

\$3.70—Charlotte to Richmond, Va., account Department of Superintendent of the National Education Association, February 23-28th, 1914. Dates of sale February 21st, 22nd and 23rd, final return limit March 4th, 1914.

\$38.35—Charlotte to Kansas City, Mo., account Student Volunteer Movement for foreign Missions, December 30th, January 4th, 1914. Dates of sale December 28th, 29th and 30th, final return limit midnight of Jan. 8th, 1914.

\$18.35—Charlotte to Pensacola, Fla., account Mardi Gras Celebration, February 19th-24th, 1914. Dates of sale February 17th to 23rd, inclusive. Final return limit midnight of March 6th.

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