

WEATHER - FAIR

HOME EDITION

Public Library to Cost \$30,000 Offered City As a Memorial to H. L. Perry

PARENTS AND WIFE UNITE IN THE GIFT TO THE COMMUNITY

Only Condition Attached is That the City Agree to Appropriate for Its Maintenance.

WOULD BE LOCATED NEAR COURT HOUSE Lot Where Mr. Perry's Office Was Located Will be Site - First Gift of Kind Ever to be Made to Henderson - City Will Likely Accept.

A public library to cost not more than \$30,000, and a lot in the heart of the city on which to build it, is offered the City of Henderson by Colonel and Mrs. Henry Perry, parents, and Mrs. H. L. Perry, widow, of the late Henry Leslie Perry as a permanent memorial to the prominent young local attorney who died a few weeks ago after an illness of several years.

It is proposed by the donors, Colonel Perry said today, to build the library on the lot opposite the court house on Young street, where now stands the building, part of which was the law office of the deceased young attorney.

Henderson Post Office Nears First Class Rank

Fiscal Year Just Ended Puts Receipts Within \$4,000 of Mark - Large Increase Is Seen Over Previous Quarter and Previous Year.

Receipts for the Henderson post office during the fiscal year ended June 30, last, puts the local office approximately within \$4,000 of the mark necessary to be reached to put the office in the rank of first class, which is \$10,000 a year.

Recalling Old War Days



General Henri J. E. Gouraud, "Lion of the Argonne" now visiting his country, says his respects to one of his comrades at the Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D. C.

Tobacco 70 Pcnt. Normal In This County to Date

COMPANY C TAKES 68 MEN TO CAMP

Leave on Special Cars on Southbound Shoo-Fly Sunday Morning.

Carrying a personnel of three commissioned officers and 65 men, Company C, local unit of the North Carolina National Guard, left here yesterday morning on the southbound shoo-fly for Camp Green, Morehead City, for the annual encampment of the National Guard of the State.

Wonderful Improvement Shown Since Rains of Last Week County Agent Reports.

COTTON CROP TWICE SIZE OF 1922 YIELD

Early Corn Badly Damaged by Drought, But Late Corn Will Develop - Boll Weevils in Scattered Sections Expected Later Part of the Summer.

Tobacco in Vance county at this time is 70 per cent normal, while the cotton crop is in good condition and gives promise of a yield about twice the size of that last year, according to the weekly crop estimate of J. C. Anthony, county farm agent, made public today.

Acquittal Denied Chas. W. Morse by Judge Stafford

Child Is Stolen From Chapel Hill by Own Father

Greensboro, July 9.—(By the Associated Press.)—The three-year old son of Mrs. Mry Rees was taken away from Chapel Hill yesterday by stealth by Arthur Rees, of Philadelphia, his father, Mrs. Rees, with her brother, Louis Graves, was here today in an effort to intercept the husband and prevent him from taking the child north, Mr. Graves said.

HARDINGS RECEIVE FIRST GLIMPSE OF ALASKA TERRITORY

Transport Henderson Landed Them Yesterday For Short Stops at Two Different Towns.

HEADED UP COASTS TO CITY OF JUNEAU

President Very Favorably Impressed on First Stop in Alaska, and Finds That People There "Are Real Humans" and Almost Like Americans.

Aboard the United States Transport Henderson with President Harding, July 9.—(By the Associated Press.)—The naval transport Henderson, carrying President Harding, headed up the coast today after making acquaintance with the territory yesterday at Metlakahla and Ketchikan.

An all-night sail brought the transport early today off Wrangell, where to party will go ashore for a brief visit before proceeding to Juneau.

STREET MATTER IS UP AGAIN TONIGHT

Council Will Endeavor to Reach Final Conclusions at Sitting.

A further effort to reach some final conclusion in the matter of the street work to be done under the new \$200,000 bond issue will be made by the City Council tonight at an adjourned meeting brought over from last Friday night.

EX-JUSTICE DAY IS DEAD IN MICHIGAN

Passes Away After Bronchitis Attack Following Breakdown.

MacKinnon Island, Mich., July 9.—(By the Associated Press.)—William H. Day, former associate justice of the United States Supreme Court, died at his cottage here at 5:30 o'clock this morning.

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Airman Making Fast Time In 'Dawn To Dusk' Flight From New York to Frisco

Bodies of Missing Balloonists Found

Fort Stanley, Ontario, July 9.—(By the Associated Press.)—The body of Lieutenant L. J. Roth, pilot of the ill-fated United States Navy balloon A-6493 was found in the basket of the airship fourteen miles south-southwest of here this forenoon.

BLAZING TRAIL FOR AIR OPERATIONS IN EVENT OF AIR WAR

Plane Stripped to Barest Necessities as Lieut. Maughan Leaves Mitchell Field, MUST MAKE SPEED OF 160 MILES HOUR

Mitchell Field, N. Y., July 9.—(By the Associated Press.)—Lieutenant Russell L. Maughan, U. S. A., piloting a pursuit plane, headed off at 2:34, blazing daylight speed trails today on the first leg of his dash to dusk flight across the continent.

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Ishmet Pasha Wins Great Victory For Turks at Lausanne

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