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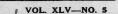
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MIXED TERM OF

COURT CONVENES

Murder Case Set For Term Be-

Bobbitt To Preside.

ginning On Monday; Judge

Charles T. Williams, of Grassy Creek is scheduled to be tried here

court for murder, a charge resulting

ion on July 7 in which Charles Mc-

Soon after the automobile acci-

dent Williams was released from the

county jail under \$1,500 bond. He

was said to have been driving the

car in which McKinney was killed. Lloyd Henry, charged with assault

Three other assault with intent to

ing serious body injury; and State

vs. Frank Womick, charged with as saulting Boyd Turner with a knife, inflicting serious body injury. The civil calendar contains nine-

COVE AREA NOT ACUTE

HERE NEXT WEEK

Advertising

in the Progress

Pays

ALL M'DOWELL SCHOOLS LAUNCH

List Of Principals And Teachers For 1940-41 Term Released By Supt. Steppe.

flood damaged roads, but in general Moretz, Civics; Miss Eleanor Russ, transportation conditions are in good English and French; Miss Marguerite order.

their first meeting of the year at the Commercial. addressed by Superintendent Steppe, who spoke on the school program for Miss Fannie Lou Sauls, Mrs. Ethel the year.

the North Carolina Education Asso-ciation were elected with Thomas W. Mrs. Pauline M. Neal. Stacy of the Nebo school being chos-Stacy of the Nebo school being chos-en president, and Mrs. Gladys W. Miss Ruth Greenlee, principal; Miss Kanipe of the Old Fort school, vice- Nina Greenlee, Miss Rebekah Lowe, president.

of the school met. Mr. Stanley Liv-ingston, principal of Nebo school, nie Spratt, Mrs. J. B. Laughlin, Mrs. was elected chairman of the high school department, which chose Morris. health and education for its topic for

Mrs. Mary H. Hendrix, Miss Geneva Miss Lula Hicks, Miss Ola Wall.

Old Fort school-S. A. McDuffie, Morgan, Miss Elizabeth Conley. principal; E. W. S. Cobb, Harry principal; E. W. S. CODD, Harry Swofford, Miss Louise Frazier, W. J. Cotten, Miss Hazel C. Herring, Mrs. School: F. M. Beaver, principal; Mrs. Lucile Clark Gray, Glenn Tolliver, Mrs. Margaret K. Greenlee, Mrs. Gladys W. Kanipe, Mrs. Margaret L. Hee, Mrs. Hazel Barber, Mrs. Frank-Horris W. Kanipe, H. B. Greenley, Mrs. Hazel Barber, Mrs. Frank-there are in which Mrs. Wallace was killed. He is still in the Marion Gen-ols said he may not serve the war-rant on Cline for another day or two. Harris, Mrs. Emily H. Bradley, Miss Florence Hughes, Miss Margaret Wilson, Miss Laura Hicks, Miss Mar-Louise Bynum.

/ jorie M. Hinsdale, Mrs. Elizabeth B. Gibbs, Miss Esther Beam, Miss Char-line Hemphill, Miss Mary G. Burgin, Mrs. Beulah C. Nichols, Miss Williams, Miss Mary K. Wise. Miss Della

North Cove school-B. C. Wilson Anderson, W. C. Twiddy, Mrs. Kath-Locky Hennessee, Miss Stella Tate, day used at the grounds Mrs. Grace M. Steppe, Mrs. Laura H. ground for a track on which horses Brown, Miss Harriet Wilson. will be paraded during the show. Brown, Miss Harriet Wilson.. Nebo school—Stanley Livingston,

The complete teaching staffs of Marion city schools were announced this week by Superintendent Hugh OPENING TODAY this week by Superintendent. F. Beam, as preparations were being made for the opening of the schools on September 12.

FACULTIES OF SCHOOLS OF MARION ANNOUNCED

The first meeting of city teachers will be held in the high school building on September 11 at 10 a.m. The complete teaching staffs for the city schools are as follows:

Marion High School: Howard C.

last Saturday. Club; Mrs. Flora S. Homewood, According to County Superinten-Home Economics; Mrs. Ruth Ball Honeycutt, Mathematics; Miss Alba may be experienced by children in meeting school buses because of the rell, Science and English; Miss Alice Cline of Marion as saying he was Morris, Librarian; Miss Lyda Turby-Teachers in county schools held fill, Mathematics; William D. Tuttle, auto hit the bridge abutment. The auto was badly damaged.

pital with a severe scalp wound and e year. Officers of the McDowell unit of Effie G. Morris, Miss Mae Ross, Mrs. Roy Cline of Marion also is in the hospital with a disolcated hip and cuts about the head.

> taken to Asheville Sunday for treat-Miss Mamie Goforth, Miss Elizabeth

Following the general meeting, Wyle, Miss Bonnie Padgett, Miss teachers of the different departments Louise Wilkie, Miss Hazel Browne, Buncombe county and were return-East Marion Elementary School:

Young, principal; Carroll D. Miller, Mrs. Theodora R. Johnson, Miss Car-oline Gray, Mrs. Nell W. Young, Mrs. Minnie C. Hinshaw, W. J. Wat-ers, Mrs. Mabel M. Haire, Miss Edna M. Henderson, Miss Zelma Atwell, Hitchcock, Miss Margaret Patton. Ware Mary H Hendrix Miss Generator Worth World Panama Canal Zone; and Survivors in addition to the Taylor of Panama Canal Zone; and West Marion Elementary School: Link, Mrs. Carl S. Gibson, Mrs. Sal-Miss Pauline Tipton, principal; Miss lie P. Willis, Miss Elsie H. House, Freda Cuthbertson, Miss Emily Blan-Miss Annie Taylor of Marion. Miss Annie Taylor of Marion. Warrant Issued. ton, Miss Lace McLean, Mrs. James

Colored School

ols said he may not serve the war- county. Glades Elementary School: Sara

WORK IS STARTED ON LOCAL FAIR GROUNDS

VALENTINE IS NAMED Preparation of the recently purchased fair grounds, just off Rutherprincipal; J. M. Tyler, Miss Ruebelle ford Road at the foot of Mt. Ida, was begun this week for the annual leen J. McMahan, Mrs. Ethel B. Waters, Mrs. Gay M. Grant, Miss tober 4. A motor grader was yesterto level

Nebo school – Stanley Livingston, The fair grounds site was recent-principal; Miss Rose L Stacy, Miss Dorothy Rhinehardt, Ralph A. Aber-nethy, Ralph H. Beam, Thomas W. Stacy, Miss Gaynelle Butt, Miss Lot-stie H. Wilson, Mrs. Georgia S. Corp-sons who wish to help sponsor the sum diagram and stack with the sponsor the sponsor the sum diagram and stack with the sponsor the s The fair grounds site was recent-

VICTIM OF AUTO CONVENTION OF ACCIDENT DIES; SINGERS TO BE **THREE INJURED**

Sheriff Grady Nichols, who inves-

Easley Cline, brother of Roy, suf-

The four had been on a visit to

was

Cartier.

The warrant charges that Roy total membership of the Chamber of

DISTRICT BAR HEAD several memberships for their em-

Cline "did with malicious afore-commerce was 128. This month the thought" kill Mrs. Eula Wallace organization became the McDowell

fered a crushed left arm. He

ment by a bone specialist.

Charlotte mill worker.

automobile."

Warrant Charging Murder Is Semi-Annual Meeting To Be-Sworn Out Against Roy gin Here Saturday Night; Cline, Driver Of Car. Radio Broadcast Scheduled.

Mrs. Wallace died shortly after according to A. H. Mitchem, presi reaching the hospital here, where she was rushed for treatment. A hour broadcast over Radio S half hour broadcast over Radio Station WWNC of Asheville direct from the tigated the accident, quoted Roy school auditorium will be held Sunday afternoon from 1:30 to 2:00

HELD IN MARION

tral North Carolina, Kentucky, Ten-Miss Emma Taylor, sister of Mrs. nesseee scheduled to appear on the program. Wallace is in Marion General Hos-

Highlights of the convention will include the Stamps-Baxter quartette

Charlotte mill worker. Charlo

health and education for its topic for the year. The department will hold one meeting at each of the five coun-ty schools during the year. The teaching staffs for the various schools in the county for the coming schools in the county for the coming schools are as follows: Pleasant Gardens school--W. A. The teaching staffs for the various schools in the county for the coming the star Margaret Giles, Miss Louise to the teaching staffs for the various schools in the county for the coming the star Margaret Giles, Miss Louise to the teaching staffs for the various to the teaching staffs for the various to the teaching staffs for the various to the first star was found to the star was found to the first star was found to the teaching staffs for the various to care for the crowds. Loudspeak-to the teaching staffs for the various to the teaching staffs for the various to the various to the various to the teaching staffs for the various to the various to the various to the teaching staffs for the various to the various to those who the teaching staffs for the various to the teaching the teaching the teaching staffs for the various to the various to the various to the teaching the teaching

OF C MEMBERS IN COUNTY ANNOUNCED _____ Miss Nancy Gordon, daughter of the Episcopal rector at Leaksville. Mr. Dameron secured his A. B.

A total of 29 new members have and LL. B. degrees at the University joined the McDowell county Cham-ber of Commerce since the annual stellar athlete, being at one time alldrive of the organization was begun southern basketball center. He held section of McDowell county are re-

during the first part of August, ac-the southern record for discus-cording to an announcement made throwing and coached freshman ath-this week by Secretary Walter J. Cartier.

Warrant Issued. A murder warrant was issued Tuesday against Roy Cline, driver of the car in which Mrs. Wallace was near Marion, said Mr. Cartier, the near Marion, said Mr. Cartier, the near Marion vet been worked the car in which Mrs. Wallace was killed. He is still in the Marion Gen-drive not having yet been worked campus. eral hospital and Sheriff Grady Nich- thoroughly in other sections of the

SCHOOL PROJECT GETS APPROVAL OF PRESIDENT stroyed by flood waters.

Presidential approval was given to "with a deadly weapon, to wit, an county Chamber of Commerce and residents of all parts of the county were made eligible for membership. Saturday and work on the buildings mill repairing damages caused there is expected to start soon. by flood waters,

DISTRICT BAR HEAD several memberships for their em-ployees this year, stated Mr. Cartier sonville was elected president of the sonville was elected president of the antesting at Hendersonville last stat urday. Other officers elected are: Frank Huskins, of Burnsville, vice president; Ralph H. Ramsey, Jr., re-elected secretary-treasurer; and the Gardens Cottages, Marion Steam



ron of Greensboro who will be associated with Robert W. Proctor here after September 1st.

GREENSBORD LAWYER COMES TO MARION; TO BE WITH R. W. PROCTOR

with a deadly weapon with intent to kill, is scheduled to be tried. Henry E. P. (Sandy) Dameron, popular is charged with assaulting Sheriff Grady Nichols and Deputies W. O. young Greensboro attorney and civic Gibbs and Jim Roland with a shotman's tongue; and the Rangers from six years, has resigned his position there to become associated with kill cases have been scheduled for Soloists and group singers, led by Robert W. Proctor, prominent law- trial next week. They are: State vs. ing to Marion at the time of the professionals, are also expected to be yer of Marion. He expects to assume Ed Suttles, charged with assaulting ccident. Mrs. Wallace, formerly of Marion, Marion will be invited to deliver an Mr. Dameron has been outstanding in serious injury; State vs. Ed-Mr. Dameron has been outstandward Hoyle, charged with assaulting Clarence Burgin with a knife, inflict-

Two functul services were held the high school because the court a former president of the American for Mrs. Wallace. A short service house was found too small this spring Business club and at present secreta-

teen cases set for trial at this term, five of which are scheduled for Thursday, September 5th. **RELIEF NEEDS IN NORTH**

Relief needs in the North Cove

ton, Sampson county.

Most of the new members are social fraternity and the Golden county offices of the WPA.

Miss Dell Bremmer, home service representative of the Red Cross, made an investigation of relief needs Mr. Dameron is a native of Clin- in that section last week and has reported that food and farm supplies will be scarce in the area later on, as crops in several places were de-

Many residents of the North Cove section have been employed recently Marion's \$100,000 WPA project, by the C. C. & O. Railroad in repairfor repairing the Marion high school ing flood damaged sections of road-and for the construction of a class-bed. Several workers have been emroom and gymnasium building, last ployed at the Marion Good Hosiery

tract the largest crowd in its history,

> trying to pass another car when his o'clock. Musicians from western and cen-

> > and South Carolina are

from Asheville, religious music; the Melody Boys from Hickory, spirit-Charlotte, new and popular songs.

A goal of 325 memberships has

been set for the drive. Last year the

In some cases firms are taking out

uals; a Cherokee Indian quartet leader, who has been connected with from Jackson county, to sing in the law firm of Smith, Wharton and their native dialect and in the white Hudgins in Greensboro for the past gun in Marion township on June 22.

ening, Miss Maggie S. Taylor, Mrs. project.	Gold, Rutherlord, Lewis F. Hamin	, ber Shop, Lake City Farms, Marion	livered to the high school grounds as	PERMITS OF SALESMEN
Mabel G. Hemphill. The grounds are known	as the old Transylvania, J. T. Arledge, Pol	, Knitting Mills and Anthony's Cash	soon as possible.	I LAMITO OI DALLOUIDA
Glenwood school-C. L. Norwood, Kanipe property and there	are about and W. E. Anglin, of Yancey.	Store. New Old Fort members are:		
principal; A. L. Eggers, Miss Marie 75 acres in the tract put	rchased by Briel addresses by Judge J. Wi	ll Old Fort Telephone Co., Mt. Mitch-	project, being handled through the	Marion residents were this week
Fitzgerald, Miss Hazel Bolick, Mrs. the association.	Pless, of Marion, and Dover R. rou	s ell Oil Co., Point Lookout, Harris'	Charlotte office of the WPA, is at	warned by Chamber of Commerce
Thelma Poteat King, Miss Mary Members of the associ	ation nian of Burnsville, councilor of the di	- Market, Bradley Drug Co., Old Fort	present the only hold up in the con-	Secretary Walter Cartier to inves-
Frances Harrill, Mrs. Lola A. Lon- to develop the property	as a fair trict group, were heard.	Branch of Bank of Black Mountain,	struction month As soon as labor has	tigate the permits of nouse-to-nouse
on, Mrs. Faye L. Wells, Miss Lillie grounds site where an ar	The Marion bar was represented	d Hughes' Cash Store, Old Fort Tour-	It is the second much mill	salesmen. Canvassers have victimized
Pyatt, Miss Ruth Gibson, Miss Iris cultural and industrial	exposition at the meeting by Judge J. Will Ples	is ist Camp, Red Star Service Station,	bagin	several local persons this summer,
Landis, Mrs. Lois E. Shaw, Miss will be held.	and R. W. Proctor.	Arrowhead Tea Room, Old Fort Inn.	Plans of the WPA project call for	he said.
Evelyn Tanner, Miss Barbara Wag- No development of the	nroperty	Members from other towns are:	the monthly of the most mine of the	According to Mr. Cartier, a great
ner.	the horse OPERATIONS AT FURNITURE	Wildacres Hotel of Little Switzer-	high school building that was dam-	number of canyassers have worked
Dysartsville school - George T. track, has been planned	for this PLANT TO BE CONTINUE	D land, Biltmore Dairy Farms of Hick-	aged by fire this enring About eight	Marion recently. Some of these have
Greenway, principal; Miss Inez year. Plans for the horse	and cattle	ory, and Broadway Motors of Clinch-	larger and the librory will be	been crippled salesmen who used
Daves, Miss Jennie Lee Laughridge, show are under the directi	ion of S. J. The McDowell Furniture compar	field Station.	manained and the librowy will be on	their physical handicap with a hard-
	supervising of Marion, which has been operatin		laward' A many huilding on the school	fuck story to sen then goods. Many
Sugar Hill school - Richard A. the work at the fair grou		DIXON-POTEAT REUNION	grounds will house approximately	of them have been employed for
Shaw, principal; Miss Lucille Hol- members of the committee	arranging management will continue to one	TO BE HELD SEPT. 1	four classrooms, a music room and a	this reason.
land, Mrs. Foy Tate Hensley. the show for the Marie	on Kiwanis ate under this plan until dispositio		gymnasium with a seating capacity	Several Marionites have made
Old Fort colored school - Oliver club sponsor of the event	are S. I. of the receivership	The annual Divon-Potest rounion		down payments to these salesmen
W. Fleming, Myrtle G. Hemphill, Homewood, J. C. Rabb, J	R lime Index E Vatas Wahh of Shalh	will be held at the old Divon home-	of about over	for goods and have not received their
Mary B. Muldrow, Fannie H. Rhufin. son, W. C. McIver and	Frank Go, who has been conducting a civil ter	m place on the road between Vein	BANKS TO OBSERVE	purchases, said Mr. Cartier. As a
Bridgewater colored school-Rose forth.		e Mountain and Dysartsville, Sunday,		protection to consumers Marion peo-
C. Greenlee		d September 1. An interesting program	A CONTRACT OF A	ple are urged to require salesmen to
Dysartsville colored school-Bes- California has discover	red that it operation of the plant which er	has been arranged for the day in-		
	lants which ploys about 250 workmen.	cluding talks and good singing. All	Marion Industrial Bank will be	of Marion. Applications for permits
Vein Mountain colored school- yield essential oils for	perfumes. Papers in the case are on file	n relatives and friends are invited to	closed all day next Monday. Sent. 2.	will be examined by the town and
Gary F. Peade. drugs, and flavorings.	the Statesville office of the court.		in observance of Labor Day.	the Chamber of Commerce.
Incomo mud mayornigs.	The Descovine once of the court.	aucua and bring tuttons	In observance of amore pays	