Child Dies By Electrocution

were held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Thompson Chapel Baptist Church for Trellis Thompson, 8 year old cololed child, who was accidentally electrocuted Saturday afternoon about 7 p.m. when he touched a live wire on the grounds of the Thompson Insti-Fairmont road. Interment followed rations are being made for several in the Thompson Chapel cemetery.

dead boy, said that he left his childree playing on the school ground, as they often did, while he had gone to a nearby store. The charged wire was a guy wire to an electric power pole which was wrapped around the power pole for sup-port and staked to the ground beside the water fountain. The guy wire contacted a live, insulated wire contacted a live, insulated wire, and apparently had rubbed the insulation from the power wire in the dining room at Flora Mac-Et d become charged with a heavy Donald College. This luncheon the bond issue is a certainty, I volume of electricity, Thompson

Emma Lou, the oldest daughter, came in contact with the wire first and was unable to turn the wire loose Another sister rushed to her aid but was knocked down by the current. Then Trellis rushed to his sister's aid and while trying to knocked down gold the wire fell across his chest. The mother, who loose them from the wire, was was carrying her small baby in her arms, had reached the fountain and attempted to free Trellis from the wire. When she touched Trellis, the current also knocked her from her feet. Using a long stick, she managed to release him from the board of trustees of Pembroke aid had been summoned yourg week Trellis was dead.

New Director For Kindergarten

tor of the Week-Day School of the Rowland. First Presbyterian Church when the school opens for its fourth rear in September. Miss Cooper succeeds Mrs. D. L. Whiting, who is retiring after serving for three ton, Route 3, succeeding Elias Harvis of Maxing. years as director.

ed the Presbyterian Assembly Lowery of Elrod. Training School in Richmond, Va. Reappointed were J. Oliver She taught first grade for eight Brooks of Fairmont and Carl held at present at the various playyears in the public schools of Manor and James A. Sampson, South Carolina and has worked both of Pembroke. with children of nursery age and conducted Vacation Bible schools. Miss Cooper is taking a special course in kindergarten under Miss Mamie Heintz at Assembly Training school this summar

OFFICE FURNITHE CONTRACT LET TO LUMBERTON FIRM

week to the Robeson Office Sup- Latin contest. Announcement of plies Company of Lumberton, op-the winners came from Dr. B. L. erated by Billy French and Stuart Ullman, head of the University of Hatchell for the furnishing of the North Carolina Classics Departoffice furniture and office equip- ment. Lumberton was third place ment in the newly completed R. E. school in the first year section of possible.

A. building in Red Springs. This modern ofice building will R. E. A. in this territory.

The most modern type of steel state. desk, chairs, and office equipment in the new gray-tone color manufactured by the Yawman & Erbe manufacturing company will be used throughout the building.

Power Clearance

ere being made.

60th Anniversary Of Presbyterians On Sunday

Sixtieth Anniversary Service to be noted on Sunday, June 26, at th Presbyterian Church here. Prepa hundred guests.

The service will begin at 11 He is survived by his parents and o'clock Sunday morning as follows: by two brothers and four sisters.

John D. Thompson, father of the

doxology and invocation. Dr. J.

George S. Coble, district highdoxology and invocation. Dr. J.

way commissioner recently ap-B. Black of Bon Air Va., former pointed by Governor Scott, has anpastor of the church, will read the nounced that there will be a hear-Scripture, followed by a "Me-morial" by Miss Helen Buie. The House Monday to consider the road Rev. Thomas A. Fry, pastor, will needs of the county. Mr. Coble deliver the sermon and Mrs. Isa-

> was scheduled to take place on the shall be glad to conduct hearings church lawn, but due to the uncer- in your county . . . Hearings will tainty, fo weather conditions, the be held in the district office in

Board Picked For

RALEIGH, Jone 16 - Nine apthe charged wire, but by the time State College were announced last

> members of the board. They are: by Miss Ellen King, instructor. The Hardy Well Locklear, farmer of armory will be open all day to per-Fairmont, Route 1, succeeding Rev. sons desiring to register. A second S. S. Hammonds of Lumberton. Fuller Locklear, farmer of Fairmont, Route 1, succeeding Zeb A.

George Emmanuel, farmer and Miss Olivia Cooper of Charleston, S. C., will be the new director, succeeding John R. Spaulding of

ris of Maxton.

Miss Cooper is a graduate of the Harry W. Locklear, Pembroke College of Charleston and attend- business man, succeeding Edmund

LUMBERTON - Kendrick Townsend, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Guy Townsend of Lumberton, was second place individual winner in the first year section of the an-A contract was awarded last nual North Carolina High School the contest.

Other sections of the contest are Cotton Blooms contain the central offices of the for second year, and third-fourth RED SPRINGS - A. M. Saunyear Latin Students throughout the ders, local farmer and manager of

Blossiom

MAXTON - The first cotton cotton blossom in this community wsa' reported to the Scottish Chief on Thursday morning, June 16th. by Arch Strickland, tenant on the RED SPRINGS - Town offi- farm belonging to Walter Burns, cials announce that a power clear- on Maxton Route 1. A six months' ance will be taken Sunday after- subscription to the Scottish Chief noon from 1:30 until 6 o'clock while is given to the first person reportnecessary switching installations ing the earliest cotton blossom of the season.

Last Honors Paid Clyde L. Green

were held last week on Thursday missioners and other members of morning at eleven o'clock from the the commission.

In the meantime the police force Strickland, and John R. Lowry, home for Clyde L. Green, 65, Rob
The many lovely floral offerings will continue to keep watch on the drilled by Earl A. Thomas, assist
The 24th annual convention will nois; he graduated from WF last representation of the propriet of the commission.

The 24th annual convention will nois; he graduated from WF last representation of the propriet of the commission. esno County superintendent of paying tribute to this prominent streets for stray dogs. day in his Lumberton office fol- were in charge of Mrs. Cap Mclowing a heart attack. Rev. E. L. Queen and Mrs. T. O. Evans, Jr., Stoffel, pastor of the First Presby- with a number of other ladies asterian Church, of which Mr. Green sisting them.

sar, R. D. Croom, Sr., R. D. Croom, ed people of Maxton ever had." tin, Jr., J. E. Morrison, R. F. Morrison, Harry Green of Huntington, ris, Marcus Allen, L. W. Anderson, W. Va., and Lester Green of Mt. berton, C. A. Hasty, chairman of

had been an officer for 18 years, conducted the rites with burial at Oak Grove Cemetery in Maxton.

The funeral was widely attended by friends from all over Robeson County including colored and In-Pall Bearers were J. B. McCalldian friends and representatives um, Jr., J. D. Medlin, T. O. Evans, Jr., M. F. McGirt, J. M. Patterson, and M. P. James, Honorary pall girls whom he had taught in years bearers were officers of the First past and especially by the colored Presbyterian Church, D. M. Auspeople, some of whom described tin, J. B. McCallum, Sr., H. C. Couhim as "the best friend the color-

Jr., E. A. Hellekson, C. S. McIn- Attending the funeral from out tyre, L. B. Martin, Sr., L. B. Mar- of the county were two of his bro-D. B. Campbell, J. L. Currie, O. Jackson, Virginia. His brother, W. Ferrene, R. E. Hellekson, G. P. Dudley of Elmhurst, Ill., was un-Henderson, J. V. Henderson, R. C. able to attend because of illness. Holland, Mills Kirkpatrick, Guy Also present were Mrs. Clarence Misenheimer, E. P. Williams, Lu-Daniel and Mrs. C. J. Aaron of ther McNeill, Jr., and Martin Mc-Bristol, Virginia, Mrs. Sam D.

NOTICE

cense taxes for the town of Red Springs are due and payable on July 1st. Tax rates will be the same as those on the 48-49 schedule.

To Hold Public **Hearing On Road Needs In County**

bell B. Jones, solpist, will render special music for the morning worship hour.

ers to call the hearing and to attend it with him. The hearings will start at 2:30 P. M., Monday,

Asheboro the second Tuesday each month at 9:30 A. M." Asheboro hearings, he said, are for the benefit of any persons who cannot attend the called hearings

Arts And Crafts Classes To Begin

registration day will be held on Superintendent Is Monday, July 11.

Many branches of arts and crafts will be taught, stated Miss King,

Classes for children are being armory are Tuesday and Thursday

ing held each Monday and Thu.sday from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the women are on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons at the same time. Registration is not closed for either class, but Miss King urges all interested to register as soon as

the Colonial Stores in Red Springs, presented his first cotton bloom of the year at the Citizen Office on Friday morning. The bloom, a red was grown on his farm on Thursday, June 16.

Red Springs Dogs Must Be Confined

of the Town Board on last Wed:esday night, June 15, it was suggest-

Teachers Honor Green; Political Pot Boils Up Present Gifts In Memory Trouble In Red Springs

COMIC



Featured player Monday night at has been booked all over the coun- mined. try for the past two seasons.

His repetoire includes first base coaching tricks, sideline tom-foolclasses, to be held in the Lumber- ery, priceless imitations and variveek.

Six of the appointees are new July 1, according to announcement him twisting his loose-jointed hody

Methodist Preacher

and classes will be open to chil-dry, and adults Materials will be appear to chil-fayetteville, District Superintend-organization of Lumberton's Little Mrs. S. F. Fowler, and Miss Kath-MAXTON - Rev. W. C. Ball of dro: and adults. Materials will be ent of the Fayetteville District of

Miss King also anonunced that ip, the services will be conducted city's cultural life.

of Mis. J. J. Evans, formerly oc- newsprint. cupied by Mrs. Seabolt.

throughout Robeson County had contributed to gifts for their retiring county superintendent to be presented on June 30. The untimely death of Supt. Clyde L. Green prevented that but the gifts have been presented to Mrs. Green in

The white teachers of Robeson purchased a silver service for pres-Green Monday. A committee composed of M. R. Rich, Mrs. Janie Hargrave, J. N. Walker, and Mrs. Duren Collins selected a six piece service in Internationals Georgian Court pattern.

Colored teachers of the county appointed the five principals of their high schools to solicit contributions and to select the gift select the item herself.

field meet on that night. Former-ly with the Cleveland Indians, he er schools has not been deter-

GROUP PLANNED

of a beautiful sanctuary in worsh make it a permanent part of the Morris. Emphasis in courses pre-

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Doak have should be printed. Evidently he was studied and discussed. armory, and swimming classes for taker an apartment in the home doesn't know the high price of

Fire Dept. Sets New World Record In Sandhills Firemen Competition

world record in the chemical race one in the entire United States and Cuthrell, is directing the school Hi School at the 23rd annual convention of Canada composed entirely of In- with departments for beginners, Sing Mac the Sandhill Fireman's Associa- dians.

ant chief.

tich held at Carthage, June 15, the time being 7½ seconds. This time was tied with the world's record Thomas, assistant chief, Harry W. Gilbert, Mrs. Ben Owens, Mrs. H. of 7½ seconds at 25 miles per hour Locklear, captain, Baisley Hardin, G. Cuthrell, Mrs. W. J. Smith and held by the Sanford fire depart- lt. and firemen Theodore Maynor, Miss Peggy Bullard. ment. The record establishel by the Simeon Oxendine, Jesse Oxendine RED SPRINGS — At a meeting of the Town Board on last Wedeles
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be held in Pembroke in 1950.

Daily Vacation Bible Schools At Baptist, Presbyterian, Methodist

girls have been attending daily vacation Bible schools in their G. M. Whiffield, 90 churches for the past two weeks with the Presbyterian Bible School ending last Friday and the Baptist Bible School still in session through this week. Bible School at the St. Paul's Methodist Church began on Mcr day of this week, directed by Rev. H. G. Cuthrell, pas-

Baptist Bible School

Armory Field in Lumberton will his death the funds (the campaign be Max Patkin, a baseball clown having just started) collected by held on Sunday evening at the were his grandsons.

On the three "Non-longer Members of the three "No be Max Patkin, a baseball clown having just started collected by held on Sunday evening at the who is successor to and perhaps the equal of Al Schacht. Patkin Schools and by Prospect High house when Lumberton and Smith fribute at the funeral. What is lid meet on that night. Former- to be done with collections at other land work periods.

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cholson, Primary; Mrs. J. L. Cur. of James Wesley Whitfield rie, Junior and Intermediate Girls; Mrs. Virginia Thally Whitfield. His and Mrs. D. L. Stone, Sr., Junior parents moved to Lumberton when and Intermediate boys. Other teachers and assistants are Rev. to Monroe. Mr. Whitfield return-Forrest Young, Mrs. J. Carpenter, ed to Lumberton in 1903. He was an active member of Chestnut position in Weldon, and forthwith All persons interested in any Bracey, Mrs. J. R. Hester, Mrs. Street Methodist Church and was branch or the theatre are asked to meet at the armory on Tuesday Bill Dunn, Mrs. Annie Phelps, Mrs. brated their 65th anniversary on high, June 28, at 8 o'clock for the J. G. Gainey, Mrs. D. A. Rascoe, brated their 65th anniversary on he had accepted the city manager's armory of Lumberton's Little Mrs. S. F. Fowler, and Miss Kath. June 12, before her death in July with the description of Lumberton's Little Mrs. S. F. Fowler, and Miss Kath. June 12, before her death in July with the description of Lumberton's Little Mrs. S. F. Fowler, and Miss Kath. June 12, before her death in July with the description of Lumberton's Little Mrs. S. F. Fowler, and Miss Kath. ryn Currie, pianist.

field, including stage setting, lighting, props, make-up and writing. All of these are necessary to have a successful production and of their courses by Rev. E. L. Stof-Sanctuary Importance lighting, props, make-up and writing. Certificates were presented to the ing. All of these are necessary to have a successful production and of their courses by Rev. E. L. Stofheld at present at the various play-grounds located at McMillan's beach, 14th street, South Chestnut street and at the colored schools as a regular part of the supervised play. Tentative dates set for classes in the armory are Tuesday and Thursday

MAXTON — "Beautify the Sanc-base as successful production and volunteers are being called for in all of these lines.

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Just at present, the theatre is for the summer season only, but it is hoped by Mr. McNeil to create through the week at eight or clock. Emphasizing the importance through the winter as well, and Miss Ada Austin, and Miss Jean McLeod, Miss Ada Austin, and Miss Jean McLeod, Miss Ada Austin, and Miss Jean McNeil to create through the winter as well, and Miss Ada Austin, and Miss Jean McNeil to create through the winter as well, and Miss Ada Austin, and Miss Jean McNeil to create through the winter as well, and Miss Ada Austin, and Miss Jean McNeil to create through the winter as well, and Miss Ada Austin, and Miss Jean McNeil to create through the winter as well, and Miss Ada Austin, and Miss Jean McNeil to create through the winter as well, and Miss Ada Austin, and Miss Ada sented in the four departments League saw the high school team ing no: Baldwin and Boden-was on "Our Church" Church is down Singleton-McMillan 7 to 12 heimer. A clergyman says all scandal tory, architecture and organization

'Methodist Bible School On Monday of this week, the Biing through Friday. A picnic will be held tomorrow (Friday) morn-ing presented by the Woman's Soat the Sunday School hour on Sun- over first place. PEMBROKE — The Pembroke The Pembroke Fire department day morning, when diplomas will be awarded. The pastor, Rev. H. G. Preps primary, junior and intermediate

LUMBERTON -Douglas McIn- Home Furn., .800. day night, June 10, it was suggested that the people of the community again be requested to keep their dogs at home. Unless this request is complied with in the near future, it will be necessary to take some left in the race when the hose blew off the hynrant due to being cross threaded. The water Berland Revels, and A. G. Dial.

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year.

Rites Yesterday

terday afternoon at 4 o'clock for of Mr. Ratley's selection, refused George Malcolm Whitfield, well to take the oath of office. And, known retired real estate dealer tumbling along after this action of Lumberton, who died at his came the quick filing of resignahome Monday night at 9:30 o'clock. tions of Leslie E. Baldwin and E Mrs. Forrest Young is the direc- The services were conducted from H. Bodenheimer from the board, Selection had not been made prior to of the Baptist Bible School the home by Rev. F. D. Hedden, after a heated session that lasted to Mr. Greens demise and Mrs. which has had a total enrollment pastor of Chestnut Street Method- nearly four hours last Wednesday Green has been asked by them to of 121 including 22 faculty mem- ist Church, of which he was a night. Heading the committee for the departments. Sessions have been W. Paschall, pastor of the First the heard Dungar McCooker Bernards of the beard Dun Heading the committee for the gift from the Indians was Albert Hunt, president of the Schoolmasters Club. Plans were to present to be and a picnic will be held to eleven and a picnic will be a picnic will be held to eleven and a picnic will be held to eleven and a picnic will be ters Club. Plans were to present tomorrow (Friday) morning by Whitfield. Interment followed in the tomorrow (Friday) morning by the family plot in Hillside ceme- of the three "Non-longer Mem-

nand work periods.

pital until 10 days ago. He would members.

Superintendents in the depart- have been 91 years old had he

June 12, before her death in July ich some two weeks before. Mrs.

and dults. Materials will be furnished at present by the Recreation commission. Instruction will be given in all the basic painting, including water color, splatter paints, and finger parsing, and finger parsing ture, both wood and soap, all types rug weaving; basketry and pottery; plastics and shell hobbies; airplastics and shell hobbies;

to hand the Sing Mac team its Ratley, who was particularly acfirst loss of the season. In other tive during the town election in games played, the Robbin Round- the Grantham, Lewis and McCooers eased out a 6 to 4 victory over gan camp, is a 1 awyer. He was ble School at the Methodist Church the National Guard, and the Home opnosed particularly by Bodanopened for a week of sessions from Furniture team breaking into the heimer and Ealdwin because he mine to eleven each morning through Friday A plenia will a 18 to 12 victory over the win- clerk's job by those whom he sup-

ciety of Christian Service and grad the Mill. Under the direction of municipal government training to uation exercises for completion of Linnie Blake, they have swept acceptably fill the \$4,000 a year Bible school courses will be held aside two straight foes to take job.

Nat. Guard Baptist Batting leaders in league: Hits, Blake, Watts, Home Furn.,

Runs, Bob Van Hoy, Hi School,

Team batting, Blake Watts,

Home runs, Jac Huggins, Watte JUNIOR BASEBALL

The Junior baseball team will take on their first opponents in the Junior League on Thursday when they play the Scouts from Pembroke. A four-team league is being organized with two teams from town, one from the mill, and the Pembroke Scouts. Plans are being made to let each team play a round robin schedule of sixteen games on each Wednesday Thursday afternoons.

GIRLS SOFT BALL

Two teams have already been RED SPRINGS - On Tuesday organized in the girls softball evening at 6:30 members of Boy league with the first game to be Scout troop 78 at the Robbins Mill played on Wednesday afternoon on enjoyed a delightful camp supper the high school diamond. The Bap- on the Maxton Road. Fifteen tist and the Presbyterians will fur- scouts and all members of the nish the opposition. Schedule for coming week:

Friday, June 24: High School vs. Home Furni-

BYE. Nat. Guard vs. Baptist.

Preps vs. Robbin Rounders. Tuesday, June 28: High School vs. Nat. Guard.

Preps vs. Baptist. Rounders vs. BYE.

By DOUGALD COXE
RED SPRINGS — Polities, strange whim of the fates, hit this town a solid blow last week and the Red Springs board of commissioners staggered under the fourfisted giant's hammering blows. Knocked out first, was John Me-Manus, who resigned upon doctor's

orders. Then came a change of alignment of votes on the board which brought about the selection of Durham Ratley as town clerk. William B. McLean was named to Funeral services were held yes-

ments have been Mrs. B. W. Gentry, Nursery Dept.; Mrs. E. P. Smith, Beginners; Mrs. Bessie Ni. Mr. Whitfield was born in Wilmington on June 29, 1858, a son Grantham went to the hospital for and treatment.

In the meantime the chief of po-Surviving are 6 daughters, Mrs. clerk and Clint Parrish was named

Last Wednesday night Ratlev was appointed to the clerk's office by the following vote, after being nominated by R. D. McMillan, and it seconded by Duncan RED SPRINGS—Games played McGoogan. Voting yes were: Mc-Tuesday in the Men's Recreational Millan. McGoogan and Lewis. Vot-

ported despite the fact that they In first place are the Preps from believed he had had insufficient

Nash Kinlaw Is Co. School Head

The county hoard of education has named Nash B. Kinlaw acting superintendent of schools to fill in the unexpired term of the late Clyde L. Green. Mr. Kinlaw will serve until July 1, when the recently named superintendent E. B. Littlefield takes office. Mr. Kinlaw has been bookkeeper in the office of the superintend-



ent since 1944.

TROOP 78 HAS OUTING

troop committee attended. Special quest for the evening was Scout

Executive Carl Knott. Assistant Scout Master Dick Hargett was in charge of the Singleton and McMillan vs. group for the evening. Each scout and guest prepared his own food, built his own fire, and cooked the food under the directions of Mr. Knott.

Supper was prepared over a coal Singleton-McMillan vs. Home fire with meats and vegetables cooked in aluminum foil wrappers, for which process no pots or pans.



Kinnon. Also honorary pall bear-ers were Henry McKinnon of Lum-of Henderson, and hosts of others.

Young and Miss Dorothy Cooper in Lumberton are pictured above. Beginning Miss Doris Turner. Photo is by Bill Norment. Furniture.

Preps vs. at left are Miss Annie Mae McNeil, Miss Ina-

RECENT NURSING GRADUATES OF BA- verna Prevatte, Miss Pauline Hayes, Mrs. Theo-KER-THOMPSON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL dosia Hayes Britt, Miss Margie Riddle, and