

THE 'RAISE MORE FOOD' MEETING HELD HERE SATURDAY WAS A SUCCESS

Mr. James I. Gordon Delivered the Welcome Sermon Before an Appreciative Audience. With a view of raising more corn...

In opening the meeting open for general discussion, Col. Ballou requested Mr. J. W. Horner to submit his views. Mr. Horner arose and stated that the farmers were not aware of the strenuous efforts on the part of the merchants to secure what little supplies there is in the markets...

A splendid testimonial of the productivity of Granville county soil came from Senator Titus C. Currin, one of the most successful farmers in the county. "I am at a loss," said Senator Currin, to know why the farmers of the county do not raise their own supplies...

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THE REMAINS OF SOLDIERS ARE ARRIVING In Caskets of Aluminum Hermetically Sealed.

Those who have seen the boxes in which the dead soldiers are being shipped to this country are very much impressed with the splendid manner in which the bodies are taken care of by the Government. The Public Ledger learns that the remains of three soldiers are expected to reach Oxford early in June.

Each of the boxes contained 36 cubic feet equivalent to being six feet long, three feet wide and two feet deep. The weights, marked on each ranged from 600 to 650 pounds.

Soldiers along with the bodies stated that they left Hoboken early Wednesday morning and at that time another ship load of bodies of soldiers had just landed there.

It is expected that numbers of bodies of soldiers, whose relatives have requested their return, will be arriving in this section from now on, as rapidly as they can be brought from overseas.

SALVATION ARMY DRIVE IS NOW UNDERWAY

Mr. Andrew Jamison is the County Chairman. The campaign of the Salvation Army for the securing of its annual budget for the carrying on of the work in which it is engaged through out the United States started all over the country Sunday, and continue through the Sunday following.

REPUBLICANS TO REORGANIZE IN GRANVILLE COUNTY

Mass Meeting To Be Held Here Next Friday. The Republican executive committee of Granville County, of which Dr. G. T. Sikes is Chairman, and Mr. F. J. McDuffie is Secretary, met in the court house last Friday.

NEGRO PASSES BOGUS CHECK

Several Merchants Were the Victims of a Swindler. Sam Bullock, colored, who held a position at the box factory, is in the lock-up charged with flashing numerous checks. He was arrested and tried last Saturday on three charges, one before Justice Thomas G. Taylor and two before Justice J. J. Medford.

WILSON SIGNS BILL GIVING \$3,000,000 TO RAILROADS' DEFICITS

Washington, May 10.—The urgent deficiency bill, carrying \$300,000,000 for railroad operation deficits, was signed Saturday by President Wilson. It is expected that \$125,000,000 of this sum will be made available to the roads for the purchase of new rolling stock.



HON. O. MAX GARDNER.

Lieutenant-Governor O. Max Gardner, of Shelby, candidate for Democratic nomination for Governor of North Carolina, will invade Granville county next Saturday, May 15, and will speak in the interest of his candidacy at 2:30 o'clock in the court house.

LOCAL BAR ENDORSES JUSTICE W. A. HOKE

At a meeting of the Granville County Bar Association held Thursday, May 6, the following statement and resolutions were unanimously adopted: "At the June primary the Democratic voters will select two nominees for Justice of the Supreme Court, one to succeed Justice Brown, who retires from the Court, and one to succeed Justice William A. Hoke, who is a candidate to succeed himself."

Justice Hoke served as a Judge of the Superior Court from 1891 to 1904, and since 1905 has been a member of the Supreme Court. His wide knowledge of the law, his deep sense of justice and right, his ability to grasp the essentials of a cause, his beautiful character, his splendid attainments and great service to the State are and have been such that we consider it highly important that he be continued as a Justice of our highest Court.

- A. A. HICKS, Chairman, A. W. GRAHAM, Jr., Sec., B. S. ROYSTER, T. LANIER, D. G. BRUMMITT, T. G. STEM, B. K. LASSITER, B. W. PARRHAM, JNO. W. HESTER, F. W. HANCOCK, Jr., E. S. ROYSTER, Jr.

VETERANS OF CIVIL WAR WILL MEET IN FAYETTEVILLE

The North Carolina veterans' reunion will be held in Fayetteville June 1, 2 and 3. Officers will wear uniforms and all others who can. Identification cards will entitle the holder to a two cent railroad fare each way.

STATE EDUCATIONAL MEETING Wonderful Program of Work For the State Outlined.

At the citizens meeting held last week in Greensboro to consult regarding the matter of education for the State a great program of development was outlined. Plans for a real system of State Schools were worked out and submitted. As soon as possible the findings of the various Committees will be published.

FINAL AT STEM HIGH SCHOOL WAS HAPPY EVENT

STEM, N. C., May 10. The commencement at Stem High School, embracing the preliminaries leading up to it, came to a close Tuesday night, May 4th, in the High School building, which was literally crowded to the doors, demonstrating the importance of larger and better school facilities.

Baccalaureate Sermon. On Sunday morning, May 3rd., Rev. Stuart R. Oglesby, pastor of the Oxford Presbyterian Church, delivered a very impressive sermon in behalf of the graduating class, at Stem Methodist Church. His text was taken from the twelfth chapter of Genesis and the last half of the fifth verse.

Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock the graduating exercises were held. The stage was decorated for the occasion with the class colors green and gold. Miss Mamie Moore, the chief marshal led the way as the Seniors came from down stairs up the middle aisle of the auditorium.

Tuesday night Mr. W. S. Gooch delivered the diplomas to the six graduates. There were also many prizes awarded for various things. Eufula Gooch, won fifth grade spelling prize, Kate Nelms, fourth grade spelling prize and Nellie Longmire, the third grade spelling prize, all of which were given by Mrs. Dantei. Also Kate Nelms and William Black each won a prize for attendance and given by Mrs. Daniel.

Tuesday night the high school play, "Claims Allowed" was given in which the characters exhibited superior ability. Mr. Feozor and Miss Long who trained the characters to such a degree of perfection that they are the recipients of many hearty congratulations.

PRESIDENT CALLS ON DEMOCRATS TO STAND SQUARELY FOR TREATY

Party Has Honor of the Nation In Hands, Mr. Wilson Declares. Washington, D. C., May 10.—A call to the Democratic party to go into the campaign standing four square in favor of the treaty of Versailles and against the Senate's reservations was issued yesterday by President Wilson in a telegram to Oregon Democratic leaders made public at the White House.

Declaring that the party had "the honor of the nation" in its hands, the President said that the Lodge reservations were "utterly inconsistent" with that honor as well as destructive of the role of world leadership which the United States must assume.

FRANCE WILL HONOR DEAD OF AMERICA IN FRANCE

The war department announces that France will pay honor to the memory of the American dead in that country on American Decoration Day, May 30. Dr. Horsfield at Badin. A postal card from Dr. Horsfield, who is spending a couple of days at Badin, says: "There will be the usual Wednesday night services at St. Stephen's Church, followed by choir practice."

THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

To Be Held in the Oxford Methodist Church May 11, 12, 13 and 14th. The homes in Oxford will be thrown open this week to the noble Christian workers of the State who will spend four days among us.

The Program. The first work of the session will be the meeting of the executive committee at 3 o'clock this Tuesday afternoon. Tuesday evening 8:00 o'clock. Social Music. Worship led by Miss Mary Pescud. The Call of Korea—Rev. J. H. Moore. The Needs of Japan—Rev. J. N. Frank.

Wednesday 9:00 o'clock A. M. Worship led by Miss Elizabeth Lamb. Address of Welcome—Mrs. R. L. Brown, Oxford Auxiliary. Message from Vice-President—Miss Mary Edla Smith. Organization. Report of Council Meeting of Kansas City—Mrs. Harvey Boney.

Thursday 9:00 o'clock A. M. Worship led by Mrs. J. C. Angier. Reading of Minutes. Report of Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Harvey Boney. Report of Treasurer—Mrs. F. B. McKinnie.

Friday 9:00 o'clock A. M. Worship led by Mrs. Mary L. Hargrove. Reading of Minutes. Election of Officers.

FINAL AT OXFORD COLLEGE

Dr. T. W. O'Kelley Will Preach the Baccalaureate Sermon. Dr. F. P. Hobgood, president of Oxford College states that Dr. T. W. O'Kelley, pastor of the first Baptist Church, Raleigh, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon Sunday morning, May 23.

UNIVERSAL DISARMAMENT WANTED AS DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM PLANK

Albany, N. Y., May 10.—Delegates from New York state to the democratic national convention of San Francisco next month will recommend to the national platform committee the acceptance of a plank calling for universal disarmament as a means of establishing peace on foundations that cannot be easily disturbed and of driving down the high cost of living.

OXFORDS' NEW SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Prof. C. G. Credle Succeeds Prof. G. B. Phillips, Resigned. At a recent meeting of the Oxford School Board Prof. C. G. Credle was elected to the position of Superintendent of the Schools to succeed Prof. G. B. Phillips who recently resigned.

Mr. Credle graduated from the University of North Carolina in 1908 and since that time has been very successful in school work. For the past eight years he has been head of the Public Schools of Carthage. His work in this place has been highly satisfactory. Under his supervision the schools have grown and have become the community center.

DEATURATED ALCOHOL TO TAKE THE PLACE OF GASOLINE

If Congress Passes the Bill You Will See Cheaper Fuel. It has been shown that those who are manipulating the price of gasoline have no mercy. The only defense the people will have will be in resort to some substitute and a practical substitute was long ago discovered in denatured alcohol.

It will be remembered that Congress passed a law by which farmers would have been encouraged to convert surplus potato and vegetable crops into denatured alcohol and simultaneously with passage of the law came discovery that this product would run automobiles same as gasoline. Then the producers of gasoline got busy and the denatured alcohol law was tied up and the country heard no more of the enterprise to which the farmers had begun to turn with great expectations.

REV. G. T. TUNSTALL CALLED TO ENFIELD CHURCH

The Baptist denomination at Enfield has extended a call to Rev. G. T. Tunstall, pastor of Enon, Hester Tabb Creek and Bullock Churches. They have a fine large church, unencumbered with debt, and offer a salary much in excess of the salary paid by the combined churches of which Mr. Tunstall is the pastor.

BAPTIST GO TO WASHINGTON Seventy-fifth Annual Session of Southern Convention Meets Tomorrow

All records for the attendance at the Southern Baptist Convention promise to be broken at the seventy-fifth annual session which opens in Washington City tomorrow. At least ten thousand visitors are expected at the convention.

LAST NUMBER OF LYCEUM COURSE FRIDAY NIGHT

The Swiss Yodlers will present the last number of the Lyceum Course for this season at the Graded School on Friday night. As this is the best of the entire course a large crowd is expected. Get up your tickets and be present.