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NONE BUT COMPETENT MEN NEED APPLY

The Road Commission Of Granville County Has the Pick Of a Number Of Good Men.

The Granville County Road Commission inserted an advertisement recently in a number of State and National-wide publications, specifying the kind of a man they want to superintend the road and bridge work of the county.

Dr. E. T. White, chairman of the Commission, has received a large number of letters in answer to the advertisement. He states that they will be able to secure the right man if the recommendations accompanying the several applications are reliable.

Dr. White was somewhat amused at a letter he received from a man in one of the western counties of the state. This particular applicant stated that he had been engaged on road and bridge work for the past twenty years. To clinch the job he procured a recommendation from a prominent road man and inclosed it in his letter to Dr. White. He evidently could not, or did not, read the recommendation, which briefly stated: "I have known So and So for a number of years. He is a good man, but knows very little about road work and bridges."

DR. J. A. MORRIS ISSUES WARNING AGAINST SMALLPOX

Notice is given to the unvaccinated public that smallpox is in the county again, and this public is reminded that it has no protection against this disease but in vaccination. No use to wait till it comes about you before preparing against the foul disease. It is apt to come to you before you know it is about you. Then your hastening preparation will not avail.

It is in the adjacent counties also, and you need wait no longer hoping it will die before it reaches you. If every one had done as you are doing, it would have reached you before now. If you have a democratic sense of justice, you should show it by vaccinating yourself to protect others exactly as others have been vaccinated to make it harder for you to catch smallpox. A man who refuses to vaccinate gives his community a raw deal. He does not tote fair. Come across, fellow men, and help keep that nasty disease out of the county.

J. A. MORRIS, CO. H. O.

PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION.

(Communicated.)

At a meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association last Thursday evening at the Graded School, the following officers were elected for the year:

President—Mrs. W. H. Upchurch;

first vice president, Mr. Andrew Jamieson;

second vice president, Mrs. D. C. Taylor;

secretary-treasurer, Mr. J. C. Howard.

Eighty-seven members have been enrolled, and it is to be hoped that as many more will be present at the next meeting, which is to be held Thursday evening, April 7th, at 7:30 o'clock, besides the transaction of important business, a delightful program will be given under the direction of the program committee.

It is hoped through this organization to accomplish great things, and teachers are already looking forward to the time, not only when sanitary conditions shall have improved, and the children will have a better chance physically, but when a plan can be worked out in the Grammar School, by which the older and more advanced children in a grade will not necessarily have to lose a whole year, and at the same time prove a hindrance to the other children in the grade.

It is also hoped that after we get our beautiful new High School, we may have an elective course of study in order that the pupil who finds Latin or French distasteful, may still choose another branch of study, and still make the required number of units.

Again, we want a department of Home Economics for our girls, and vocational training for our boys. Only thru organization and cooperation can these things be accomplished, so come, let's everybody boost the Parent-Teacher Association.

STATE OFFICIALS ARRANGE FOR THE GASOLINE TAX

This Money Is To Be Directed To Road Work.

The Secretary of State's office has completed arrangements for collecting the one cent per gallon on gasoline from the oil companies as is provided for in the fifty million dollar road bill which was passed by the General Assembly.

Col. Joe Sawyer, of the automobile license department of the office, completed the details with representatives of the various oil companies doing business in North Carolina.

While the law as drafted provides that the retailers should pay the tax, the oil companies have agreed, with the consent of the Secretary of State, to pay the tax themselves. The tax will be paid on a monthly basis and under this plan can be done much more satisfactorily. It is believed, however, that the system that would have required every retailer dispensing gasoline to make a separate report.

Under this law the State will collect approximately three quarters of a million dollars annually from the sale of gasoline. This money is to be directed to road work in North Carolina.

Your battery should have water about every two weeks. Stop at Wilford Service Station.

THE WALLS OF THE OLD MARKET HOUSE APPEAR TO BE DANGEROUS

The Town Commissioners Are Anxious To Erect A Substantial Building On The Site.

The crack in the tower of the old market house, Williamsboro street, rent by the recent fire which gutted the building, appears to get larger day by day. No doubt a heavy March wind would scatter the brick in the street should the tower topple over.

The town commissioners have expressed a willingness to erect such a building as a reliable firm or individual may want on a long lease. Perhaps they are waiting to hear from interested parties before they remove the walls.

In the mean time they do realize that the bare walls are a contrast to the beauty for which Oxford is noted, to say nothing of the danger. Should the old tower fall and kill two or three people, the damage would be more than it would cost to build a modern courthouse.

DELAZ AUTHORIZED BUILDING OPERATIONS UNTIL MIDSUMMER

No Material Use Of State's Credit For Permanent Improvements Until After July 1. Governor And Council Of State Decide—Road Program May Call For Immediate Funds When New Highway Commission Is Organized; Institutions Must Reorganize.

(News and Observer)

Material use of the credits authorized by the 1921 session of the General Assembly for permanent improvements to various State institutions and for the construction of a State-wide system of roads will not be attempted by the Governor and the Council of State until after July 1.

Road Work.

Probable exception to this plan may be made in the case of road work, if the Highway Commission after its formal re-organization April 1 presents demands upon the Governor for immediate use of a part of the ten million dollars authorized for the first year's work on roads, and in this event, the Commission will proceed directly with the construction of roads now ready to be let to contract.

Money Market Unsettled.

Unsettled and continued unfavorable conditions in the money markets of the world make it unadvisable, according to State Treasurer B. R. Lacy, who has been in close touch with the Governor, to proceed at once to levy on the authorized bond issues. All of the institutional improvement bonds must carry the date of July 1, and no provisions is made for short term borrowings to make any part of the principal available for immediate use.

Interest Goes Up.

Instead of improving since the State was forced to pay 6 1/4 per cent interest on short term notes six weeks ago, the bond market has been further demoralized during the past few weeks, and six and a half per cent is being offered by South Carolina for notes similar to those placed by Mr. Lacy earlier in the year for six and a quarter. Eventual placement of the bonds at a favorable rate of interest is regarded as entirely possible, Mr. Lacy says.

No Worry Over Tax Limit.

With the State debt increased beyond 30 millions, when the interest fund will be in excess of the available income from a five cent levy, question may be raised in the bond market as to the proper safeguards, but that issue will not come up directly for more than a year. The financial policy of the State is predicted now on the income and inheritance taxes, and it is believed that sufficient income can be raised from these sources to take care of the bonds when interest is due.

Road Building Urgent.

The road bonds present a somewhat different situation, with immediacy of the use of the State's credit predicted on the demands of the Highway Commission. What the Commission's attitude will be will not be known until after the meeting to be called by the Governor for the induction of new members April 1. The present Commission has prepared and ready for contract several hundred miles of roads, and it is generally assumed that immediate construction is contemplated.

SPECIAL SERVICES AT THE OXFORD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Special evangelistic services will be held at the Oxford Presbyterian Church on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings at 7:30 and on Saturday afternoon at 3:30. These services are in line with the great interdenominational movement throughout the whole country which has in view a large ingathering of souls in the Kingdom of Christ at the Easter season when the thoughts of everyone are turned to the Resurrection.

The preaching will be done by the pastor, and the public is cordially invited to attend. Thursday evening, there will be a special consecration service for young people, to which the members of the different young people's societies of the town are especially invited.

EASTERN CAROLINA TOBACCO MARKETS CLOSE UP

Wilson Sold 62,204,960 Pounds For \$13,446,382 During The Season. Wilson, N. C., May 21.—The Wilson tobacco market closed the 1920-21 season Friday, having sold the largest number of pounds in any season in its history. During the season 62,204,960 pounds sold here for \$13,446,382 at an average of \$21.61 per hundred. In 1919-20, 42,330,596 pounds were sold for \$22,720,280.44 at an average of \$53.67 per hundred.

The markets in other eastern Carolina cities also closed Friday.

MASS MEETING OF FARMERS IN BRASSFIELD

There will be a mass meeting of all the farmers in Brassfield township, at the Wilson school house Thursday night March 29. This is a most important meeting.

ELEVEN CITIES PREPARE FIGHT AGAINST EXCESSIVE GAS RATES

Eleven North Carolina cities and towns, aroused over exorbitant gas rates, will marshal their forces before the North Carolina Corporation Commission this week, beginning today to convince that body that long enough North Carolina municipalities have borne the burden of temporary and emergency rates that are not only not in keeping with prevailing prices but are undeniably higher than rates in cities of the same size in other States.

Oxford and Henderson. The cities involved are Raleigh, Charlotte, Durham, Winston-Salem, Wilmington, Henderson, Oxford, Goldsboro, New Bern, Elizabeth City and Washington.

North Carolina Towns.

Here are 11 North Carolina cities and the gas rate which public utilities operating therein that enjoyed during the last eight months an emergency relief, and which they are now seeking to maintain permanently.

Raleigh	2.30
Durham	2.30
Goldsboro	2.55
New Bern	2.55
Elizabeth City	2.50
Oxford	2.60
Henderson	2.60
Charlotte	2.50
Winston-Salem	2.30
Wilmington	2.35

The Rate Elsewhere.

Here are twenty cities, ten selected at random to represent approximately the same populations as the eleven North Carolina cities, and ten selected from New York State on the same basis:

Gadsden, Ala.	1.65
Henderson, Ky.	1.25
Salisbury, Md.	1.85
Baltimore, Md.	.60
Amarillo, Texas.	1.50
Suffolk, Va.	1.90
Roanoke, Va.	1.70
Rock Hill, S. C.	1.40
Wilmington, Del.	1.15
Atlantic City	1.35
Amsterdam, N. Y.	1.35
Cheney, N. Y.	1.30
Elmira, N. Y.	.75
Poughkeepsie.	1.90
Rome, N. Y.	1.60
Saratoga, N. Y.	1.70
White Plains.	1.50
Oswego, N. Y.	1.90
N. Rochelle, N. Y.	1.35
Niagara Falls.	1.90

HERE'S THE NEW LAW ABOUT MOTION PICTURES

The Same Law Was Already In Effect.

The nearest law approaching the censorship of moving pictures enacted by the 1921 session of the General Assembly is the Gallert bill, which passed both houses before adjournment, making the exhibition of obscene or immoral pictures a crime.

The text of the bill follows:

"That if any person, firm or corporation shall for the purpose of gain or otherwise, exhibit any obscene or immoral motion picture; or if any person, firm or corporation shall post any obscene or immoral placard, writing, pictures or drawing on walls, fences, billboards or other places, advertising theatrical exhibitions or moving picture exhibitions or shows; or if anyone, firm or corporation shall permit such obscene or immoral exhibitions to be conducted in any tent, both or other place or building owned or controlled by said person, firm or corporation, the person, firm or corporation performing either one or all of the said acts, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and punishable in the discretion of the court. That for the purpose of enforcing this statute any spectator at the exhibition of an obscene or immoral moving picture may make the necessary affidavit upon which the warrant for said offense is issued."

Whether this law is not already covered in the common law was questioned at the time the bill came up for consideration but to be sure of it the statute was written into the law.

NINE WESTERN FLORIDA COUNTIES MAY BE SOLD TO STATE OF ALABAMA

Proposal Will Be Put Squarely Up To The Legislature At Tallahassee At Next Session In April.

Tallahassee, Fla., March 21.—Sale to the state of Alabama of that portion of western Florida lying west of the Apalachicola river and including the nine counties of Bay, Calhoun, Escambia, Holmes, Jackson, Okaloosa, Santa Rosa, Walton and Washington is a proposal that will be put squarely up to the Florida legislature when it meets next month, it was learned here tonight.

NEW ROAD BILLS TO BE PRESENTED TO CONGRESS

Washington, March 21.—Several million dollars additional of road funds will be allowed North Carolina under bills being prepared for introduction next session. The work would be carried on over a period of five years. It is proposed to allow \$100,000,000 a year for that period to be apportioned among the states. The North Carolina state highway department has informed the secretary of agriculture that of existing funds there is a total available now of about \$6,500,000. This includes money from local, state and federal sources.

Railway Men Get Promotion.

George H. Kerr, for the past four years assistant general freight agent for the Southern, Atlantic, Ga., is now traffic manager of the Southern Express Co. Mr. J. W. Bray, division freight agent at Greensboro, has succeeded him. Mr. W. T. Turner, freight agent at Norfolk, succeeds Mr. Bray.

BUFFALO TEAM OF THE INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE WILL PLAY HERE EASTER MONDAY

A Strong Team Is Being Organized To Hold The Big Boys Down. Mr. C. S. Garman went over to Durham Monday, where the Buffalo team of the International League is in training for the season, to make arrangements for the team to stage an exhibition game in Oxford at 3:30 o'clock Easter Monday next. Mr. Garman closed the contract with the manager and the team will be here on schedule time.

In the mean time Mr. S. H. Pritchard, secretary-treasurer of the Oxford team, is organizing a team of superior force to hold the Buffalo team in check. Capt. Lee Gooch, Oxford's national star, who will leave in a few days to join the "Three Eye League" in Illinois, will help Oxford out on this occasion. Coffee and Collier, who have signed up with the Oxford team for the season, are in fine shape for the exhibition game here Easter Monday. Other stars will be engaged for the occasion and the people of Oxford and Granville County will have an opportunity to witness a professional game of magnificent proportions.

The game will be played either on the new high school grounds or Horner Park. The business manager of the Oxford team stated that he hopes the attendance will be large, obviating the necessity to call on the citizens for money to meet the expense of the big game. There will be grandstand seats a plenty. The ladies, too, are expected to turn out in force.

Easter Monday being a holiday, there is no reason why 2000 people should not see the big game. The Oxford team went over to Wake Forest today to show the preachers and the saw-bones how to play ball.

JUDGE ALLEN WILL NOT RETIRE FROM DUTIES NOW

May Be First Judge To Leave Bench Under Judge's Retirement Measure.

Raleigh, March 21.—Qualified both as to age and length of service, Judge Oliver H. Allen will be the first judge in North Carolina to retire from the Superior Court bench under the provisions of the act of 1921, which allows a judge who has passed the age of 70 and has served on the bench for 15 years or more to retire on two-thirds pay for the remainder of his life. Judge Allen authorizes the press of the state to say that he has no intention of resigning at present.

The retirement act, ratified toward the end of the recent session of the General Assembly, fixed the age limit for retirement at 70 years, with the provision that a retiring judge must have served 15 years of quality for the pension. The pay is three-fourths of the salary received at the time of retirement.

Other Judges Can Retire.

Only one other judge of the Superior Court in the State is eligible for retirement during the year, he being Judge B. F. Long, of Statesville, Associate Justice Platt D. Walker, of the Supreme Court, is eligible for retirement, he having reached his 70th birthday in October, 1919, and has served 19 years on the Supreme Court bench.

Chief Justice Walter Clark is also eligible for retirement, he having passed his 70th birthday August 19, 1916, and served for the past 32 years on the Supreme Court bench. Justice William A. Hoke will not be eligible for retirement until October 25 of this year.

MOREHEAD PAVING ROAD FOR HUNGRY PIE EATING CROWD

Republican National Committeeman Drops In For Chat With The President.

Washington, March 21.—John M. Morehead, head of the Republican machine in North Carolina, regarded as the official dispenser of pie for the Republican faithful in the Old North State, called on President Harding last week and visited all of the departments. He let it be known in unmistakable language that the boys down home are very impatient. He took a shot at W. L. Shuck, the Maryland Republican, just named as successor to Colonel Manly McDowell as internal revenue agent for Tennessee and North Carolina, with headquarters at Greensboro. He spoke to Secretary of the Treasury Mellon about the matter, told him that Shuck had not been supported by the Republican organization in North Carolina and was objectionable to the party. Morehead gave out the information that Shuck would be transferred to some other place. So that saves a job for some of the hungry of the G. O. P. in North Carolina.

And following the Morehead stroll around the departments, here is some of the news that developed in the appointing line:

Frank M. Linney is to get his appointment as district attorney for the western district in the next ten days. He will succeed Stonewall J. Durham.

John D. Benbow is to be postmaster at Winston-Salem, John Bryan White is to be the postmaster at Greensboro, O. R. York is to be postmaster at High Point.

Jud Albright will be recommended as postmaster at Charlotte when the vacancy occurs by expiration of the term of Postmaster Weddington. Brownlow Jackson, of Jackson county is to be U. S. Marshal to succeed Charles A. Webb, of Asheville.

Another Problem.

A man rows down a river at the rate of one mile in 12 minutes and back at the rate of one mile in 20 minutes, the round trip occupying 4 hours and 16 minutes. How far down did he go and what was the rate of the river's current?

W. P. STRADLEY.

Textile mills are to be called upon for additional federal taxes, it is reported, on the ground that deduction made for building communities and kindred purposes from incomes of the last two years should not be allowed.

THE REMAINS OF DR. PETER WESTLEY YOUNG REMOVED TO ELMWOOD

Died Here Thirty-Five Years Ago and Was Buried In The Old Cemetery On Hillsboro Street.

The good name of Dr. Westley Young, who practiced medicine in this section for many years, is affectionately remembered by many old and middle-aged people. He died 35 years ago and was laid to rest in the old cemetery on Hillsboro street. After the death of Dr. Young, his widow moved to Henderson, where she died and was buried some 15 years ago.

Relatives in Henderson had the remains of Dr. Young and his wife exhumed last Monday and interred side by side in Elmwood Cemetery, Oxford. The metal casket in which rested the remains of Dr. Young was as sound as on the day it was consigned to earth.

Speaking of Dr. Young, Dr. N. Daniel said that he was at one time associated with the late Dr. Sam Booth; that they were highly esteemed and did a large practice. He said that Dr. Young would frequently go to the country to see a patient and his services were so much in demand he would not return to Oxford for several days.

Mr. J. A. Young, of Raleigh, former Commissioner of Insurance, is a son of Dr. Young, the subject of this sketch. The Coopers were also related to Dr. Young.

A CAMPAIGN OF EVERLASTING BENEFIT TO OXFORD

Old Boxes and Rubbish No Longer Seen As They Once Were.

There has been quite an improvement in the appearance of the streets, sidewalks, alleys and backlots in Oxford since the memorable "clean up and paint" campaign conducted by Mrs. Margaret Lassiter two years ago.

Old boxes and rubbish are no longer seen as they once were. And the merchants are not displaying their goods on the sidewalk any more. The Public Ledger has been delighted recently to hear visitors comment favorably upon the beauty of our town and the splendid spirit of co-operation on the part of our merchants in keeping the sidewalks in front of their places of business free from obstruction.

MOONSHINERS ON THE INCREASE

A Blue Streak Of Smoke At The Dawn Of Day Leads Officers To A Still.

"Come with me, boys, and I will show you how to capture a still," said Capt. Hutchins, addressing Deputies Conrad Walters, Ed Lyon and Crawford Davis, one day last week. At the command of their chief, the officers buckled their armor about them and started for Bowling Mountain. Leaving their car at the foot of the mountain they made their way to the highest point of the ridge and awaited the first ray of light in the East. It was a still, cold morning, and not a sound was heard save the twittering of the birds.

Just as the sun came up out of the ocean Capt. Hutchins addressed the sleepy men about him in a whisper: "What do you see in the distance, my good men?"

"We see nothing, good and loyal chief," responded the men.

"O, ye of little faith," said Hutchins, "don't you see that blue streak of smoke in the distance?" The men looked about them and in the distance saw several pillars of blue smoke.

"There is a still at the base of each one of those pillars," said Hutchins. "Let us be up and doing."

As the officers approached the pillars of smoke to the right of them, a watchman of the night fired his signal gun and the moonshiners departed for the tall timber, taking the hot still with them, which they hid in a clump of bushes.

Arriving at a most secluded spot, sheltered by the tall banks of the stream and a net work of bramble, the officers found 300 gallons of beer. They destroyed the fermenters and later found the still and brought it to Oxford.

LEGION VETERANS LOAFING

More Than 400,000 Ex-Service Men Out Of Employment.

New York, March 21.—There were 400,000 veterans of the world war out of work in the United States on March 1 last, according to an estimate received by the American Legion. This is a reduction of about 100,000 from the "peak" of more than 50,000 jobless ex-service men in the country shortly after January 1, last and the Legion reports state there is promise of further improvement.

COMMODITY PRICES

Showing a Decline Of 50 Per Cent Since 1920.

(Commerce and Finance)	
No. 1 spring wheat, 1920, \$3.05; 1921, \$1.98.	
Corn, 1920, \$2.35; 1921, 86c.	
Flour, 1920, \$14.75; 1921, \$9.25.	
Lard, 1920, \$1.75; 1921, \$1.65.	
Pork, 1920, \$42.00; 1921, \$30.00.	
Coffee, 1920, 15c; 1921, 6c.	
Sugar, 1920, 14c; 1921, 8c.	
Are retail prices in your community keeping pace?	

DR. J. L. SPRUILL WILL DISCUSS TUBERCULOSIS HERE

As previously announced, Dr. J. L. Spruill, of the Extension Department of the State Tuberculosis Sanatorium, aided by a trained nurse to help women and children and others in the preparation for examination, will conduct a clinic Monday and Tuesday, March 28-29, at the court house.

The Oxford Woman's Club has engaged Dr. Spruill to lecture on tuberculosis at the court house on the evening of the 28th. The club hopes there will be a large attendance.

THE MACHINERY ACT EXPLAINED FOR THE COUNTY BOARDS

Tax Commission Prepares Them For Revaluation.

(Raleigh Special)

The tax commission has printed extracts of the new machinery act dealing with the revaluation of real estate in North Carolina and in sending copies of this law to the county commissioners of every county. This new law is so elastic that it will meet the conditions in practically every county in the state.

It gives the county commissioners the right of adopting any one of four methods in regard to tax values in their counties. The law taxes care of the county which is satisfied with its tax values, and which have suffered no general depreciation in the value of their property. For those counties which do want to make some adjustment of their tax values the following methods are provided by the new law:

1. The county commissioners may appoint a county board of review, causing the old organization of the 1919 valuation work, which shall sit with the county commissioners for the purpose of making a general study of the tax values. This meeting shall be held on the first Monday in April, 1921, and after the complete investigation of the tax values as compared with the market values have been made, the county board of review may make horizontal cuts or increases in the values and certify these changes to the state tax commission not later than April 20, 1921.

2. The board of county commissioners will have the right to adjust specific complaints of individuals about their property, when there is no general demand for changes in the tax values. The commissioners will furnish blanks which may be used by the individuals who think their property has been assessed at too high a figure. This provision takes care of both under the valuation and over valuation. When these complaints are received the commissioners may appoint the county auditor or any resident free holder who has general knowledge of property values to make the investigation and report back to the board, which shall revise the figures not later than July 15 of this year.

3. "If the board of county commissioners of any county, at their regular monthly meeting on the first Monday in April, 1921, shall be of the opinion that the valuation of real estate in such county is so unequal as between the owners of real estate as to require a more general revision of assessments than is provided for" in the other sections of the act, it may by resolution put this on record, and then appoint the necessary board of review to make a complete revision of the property in the county. A complete revision of the property will have to be made in the counties which select this remedy. The work must be completed by July 15 and the results certified to the state tax commission.

The tax commission has no authority over the values except to equalize them as between the different counties. It will have the right to adjust the values in the different counties in such a way that one county will not be paying on a fifty or seventy-five per cent basis of actual value while the other county has its property on the books at the market value.

A PROFESSIONAL NURSE WILL VISIT OXFORD MARCH 30th.

Sent Out By The State Board Of Health.

According to the Bureau of Vital Statistics, North Carolina State Board of Health, about every other child born in Eastern North Carolina has an ignorant midwife to see that it is started along the journey to a healthy life. This means that during the days before and after birth one half of the mothers trust their lives in the hands of these women.

With the aim to improve the situation, the Bureau of Epidemiology and the Bureau of Infant Hygiene and Public Health Nursing of North Carolina State Board of Health are carrying on an extensive campaign to educate these women, most of whom are negroes.

Important things are to be done at the birth of a child other than rendering surgical and medical aid. There must be filled a complete and accurate birth certificate to assure the child of its age for school attendance, etc. Silver nitrate must be dropped in the eyes, to prevent blindness.

With a view to instructing the midwives along these lines, a nurse from the State Board of Health, Raleigh, will be at the Court House in Oxford at 10 o'clock, Wednesday morning, March 30.

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICES IN ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH

Morning Service with sermon at 10:30. Three Hour Service from noon until 3 p. m. This service consists of readings, hymns, meditations and prayers, and is designed to fill the anniversary of the three hours of darkness, whilst the Savior hung on the Cross. Bishop Brents "Consolations of the Cross" will be read as addresses. The attendants at this service are at liberty to come and go at their own convenience. Evening Service with address 7:30 o'clock.

A lively meeting of republicans is expected when the leaders from all over the state gather in Greensboro today.