

THE TORCH

A department conducted for The Warren County Memorial Library By MABEL DAVIS The Librarian

New Books

The following new books arrived yesterday and are ready for circulation this morning: "Obscure Destinies," Willa Cather; "The Store," T. S. Stribling; "Happiness Hill," Grace Livingston Hill; "Saint Saturnin," Jean Schlumberger; "The Buring Bush," Sigrid Undset; "Platinius Select Works." An order for children's books will be sent in today.

The books mentioned need no introduction as the authors are well known. Willa Cather ranks high among American novelists. Her "Shadows on the Rock" was awarded the Pulitzer prize, a few months ago. Sigrid Undset, Norwegian writer and winner of the 1931 Nobel prize, has long been popular with our readers. Schlumberger is a distinguished French novelist, playwright and critic. Time (magazine) referring to "The Store" by T. S. Stribling, says it is the most important American novel of the year.

Addition to Jones Memorial Shelf
We are indebted to those friends of his, who two years ago contributed funds to maintain a collection of books in memory of Brodie Jones, for a copy of "America Adventures," by Julian Street. The author who is not a native of the South, writes his appreciation of things southern in this book. Read it you will feel repaid.

More Thanks

The librarian acknowledges with thanks the cooperation of "a friend" who, according to her custom of several years standing, left one dollar at the desk the first of the month, and to Mr. Mabrey, of Hollister, who having heard of our orphaned state, also left one dollar at the desk last month. To them, and to the members of the Fifty-Fifty Club who are so generously supplying new books every month, the librarian feels most grateful. They are strengthening the moral of those who are trying to carry on a great work.

8 NEW TEACHERS

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Miss Ida Holland, Miss Floy Brewer, Miss Lillah Glenn Nelson.

Drewry—The Drewry committee hopes to keep the same faculty as last year which is as follows: J. C. Stabler, principal; Miss Etta Fleming, Miss Helen Read, Miss Judith Boyd.

Wise—Miss Emily Milam, principal; Miss Rosa Palmer, Miss Carrie Dunn, Miss Sallie Page Perkinson, Vaughan—Harry Fishel, principal; Miss Myrtle Harris.

Inez—Miss Anna Clark.
Two new trucks will be used in the county system this year. One of these will operate from Arcola and the other from Jones Springs. Drivers have been selected as follows:

Warrenton—John Cawthorne, John Gupton, Lee King, Clifton Tucker, E. G. Hamm, Edwin Davis, William Louis Fleming, Afton-Elberon.

Littleton—Wilbur Shearin, Elmo Spraggins, Robert King, Roy Salmon.

Wise—Hal White, to Norlina, Mabry Copley, Norman Ball, to Norlina.

Elams—Albert Moseley.
Macon—Robert Odom, Jesse Shearin, Thomas Neal, Marvin Stegall, Russell Palmer.

Norlina—Lawrence Rose, Herman Painter, Clifton Rooker, William Mayfield.

Afton-Elberon—J. T. Ayscue, Clarence Rideout, William Louis Fleming, to Warrenton, Macon Reavis.

Drewry—Erick Seaman, W. W. Kimball Jr., John Bender.

SKINNER IS AGAIN

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without the consent of the board of county commissioners be made invalid.

2. That the quadrennial assessment be abolished and the board of county commissioners be empowered to make such adjustments in assessed values as they deem necessary each year.

3. That, whereas, it has been impossible for the county commissioners in various counties to reduce the valuation on property to what it should have been on account of the fact that it would have been impossible to balance the budget of our general fund on account of the constitutional limitations of 15 cents for general county purposes, the General Assembly is asked to create special purposes in order that the property may be put on the tax books at its reasonable value and at the same time balance the budgets.

4. That the time for listing of taxes be changed from May 1 to January 1.

5. That the question of a complete revaluation of real property, or a horizontal reduction in values,

be left in the discretion of the boards of county commissioners.

6. That the terms of offices of county commissioners be extended from two to four years, the present system of alternate elections being kept in force.

Resolutions were also adopted: Endorsing the work and administration of Director Charles M. Johnson, of the Local Government Commission.

Asking the State Highway Commission to take over the 30-day prisoners insofar as possible.

Endorsing the principle of the plan of the Institute of Government to be held at Chapel Hill under the direction of Albert Coates, of the University law school.

The retiring president, George L. Mansbury, Greensboro, received the endorsement of the convention when he suggested the commissioners exchange ideas on ways of taking advantage of the federal relief funds.

SCHOOLS TO RUN

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Lacking only one pupil for an extra teacher, that some relief might be provided by the state board of equalization.

A copy of this letter was sent to Leroy Martin, Executive Secretary of the State Board of Equalization. On Tuesday Mr. Martin wrote Superintendent Allen that "It is not my understanding that this board has agreed to allot a fifth teacher to the Afton-Elberon school. With reference to the 25 high school pupils attending the Afton-Elberon school last year, it was the decision of this board when the original allotment of teachers was made that these should be transferred to the Warrenton district. No action rescinding this decision has been taken."

Superintendent Allen said that the probable outcome of the matter would be that both Afton-Elberon and Warrenton would begin operation on the same schedule as that of last year, and that both schools would probably apply for an additional teacher upon the basis of expected increased enrollment.

FARMERS MAKE

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the tour, joined the group at Hundley's Spring to enjoy lemonade and barbecue and Brunswick stew prepared to a queen's taste by Frank Hawks.

Following the dinner, with Bob Bright serving as master of ceremonies, brief remarks were made by Mr. Hansen, Prof. Chappel of the Norlina school, Bignall Jones, editor of The Warren Record, J. C. Hardy, editor of the Norlina Headlight, Sheriff W. J. Pinnell, W. A. Connell Jr., and J. C. Howard, government loan agent.

Preceding the speechmaking, cards bearing the names of those present were dropped into a box and a hundred pounds of Arcadian Nitrate of Soda awarded to the first five names drawn. Winners were L. H. Kilian, T. W. King, T. T. Hawks, Bignall Jones, and Harry Limer.

Accompanying the farmers on the tour were Bob Bright, teacher of agriculture at Warrenton, C. G. Lawrence, teacher of agriculture at Norlina, and A. W. Parker, teacher of agriculture at Littleton.

VARIETY OF CASES

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by Julius Banzet who argued that the mere smell of whiskey was not sufficient evidence to convict his client. An appeal was noted after Judge Taylor had announced his decision.

Mack Moore, negro from the Norlina section, was found guilty of assault, and was fined \$5.00 and costs and given a four months road sentence. The latter sentence was suspended upon the condition that the costs and fine were paid.

Tom Hayes, negro, was found guilty of trespass and was sentenced to the roads for a period of two months. The road sentence was lifted provided he pay the costs in the action.

Afton Items

Miss Olive Limer of Raleigh spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Limer.

Mr. Ralph Kelly of Broadway visited in the community this week end.

Mrs. H. P. Reams of Raleigh is visiting her son, Mr. Boyd Reams.

Miss Aileen Bowden is visiting relatives in Fuquay Springs this week.

Misses Grace Burroughs and Bessie Pinnell are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pinnell of Newport News.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Ledbetter and family of Greensboro, Maryland, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. William Limer last week.

Miss Marie Pinnell and Mr. P. W. Cooper visited Miss Addie Pinnell at St. Luke's hospital on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pinnell of Newport News were visitors of their parents during the week end.

Mrs. Ernest Hardy of Hookenton The providence Sunday school enjoyed a picnic at the washout on last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hardy and Mr. Charlie Sagg of Hookenton,

Mrs. J. L. Pinnell of Newport News and Mr. and Mrs. David L. Kearney were dinner guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burroughs on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Limer and son, Morris, and Miss Ada Limer were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Limer of Goldsboro on Sunday.

The Afton-Elberon Scout Troop left Monday morning for a week's camping at the Occoneechee Council of Camp Craggy near Raleigh.

Quite a number of friends enjoyed a barbecue and Brunswick stew given at Mr. Roy Daniel's on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. M. S. Dryden delightfully entertained the Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church at her home on Tuesday afternoon. Miss Saddle Limer had charge of the program. Fifteen were present. The hostess served delicious ice cream and cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wiggins and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wiggins of Littleton were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pinnell on Tuesday afternoon.

Churchill Items

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Gardner and son returned to their home at Gibson last Wednesday after spending a week with his mother, Mrs. Anna Gardner.

Miss Annie Myrtle Halthcock, who is in training at Park View hospital, Rocky Mount, came home last Friday to spend two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Halthcock.

Mr. Walter Bell of Henderson is spending some time with his sister, Mrs. Claude King.

Mr. Louis Lawrence of Raleigh is visiting in the home of his uncle, Mr. H. V. Scarborough.

Misses Catherine and Ruby Wall of Elams are spending a few days with Miss Annie Myrtle Halthcock.

Mrs. U. E. Swann of Beaufort spent a day recently with her mother, Mrs. Anna Gardner.

Mrs. Val A. Bell of near Henderson is visiting relatives and friends in this community.

Mr. Mack Capps spent last Sunday at Ocean View, Va.

Mrs. W. M. Halthcock and Mrs. H. J. Gilliland of Henderson spent a day recently with relatives here.

Miss Lois Halthcock spent last week end in Henderson.

Mrs. Helen Overby of Ridgeway is visiting friends in this neighborhood.

The Rev. E. C. Shoe and J. D. Roache are conducting revival services at Gardner's Baptist church this week.

The name Popocatepetl is Aztec for "smoking mountain."

Inez Items

Mr. and Mrs. Joyner and children of Gupton visited Mr. and Mrs. Vance Dillard Saturday.

Miss Gladys Benson was the guest of Miss Verneta Clark Sunday afternoon.

Miss Rachel King of Arcola is spending several days this week with Miss Martha King.

Misses Rebecca and Bettie Cooper of Arcola are spending several days with Mrs. Frederick Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Clark and children and Miss Gladys Benson visited Mrs. Mattie Cullous of Wilson Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. T. W. King visited her daughter, Mrs. Carly Ellington, at Hollister last week.

Miss Julia Hamlet of Hollister is visiting her sister, Mrs. Foster King, this week.

Miss Ida Leonard of Centerville is visiting Miss Pattie Florence Edwards this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton, Misses Catherine and Rosalie Brown spent Saturday night and Sunday at Roxboro with Mrs. Clayton's parents.

Marmaduke Items

The revival begins at Reedy creek the third Sunday in this month. We will have services at three o'clock in the afternoon, and then at 8:00 o'clock that night. The Rev. James Evans of Wake Forest will assist Mr. Michener. We hope to have a large attendance as Mr. Evans is a fine preacher.

Mr. W. J. James Sr., of Warren Plains spent several days recently with his son in this place.

Mrs. C. A. Halthcock and daughter spent one day recently with relatives in South Hill, Va.

Mrs. Jim Finch of Henderson is spending several days with her sister, Mrs. H. C. Davis.

Miss Edna Clark, after spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. John Coe of Durham, is home again.

Mrs. John Hudgins of Warrenton and daughter of Florida, also Miss Madge Hudgins of Raleigh, were callers in the home of Mrs. D. L. Robertson one day recently.

Miss Bessie Powell recently spent several weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. L. Alston, of Hollister.

Mrs. C. A. Halthcock spent Monday with Mrs. J. L. Alston of Hollister.

Mr. W. J. James and sons, Mr. Victor H. Riggan of Mountain View and Misses Carrie Halthcock and Bessie Powell with Misses Sadie Mae Alston and Mary Davis Alston of Hollister spent Monday in Rocky Mount.

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Clark were callers in Hollister Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Harris and children of near Manson, also Mr.

and Mrs. Robert James and children of Afton, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. James.

Mrs. George Tucker and children of Henderson were visitors in the home of Mr. H. C. Davis Sunday.

Mr. Clarence Davis has returned to Canada to work in tobacco.

Mrs. Joe D. Riggan and children of Mountain View called on Mrs. W. J. James and sister Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleary Halthcock of Badin spent a week recently with their parents of this place.

Fire Company Is Back From Meeting Held At Greenville

Members of Warrenton's fire company returned last night from Greenville where they have been taking part in the annual convention of the North Carolina Colored Volunteer Fire Association. According to word received here from Greenville late yesterday afternoon the Warrenton company won first prize in one contest and second in another. With about 25 men strong, the company left here on Monday.

PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Mabelle Pitts of Macon is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Palmer.

Mr. Frederick Williams of Inez was in town Wednesday.

Miss Kate White Williams left last week for Quitman, Ga., where she will be some time on the tobacco market.

Mrs. T. A. Baxter and Miss Katherine Baxter and guest Miss Bettie Stallings of Macon and Mr. Frank Banzett of Ridgeway were visitors here Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Louis Fuller of Afton was in town Wednesday.

Miss Kathleen Bryson is visiting Miss Lucy Baskerville.

Mrs. Bob Powell of Henderson was a visitor here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Williams and

family of Hickory are guests in the home of Mrs. J. B. Williams.

The Misses Elizabeth Morton and Annie Herring of Greenville were guests in the home of Mrs. Jack Scott yesterday.

Miss Marian Nonris of Waverly, Va., was a guest of Miss Alice Burwell Sunday.

Miss Alice Burwell returned Sunday after spending several days at Boynton, Va.

Dr. Newsom Battle of Rocky Mount was a visitor here on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Thorp of Rocky Mount and Mrs. Rody Williams of Dunn were guests of Mrs. Frank H. Gibbs and Mr. W. T. Polk last night.

Miss Lucy Lee Yearby of Fredericksburg, Va., and Miss Adelaide Sim of New York have been guests of Miss Elizabeth Taylor. Following their visit here Miss Taylor accompanied Miss Yearby to Fredericksburg for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Allen and children left yesterday for Roxboro where they will make their home.

Misses Gertrude and Dell Overby of Creek have returned home after spending several days with their aunt, Mrs. Mattie Harris.

Mr. T. B. Overby and son, Charles, were visitors here Tuesday.

Messrs. Ben Batts and William Carroll, Misses Nell Benthall and Ann Stackhouse and Mrs. G. H. Macon were visitors at Raleigh on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Peoples of Elberon were here yesterday.

Mr. Jesse Harris of Vaughan was a visitor here this week.

Mr. John Picot of Littleton was a visitor at Warrenton on Wednesday.

Mr. J. P. Shearin was a visitor at Warrenton this week.

Mr. Kasper Kilian of Ridgeway was a visitor at Warrenton Wednesday.

Mr. John L. Skinner of Little-

ton was a visitor at Warrenton on Monday.

Mr. Frank O'Neil of Henderson spent Sunday night here as the guest of Mr. Howard Jones Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard F. Jones and Mr. Howard F. Jones Jr. visited Mr. and Mrs. Spotswood Burwell at Henderson Sunday.

Want Ads

BUY YOUR SCHOOL TABLETS and fillers by the dozen. Save 10c. Allen, Son & Co.

A FEW CLOSE-OUTS IN LADIES' Dress Slippers at \$1.39 a pair. Sizes in the lot. Allen, Son & Co. Company.

WE THINK THE BOTTOM PRICE has been reached in cotton goods. We are buying cotton goods now and advise you to do the same. Buy sheets, towels, etc., now. The price will be higher later. Allen, Son & Co.

WEEK END AND OVERTIME traveling bags. Rayon lined nickel hardware—a wonderful value at \$1.95. Allen, Son & Co.

FOR SALE—ANTIQUE SIDE-board in good condition. Very old and pretty. See W. F. Allen, Warrenton.

THE GREATEST SHOE VALUE ever offered—work or dress shoes. Let us show you, and we will prove it. Allen, Son & Co.

FIRST SHIPMENT OF NEW Fall dresses arriving today. See them. Allen, Son & Co.

TRY A PAIR OF OUR 69c LADIES' Silk Hose and be convinced that they are the best hosiery value to be had. They are first quality (not imperfects), service weight or chiffon. Allen, Son & Co.



Stay in Business!

Advertising

Will Help You Make Profits

Wait, just wait until some rosy dawn when business is going to pick up all of a sudden. Wait until prosperity comes around the corner. Wait, just sit back and wait and let your competitors run away from you. Wait until you have to hang out a "FOR SALE" sign. You can wait if you want to, but there are others who aren't going to wait. They know that the age of miracles has passed—business isn't going to be good until they make it so. They're using advertising to tell their sales story and THEY'RE GETTING RESULTS!

TO THE SERIOUS MEN of This County

Life is a voyage and we are sailing under sealed orders. A life insurance policy is a welcome order to be opened when the voyage is ended.

Claude M. Halthcock "Pilot to Protection"

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WARRENTON DAIRY PURE CREAM 1-2 pt. 15c; pt. 30c; qt. 60c

We are missing Stuart this week. He is off on his vacation. Our force hopes he enjoys his freedom, but will be mighty glad when he comes back.

Vacation Needs

- Sunburn Creams And Lotions
- Make-up Kits
- Bathing Caps
- First-Aid Kits
- Thurmos Bottles
- Skeeter-Shoot, Citronella and other insecticides
- Razors, Soaps, Shaving Cream, Tooth-Brushes and Tooth-Pastes
- are only a few of the many Vacation Specials we are offering.

"Hey!" roared the constable. "You can't swim there!" "I know I can't. Help! Help!"

"Those two girls appear to be very good friends."

"Yes, there is a compact between them."

She: Haven't I met you before? At the Ritz, New Year's eve?

He: So that's where I was!

Evesdropping again, said Adam as his wife fell out of a tree.

Freshman: May I have the last dance with you? Footsore: You have had it.

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