

and so did the donkey-looked exactly as though they were wrestling: George Kane fell off once and got confident he could be elected, said he a terrific bump; Duey Bradsher had a had acted "reluctantly." swell time climbing off and on his donkey at first; Bill Minor batted and tried to mount his donkey from the right side; the donkey didn't like it much and shied, so Bill hung onto anything that he could find, which happened to be the neck of the man holding his donkey; Otey McBroom locked his legs around his donkey so he couldn't fall off; Judge Nicks lost his straw hat in the melee when he tried to mount his donkey after batting; F. O. Carver, Jr. could not mount after he had batted, someone suggested that he bring a step-ladder the next time: everyone seemed to have a bouncing good time; Henry Gates lost his spectacles when he went to bat; Gordon Hunter got enough on the first ride and called for a substitute; Wheeler Newell bit the dust once or twice; Jack Strum's mulie bit him and Jack exclaimed: "Well, can you imagine that!" Gene Thompson trying the same trick; Earl Bradsher made a star catch one time at firstand then fell off his mule; one thing missed was Baxter Mangum's pretty new uniform that one is accustomed to see him wear at baseball games; Geo. Currier and Robert Long rode like veterans; Wallace Woods and Billie Montague kept the outfielders busy; Philip Thomas sat on his mount like an oldtimer; Tom Brooks almost swallowed his cigar; Jack Hughes had a hard time staying on the top side of his donkey; Chris Wagoner and Jake Taylor vied for pitching honors; Sam Merritt hung onto his donkey for dear life; Leonard Heffner covered the situation at center field; Sam Winstead grabbed his donkey around the neck and stayed put. One word description of the game-Frolicsome.

## **Pre-School Clinic**

ceive notice of day and hour to come. band who was a minister and educa- gardens at Lattimore, Training School will be held at the Dr. H. M. Beam and drives ten miles in Bennettsville, S. C., Laurinburg, be given to the church that has the be present.

his donkey in the first inning, he fell asked him to call at the White House before announcing any intention to leave Congress, Mr. Doughton, who was

#### **His Statement**

Mr. Doughton's statement follows in full:

"After mature consideration on my part, and consultation with the highest administration leaders, I have decided not to become a candidate for for me to consider other duties rather ing of the year. than my own inclinations.

"I have reached this decision reluctantly. For the past several months addressed the group briefly. come a pressure which seemed impos- pertinent to their field of work. sible to decline. I hardly need say, however, that my decision not to make the race is no evidence of a lack of interest in the welfare of my State. I almost had a fight with his mule for have merely been convinced that my best field of service at the present time, if I am to remain in public life, is with the Congress and for the nation

> "There is no way for me to adequately express the deep appreciation I feel to those thousands of friends and fellow citizens of North Carolina who have evidenced their confidence in me by wanting me as their Governor. I am profoundly grateful for their generous expressions and deeply conscious of the trust they would place officers are to be elected. in me.'



**County Wide Teachers Meeting** Held In Courtroom Monday Afternoon

Dr. Holland Holton of the Duke University School of Education ad-Governor of North Carolina. My po- dressed a county-wide meeting of sition as chairman of the Ways and teachers in the courtroom Monday af-Means Committee makes it necessary ternoon at 3:30 P. M. in the last meet-

Mr. S. G. Winstead, presiding officer, called the meeting to order and Farm so many people in North Carolina have Agent H. K. Sanders, and County urged me to become a candidate for Health Nurse Mrs. Ruth M. O'Briant Governor that their insistence had be- also addressed the teachers along lines

> Dr. Holton talked to the one hundred and fifteen teachers present in a general theme of education, bringing to them many practical things that could be used in the daily life of the school,

IMPORTANT CONGREGA-TIONAL MEETING AT PRESBY'RIAN CHURCH

#### 9:45 A. M. Church School.

the service there will be a meeting of mer number left we still take great

6:45 P. M. Young People's Meeting.

# Dr. Holland Holton Commencement At **Bushy Fork To Be** Held Next Week Robert P. Burns Will Deliver Address

On Friday Morning, May 10

Commencement exercises will get Large Crowds And Much Interunder way at Bushy Fork School Wednesday evening at 8:00 P. M. when the lower grades will present an operetta in the school auditorium.

On Friday morning the exercises will conclude with the delivery of an address by Mr. Robert P. Burns.

At 10:30 on Friday morning the fifth, sixth and seventh grades will have their exercises. The scholarship certificates will be presented to the seventh grade students, and attendance certificates will also be presented at the same time. Superintendent S. G. Winstead will do

the presenting. Mr. Robert P. Burns will deliver an address to the group.

**Old Veterans** 

May the 10th is "Veterans Reunion Day"-a day set apart to honor and give pleasure to our beloved soldiers of the War Between the States. While

**Re-Union** 

Day

the congregation at which several new pleasure in having them with us on this session. On Wednesday morning this month, this day. Sunday School room of the M. E. Somerset Mills.

> Church at 11 o'clock. Person County Chapter, Mrs. R. H. Gates, Pres

Union Meeting

under the head of "Views and Reviews" The Young People's Union of Casread the first article which appears in this issue.

10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Each child will re- Mrs. Beam, since the death of her hus- dale and was thrilled over the tulip Lacy Burns will be our principal speakers for the evening. You must Pre.-School clinic for Person County for, has made her home with her son, She visited relatives and friends not miss it. An attendance banner will

school at 1 P. M. Wednesday, May 8th. to her school daily. She served as as- Raeford, Raleigh and Louisburg on her largest number present. Make it a All children who will enter school for sistant superintendent with her hus- return home and was back in her close race. We are going to expect noon to visit in Eastern Carolina where has made his home in California for the first time next term are urged to band for several years, then finally classroom Tuesday morning ready for every church in both counties to be he will fill appointments at Mt. Gilead, many years and has only recently rehad complete charge of the office as work, after traveling nearly 700 miles represented. Come and bring a lunch. Elizabeth City and other places. He turned here to live. He is now con-

**Revival At Baptist Church To Continue** Through The Week

est Manifest At Every Meeting

The revival at the First Baptist church is still in progress and will continue throughout the week, with services twice daily, 9:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. The pastor, Rev. W. F. West, is doing the preaching and he is greeted by large congregations, while Mr. Hickman is leading the song service. The services will come to a close on Sunday night, so it was announced this morning. These services are rather unusual, as seldom does a home preacher have such large congregations. The people are hearing Mr. West gladly and undoubtedly his sermons have made, and are making, a deep impression.

**Miss Winstead With** 

Views And Reviews

We are proud of our correspon-

of this group. This writer is writing

Rev. J. H. Shore left Tuesday after-

VISITING IN EASTERN

Somerset Mills

ber of counties voting wet reduced to probably 25 or less, and will then be voted on by the people in June.

While there are quite a number of matters which will have to have attention the members, that is those who are still at their post-as many have gone home and will not be present at any other sessions this year, will give them scant consideration, for they have just about made up their minds to adjourn some time next week.



Building Has Been Leased By Person Oil Co. For A Service Station

Alterations on the front of the Winstead Warehouse are scheduled to begin at an early date. The building has been leased by the Person Oil Co. local distributors for Shell Products. and an up-to-date service station will be put to the front of the building. Though the contract for the work

has not been definitely let, it is ex-Miss Katherine Winstead returned pected that this will take place with-11:00 A. M. Morning Worship. After there is only a remnant of the for- from Greensboro Tuesday where she in a short time and that the work will has been attending business school for get underway about the fifteenth of she started to work as Stenographer

It is understood that a great part of The program will be rendered in the with the John Watts Sons, Inc. plant. the front will be torn away and that this space will be utilized for the service station, but that the main floor of the house will be used in the future for the same purposes as in the past. When this is done, there will be four-

up-to-date service stations within a dents, for several of them are except- radius of one hundred yards of each ionally good, and we are sure our read- other, and all practically in the ceners will enjoy that of a new member ter of town.

### We sincerely trust this will be a reg-ular weekly contribution. Don't fail to Mr. Timberlake To **Erect New House**

The contract has been let to George W. Kane for the construction of a NORTH CAROLINA modern five-room dwelling on Barnett Avenue for Mr. W. F. Timberlake, Jr. Mr. Timberlake, though a native son, Publicity Agent expects to be gone about two weeks. nected with Big Four Grocery Co.

Woman Who Has Taught For Fifty Years, Takes A Seaplane Ride Young People's

Mrs. J. A. Beam of Roxboro, visited Mrs. Beam especially enjoys travher brother in law David A. Beam of eling, despite the fact she is no long-R-5, during the Easter holidays. Mrs. er young. She recently made a trip The P. T. A. will sponsor Pre-school Beam is rounding out her 51st year in to Florida, thence to Cuba by sea- well and Person county will meet Friclinic for Roxboro Central school, to the teaching profession and jockingly plane; and previously had spent a week day evening May 3, at Prospect be held at the Courthouse Monday and says she is going to continue teach- in Chicago. While in the County she church, with a picnic lunch at 6:30. Tuesday, May 6th and 7th, and from ing until "we get the old age pension." visited relatives in Shelby and Lawn- Mr. and Mrs. Heddin and Rev. Mr.

Mrs. Ruth M. O'Briant head of schools in Person County. In the two days.-Cleveland Star.