

WANTS ACTION

In a series of White House conferences with congressional leaders President Roosevelt has let it be known that he wants immediate in North Carolina is one of the action on the stock market regulation bill, reciprocal tariff bill, the municipal bankruptcy and guarantee bank deposit proposals.

COST MILLIONS President Roosevelt was told

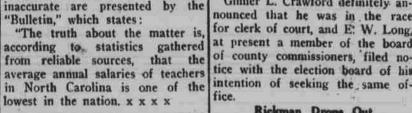
months,

"Bulletin," which states :

lowest in the nation. x x x x

MACON COUNTY TEACHERS

AVERAGE PAY OF



Rickman Drops Out Oscar Rickman, of West's Mill,

who also has been looked upon as a possible candidate for clerk of court, has definitely stated that he

nounced that he was in the race for clerk of court, and E: W. Long, at present a member of the board tice with the election board of his intention of seeking the same of-

The average annual salary for public school teachers in Macon county is \$522.16 for eight C. Tom Bryson, who is seeking

issues and evoke an expression of the public's opinions in legislative matters, I will feel that my efforts have been worthwhile.

Unfortunately, I am not a native of Macon County; but Macon County is my home by choice. In the three years I have lived here, serving in a semi-public capacity as Editor of The Franklin Press and Highlands Maconian, I have come to know people in all sections of the county. I feel that I am familiar with their problems and the tenor of their thoughts. I feel that I am one of them. If I can serve the county as Representative, I will deem it a great honor and a trust not to be dealt with lightly.

In entering the race for Representative, I act on my own volition with no strings attached. I have no personal axe to grind and represent no group or faction.

not required to re-register. May his daughter. The case was never brought to trial.

The fatal shooting took place Following is a list of the registrars and election judges appointed near the home of Randolph Keener Saturday with the Republican elec- about 13 miles from Franklin just after the candy pulling party had Franklin: G. W. Mallonee, reg- broken up. Stiwinter was brought istrar; Charles Rogers and George to Franklin for medical attention Millshoal: L. A. Berry, regis- but died shortly after his arrival. trar; Jerry Franklin and Ad Kins- A bullet had passed through the lower part of his heart and his liv-

Sunday that \$255,000,000 was spen in giving employment to 600,000 young men during the first year of the civilian conservation corps.

RESTORE PENSIONS

Frank T. Hines, administrator of veteran affairs, announced Sunday night that 57,000 veterans of the Spanish war, the Boxer rebellion and the Philippine insurrection would be restored to the pension rolls and that 122,000 would receive compensation increases so that they will get 75 per cent of what they were receiving at the passage of the economy act in March, 1933.

117 CANDIDATES

The curtain for filing notice of candidacies for congressional, state and judicial offices in North Carolina's primaries and elections this year was rung down Saturday night with 117 names on the rolls of the state board of elections here.

EXTENDS CODE

President Roosevelt has announced that the President's re- the various administrative units of employment agreement would be extended beyond the date set for its expiration, April 30, and that all the eight months term was \$12,employers-not under codes-who 172,906. Of this total allocation observe its terms might fly the Blue Eagle.

FOUR LOST

Hope for safety of three Americans and a Japanese who were passengers on a plan that has been missing for almost a week has been practically exhausted, after fifteen airplanes had conducted a mass search over a wide area and ing quartet. Fear was expressed \$498 a year. That is \$41.50 per that the plane fell in Hangchow month for the twelve months during which the teacher has to live." bay, "graveyard of China."

DILLINGER AGAIN

John Dillinger, Indiana desperado, but the vast majority of teachers is believed to have returned to the Hoosier state, for officers think no other criminal would have dared Mrs. Nettie Cabe, 94, raid the Warsaw, Ind., police station for a haul of four bullet-proof Dies Near Prentiss vests and two revolvers. Early Friwas Dillinger, the officer declared.

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is on trial in Washington in con- of which she had been a member Mr. Cunningham, who is a form- Bryson has offered to do this free close runner-up in the contest. the general conference of the officiated.

churchman has announced.

months of teaching, according to figures obtained by The Press-Maconian from M. D. Billings, intendent of schools. county super This is the average for both teachers and principals and therefore is slightly higher than the statewide average for teachers, as set forth in the adjoining article. The highest teaching salary in Macon county at present is \$720, while the lowest for a white teacher is \$440. Some of the colored teachers receive less. The monthly salary of white teachers in the county now ranges from \$55 to \$90 for eight months. Under schedules existing before the 1933 Legislature made drastic economy cuts, teachers' salaries ranged from a \$65 minimum to \$133.33 a month for

terms ranging from six to nine

"The records of the state school commission show that a total of

23,077 teachers have been allotted the state. The allocation for the pay of principals and teachers for

from the school fund of \$16,009,000 set up by the 1933 General Assembly for that item in the school budget known as 'instructional serlvice,' \$671,690 was tentatively allocated for the pay of principals. This left only \$11,501,216 for distribution to the 23,077 white and negro teachers of the state.

"A simple example in division shows that the average annual salaries of the teachers amounts to

seems to be little doubt that he meet at 8 o'clock Saturday night will enter the race. The deadline for filing notices of

salaries with local appropriations,

A few cities and towns in the

state have supplemented teachers'

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Mrs. Nettie Almira Kimsey Cabe

Bishon James Cannon. Jr., who at Clark's Chapel Methodist church, baseball fans.

tention of asking for retirement at Lefler and the Rev. John Teague player, is hopeful of organizing a honorable discharge living in the by the boys from their homes and Indefinitely Postponed

day's meeting. several neices and nephews.

reelection as register of deeds, is still without opposition. So Senator R. A. Patton, also seeking reelection.

Blackburn W. Johnson, editor of The Press-Maconian, tossed his hat into the ring as an opponent of J. Frank Ray for the Democratic nomination for representative in the legislature. Thus far, no other candidates have formally declared for this office, although it is known that Dr. Rogers has been urged to do so. Byrd for Board Chairman

Ed B. Byrd, prominent Burningtown farmer, came out this' week with the first announcement for the board of county commissioners. This year the chairman of the board is to be selected by the voters rather than by the board itself and Mr. Byrd is asking for nomination to this position. Mr Byrd has served as registrar in Burningtown for a number of gears

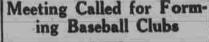
and he is well known throughout the county. There has been considerable talk of W. G. Stewart, of Otto, seeking nomination as chairman of the board, but he has not openly ex-

pressed his intentions. The chairmanship used to carry with it the position of county ac countant with an annual salary of \$1,800; but this was abolished at the last session of the legislature and the chairman now is entitled to no more than the other members, or \$4 a meeting, not to exceed \$12 a month. \$41.50 Monthly Average

Former Sheriff Alex Moore is still reticent about announcing his candidacy as an opponent of the incumbent, A. B. Slagle; but there in the courthouse and all ex-service

men, whether members of the lecandidacy for county offices is gion or not, are urged to attend. May 5.





A meeting for the organization of patrolman to unlock the police Prentiss. Mrs. Cabe, the widow of A Macon county baseball league to the legion meeting Saturday of Cartoogechaye. Senator "Bob" patrolman to unlock the police Prentiss. Mrs. Cabe, the widow of a Macon county baseball league night, or to take them to C. Tom Patton was among the contenders Holly Springs school at 7:30 o'clock ployed in the office were dropped

The funeral was held Wednesday ham and a number of other local for recording discharges; but Mr. tor's son, Jim, however, was a ball team.

imanent county record.

For twelve years I have been a newspaper man and most of that time I have spent in North Carolina, coming into close contact with municipal, county and state governmens. For two years I "covered" the Capitol and State departments at Raleigh and reported two sessions of the North Carolina General Assembly. I think I am justified in saying that I know legislative procedure.

Should I be so fortunate as to receive the Democratic nomination, and subsequently be elected. I will exert my best efforts to serving the interests of Macon County and its citizens. As publisher of your county newspaper, 1 am in position to keep you well informed on what is taking place in Raleigh. Unfortunately, the county has suffered in the past because it was kept in ignorance of some legislation enacted to its detriment. The first step in good government is to keep the public well informed. Should I go to Raleigh as your representative, I will send back each week for publication in this newspaper a full account of all bills introduced affecting this county, and report the progress of these bills toward enactment, so that all who wish to be heard in regard to any legislative matters might have full opportunity to express their opinions

I gratefully acknowledge the faith a few individuals have shown in me by encouraging me to seek this office, and I humbly ask the support of the Democratic voters of Macon County who think me worthy of public service.

Sincerely, BLACKBURN W. JOHNSON **Fathers and Sons Hear Plea** For Broader Understanding **LEGION MEETS** Annual Banquet of Farm Class **ON SATURDAY** A plea for a better, broader un- the depression. He contrasted con-Bryson Offers To Record

Legionaires will be given an op-

Honorable Discharges Free of Charge night at the fourth annual fatherand-son banquet sponsored by the The Macon county post of the American legion is scheduled to

Franklin high school. Mr. Hall, who is assistant man-

White Provision company, was the ing but did not speak. principal speaker of the evening, The Young Democratic club of but short talks were made by a Cowee is scheduled to meet at lin Reemployment office continues number of others, notably by some 7:30 o'clock Friday night, of this to remain open under the manageportunity to have their discharges of the boys themselves. Mr. Hall week, and the Young Democrats of ment of John W. Edwards, recorded in a permanent record was introduced by E. H. Meacham, Etna are to meet Saturday night,

There will be a box supper at the and did right well, but his call Saturday night, April 21. The pro-John Cabe, who died about 33 has been called for 5 o clock Satur years ago, lived alone in her small home. A charge formerly has been made due tight wear, but his can lacked the lustiness some of the youngsters possessed. The sena-ment for the Holly Springs base-

is on trial in Washington in con-nection with finances, has no in-for many years. The Rev. B. W. er college and professional ball for any world war veteran with an held in the Rotary hall, was brought 'My Irish Rose'

strong, representative league this county. Mr. Bryson is anxious to prepared and served by a bevy of Presentation of a play, "My Irish office has placed 38 men on fores-Methodist church which will meet Mrs. Cabe, who was a daughter year. He has requested that all get a complete record of discharges girls, members of the high school Rose," originally scheduled for try projects in the county, 36 of home economics class under the di home economics class, under the di- Thursday night of this week in the them going to work Wednesday on at Jackson, Miss. April 26, and of Elisha and Margaret Cabe, is basedall players and rans in the will resist any efforts by the con- survived by one sister, Mrs. Eliza- county interested in the formation of Macon county men from the rection of their teacher, Miss Rosa- courthouse, has been indefinitely the Wayah Bald road. Last year ference to superannuate him, the beth Donaldson, of Waynesville, and of a league be present at Satur- service for preservation as a per-

(Continued on Page Four) the Franklin Baptist church.

Ellijay: Will Henry, registrar; er and lodged in his back. lack Moore and W. R. Higdon. Solicitor John M. Queen was assisted in the prosecution by J. N. Moody, of Murphy and Franklin, Sugarfork: Alex Shook, regisand McKinley Edwards, of Bryson (Continued on Page Four)

City. Pickens was represented by George Patton, R. D. Sisk and J. H. Stockton, all of Franklin, Argument Under Way

Trial of the case started Tuesday afternoon, Arguments by counsel began Wednesday afternoon and continued Thursday morning with the prospect of the case going to Jimmie Hauser was elected presi- the jury about noon,

lent of the Young People's Demo- Court opened Monday for a twocratic club of Franklin township at weeks term with Judge P. A. Mca meeting of the club in the court- Elroy, of Marshal, presiding. The house Tuesday night. Mrs. John Pickens case was the only out-W. Edwards was elected vice presi- standing criminal case on the dockdent and Miss Helen Patton secre- et; but a number of minor indicttary and treasurer. ments, most of them in connection Addresses were made by Albert with liquor cases, were returned by

Ramsey, chairman of the county the grand jury. Grand Jury Report

Democratic executive committee, and Robert R. Mullikin, of Asheville, a In its report the grand jury said candidate for congress. that it found all the county institu-Mr. Ramsey expressed the hope tions in good shape and singled out that the primary campaigns would the jail for honorable mention, be marked by "peace and harmony" stating that it was in "the best so the party would be in position shape we have ever seen it in, after June 2 to go into the field The jury recommended that Ferdy undivided and carry its ticket one Higdon, court house janitor, be giv-Atlanta Man Speaks at 4th hundred per cent in the November en an increase in pay from \$15 a month to \$25 a month, with an exelection.

26 is challenge day.

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List of Officials

Elect Officers

Hauser Heads Franklin

Young Democrats

Mr. Mullikin praised President tra \$15 for each term of court, so Roosevelt and the Democratic ad- he could hire extra labor to help ministration for its efforts to end him.

lerstanding between fathers and ditions during the last year of the sons was voiced by T. W. Hall, of Hoover administration with the sit-Atlanta, in an address Saturday uation of hopefulness which has been brought about under Roosevelt's leadership.

Reemployment Office Con-Mr. Mullikin was introduced by vocational agriculture class of the R. A. Patton, state senator for this district.

Several candidates for county ofager of the Atlanta branch of the fices were introduced at the meet- designated a regional headquarters

for the National Reemployment service in this section, the Frank-

Mr. Edwards said this week he had received instructions to remain on the job and he expressed the opinion that the Franklin office would continue to function as long as there was a demand for its services. Two assistants formerly emwith the conclusion of the Civil

Still Open

tinues To Function

Although Bryson City has been

Works Administration program. Since the Franklin Reemployment office was established on August 30, last year, Mr. Edwards reported, it has registered 2,456 applicants for work and has placed 826 of them on jobs. This week the

for improvement of this road.

book kept on file in the register instructor of the agriculture class. April 28. **Hog-Calling Contest** of deeds office, and all who have One of the features of the evennot already had their discharges re-corded are requested to bring them was won by Horace "Red" Noland At Holly Springs