-Chamber of Commerce.

-More Paved Streets.

Know Your County produce per acre in 1922 than any ike area in the United States?

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Mrs. Lee Hostess Entre Nous Club

Faircloths Move From Benson To Clinton-Methodist Men's Class Elect Officers.

Benson, Jan. 19 .- Mrs. S. P. J. ee was hostess to the Entre Nous lub Friday afternoon. Mrs. Parisiness session. Each member anwered to roll call with a New ear's wish for the club and the members. The subject discussed vas "My Garden of Memory," by Kate Douglas Wiggin, Mesdames Paul H. Starling and Parlia Hudon were in chrge of the program, and they gave one of the most eresting programs the club ha Mrs. G. E. Parker Jr member of the club who has be-Washington, D. C., for sever onths, was present and made ery interesting talk to the club A memory contest on Longfellov oems followed the program. Mrs 3. E. Parker was the winner and eceived a Madeira handkerchief The hostess served chicken salad ith accessories, coffee, pineapple andwiches and mints. The guests resent besides the club members ere Mesdames J. C. Warren and

ake their home in Clinton, Mr. ed January 18: aircloth has been running a

list Sunday school elected the R. Barges, president; Talmage icas, secretary-treasurer: C. distant teacher. This class is comhe new year with a banquet at he North State hotel.

No Over-Production of Cotton

There is no real over-production Walter Roberts f raw cotton and little further deline in prices is to be expectedheee are conclusions reached by Dr. Lewis H. Haney, director of Creech, Gladys Creech. lew York University research bureau, in The Textile World Analyst, appearing in the current issue of The Textile World, Significant facts upon which Doctor Haney average of 90 per cent or better bases his conclusions are set forth in all subjects: s follows:

No doubt remains that this year's rop has been a large one-

There is no doubt that an unsually large quantity of poor cotton will be found in this year's

rent season will be very large. As regards American cotton, a point of no small importance is the reduction in yield in India. Conditions favor the accumula- seph Wiggs.

tion of large reserves by the spinners, particularly in Europe.

There is little reason to sup pose that the carry-over at the end of the season will be abnormal-

AUNT ROXIE SAYS—



Deys nuf 'lectricity lef' in ole ars to 'lectricute a body's credic. dress the jury."

Dr. Adolph Lorenz



surgeon, who cures with the magic fairs.

Pine Level Honor Roll Third Month

Those With An Aver- and of the defendant as an incorage Above 90.

nat they are leaving Benson to third month of school which end-

First grade: Bertha Barbee nen's furnishing store here for fif- Betty Watson, Hettie Creech, Mar een years and during that time garet Ellis, Sadie Pearce, Velma hey have made a host of friends Lee Peedin, Gordon Lee Godwin who will regret to see them leave. Worth Poole Gurley, Cecil Rae le will run the same kind of store Hayden Creech, Feyton Hinnant, Lonzo King.

ver, Loraine Futrell.

beth Starling.

Eugene Parker, Mildred Roberts, color scheme of white and yellow

Seventh grade: Creech.

bee, Clarence Strickland.

The following students made an cake were served.

Creech, Kenneth Gurley, Mervin The meeting was opened with a

It seems certain that the conginia Creech, Golda Peedin, Lothe convention were appointed at sumption of cotton during the curraine Futrell, Rudolph Oliver, John this time. Mrs. J. W. Sanders had Watson.

Second grade: Francis Price. James Batten, Bertha Barbee, Jo-talk on the "House Beautiful." at 0

the further decline in prices is to esting Bible lesson. She then conleave. We wish them much success and happiness in their new field. which quite a number took part.

Accused: "He was shouting, here soon. You dumb idiot" 'You stupid

Judge: "Don't talk to me-ad-

Attack Management Senator Grady In County Boards Meet And Of Tobacco Growers

Ordered To Appear In Wake County Court and Show Why Corporation Should Not Be Dissolved—Huge Amount Spent.

tate Tobacco Growers Co-opera- growers ive association, inc., was this af-

pers of the defendant company

Rocky Mount, Jan. 19 .- The Tri- | porated association of tobacco

The bill of complaint, as filed ernoon ordered by Judge M. V. by Mr. Persons among other Barnhill to appear before Judge things, after the formation of said T. H. Calvert in Wake County Su-perior court at Raleigh February officers and directors regardless and show cause why the corpor- of the rights of the membership ation should not be dissolved and growers, there was launched a sat a receiver named to settle its af- urnalia of waste and extravagance unheard of in all our industrial

The order was the outgrowth of growth and development. The macomplaint and bill filed by W. jority of the directors placed them-M. Person, of Franklin county, selves on the salary list with the with himself and "other members highest ever paid in the history the Tri-State Tobacco Grow- of the state, ranging from \$40, Cooperative association" as 000 per annum down to-\$4,000, aintiffs, and in which inefficien- most of them getting from three y and graft on the part of offi-ters of the association is alleged. ceived before." The plaintiff avers The first six provisions of the that payment of said large salar-List of Students Neither complaint set forth the relative les was an abuse of powers of said Tardy Nor Absent and positions of the plaintiffs as mem-directors to such an extent that

Four Oaks Pastor Smithfield Teams aircloth will be sorry to learn nor absent a single day during the Accepts New Field Win Two Games

Minister Goes To Western North Carolina.

ginia Creech, Bertha Godwin, Min- of her friends Saturday afternoon, games of a double header here whom I tried to serve knew that ollowing new officers this week: nie Holt, Edith White, Rudolph Ol- celebrating her twelfth birthday. After the guests arrived a num-Fourth grade: Sudie Creech, El- ber of very interesting games and mer Tyner, Myrtle Overbee, Gra- contests were enjoyed. Later am-Blalock, teacher; Ezra Parker, as- ham Kornegay, Edna Stout, Grov- brosia and cake were served by er Godwin. Ruth Styron, Eliza- the hostess and her mother, Mrs. R. A. Keen.

Fifth grade: Leola Creech, Mar- A party was given Friday after. orie Parker, Alice Hinnant, Jacob noon by Mrs. J. H. Stanly for her little daughter. Mabel Stan-Sixth grade: Martha Starling, ly, and Master Wilson Lewis, hon-William Overbee, Mildred Creech, oring their eighth birthday. A was carried out in the decorations. Lee The centerpiece for the table in ireech, Gladys Creech.

Eighth grade: Velma Stout, Clemade a canopy over the table.

Stout, Earl Creec. Daniel Bar
Common the chandelier made a canopy over the table. Kenneth Gurley, Pearl cakes with yellow candles. Streamta Stout, Earl Creece, Daniel Bar- Games were played throughout the

The Baptist Woman's Missionary ociety was very delightfully en-Seventh grade: Lizzie Wilkins. tertained by Mrs. Ralph Canaday Seventh grade: Norma Lee at her home Monday afternoon. Sixth grade: Martha Starling. song, scripture reading and pray-Fourth grade: Ruth Styron.
Third grade: Lucile Crocker, Viriness for the year. Delegates for charge of the program and read a paper on "Perfection." Mrs. J. First grade: Berneze Pittman, A. Ivey gave a most interesting the W. M. U. training school at

Mrs. J. D. Spiers closed this dis- the Baptist church in Smithfield, cussion with a talk on "Personal preached a very forceful and in-

Garden of Prayer. One let this ber was added to the roll at this carolina Power and Light competing.

Mr. Sutton will move his family

Mr. R. B. Strickland is working with the Carolina and Telegraph company from Wilson to Middle- ufacturers' dinner Dec. 28 .- Headsex this week.

Rev. J. A. Ivey, Baptist Boys Beat Dunn and Girls Methodist Orphanage.

Wednesday night.

team from the Methodist Orphan- facts and that I was guided solely age in Raleigh in a game which by my own conviction of what was nounced his candidacy for Solicevoked much enthusiasm on the right in the premises. part of the spectators, both teams playing hard until the final whistle. The score was 18 to 17 in favest skill for the locals.

Stavs At Wilson

Weather Prediction

500 Gusus expected at the Manlines in a Pennsylvania paper.

ident of Johnston, Furnishes Claim in Two of Five Counties in District

Senator Paul D. Grady of Kenly, makes the following formal announcement of his candidacy for the position of Solicitor of Fourth Judicial district:

To the people of Johnston county and the Fourth Judicial Dis-

Several months ago I received a umber of requests from friends in our Judicial District urging that I ecome a candidate for the posiion of Solicitor. I gave these interested friends no answer and did not encourage the idea but as the months have gone by these requests have become more numerous and finally assumed a serious aspect from my point of view. There is no man in the county or district who is more acutely aware of his obligations to his friends than I am. Already they have placed me under everlasting obligaions by the kindness they have hown me and the trust and confidence they have bestowed upo ne and while the positions that have come to me have been those entailing a great sacrifice of time and money they have left me nevertheless under a very real obligation to them. In those positions people of my county and district Take Close Game From according to my best judgment and conscience. I probably failed ome instances and no doubt did things that did not meet the aponzo King.

The Smithfield boys' and girls' proval of all the people, but be teams of the high school took both that as it may, I believe that those whatever I did was after a con-The girls' team defeated the scientious consideration of all the

A new opportunity of service trict opens itself up to me in the posi- of Johnston, Wayne, Chatham. tion of Solicitor. After very ma- Harnett and Lee. or of the home team. Misses Col- ture consideration I have decided team from Dunn high school, the for that position. The law wisely was pronounced the best of the years and thereby relieved him of not only on the people of his counkept guessing as to the outcome ed the same restriction on our he has at every session held imfor the local boys. Kirkman and one questions the wisdom of this and chairmanships. Monday afternoon the annual bot coffee.

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Lawyer: "What caused all this operator at the A. C. L. depot."

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Mr. John Sutton, of Lillington, and that preparation in wilson, and that preparation in which the preparation is therefore I am making in a board of trustees of Relations for its development and removal to another site would be the press but with the purpose of its through school. He is a Presbyterian and removal to another site would be the press but with the purpose of its the teacher of the Bible class seeing every one of you personaling the pressure in the pressure seeing every one of you personal- in the Presbyterian church ly just as soon as I can with the Kenly. He is a 32nd Degree Mahope that I may have the encourson, Shriner, Odd Fellow, Wood- of the Christian Endeavor of Oakagement of your personal assurman and Jr. O. U. A. M. and land church for their kindness to ance of support and cooperation. takes an active interest in the fra- me during my sickness. I am glad

PAUL D. GRADY. Kenly, Jan. 21.

Formal Statement Call Special School Election

To Hold Election March 2—Tax Not To Exceed 50c On \$100 Worth Property.

oint session of the County Board trict:

boundaries of this district together to make the following statement County Board of Educ with voting places and other in- regarding the issues submitted to matter of calling a special che formation is set forth in a legal the voters of this district. advertisement published elsewhere Under authority of the constitu- School Taxing

property

tion in this territory has been ed from the county wide levy for chair on called, the proposal being defeated schools of (this year) 68 cents on with the the first time.

election means the two county operation of the schools for the ing the poards have issued the following first six months of their term.

To the voters of the Northeast- (Turn to page six, please)

Native of Wayne But Res- North Eastern Special School Taxing District

After due consideration in a ern Special School Taxing Dis-

of Commissioners held here Wed- In calling an election in this disnesday, a special election was call- trict to be held on the 2nd day ed for the Northeastern Special of March. 1926, the Board of Com- session Wednesday and disp-School Taxing District to be held missioners and the Board of Ed-considerable busin on Tuesday, March 2, 1926. The ucation of Johnston county wish

in this issue which should be read tion and laws of the state our tion was ordered. carefully by those concerned in this boards are now providing the first election. The election calls for a six months of all the schools of the registrars special tax not exceeding 50 cents county free of tuition and trans- this election on the hundred dollars worth of portation charges to all the chil- for the chair dren of the county. This service is County Co This is the second time an elec- provided with the revenue deriv-

the \$100.00 worth of property. In order that there be a thor- The proposal election will not ugh understanding of what this in any way affect this tax or the

Paul D. Grady

Kenly Man Throws His Hat Into Ring

Paul D. Grady Formally Announced As Candidate For Solicitor of Fourth District.

The friends of Senator Paul D. Grady of Kenly have formally anitor of the Fourth Judicial Dis-

Senator Grady is well known in lins and Willis were the stars for that I'would like to serve my the district and has represented Johnston county for a number of ity if it met with their approval years in the legislature having and it is on this basis entirely served in both the House of Rep-The boys defeated the strong that I now announce my candidacy resentatives and the Senate. As a member of the legislature he Floyd Watson, Bettie the dining room was two white score being 19 to 15. This game made the term of the Solicitor four has made a favorable impression The throng of spectators was paign every two years. It has plac- state and in recognition of this afternoon, ad fruit, ice cream and until Kirkman put in four points Governor and I believe that no portant committee assignments Parrish starred for Smithfield while law. It relieves the officer or publast session of the Senate he was Smith and Best played equally as lic servant of the necessity of try- chairman of the Judiciary Combrilliant a game for the Dunn ing to meet the obligations of his mittee No. 1, an appointment that office and at the same time of carries with it a very distinct comcarrying on a campaign for re-pliment to the legal ability of the father Dr. J. C. Grady practiced election. It prevents further op-portunity in that it makes it pos-this committee composed of the live in Wayne county and his can-erty valuation, same being listed tible to select your prosecuting leading lawyers in that body. In didacy will appeal strongly to the by error. officer from the various counties addition to this Senator Grady was people of Wayne county because Ordered that L. F. McLamb be n the district and not confine the a member of the two important they feel that it is one of their paid \$25 for keeping W. R. Johnoffice to one county in the district committees on Finance and Apown sons and that any positi for too long a period. This sys- priations and in recognition of his honor or trust coming to him will being left on his hands after he Wilson Citizens Pledge tem moves the office about the long service in the legislative be a compliment to the good coun- made complaint for relief. \$100,000 And a \$50,000 district and as time passes offers halls be was made a member of the ty of Wayne that gave him birth, Ordered that D. U. Thompson be the opportunity of relieving con- sub-committees on both of these, and his friends and relatives all paid \$234.50 for bridge work Bond Issue Is Proposed. ditions in every section of the dis- His friends have realized the great over Wayne county will rally to Jury list for first week: J. S. STEWARDSHIP MEETING AT
MISSIONARY SOCIETY
MISSIONARY trict are best known to the peo- sacrifices both financial and other- his support. Johnston county has Holder, Meadow township;

A CARD OF THANKS I wish to thank the members

ternal affairs in his community. to say that I am much better now Paul Grady was born at Seven MRS. C. D. PETERSON

Commissioners In Extra Session

\$2.00 PER YEAR

Draw Jury List For Regular Two Weeks Civil Term February Superior Court.

was listed by J. W. Parker. bought said land from his leased of \$14,540 valuation stock of merchandise same having

been listed by error. Ordered that J. J. Batten be released of \$700 valuation on one fot in town of Smithfield, same

having been listed by error Ordered that the County Treasurer be authorized to pay the Bank of Pine Level \$10,000 to apply on on Jan. 21, 1926, and that a new note be executed to said bank in the amount of \$20,000 for one year at 51/2 per cent interest

Ordered that D. U. Thon and is hereby appointed Bridge Commissioner of Johnston county commissioner of each township as heretofore ordered; and that he receive a salary of \$150.00 per month and that he use his own car without any additional expense to the county for the use

Solicitor of the Fourth Judicial of same. Ordered that Hood Bros, be reased of value on stock of merchandise in amount of \$5250 which Springs in Wayne county and his was listed by error

Ordered that W. D. Hood be

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The Mirror

IS THIS YOU?

If the person who answers the description will call at Thoreceive a free ticket to the Victory Theatre.

You wore light gray trousers with a belt coat of a slightly darker color. You also wore a light cap and dark tan slippers. You had a fountain pen in your outside breast pocket. You were seen on Market street at 7.48 n.m.

Miss Leta Ennis recognized perself in last Tuesday's Mirror