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Criminal Court Comes To Close

Church Intruder

Is Cornered Near

pistols and breaking up the serv-

ice by his shots and yelling and

then fired five times at the Clay-

ton policeman who chased him

be cornered in the brush near Mt.

Wake county officers have join-

The negro is described as six

an effort to capture the negro.

about 160 pounds. When last seen

Popular Couple

Alexander of This City

Alexander, of Smithhe'd.

soft glow over the setting.

Roland Brown on the violin.

f Mooresville with Miss Tommie

Elizabeth Hartman, of St. Pauls;

ed in blue taffeta.

A wedding of much interest to

Moriah church just below

County Line

Judge Grady, Presiding Judge Receives Appointment to negro church service, appearing Preside Over Special Term In September

The August term of Superior ourt was virtually closed here on disappearing into the woods out Friday afternoon of last week, side of the town, is thought to at due to a tied jury in the case Walter Hathaway, the udge and solicitor remained over Johnston county line. intil Saturday morning when the ury was withdrawn and a mistrial ed with Johnston county forces in

During the week Judge Grady ceived a commission from Govrnor McLean appointing him as udge to preside over the Septempecial term which will con ene here on September 12.

The following cases disposed of ere last week were not reported

Schofield White, a 16 year old egro of Smithfield, entered a plea guilty of forgery, and was as igned to work eight months on e roads of Johnston county.

Matt Hughes, a white man of O'Neals township, entered a plea f guilty of driving a car while brunk. Prayer for judgment was that the defendant will not oper te a motor vehicle again in North he be accompanied Miss Murphy Hall, of St. Pauls, the same seat by some adult became the bride of Rev. Chester Pacific.

rned againsst Roosevelt Bullock

Wilders township, was convictads of 90 days. Barnes had not

sing whiskey in violation of the

McCallum, of Maxton, with Miss

sentenced to serve eight months Every Told." on the roads of Johnston county. P. F. King, charged with ased and failed. Judgment ni si sci tered as follows: sault with deadly weapon, was call-

David McLamb, charged with assault with deadly weapon, was at the altar, next came

Next came the ushers Mr. Edsci fa and capias. The case against John Dave Eachern, both of St. Pauls; Dr. W.

Phillips, charged with violation of the Navy concurate information carefully gath-by riding the range and benches remained in jail until yesterday and the double cross; asked to help ness to present to the court, if a the prohibition laws was continued to the prohibition laws was continued to the prohibition laws was continued to the property of the Navy concurate information carefully gath-by riding the range and benches remained in jail until yesterday and the double cross; asked to help ness to present to the court, if a the prohibition laws was continued to the property of the navy concurate information carefully gath-by riding the range and benches remained in jail until yesterday and the double cross; asked to help ness to present to the court, if a the prohibition laws was continued to the property of the navy concurate information carefully gath-by riding the range and benches remained in jail until yesterday and the double cross; asked to help ness to present to the court, if a the prohibition laws was continued to the property of the navy concurate information carefully gath-by riding the range and benches remained in jail until yesterday and the double cross; asked to help ness to present to the court, if a the prohibition laws was continued to the property of the navy concurate information carefully gath-by riding the range and the double cross; asked to the property of the navy concurate information carefully gath-by riding the range and the double cross; asked to the property of the navy concurate information carefully gath-by riding the range and the double cross; asked to the property of the navy concurate information carefully gath-by riding the range and the property of the navy concurate information carefully gath-by riding the range and the property of the navy concurate information carefully gath-by riding the range and the property of the navy concurate information carefully gath-by riding the range and the navy concurate information carefully gath-by riding the range and the navy concurat the prohibition laws, was continuo the next term of court.

The groomsmen, Mr. William Beatrice Holland, a white wom-Sanders, of Smithfield, and Rev. an of Kenly, was in court on ap-Gus Summers, of Kenly, came peal from Recorder's court. She next. entered a plea of nolo contendre Next came the bridesmaids, Miss on a charge of vagrancy and was

Elizabeth McDonald, of St. Pauls, ommitted to jail for a term of 4 and Miss Mabel McDonald, of Roseboro. Their dresses were fashion ed alike of georgette, elaborately beaded and handpainted. The former wore orchid and the latter green, with silver slippers and hose to match. They carried arm bouquets of roses and asters.

Mrs. Ruffin Powers, of St. Pauls, ister of the bride, was dame of honor and entered alone after the bridesmaids. She wore a dress of rose georgette trimmed in moire ribbon, silver slippers and hose to match. She carried a shower bouquet of roses and asters.

Miss Florabel McGoogan, of St. Pauls, maid of honor, entered next, wearing yellow georgette with yellow satin slippers and

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Fail To Find Any Trace Of Fliers

day night in Clayton shot up a Hold Secret of Tragedy just outside the church with two Route To Hawaii

> WASHINGTON, Aug. 22 .-The Navy will continue until Thursday its search in the Pacific ocean for the lost San Francisco to Hawaii aviators, it was announced today.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21 .-(AP)-The vast Pacific Ocean coninued today to hold fast the fate feet tall, dark-brown and weighing he was wearing lumber-jacket light the islands of Hawaii.

steamships plying the great swell- sythe. ng sea, all the hopes and pray ers of relatives, friends and the Wed In St. Pauls ers of relatives, friends and the Methodists Will effort, there was no word to indicate whether the ocean had claim-Miss Murphy Hall Becomes ed them or they were still afloat Bridge of Rev. Chester waiting for rescue.
Alexander of This City FIVE BAYS PASS.

Five days had passed since the Golden Eagle and the Miss Doran, many people throughout both the and one woman, had roared away Carolinas was solemnized at St. from the crowded Oakland airport Pauls Presbyterian church Wed- that cheered them to win glory mescay evening at 8 o'clock when and the prizes offered by James D. Dole for the first and second

Nor has anything been heard of The church was beautifully der- Pilot Jack Frost and Navigator the back of the church. orated with long leaf pines, ferns, Gordon Scott, of Los Angeles, of Plans for the new building have ivy and asters, mingled with white the Golden Eagle, nor from Miss not been completed, but a twotapers which when lighted cast a Mildred Doran, the beautiful young story brick structure containing a school teacher who bravely shared large A musical program was reader- the dangers of John Auggy Pedlar halls, and eighteen class rooms is ed before the ceremony. Mrs. H. and Lieutenant V. . Knope, who to be erected. Work on the buildnd his case was continued until B. Ashley, of Red Springs, pre-piloted and navigated the plane ing is expected to begin soon after sided at the piano. She was Jress-

THIRD PLANE MISSING.

Mrs. Ashley at the piano and Mr. las, Texas, and Alvin H. Eich-moved from the basement The bridal chorus from the courage that laughed in the face provided they haul it away. Maiden" by Cowan, was of death, flew out to sea to search bride. They were dressed in pastel to Honolulu for traces of shades of taffeta and entered as who had preceded them. From follows: Miss Grace Breeden, of their plane, the Dallac Spirit, they awaited eagerly by the over-crowd-Red Springs with Miss Elizabeth radioed the gay messages to ed Sunday school. McGeachy, of St. Pauls; Miss Sa- friends and the jests of men gorah Howard, of St. Pauls, with ing light heartedly on a great ad-Mrs. Clifton Adams, of Red venture.

Springs; Miss Katherine Deaton, And through the 600 miles of air came their S O S piercing the Fisher, of St. Pauls; Miss Grayce night which overspread the ocean. Caudell with Miss Ola McNeill, It was at 9:02 p. m. Friday: Miss Louise DRAMATIC MESSAGE.

"We went into a tail spin-SOS-we came out of it, but by Dr. G. W. Foster, agricultural the big moment came." Mrs. Frank Caudell with Miss were sure scared. It was a close Grace Butler, both of St. Pauls. call. We thought it was all off, but has Following the chorus, Mrs. W. we came out of it. The lights on ber 252, 'Proftable Farm Combi-A. Nutting, of St. Pauls, dressed the instrument board went out and nations" based on studies made in all working, so far as we know, at tell whether the fugitives were Pavilion, there is no law in the us we advised our attorneys that in peach georgette trimmed with it was so dark that Bill couldn't the coastal plain section of North something else." rhinestones, in her most charming see the. . . .we are in another— Carolina. The bulletin is issued by manner sang "The Sweetest Story SOS—" the North Carolina Experiment

To the strains of Lohengrin's Erwin and Eichwaldt-Erwin, hol- mers of the state free of cost. bridal chorus the bridal party en- der of the Distinguished Service to die to aid their fellows.

out in the Pacific other Army and ahead." Navy planes spread their wings over the waters of Hawaii.

CHAPLIN SUIT IS SETTLED

Los Angeles, Aug. 22.-Lita Grey Chaplin was granted an interloctutory decree of di-vorce from Charles Spencer Chaplin, moving picture actor, after brief testimony in Superior Court here today to establish a routine charge of

There's no harm in women takhose. She carried a shower bou- ing part in public affairs if you change radically. really want the affairs to be pub-

Evelyn Britt Arrested Local School To On Charge of Assault

DURHAM, Aug. 21.-Evelyn Britt, who gained notoriety from Mighty Pacific Continues To figuring in the incidents which resulted in the death of L. G. For That Engulfed Aviators En sythe, of Raieign, since out by Mrs. Clem Warren, who charged that Evelyn assaulted her. The court Monday morning. understood to have been caused by teachers is as follows: Mrs. Warren's objecting of the seven who dared to fly over elyn's encouraging Mrs. Warren's ris, Salisbury, Miss Jessie Huff, its thousands of miles of water brother to pay her attentions. Asheville, from the shores of California to Miss Britt is out on bond await- Second grade: Mrs. L. T. Royall, ing trial in Johnston county for Miss Susan Bryan, Oxford. Despite all the resources of the the part which she is alleged to Army, the Navy, the scores of have had in the death of For-

Erect S. S. Annex

Building Will Contain Base- terson, Miss Carolyn Avera. ment, Two Assembly Halls and Eighteen Class Rooms

connection with the Methodist C., French and English; Miss Flor-Hathaway, W. W. Stewart and R. tember 1. Sunday school will soon be a reali-

September 10

R. C. Gillett, of the building Mr. Rollin Covington, of Red Springs, sang "At Dawning" with Captain William P. Erwin, of Dalsiring the dirt which is being recommittee, states that those dewaldt, of Alameda, Cal., with the have any quantity free of charge

Plans for this addition to the sung by twelve girl friends of the the waves along the whole route Methodist church have been under those way for some time, and the com-

ORGANIZE THE FARM FOR BEST PROFITS

RALEIGH, Aug. 22 .- It is posible to so organize the farm business that it may return the owner the graniest profits.

Such is an conclusion economist at State College, who just prepared bulletin num-

Medal for heroic service for his organized, we have presented in you can't think of one tell me all Late Saturday night Lester Par- out, held up, held down, bull-doz- unethical. Rev. W. L. Foley, of St. Pauls, country in France during the war this bulletin certain definite com- the boys from the country who ker arrested W. L. Stewart, of ed, black jacked, walked on, cheatand Rev. Cary Adams, of Rox- of nations, and Eichwaldt, the binations of crop and livestock en- have graduated in recent years at New Bern, who was being sought ed, squeezed and mooched. boro, entered and took their places at the altar.

The binations of crop and hyestock end took their places at the altar.

The binations of crop and hyestock end to the high school here. I do not mean by New Bern authorities on a the telegraph key sent the mescombinations are called standards. Your town boys are no good, but charge of embezzlement. He was poll tax, auto tax, road tax, gas out of our whole membership to be sages that will show others how While they are not actual farms, they have been developed from ac-Scores of ships of the Navy con- curate information carefully gath- by riding the range and benches remained in jail until yesterday Matrimony, red cross, green cross, which we were holding in readiearch for the brave seven. The ated in the lower coastal plain. As he'll have to have more stamina officers from New Bern. liners parting the waves between a standard, we have selected that than that required for an all-night the mainland and the islands main-combination of crop and livestock dance."-Shelby Star. tained their ceaseless vigil. Out enterprises for a given amount of from the Golden Gate of Califor- land, labor and other items which nia soared Army planes, working appears to be the most profitable decks of the airplane carriers exist on these farms today but Langley and Aroostook, and, far also in the years immediately

Dr. Forster makes it clear that these standards are to be used as guides to those who may want to ports issued by the federal and state authorities. Especially valuable in this, is the outlook for

Renew your subscription

Open September 7

Most of Last Year's Faculty Will Return; Only Nine New Teachers

The Smithfield graded school case will be heard in recorder's will open here on Wednesday, It was September 7, according to an ancharged that Evelyn tried to pull nouncement made Saturday by Mrs. Warren out of a car, tore Mr. N. C. Shuford, superintendent portions of her clothing off and of the school. Most of the memstruck her in the face. The as- bers of last year's faculty will be sault is said to have been commit-back again, only nine new teachted Friday night. The trouble is ers being employed. The list of

to Ev- First grade: Miss Eunice Har-

Third grade: Miss Alice Edmundson, Miss Lucy Hardee, Stem

Fourth grade: Miss Lucile Lee, Miss Margaret Wellons. Fifth grade: Mrs. Eula King,

Garnett, S. C.; Miss Elizabeth Smart, Concord. Sixth grade: Mrs. A. J. Holli-

day, Jamesville; Miss Elizabeth Johnston County Uzzle, Wilson's Mills Seventh grade: Mrs. L. G. Pat-

High School.

Miss Margaret Rogers, Latin Jackson, mathematics, Greenville; raids and arrests. Miss Maude Creech, Denmark, S.

Piano.

and Mrs. Chester Alexander. The Young Man He Wanted.

Figuring that a newspaper keeps pretty well abreast of its citizengestions be made to him of sev- each.

working at most anything while disorderly. They were fined five waiting for this opportunity to dollars each and taxed with the come along. The fellow I want c hasn't been idling useful minutes reached away twiddling his thumbs until officers captured a Ford roadster ervation, wishes to announce that know that he has greatly damag-

"Sorry," the would-be informer proached it. The occupants desert. ance, and the proproganda origi- he is welcome to it. stated, "but all the young fellows ed the car and ran, but because of nating from same is false. As for "When Colonel Person's famous of the type you seem to want are the darkness, the officers could not padlocking of the Council House questionnaire was propounded to

"Well, go ahead and name a few the North Carolina Experiment of the working boys you know, found. However, it was being driv- as usual. The public is invited- ception of one and that was that That was the last heard from Erwin and Eichwaldt—Erwin, holder of the Distinguished Service of the Distinguished Service of the Station and is available to farboys you believe deserve a better of the boys you believe deserve a better of the Distinguished Service of the Station and is available to far-boys you believe deserve a better of the boys you believe deserve a better of the boys you believe deserve a better of the boys of the Distinguished Service of the Disti "To show how the farm my be the boy I'm looking for. And if turned over to the sheriff: the man I want will have to be in arrested in Benson and was better training than that received brought to Smithfield where he bonds, baby bonds, and bonds of suit. Among the many affidavits

Poultry Meeting Friday.

with those catapaulted from the under conditions not only as they ty Poultry Association and all who of the eldest son, Mr. Dewitt L. our attorneys will leave for Indare interested in raising chickens Worley, near Princeton, Sunday, ianopolis today where we will conare reminded of the meeting to August 14. be held Friday afternoon at o'clock at the home of Mrs. D. J. trees a long table was spread con-Wellons near Holt Lake. Poultry taining a vast supply of barbecue, REV. A. L. BROWN TO HOLD reorganize their farms. Normal handless from State College will chicken and other good things that prices have been used in fixing the demonstration. A picnic supper will behind their ears. Later the crowd Sardis Baptist church next Sunbody is asked to carry lunch.

Boll Weevil Make Ravages.

one matured boll, the other hav-ing about five. sincere wish for Mr. Geo. W. Wor-ley many more happy reunions. JAS. W. ROSE,

Now Leading In Republican "Booming"

* * *



Connerce Herbert Hoover, who now enjoy the biggest booms for the Republican Presidential nomination. The third hetty boom for former Secretary of State, Charles Evans Hughes, was nipped early by Mr. Hughes himself, who declines to allow his name to be considered.

Smithfield Hotel Several Arrests Saturday Night

Kept Busy Bringing In Violators of the eLaw

Johnston county officers

of sale. They were brought here Selma. to jail, but gave bond late Sunday ship a business man came into this afternoon and were released.

fill a position he has open, a po- Beulah, they found a car parked or fifteen years. They are leaving "It is hardly necessary for us and over there on that bench on were arrested and brought here "No thank you. I'm looking for when they were tried in the may- seven years ago. some young fellow who has been or's court for being drunk and

which was abandoned as they ap-

Worley Reunion.

Princeton, Aug. 19 .- The annual family reunion of Mr. Geo. Relief. Members of the Johnston Coun- W. Worley was held at the home

Changes Hands of Colonel Person.

Will Open It Sept. 1st

A. R. Gordy, proprietor of the and principal, Franklin; Miss Janie kept busy Saturday night making Brick Hotel, Selma, has recently

After the officers returned from the local hotel for the past twelve as a matter of court record.

white or colored. The car was State of Indiana prohibiting danc- we were ready to answer every searched for whiskey, but none was ing, and the pavilion will be open question propounded with the

Princess Silver Heels and I with ing his actions." fer with State's attorneys.-Brown very poor. The liquid form has Under the shade of the beautiful County (Ind.) Democrat.

REVIVAL AT SARDIS

Revival services will begin at the standards and some changes might be served at Holt Lake, and every- was called to take a part with day, August 28, continuing about the bounteous repast that lay be- ten days. Rev. A. L. Brown, pastor of the Four Oaks Bantist church The children and their families has been engaged to do the preachuable in this, is the outlook for crops and livestock which is pre- 3, was in town Saturday. He had of Pikeville; Mrs. W. J. Perkins, recommended as an evangelistic pared each year about February I. with him two stalks of cotton from of Goldsboro; Mr. Dewitt Worley, gospel preacher. The general pub-However, as a usual thing, farm-his cotton field, which showed the Mrs. Carl F. Grantham and Mr. lie is cordially invited to these ers should organize their farms on ravages which the boll weevil is Alkie Worley, all of Princeton. Other services. The church and pastor esa long time basis and drastic making. His stalks were as high er relatives and friends of the pecially desire the cooperation of the community.

Worley family numbered 21. the Christians of the community. about twenty-five bolls of cotton The day was well spent and en- Come and let's make it a comeach. Instead one stalk had only joyed by all. Everyone left with a munity revival for the saving of

JAS. W. ROSE, Pastor.

Col. Wiley Person Withdraws Suit

Insufficient Ground For Suit Against Cotton Growers Cooperative Association

RALEIGH, Aug. 19.—This was and the following statement issued by General Manager U. B. Blalock in regard to the withdrawal: charges against the Cotton Growinyone has ever attempted to pull off in the courts of North Caroina. There was never any occasion for this suit and no basis or founlation for it except in the brain

"It seems to us that if Colonel Officers A. R. Gordy of Selma Has against the Cotton Growers Asso-Person was sincere in his attack Rented Local Hotel and ciation, he should now publicly announce the withdrawal of his suit and acknowledge that there was no foundation for his attack against the Cotton Association.

leased the Smithfield Hotel and suggested by the Colonel against "A fifty thousand dollar fee was Deputies T. E. Talton, C. C. will open it to the public on Sep- the Tobacco Association. He was ence Boyett, Lucama, science; H. L. E. Holt, of Smithfield, Chief J. H. The dining room which has lars out of the funds belonging to D. Dole for the first and second Sunday school will soon be a complete ty, the excavating for the basement planes to cross 2,400 miles of the having been commenced a few lence Boyett, Lucama, science; H. L. Blankenship, Erwin, Tenn, his-Griffin, of Selma, Jasper Beasley, been closed since Christmas, will the tobacco growers but he will not tory and coach; C. J. Jervis, Mars of Wilson's Mills, Lester Parker be opened and meals served again. receive one five cents of the redays ago. They will be located at Hill, English; Kenneth D. Coates, and Mr. Hockaday, of Benson, went Mr. and Mrs. Gordy have been in serve funds of the cotton grower. to Beulah township Saturday night the hotel business for years. They Our first year's reserve fund has search the home of John Earp. have been with the Brick Hotel in already been returned to our mem-Miss Agnes Johnson, Ahoskie, A small quantity of whiskey was Selma since it opened several years bers. Our reserves for the years of found, and Earp and his brother ago. They will have associated 1923, 1924 and 1925 will be returnwere arrested on a charge of pos- with them their daughter and son- ed to our members within the next session of whiskey for the purpose in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Price of thirty days and would very probably have been returned While Smithfield welcomes these membership thirty days earlier if new citizens it is with reluctance this very much uncalled for and office recently and asked that sug-H. Alford, who have been with had not been standing against us

sition with promise. Several like- beside the road between here and next week for Cleveland, Ohio, to say that this suit and the trump-"Where will I find them?" came Walter Wallace, of Goldsboro, Since coming here Mr. and Mrs. ed up charges of Colonel Person Since coming here Mr. and Mrs. were in the car, but being too Alford have been prominent in have done us untold damage. The "Well, you'll find this one down drunk to drive it, had parked the the social and religious life of fact that he had something to do on the street about the drug store, car by the side of the road. They Smithfield. They have also been with the placing of the Tobacco most faithful workers at Com- Association in the hands of a reand over there on that bench on were arrested and brought lick most faithful workers at Com- Association in the hands of a reand key until yesterday morning here since its organization six or members, and non-members for that matter, to look upon us, if not with suspicion, with at least a "waiting attitude" to Chief Eagle Feather, the Indian might develop from this suit. If it Later Saturday night the same owning the Ookomis Indian Res- is gratifying to Colonel Person to the charges of maintaining a nuis- ed us by his unjust attack then

wish to state that Colonel Person the W. C. T. U., Y. W. C. A. and hearing could have been had, are Y. M. C. A.; boy scouts, Riley one from a brother and one from a brother-in-law of Colonel Per-Baptist, G. A. R. Women's Relief son's lone client, W. H. W. Holder corpse, Men's Relief and Stomach from Harnett county, completely refuting his charges and condemn-

> The 1927 corn crop is said to be een that way for some time.

AUNT ROXIE SAYS— By Me-



Tantalizer

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There are exactly enough let-ters in the line below to spell the name of a person in Smith-field, and if the right one deciphers his name and will pre-sent it to The Herald office, we will present him with a complimentary ticket to the Victory Theatre. Tickets must be called for before the fol-lowing issue owing issue. Miss Edna Cate recognized

her name last issue.

Today's -fantafizer: