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Joab Baker Kills Malcolm Denning

Fatally Cuts Denning In Affray Following Cider Drinking Partv Friday

Joab Baker, a white man leadow township, aged about 20, as brought to jail here Sunday harged with fatally cutting Malhome on Friday afteron of last week. Denning was white man about 30 years of

It is reported that others figred in the affray and several pars had been drinking cider. The when Baker resorted to the use of his knife. He inflicted a severe and in Denning's stomach, sevme of the intestines and slashing one arm and making brusts in his back. He lived until

diminary hearing at which time will be determined whether he l be allowed bail or not.

HOG PEEDING PAYS WHEN DONE RIGHT

RALEIGH, Sept. 12,-At pres nt prices of hogs and corn, the Local Citizen feeding will make little money, but he man who has the hogs and has raised corn enough to

Records carefully kept on 2276 ead of hogs fed by farmers from ary first to July first of this ld for \$48,904.97. The actual ne on these hogs was \$11,687,demonstration methods advo-

old for \$1.62 per bushel. arm. The total dockage for soft distillery owned by Mr. Hood.

Indications are now, states W. follows:

the market for corn but ed. spring because of the shortage in this little town.
that will probably exist this win- "It was in the first days of and reading. feeds this winter. Few hogs and times to come. much corn, mean a profit to the

his plans now for the year 1928. ion and bloodshed.

to \$17,000,000,000 yearly.

Tantalizer

There are exactly enough let-ters in the line below to spell the name of a person in Smiththe name of a person in Smith-field, and if the right one defleid, and if the right one de-ciphers 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.

(Miss) Rachel Peterson reognized her name last issue. Today's -Fantafizer: ulaibileause

Col. Fred A. Olds



The Bentonville Memorial not be complete without the presence oef Col. Olds. Col. now in jail awaiting a Olds has written numerous battle, and especially has he emphasized the epart to a Boys Brigade played in the conflict. He will speak along this line next Thursday.

Mrs. Dora Kirkman Was Eye Memorable Witness To Battle of Benetonville; Reminiscences

Two Smithfield citizens, T. R was a return of 31 per Hood and Mrs. Dora Kirkman, are the county agents and tion which takes place next Thurs ne extension workers of State day. This brother and sister, the Both the farmers doing children of the late J. C. Hood ding and the county agents were living at Bentonville when the helped, kept careful records. battle took place. Their home show further that which was a two-story building ne corn fed to these hogs was may be seen in the picture of the The battleground the day after the consold for an average price of flict, shown elsewhere in this isper hundred pounds and sue. The smoke to be seen in this etted the growers \$10.89 on the picture arose from the turpentine

oily condition amounted to Mrs. Kirkman tells interestingly her reminiscenses of the battle as

"In the little village of Benton hogs will return very lit- tonville quietness and peace reign-

now been successfully estabtheir work exchanging friendly visitors and the pupils completely intoxicated. Assault. Not guilty.

Woodall, who was stricken with lift's office, \$11,476; register of old shop, and all other available ing: Wake Forest, Chowan, Mars. ished by many growers, the owner greetings while the housewives filling the large auditorium. Ap- State vs. Ronnie Hasting, chargwill be making money and at the were busy with their work of propriate talks were made by Rev. ed with violating the prohibition and cooking, sewing and looking after S. L. Morgan of the Baptist church, laws. Guilty of transportation and chine in readiness to convert the the little ones. Carriage shops, Rev. D. E. Earnhardt of the Meth-

ter. If the season is favorable to spring that the menacing clouds of corn growing next year, there war began to darken the horizon ACCUSE JOHNSTON MAN will be a large crop of cheap corn. of the village and the lives of the n the mean time there will be a people were filled with apprehenshortage of hogs due to lack of sion and a foreboding of the trying

"To the mind of the ten-year-old little girl that I was the storm a \$200 bond on the charge of in-Therefore, Mr. Shay believes seemed to break suddenly-one day that the man who is established in was peace and quiet and happiness the hog feeding game, should make and the next was war and confus-

"Long before the first appear If the housewives in the United ance of the soldiers the villages States were paid for their home were seeking places in which to service at the rate of fifteen dollars conceal their treasures. Silver, a week, the payroll would amount chinaware, money were buried. fully suggested that the negroes guests this year. bury their own valuables in the

same places. The battle raged. Homes and out houses of all kinds were filled with (Continued on Page 6)

Iwo Young Attorneys Are Admitted To Bar; Forty Cases On Docket

Special Term Of

Court Convenes

A special term of Johnston coun Superior court for the trial of 0 o'clock yesterday. Hon. Henry . Grady, of Clinton, is the judg residing, and Solicitor C. L. Wilams, of Sanford, is prosecuting he docket. Ernest L. Hinton Clayton, and Francis Tron of Valese, were introduced to the cour by Attorney W. H. Lyon, and proluced their license to practice lav rom the Supreme court. vere admitted to the bar by takng the prescribed oath. Mr. Tron ill be associated with Attorney E. Wellons of this city, while Mr Hinton will locate in Clayton.

About forty cases are pending rial at this special term, the mos mportant cases on the calenda being those against Geo. F. Woodard and his daughter, Miss Lenz occasion next Thursday would Woodard, which grew out of the ago. All the cases growing out of this failure had been set pre-emparticles about the Bentonville torily Monday, and only two other cases appear on the calendar ahead of them, the two cases be ing State vs. Willis Tyson, and State vs. Albert Anderson.

Tyson was charged with seduction and made his appearance show ing that he and the complaining witness have married since the origin of the case and the case Recalls Battle against him was dismissed upon payment of costs. Tyson is a white nan living in Ingrams township.

Albert Anderson is a white man with an assault upon his fathern-law, Alford Adams, in which it Superior court. s alleged that Anderson and Adwith shotguns. Anderson disarmed man. the older man and threw his gun the woods in a badly wounded condition. Getting in all the evidence, the defendant pled guilty and was ismissed by paying the cost.

Case of State vs. George Woodard and Miss Lena Woodard got Mitchiner, surety \$100 bond. under way shortly after the noon proceeded until the adjournment

FORMAL OPENING SCHOOL HELD YESTERDAY MORNING

tend the opening exercises. A

here last week and released under roads of Johnston county and pay given by the Eastern Carolina cest. It is charged that on last Monday night he married his own J. Creech. These defendants were niece, which, under the laws of in court to show good behavior

BENSON KIWANIANS TO

ENTERTAIN LEGIONNAIRES

Members Y. W. A. To Meet.

son. All are urged to attend, (Continued on Page Six) high winds and heavy rain.

Will Preside



er the exercises at Bentonsville next Thursday.

Proceedings Of Recorder's Court

Criminal Cases Are Tried

days last week. Tuesday and Wedofficials believe. All school children cases and the remainder of the ted free the opening day up to week to civil cases.

The docket was as follows: State vs. Johnnie Johnson and town of Benson will be decorated Marie Scott both colored, charg- fitting for the occasion. Everything Smithfield township, chalged ed with housebreaking and lar- will have the carnival air. ceny. This case was transferred to Gloth Greater Shows will furnish

ams while out hunting in the early ed and failed. Judgment nisi sci fa en twice daily, fireworks displays, part of 1926 engaged in a fight and capias, R. P. Sutton, bonds. Tuesday night and Thursday

into a lake, and then fired upon with assault with deadly weapon. Exhibits will be there of the finest his assailant, and leaving him in Guilty. Go to jail for term of 30 livestock and poultry ever seen i days to be worked on the roads of the state, and all space will Johnston county and pay costs.

upon payment of \$50 fine and cost. secretary said that there will be

Johnston county and pay costs. are expected on the opening day, Road sentence to be opon payment of \$25 fine and the

the school here were invited to at-cated. Guilty. \$50 fine and cost. to the system which "Each day men went to and from goodly number was present, the charged with operating car while

State vs. Robert Davis, colored, charged with violation of prohibi-OF MARRYING HIS NIECE tion laws, Guilty of possession and Isaac Stallings, a white man liv- transportation. Go to jail for term

the state, is not legal. The case for suspended sentence. T. H. fendants showed that they had been of good behavior.

State vs. J. Ray Keen, charged

the wounded, dead and dying. Op- Friday night at 8 o'clock at the out proper license plates. Guilty on and has recovered from the shock. friends who will extend congratuestate and merchandise, are said home of Mrs. Paul Brown in Ben-both counts. Judgment suspended The cloud was accompanied by lations.

Tri-County Live Stock Exposition

Benson Is Providing Buildings To Take Care of Exhibits In Creditable Manner Everything is all set for the big

tri-county Livestock and Poultry Exposition to be held in Benson September 20 to 23 according to information given out by the branch office of the Eastern Carolina Chamber of Commerce at Benson, this week. This is the only exclusive livestock and poultry exposition held in the state and bids fato be a great success from the beginning. The object in staging this duction of livestock and poultry in Mrs. Walter Woodard, of the three counties served by the Wilson, President of the State Benson branch office of the East-U. D. C., who will preside ov- ern Carolina chamber of commerce. Tht exhibits are limited to John

ston, Harnett and Sampson counties. The patronage will come from being erected to take care of all the exhibits in a very creditable

A very attractive program has peen arranged for the amusement of those who attend. The opening gun will be fired when the gong Tuesday and Wednesday; sounds for the big automobile pa-Balance of Week To Civil rade Tuesday morning at eleven o'clock. Special prizes are being offered for automobiles entered in Recorder's court consumed four this parade. More than 500 cars in the three counties will be admitp. m. The parade will be led by big professional brass band. Th the amusements on the inside State vs. Carr Thompson, call- the grounds. Free acts will be gir nights. These displays will b State vs. Jim Moore, colored, worth going many mlies to see taken, it looks now. Road sentence to be suspended Oliver, president and J. B. Slack, automobiles will report for the pa-

> livestock and poultry exposition. MRS. SARAH WOODALL IS

Miss Ora Poole, Mrs. J. W. John Poole went to Benson Sun- \$2,723.40; auditor's office, \$11,262 and later, for Confederate soldiers, the Baptists of North Carolina are paralysis at the home of her daugh- deeds' office, \$7,887; clerk of the spaces were filled with wounded Hill, Campbell, Wingate, Meredith, ter, Mrs. John Morgan, on Friday courts office, \$9,625; tax listing, and dying men. afternoon. Mrs. Woodall was in \$4,600; Superior court, \$9,350; Re- "Dr. J. J. Harper's home in Ben- The meeting at Meredith chine in readiness to convert the convert also made a talk regarding books request of Hinton, keeper of the Benson for a visit to her daughter. \$1,485; charities and corrections, hold goods, were moved across the paign. To the meeting are being invited the members of the State Little hope is held out for her re- \$8,925; court house and grounds, street into the house with another invited the members of the State covery.

> Joins Livestock Association. J. W. Stephenson and H. W. Taling in the county, was arrested of four months to be worked on ton attended the annual barbecue

ELECTRICAL STORM

chinaware, money were buried.
Unique hiding places were found for food and other household sup-The central section of Johnston plies. My father wishing to save Benson Kiwanis club has extended drunk, but not guilty of transpornoon. The cloud came from the a large supply of meat, dropped it an invitation through the combetween the ceiling and weather-mander of the American Legion to of 90 days to be worked on roads Southern railway. Lightning struck between the certain boarding of his house. I remember all legionnaires in Johnston county and pay cost. the National Bank building in Ralthat my mother was very much ty to be its guests on Armistice Road sentence to be suspended for eigh, and as the cloud moved down where he was married yesterday afraid that the grease from the day. This invitation was received the term of two years upon the to this section lightning struck a afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to Miss weatherboarding. Fearing that the ago the Armistice celebration was not drink any liquor or other al-derwood and a fodder stack of Mr. dan will visit New York, Chicago, high school last year. condition that the defendant does haystack belonging to H. H. Un-Helen Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. Jornegroes might be persuaded to be-held at Clayton, a year ago it was coholic drink, or does not violate Smith, in the Bethesda section. St. Louis, Chattanooga and Ashetray the whereabouts of these hid- in Smithfield, and it is fitting that prohibition law in any respect in Both stacks were burned. It struck ville on their wedding trip. They next two years. Sentence further an oak tree by the side of the road expect to be at home in Smithfield suspended upon payment of \$20 fine near Princeton, and C. E. Parrish, on September 20. Mr. Jordan is one and cost.

Larry Wood, solicitor of the Recorder's court, has been appointed State vs. Eddie Sword, colored, the road about ten steps from the city being a member of the firm, trustee in the bankruptcy of The members of the Y. W. A. charged with operating motor vetree, was painfully shocked. He Jordan Jewelry company. He was Charles Davis, local merchant. f the Baptist church will meet hicle while intoxicated and with was not seriously hurt, however, reared here and has numerous Assets of Mr. Davis, including real

TO SPEAK AT BENTONVILLE



Governor A. W. McLean will make the address of acceptance when the memorial marker for the Bentonville bat-tleground is presented by the United Daughters of the Confederacy next Thursday, Sept. 15th.

Budget General Battle Incidents Fund Approved Called To Mind BAPTISTS TO START

Road Board Asks For An Recollections of Bentonville Appropriation of \$193,011.-16; County Debt Service

Moore, Miss Rebecca Poole, and follows: county commissioners, hospital, first for Union soldiers,

State vs. Paul Creech and Wm. State vs. Paul Creech and Wm. Figure 1. State vs. Paul Creech and Wm. State vs. Paul Creech and last Thursday, Mr. Stephenson was the total appropriation, \$62,795.- a Northern soldier was found in River, Beulah and Sandy Creek. lections on back taxes, \$10,000.

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Dr. J. J. Harper

Will Require \$127,592.10

WILSON, Sept. 10 .- "The read-Inadvertently the Herald stated ing of the review of the history of day evening, September 15. Three in its last issue that the budgets the battle of Bentonville by Col. hundred are expected to attend, and presented for the approval of the Fred A. Olds has brought to mind Appeal to Superior court. H. E. no delays in getting started. All county commissioners at their some incidents of those anxious dith College girls. meeting held here Wednesday were days when the opposing armies of State vs. Wm. Sanderford, charg- rade to begin promptly at eleven all deferred until a later date. As Sherman and Johnston were en- movement among the Baptists of ed with operating car while in- o'clock. Mayor J. W. Parrish and a matter of fact, the budget for camped just a short dstance from North Carolina to celebrate th hour and examination of witnesses toxicated. Go to jail for term of his board of aldermen will lead the the general fund, that is for the that little village," of court for the day. The case 30 days to be worked on roads of will be resumed this morning.

Johnston county and pay costs. suspended of North Carolina's first exclusive gets being deferred until a later told me a number of incidents their seven colleges and schools meeting.

The total appropriation for the minister and a resident of Bengeneral fund is \$115,128.90 which tonville. He was a son of the John in order to take care of the rap-STRICKEN WITH PARALYSIS provides for the various depart- Harper, of whom Col. Olds writes idly increasing number of students

> \$5,310; county home, \$7,555; tax family, that of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Centennial Committee, the trustees collector, \$5,425; reserve uncol- Hood. Dr. Harper served Confed- and faculties of the seven schools. lected taxes, \$4,715; general gov- erate and Union wounded faithful- all the Baptist pastors and many ernment including audits, etc., \$7.- ly and impartially, taking water, men and women of the church The money to provide the bud- the stringency of the times afford- tral part of the state, including

30 will be raised by an ad valorem the nearby woods. Officers, susthe state, is not legal. The case was reported to the officers by the Barbee and Henry Morgan, wit- raising livestock on this farm. He all of the offices will amount to the few male citizens that remain- will speak at the meeting, tax. It is estimated that fees from pecting a malicious deed, arrested Secretary of the State Convention joined the association while there. \$40,848.60. Marriage licenses will ed in the village, and brought other speakers will be Mrs. Wesprobably bring in \$700; penalty them up for trial and a possible ley N. Jones, President of the VISITS JOHNSTON CO. collecting, \$2,000 more; privilege death sentence. Dr. Harper asked State W. M. U., and Dr. Francis taxes, \$2,000; poll-tax, \$1,500; col- to be taken before the wounded P. Gaines, the new president of (Continued on Page Six)

Meadow Girls To N. C. C. W. Among the Johnston county girls Marvin Jordan left Saturday to enter N. C. C. W., were Misses Peacock and Glendon Smith, of ladies graduated at the Meadow

to be \$39,115.15, Liabilities, secured and unsecured, total \$86,060.74. tramp's don't care dispositi

Co. Road Engineer Reports For Aug.

Operations In The Five Districts; Construction Work Done by the Convicts

J. B. Lodor, engineer and superintendent of the Johnston County highway system, made his re port for the month of August to the board of highway commission ers in session here Monday. On erations in August by district were as follows:

District No. 1. W. N. Holt, Commissioner.

Clayed and graveled, 800 yards ulvert pipe placed, 132 feet bridges repaired, 4; roads rebuilt 2 miles; roads dragged, 663 mile machine ditched, 72 miles; should ders pulled, 61 miles; clearing right of way, 4 miles; fill, 100 cu

District No. 2. L. Gilbert, Commissioner Culvert pipe placed, 40 feet bridges repaired, 4; roads built, 18 miles; roads rebuilt, 16 mile roads dragged, 331 miles; hand ditched, 245 yards; clearing right ot way, 18 m'es

District No. 3. Swade Barbour, Commissioner Clayed and graveled, 600 yards; culvert pipe placed, 128 feet; bridges repaired, 3; roads dragged miles; shoulders pulled, 45 miles learing right of way, 2 miles.

District No. 4. C. P. Harer, Commissioner. Culvert pipe placed, 124 feet bridges repaired, 1; roads built, 2 miles; roads dragged, 752 miles; machine ditched, 92 miles; hand ditched, 700 yards; shoulders pull-

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CENTENNIAL CAMPAIGN RALEIGH, Sept. 9.-Hon. As Narrated By the Late Max Gardner, chairman of the paign committee, has called the first meeting of the committee to be held at Meredith College Thurs-

The centennial campaign is one hundredth anniversary of the about the battle, was then a young from indebtedness and to add new equipment which is vitally needed ments of county government as and whose home was used as a at these schools. The seven colleges

> and soup, and such nourishment as in the nine associations in the cen-Wake Forest College.

AUNT ROXIE SAYS By Me-

