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Cleveland Citizen Is Found Dead In Bed

Customers Find David C. Lee Dead When They Visit His Filling Station

LIVED ALONE

The Cleveland community was shocked Friday morning when Mr. David C. Lee was found dead in his bed at a filling station near Cleveland school about 8:30 o'clock.

Coroner J. H. Kirkman was called and he went immediately to the scene. Six witnesses were examined and the following jury was impaneled: F. M. Weeks, R. E. Masengill, J. C. Price, A. M. Barber, Saba Johnson and R. E. Holt.

Funeral services were held on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Oakland church, conducted by Rev. Chester Alexander and Elder Everett Jones, and interment took place in the cemetery at the church.

The deceased leaves a mother, Mrs. D. M. Lee, and two sisters, Mrs. S. B. Hardee and Mrs. J. E. Jones, all of Cleveland township.

Dr. Hooks Is Improving.

As we closed our forms to go to press late yesterday afternoon, the report from the Johnston County Hospital concerning Dr. Thel Hooks was encouraging. His condition was considerably better than twenty-four hours before.

MASQUERADE PARTY TO BE HELD AT CLEVELAND

A masquerade party will be given at Cleveland school Friday night, Nov. 23, the proceeds of the auction sale, one of the features of the occasion, to benefit Mt. Zion Epworth League.

Those participating are to wear costumes representing children from six to twelve years of age. Ladies are invited to carry picnic lunches for two. The ladies, before unmasking, will be sold to the highest bidder.

Tantalizer

There are exactly enough letters in the line below to spell the name of a person in Smithfield or Johnston county, and if the right one deciphers his name and will present it to the Herald office, we will present him with a free ticket to the Victory Theatre. Tickets must be called for before the following issue.

Jimmy Sellers deciphered his name last issue. Today's Tantalizer: moayellnamis

Indian Movie Star



Miss Dorothy Janis, full-blooded Cherokee Indian, weighing 90 pounds, hailed as the movie find of the year. She is to star in a South Sea Island picture.

Farmers Plan To Ship Hogs North

First Shipment From Johnston County In September Has Starting Point For Others; J. B. Slack Gives Method of Feeding

The past September saw the first shipment of hogs from Johnston county to the northern markets, but from the present indications this was just a starting point for farmers of this county in this line of endeavor.

Among those who are feeding now with a view to shipping next spring are Messrs. H. T. Smith, J. A. Smith, W. D. Johnson, and J. P. Parker of Smithfield, route 1. These men will probably have a total of 60 hogs to ship next spring.

Mr. Slack, who is pushing the hog-hen-cow program in this county, makes the following statement concerning the proper method of feeding hogs:

Method of Feeding. These hogs will be fed according to what is known as the 'Shay Method' of feeding hogs in this state. This method consists of feeding hogs all they will consume, preferably with a self-feeder, and the feeding of a balanced ration of corn supplemented with fish meal or tankage.

Water and Mineral. In addition to having all the corn and fish meal they will consume these hogs should have a supply of fresh water all the time. Also, a mineral mixture consisting of:

- 10 pounds ground agricultural limestone—
10 pounds acid phosphate (16 per cent acid)—
2 pounds common salt.

SHOWS LARGE POTATO

One of the largest potatoes seen here was sent to this office Thursday by Mr. L. Shepard Penny of Benson. The potato is of the Porto Rico variety and weighs eight pounds.

Watch Your Label

Meeting Of Board Of Commissioners

Regular Session, Deferred Until Thursday, Nov. 15; Routine Business Claims Attention; Jury List Drawn for December Term Court

On account of election day and again on account of Monday, November 12 being observed as armistice day, the county board of commissioners did not hold its regular meeting until Thursday, November 15. There was a full attendance of the board, and the day was spent mostly in transacting routine business.

Registrars and other election officials were here to receive pay for their services, and the approval of these bills consumed considerable time. A number of tax complaints were passed upon, and the old pauper list was given due consideration.

It appearing that the tax collections had not been sufficient to take care of a note due the Bank of Micro in the sum of \$25,000, borrowed for the Johnston County Highway Commission, a resolution was passed authorizing the sale of a short term note to meet this situation. The notice of sale was duly advertised according to law.

At the meeting Thursday, the jurors were drawn for the two weeks term of criminal court to begin Dec. 10. The following names were drawn for the first week:

E. B. Durham, Joe V. Woodard, Jarvis L. Brown, S. E. Barbour, William Dodd, Will Pearce, Jesse Pearce, W. J. Jernigan, George R. Fuller, C. G. Cole, H. L. Brown, Roy R. Johnson, D. A. Lassiter, J. A. Peele, Worth Ogburn, J. A. Ennis, L. H. Sasser, Ralph Barnes, J. Ronie Stephenson, H. R. Gerald, J. S. Wall, Jr., Douglas Wall, James L. Hinnant, Cleon Bailey, M. E. Dixon, Archie Barbour, J. H. Creech, M. T. Hinton, Sherrill Utley, A. L. Browning, R. G. Gover, J. M. Whittington, Alonzo Johnson, Julius A. Barbour, Chester L. Barnes, J. M. Adams, W. H. Casper, C. H. Hill, Clifford Austin, O. P. Barbour, D. M. Barefoot, A. L. Batten.

Second Week. W. A. McLamb, J. B. Waddell, W. B. Barnes, J. Braxton Barefoot, J. T. Wilkins, J. P. Jones, M. M. Stallings, A. V. Parker, H. D. Stevens, J. E. Moore, Maurice Southerland, E. L. Pearce, S. E. Sherrill, M. N. Whitley, N. H. Barbour, C. F. Jones, B. D. Daughtry, W. A. Johnson, H. C. Campbell, M. C. Williford, J. A. King, J. M. Britt, Paul E. Whitley, and W. H. Turlington.

EXTENSION CLASS IN MODERN DRAMA

Wednesday afternoon, November 21, at four o'clock in the county commissioners' room of the Johnston county courthouse here, Professor A. I. Ladu of State College, at Raleigh, will meet with his class of students in modern drama in connection with the college extension courses.

In this course, dramas will be studied representative of the best authors, such as Ibsen, Hamptmann, Chekhov, Tolstoy, Becque, Shaw, Galsworthy, Synge, Strindley and O'Neill.

The course in drama will carry three term hours of credit at State College and two semester hours with the state department of education.

Mr. Ladu teaches drama as a vehicle for the interpretation of modern cultural and social thought. Courses being held at the county courthouse include that of Professor H. T. Lefler in North Carolina history.

Mr. Price Appointed Magistrate.

The Outgoing and Incoming Presidents



Calvin Coolidge is to give up the reigns of office to Herbert Hoover, who it is believed will closely adhere to the policies formulated by his predecessor. Both men are more given to action than to words, and have arked business and executive ability. Calvin Coolidge has been nominated as many offices, never suffering a defeat, but Herbert Hoover has not engaged in politics before. The many important offices he has heretofore held have been appointive offices.

Auto Wreck Puts Three In Hospital

Red Cross Roll Call Total \$94

Workers Will Still Be Glad to Receive Memberships; Local Fund To Be Used To Correct Defective Eyes of Underprivileged Children

The Red Cross Roll Call which started here November 14 is still being worked to the end that as large fund as possible may be had for the purpose of correcting eye defects in underprivileged children of this community.

Mrs. W. H. Lyon is chairman of the committee and yesterday her report showed that to date \$94 had been contributed in memberships. The committee from the Kiwanis club, which was composed of Rev. D. H. Tuttle, Dr. C. C. Massey and Rev. Chester Alexander, raised a goodly portion of this amount. This committee had as its territory the business section of town.

The workers will still be glad to receive membership fees.

The details of the plan to correct defective eyesight of children who otherwise might not have an opportunity, will be worked out when it is known how much money will be available for this purpose.

GOOD PROGRAM AT SCHOOL FRIDAY EVE.

The Book Week program given by the primary grades at the school auditorium Friday evening was enjoyed by a large audience. The exercises were varied and appropriate to Book Week. Two numbers rendered by the Glee club, and a vocal duet by Misses Constance Harrelson and Ella Hensley were enjoyable features of the program.

A book committee was at the door to receive books which together with others donated by local organizations will add two or three hundred volumes to the library. Interest in book week is carried over into this week in the sponsoring of the Duke Musical clubs, the proceeds of which will be used for the library.

POU WINS IN EVERY COUNTY EXCEPT ONE

Congressman E. W. Pou, of Smithfield, received a majority of 14,834 over L. L. Wrenn, of Siler City, his Republican opponent in the recent election, receiving 31,278 votes to 16,445, according to figures compiled by H. M. London, legislative reference librarian. In 1926 Mr. Pou's majority was 9,819 and in 1924 it was 13,552. He carried every county in the district except Johnston, the vote by counties being as follows:

Table with 2 columns: County, Pou, Wrenn. Rows: Chatham (3,292 vs 3,111), Franklin (3,064 vs 381), Johnston (6,024 vs 7,174), Nash (4,738 vs 1,273), Vance (2,634 vs 711), Wake (11,526 vs 3,794). Totals: 31,278 vs 16,444.

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Diphtheria Rate Continues High

Value of Preventative Inoculations and Anti-Toxin Administration Explained; Attack Rate Higher In Pre-School Age Children

By DR. C. C. MASSEY, Health Officer.

Parents should know by this time that their children need not have diphtheria, provided they have received three weekly inoculations against this disease, which protects, in most instances, for life. Unfortunately, however, the greater part of the county's child population has not received the protective treatments, and is therefore susceptible to the disease, and cases continue to be reported almost daily.

Three weekly inoculations establish protection in the child's system against the disease. But a period of five months must pass after receiving the third inoculation before this protection is established. The inoculations, or protective treatments, are sometimes called vaccinations. This is what we give to children from six months to six years of age during the summer, that it may establish this protection in the child by the late fall and winter when diphtheria is highest.

For immediate protection on the other hand, when one has been exposed to the disease, not an inoculation with vaccine, but a dose of anti-toxin is imperative. This keeps off the disease, but has a protective value of only a few weeks. The chief role for anti-toxin is in treating diphtheria, and invariably saves the patient if administered early in the disease.

The attack rate for diphtheria is higher among children whose ages range from two to five years, because these ages children have relatively little resistance to the diphtheria germs. These are the ages which should receive most attention, and in every croupy sore throat the question of diphtheria should be proved or disproved. Too much importance cannot be given to an early start, and as previously stated, diagnosis and treatment of this disease is the business of the family physician. The majority of deaths caused by diphtheria are due to the failure of parents to secure early medical service.

Removal of tonsils and adenoids, which are known to be veritable hot beds for diphtheria germs, is one of the best safeguards to be taken against diphtheria, as in such surgical measures the chief place of abode for many diseases causing germs that attack, not only the young, but the old as well, has been removed. There need be very little, if any, apprehension about children who have had tonsils and adenoids removed, particularly when the question of diphtheria arises.

It might be well to add that the spread of this disease is usually by droplet spray, as in sneezing and coughing. It is never amiss to guard one's cough, and parents and teachers can go far in establishing proper habits of this sort in children. By such an established practice, many of these germs which are passed about from one throat to another, year to year, in the course of human contacts, would never arrive at their destination, namely, the throat of some susceptible child.

MR. T. C. YOUNG JOINS MOTORCADE AT RICHMOND

Mr. T. C. Young, who is chairman of the Virginia-Carolina-Florida Highway Association, went to Richmond Thursday to visit a motorcade which began a rip from Washington, D. C. to Florida Thursday morning. A meeting of the association was held in Richmond Thursday evening which Mr. Young attended. The motorcade included prominent highway officials of the states mentioned as well as other men and women of note. The party made several stops in this state, one at Rocky Mount where luncheon was served and an entertainment program was put on.

MRS. JORDAN'S SISTER KILLED IN ACCIDENT

Mrs. Lyndon K. Jordan was called to Farmville yesterday on account of the death of her sister who was killed yesterday morning in an automobile accident on the highway between Farmville and Wilson. The car in which she was riding is said to have collided with a bus. Others in the car with her were painfully hurt. Friends of Mrs. Jordan sympathize with her in her bereavement.

TOTAL ECLIPSE OF MOON VISIBLE ON NOVEMBER 27

Everyone in the United States will have the opportunity of seeing the total eclipse of the moon coming November 27—but the spectators will have to be pretty early. For the moon will enter the earth's shadow at 2:24 a. m., eastern standard time. Total eclipse begins at 3:33 and lasts until 4:29 o'clock, when the moon begins to emerge. At 5:39 a. m. the eclipse will be over. Central times are one hour earlier, mountain times two hours and Pacific times three hours.

The moon will probably not disappear from view although entirely within the shadow for nearly an hour. Considerable sunlight is refracted into the shadow through the ring of the earth's atmosphere around the base of the shadow. The moon at that time will be dim and noticeably like the setting sun.

Two Music Treats Here This Week

Duke University Musical Clubs Here Thursday Evening and Tropical Vagabonds Here Tonight; Local Boys On Each Program

Two musical treats are scheduled for Smithfield this week both of which have a local interest. This evening under the auspices of the Aeolian Music club, "The Famous Tropical Vagabonds" will appear at the school auditorium, and one of the performers, Frank Youngblood, is a former Smithfield boy. Mr. Youngblood is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Youngblood who moved from this city a few years ago to Sumter, S. C. His splendid baritone contributes one of the fine features of the program to be given this evening. Other members of this musical organization are Miss Louise Lartique, soprano; Miss Kittie Hatchett, pianist; Vincent Day, violinist. This is the first time the local music club has attempted to sponsor an entertainment of this kind and the members cordially invite the public to hear this musical treat.

The other entertainment this week will be given Thursday evening at the school auditorium by the Duke University Musical clubs including the Glee club, symphony orchestra, University club orchestra, and male quartet. Two Smithfield boys, William and Tom Lassiter will appear on this program. William Lassiter playing trumpet in the two orchestras, and Tom Lassiter playing trombone in the symphony orchestra. This entertainment is sponsored by the high school and the proceeds will be used for the library.

The Duke Musical clubs left Durham yesterday for their fall tour in eastern North Carolina, and it was because of a cancellation of one of their dates that Smithfield was offered this opportunity to hear their program. They were in Roanoke Rapids last night, and other places on their itinerary include Kinston, Greenville (E. C. T. C.) and Dunn.

Fifty-four men are making the trip this year, according to Henry Best, business manager, and G. E. Leftwich, director of the orchestra, who were here this week in the interest of making Smithfield a part of the itinerary.

Numbers ranging from the highest symphonic masterpieces to the rich tones of vocal artists and the liveliest tunes of jazz are included in the program. The clubs are also giving a one-act musical comedy, which promises to be a real treat for the audiences. The Glee club, under the leadership of Mr. J. Foster Barnes, director of the Glee club, is presenting several numbers that would give credit to any college in the country. Jim Rowe, the "dancing comedian," will be there with his light fantastic toe and his monologue of side-splitting jokes.

We have a suggestion for your long winter evenings Watch for it

Baptist Leaders Of County Meet

Representatives of Johnston Association In Conference At Baptist Church Here Yesterday; Rev. S. L. Morgan Reads Paper

By REV. S. L. MORGAN

An important and significant meeting of Baptist leaders of the Johnston Association was held last Monday at the Baptist church in Smithfield. The meeting was called as a result of a recommendation adopted at the recent session of the Johnston association, that as soon as practicable after the association a meeting be arranged of pastors, members of the executive committee and the heads of the Sunday school, B. Y. P. U. and W. M. U. departments of the association, with a view to a clearer understanding and closer cooperation among leaders of the several departments, and between them and the pastors and executive committee. Ten pastors were present, seven members of the executive committee, the heads of these departments, except of the Sunday school department, and a number of laymen and women. Two of the three recently elected members of the executive committee were present, G. W. Lee of Willow Springs, and Mrs. J. W. Sands of Four Oaks, Dr. I. E. D. Andrews of Clayton, was chosen as chairman of the meeting, and Mrs. B. A. Hocutt as secretary.

Rev. S. L. Morgan, chairman of the executive committee, opened the discussion by reading a paper setting forth some of the unmet needs of the Johnston association, and dwelling on the need for more definite and intelligent cooperation of the pastors and leaders of the several departments of work. Mrs. B. A. Hocutt, president of the W. M. U. of the association, presented the plans of the W. M. U. for the coming year and how it proposed to carry them out among the churches. Rev. A. L. Brown, of Four Oaks, president of the Association B. Y. P. U., discussed the program of his department and the need of a closer cooperation with the W. M. U. department, much of the work of both departments being in the same field, among the young people of the churches. It was pointed out that often the best results might come from a rally arranged jointly by the two departments, when the distinct aims of each department would be discussed and the organizations formed with mutual understanding, so as to avoid needless overlapping of effort and harmful rivalry for members.

The executive committee was requested to send out to all the churches a questionnaire to discover what churches need help in further organizing the several departments of work and to obtain a roll of all needing to be enlisted in the several departments of the work.

The wish was expressed that the executive committee, which represents the association between its annual sessions, should use its initiative to the full in stimulating the churches on all lines of work, and should investigate all situations where the work seems to lag, or where any situation arises to threaten the harmony or prosperity of a church.

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEET BAPTIST CHURCH

The Baptist church will hold its annual business meeting tomorrow night, when officers are to be elected for the ensuing year. These officers include the Sunday school superintendent, clerk, treasurer, financial secretary, a number of deacons and deaconesses, whose terms expire, and some other minor officials. A full attendance is expected.

Home Talent Play At Micro.

The faculty of the Micro high school of which Mr. O. A. Tuttle is principal will present a play entitled "Borrowed Money" at the school auditorium next Friday evening, Nov. 23. There are fifteen characters each of whom is good. The program will open at eight o'clock.