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# This Week

CHAMPION BOY AND GIRL-FORD VS. ROCKEFELLER-

tivities in Chicago included judg-

Thelma Svarstad, a South Dachampionship, is seventeen years coffee, and expects to be a teach-

The boy champion is William Proceedings Of old, who weighs 130 pounds, is 5 admires Jack Dempsey, also drinks lots of milk. Milk dealers, please

From a livestock-and many other-points of view, these are fine American children.

But somewhere in America there is a little baby shivering in its

Write that down for your com- were disposed of: fort, if you have a whild that isn't | State vs. Robert Lee, charged

Edison, his intimate friend, of Johnston county. "never had any money until he B. Mitchiner, colored, was in

John D. Rockefeller, is surely a tence was suspended upon pay-"successful boy," and did save ment of \$50 and cost. money. He advises young and old Arthur Starling, charged with ciation had spensored the com-Rockefeller will tell you, "Save four months road sentence. money, not chiefly for the money you save, but because teaches self control, and that's was found guilty of possession been extremely active in putting the beginning of wisdom.

Rockefeller but once. But when I Standard Oil."

"I loved my wife so that would rather see her dead than and was fined \$10 and cost. with somebody else."

It's no sin to pet on Sunday, but the way some fellows do it a crime.

### Tantalizer

There are exactly enough letters in the line below to spell the name of a person in Smith-field 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 lictory Theatre. Tickets must e called for before the follow-

Ed Peterson failed to de cipher his name last issue. Today's Tantalizer:

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SMITHFIELD, N. C., FRIDAY MORNING, JANUARY 4, 1928

# STOLEN AUTOMOBILES PROMPTLY RECOVERED

Five-Year-Old Girl Has Bank Account

Tuesday a visit to the First and Citizens National Bank found a little five-year-old curly-haired fore the teller's window watching Miss Vara Sanders count 384 pen nies which she had emptied out of her bank to make a deposit. This son. She was taking a keen in-

# Recorder's Court tomobile of Mr. Joseph Sanders, admiras Jack Downson, J

Yesterday

mother's arms, delicate, with a needay this week instead of Tuesthin little body, a big head, wide day which being New Year's day was made to steal the practically anxious eyes, that some day will was a holiday. Judge Parker pre- new DeSoto coach belonging to do things the healthiest boy and sided and the following cases Mr. John D. Herring. The car

with operating a car while intoxicated, The defendant plead guilty Second street toward Brooklyn Henry Ford's offhand statement, and was fined \$10 and cost.

"No successful boy ever saved A plea of nole contendere was money," was not meant literally, entered by Charlie Richardson, the meant that it was better to colored, charged with larceny and of the apartment house. spend for information than merely he was sentenced to jail for 90 None of the absence to to save a few dollars. Thomas A days to be worked on the roads

got so much that he couldn't court charged with carrying concealed weapon. He was found guilty and was sentenced to 60 The other "world's richest man," days on the roads. The road sen-

to save now, as he hands each one wolating the prohibition law, was munity Christmas tree. Instead it a ten-cent piece with a smile found guilty of possession for the was the Selma Woman's club worth a good deal of money. Mr. purpose of sale and was given a

saving clation of the prohibition laws make. Selma Woman's club has and was fined \$25 and cost.

Ford has high respect for John foot were found guilty of violat- most recent being this community D. Rockefeller. He said to this ing the prohibition laws and pray- Christmas tree. The president, writer, "I never saw John D. er for judgment was continued Mrs. C. E. Kornegay, was assist-

\$80 fine as to Beasley. Strange is the nature of man guilty on a charge of abandon- proved to be. We are glad to make lin New York a young man conment and non-support, and prayer this correction.

I of possession and transportation could be expected.

ey and Lonnie Allen were in to Superior court. ar while intoxicated and with as- of violating the prohibition law her friends for her. sault. None were found guilty of and was fined \$10 and costs.

Two cases were disposed of Centenary Methodist Church. has accepted a position with the

# Cars Belonging to G. Although Influenza Is Quite

T. Powell and Joseph Sanders Stolen From Streets

ly Thursday Morning ter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace John- to wonder whose car will be next. held

represents more than her penny over Neuse river at the west side ret the calendar as arranged, and deposits now totals more than a of town. It was thought from a pounds, is 5 feet 2 inches tall, hundred dollars. Teaching thrift the amount of gasoline used that at 2 p. m., and other preparations frinks plenty of milk, no tea or to the young is a lesson they will the the car had been driven sev- for the court will go into effect. enty-five or eighty miles. car was anandoned at the time will preside over the special term. it was found, but it did not ap-

tomobile of Mr. Joseph Sanders, nor and A. M. Noble. tolen while parked in the stree here at the home of Mrs. L. L. notice this in your advertisements. Court Not Held on New Years Turner. It was recovered late Day; Number Cases Dis- Monday night in a ditch by the posed Of Wednesday and highway near Clayton. Apparently the driver had run into the ditch and being unable to get it out had abandoned it. The car

was parked in front of the John men were seen pushing it along been seen the men fled, leaving

apprehended, but it is thought that the same persons are con nected with all the thefts.

Selma, Jan. 3 .- Through an e ror last week it was stated that Earl Starling, charged with vi- it was a very natural mistake to W. K. Beasley and Carson Bare- objectives and programs, their on payment of one-half cost as ed by a group of helpers who sac-

ty of possession of whiskey and the four-year-old son of Mr. and of transportation of liquor and first James Capps while playing and fine subject to county, and Benny Brewer. Pikeling, in prison, saw his wife, whose complaint had jailed him for wife-beating. He seized a carving the formulation of liquor and may be seized a carving overtook his wife, stabbed her payment of cost.

The following and the four-year-old son of Mr. and boro; Mrs. Wade Brown, Selma; boro; Mrs. Value Brown, Mary Parker, Eunice Tember of the business places of the business o

ourt charged with operating a George Leach was found guilty sions of the love and esteem of Bone has a position. Miss Sarah

Fowler and Brinkley were found yesterday. Charley Boykin was Sunday school 9:30 a. m., T. bank Her place with the Southguilty of simple assault. Each charged with an attempt to burn C. Young superintendent. Preachwas taxed with \$25 and half the a house, Probable cause was found ing 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., by the filled by a young man from Flor-

# Special Term Of Superior Court

Prevalent, Bar Association Decides To Go Ahead With Term To Open Jan 28

The special term of Johnston girl standing up in a chair be. Attempt Is Made to Steal De Soto county Superior court ordered by Belonging to J. D. Herring Ear- the Governor to open here on January 28 to continue for two weeks for the trial of criminal little miss was Irene Elizabeth taking place here within the past At the opening of Recorder's Johnson, the five-year-old daugh- few days has caused local citizens court yesterday, a discussion was Sunday night the Dodge sedan Bar Association as to whether to terest in what has already become of Mr. G. T. Powell was missed hold this term of court or not it ing the healthiest boy and girl on namual custom of depositing about six o'clock, and a search view of the widespread prevalence the pennies from her bank. She was instituted at once. About of influenza. After some of the Thelma Svarstad, a South Da-kota girl, who won the female Her bank account which however by the river near the new bridge cd their views, it was decided to

compositions within the playing scope of the popular American or concert jazz orchestra. The award pear to be damaged. sick at this time are Col. E. S. On Monday night the Buick au- Abell, J. A. Wellons, James Rayfor a short musical work,

## Has Narrow Escape New Year Brings From Passing Bullet Business Changes

Mrs, R. E. Whitehurst barely escaped a serious accident home here. Mrs. Whitehurst Wednesday afternoon at her was standing in her yard when a bullet from a pistol or rifle whizzed by, passing through her sweater near her hip. No one was within sight. but it was thought that the bullet came from the rifle of some child at play. Friends of Mrs. Whitehurst are glad that she was unharmed by

Death of Mrs. Brewer.

Selma, Jan. 3.—Mrs. Pherab Johnston county December 27

On March 28, 1877 she was narried to Mr. Monroe Brewer, a cher of their chain in Smith. The benediction was pronounce Brewer has lived was here Saturday and closed Presbyterian with her children. She was with the contract for leasing the store LEAVE FOR COLLEGES. daughter, Mrs. Wade Brown, of Mr. E. P. Lore on Market A number of Selma's you selma when the end came.

before her death she had a light soon as it is completed, The Oaks to Georgia Military survive. She was a devoted mem- Smithfield for some time.

The funeral service was conduct- has been with the Farmers Bank bor; Velma Talton and Joe Temnd was fined \$10 and cost.
Walter Smith, colored, was TRAIN SCHEDULE CHANGED Hooks, and her body was faid to of years as cashier and who prior Elizabeth Earp, Rocky Mount; bund guilty of giving a worth- Mr. J. A. Campbell, agent at rest in the Princeton cemetery. to taking this position was con- Bertha Woodard. Ethel Corbett ess check and was sent to the the local A. C. L. station, and The palibearers were her grand- nected with the First and Citi- and Mildred Creech, Pine Level; roads for a period of 30 days. nounces a change in the schedule sons: Landis Brown, Leland zens National Bank, is leaving, it John Morgan, Fayetteville.

O. O. Nichols was found guilty of train No. 34 which will arrive Brewer, Raymond Sasser, Chester is understood, to return to Wils of simple assault and prayer for at 7:12 a. m. instead of 7:32. Woodard, Stacy Fulghum and mington, his native home. Mrs. As a rule the fellow who thinks judgment was continued upon the This change has been in effect Ralph Aycock. The flower girls C. W. Bone, who has also been he's the whole cheese generally ayment of cost.

Graham Fowler, Jasper Brinkay and Lonnie Allen were in

Superior court,

Since Sunday, December 30.

Were the granddaughters. The oral years, will leave in about a tiful floral tributes were expression, where Mr. MRS. W. T. BAILEY OF Turlington, who has been with

cost. Allen was not found guilty and the defendant was bound pastor. Morning subject: "And ida, who has not yet arrived, over to Superior court under a They Crucified Him." Services Among those who are leaving

### Wins \$10,000 In Selma Church

Mrs. S. M. Errickson of Japan Addresses Methodist Sunday School; Services For Masons

SELMA, Jan. 3.—The members of Edgerton Memorial Methodist Sunday school were very fortu have with them a returned mis

sting manner told of the worl Japan, both are trained missio aries and have worked side b side in the foreign field for 2: HOMAS GRISELLE of Mount Venrs.

Mrs. Erickson is a delightfu American Sketches" won first speaker and held the closest a Victor Talking Machine tention of her hearers as she tole Company's recent competition for incident after incident, some lucrous, some pathetic, all revea She is the author of two book One written several years ago "The White Fields of Japan" wa lasses, and the other is now b

While in Selma, Dr. and Mrs. The Oaks Stores of Golds- Brietz

boro Will Open Branch SERVICES FOR MASONS.

Here As Scon As Lore The union service neld at the As Scon As Lore Selma Baptist church Sunday eve- a notice from the clerk of the istrations, called upon the clerk to

and 1929 is no exception. Already missionary from Japan delivered tated. moves are being made and the the sermon using as his theme: ersonnel of clerks is changing "Spread the Light," which was a home demonstration work in nesday, and the announcement of The Spiers building on the cor- ble to both Masons and mission er of Market and Third streets aries. In the course of his re- commissioners, once by a Demo- Just what business these coun empty, the Abdalla Vinsor marks. Dr. Erickson touched on cratic board several years ago, ty officials transacted is ore company having removed on many interesting phases of his and again in 1925 by the Repub- course not known but a few of

January 1, its stock of merchan- work in Japan. dise to the Selma store. It is A special feature of the serv t known when the building will ice was a cornet solo by Prof. occupied though it has already Harold M. Hefley, of Duke Unibeen leased by parties in Wagram, versity, the piano accompanimen In the near future The Oaks being played by Miss

Stores, of Goldsboro, will open Creech of Greensboro College. Mr. Lamm, of Goldsboro, ed by Rev. D. F. Waddell, of the street which was recently burned.

several months. Two weeks rebailding of this store and as They are: Geo, Davis Vick, Jr stroke, followed by pneumonia Store, which is a department Harry Candler, West Point; Cronje which at her advanced age and store, will open. This firm has Earp, instructor in University of expense that much. The county appropriation. The salaries of the considering coming to New York; Dr. Elmore Earp, interne in Union Memorial Hos ber of the Primitive Baptist The American Dollar Store pital, Baltamore; John Lacy Deans, upon payment of one-half cost as to Barefoot, and one-half cost and to Barefoot, and the Barefoot, an hich lost its stock of goods in Gordon Brown and Ralph Wood by the Home Pride Store. The are work in chemistry at John's She is survived by the fol- Home Pride Store went into bank- Hopkins Hospital; W. B. Oliver. 

payment of cost.

Paul Webb was found guilty is now resting as comfortably as land where there are no farewells.

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Those teaching this year are:

Sunday school 9:45 a. m., F. forfeitures.

H. Brocks, superintendent, Preach.

This cut in the personnel of the

KENLY IS DEAD News reached this office Jate yesterday afternoon of the death of Mrs. W. T. Bailey of Kenly, which took place yesterday morning. Mrs. Bailey was hurt in an automobile accident before Christmas which finally caused her

# Missionary Talks Co. Commissioners **Cut More Offices**



# Co Board Cuts Out Home Agent

Fails to Appropriate Salary; pired at the meeting last week Third Time Home Demon-Has Been Discontinued

most fitting subject and applica- Johnston county has been discon- visiting days for the jail, made inued by the board of county public lean board. Each time the mem- their official acts began to leak uch a disturbance that the work tice that the appropriation for his

Miss Garrison has been cent for about eight years, bayboard wishes to cut the county bookkeeper was omitted from the appropriates only \$1,610 for this clerk of the court at \$300 per orn by the federal government. at \$150 per month, and

timony to its good effects here sion of the bookkeeper's salary, agricultural editor of North Caro-stated that the taking of the lina State College, discusses the bookkeeper out of his office will

mot together to form the Small pense of \$700 per month, which Men's Association of America, would include a competent bookcomprising only human beings keeper, does not seem to be out ess than four feet high, of which of proportion. they became charter members. This same budget shows that Midgets, little men who are not, the estimated revenue from the lke dwarfs, in some way stunt- sheriff is \$2,000, and the cost of Major Womack was in charged with disposing of mort-gaged crops. He was found guilty. Prayer for judgment was for 90 days. An appeal was taken over to Supertor court under a charged with disposing of mort-gaged crops. He was found guilty. Prayer for judgment was continued upon payment of cost.

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Time.

Turn To PAGE 5, PLEASE od or deformed, could become as- running this office is set down at

Board Does Not Wish Proceedings of Meetings Made Public But Transactions Leak Out

Yesterday for the first time the Herald reporter was denied the minutes of the proceedings of the commissioners' meeting held here leans went into office there has seen talk that they expected to make some changes in the salary chedule of the county officers in an effort to reduce expense. The public has been awaiting news of the expected changes and when it was known that the board of com nissioners were in session here on Tuesday, this publication made an effort to get official, authentic information concerning the proceedings of the board.

The reporter was told Monday that nothing of importance trans out information from other sources was that certain changes stration Work In Johnston had been made in which the pub lic would be interested. Again yesterday a representative of this Lee paper, according to a custom that Carrison, county home demonstra- has been followed for the past The union service held at the tion agent for Johnston, received Republican and Democratic admin ning for the Masons was largely board of county commissioners the board and asked to get a re attended and much enjoyed. Rev. stating that her salary would be port of the meeting. This request D. M. Sharpe, of the Methodist discontinued. Whether this means was denied with the explanation A New Year is apt to bring church, read the Scripture lesson, immediately or after July 1, the that the commissioners did no end of the fiscal year, was not wish the proceedings, other than the postponement of the next This is the third time that the meeting from Monday until Wed

> ers of the home demonstrtion out Wednesday. The county tax abs throughout the county raised collector received an official no office in the future would be \$250 per month instead of \$350 per g succeeded Miss Mamie Sue the fact that this office must col ones, who was the agent during lect the delinquent taxes in ad-Miss Garrison has dition to those of the current on a very efficient agent and year. The entire salary of the far as is known there is no home demonstration agent was york, the other expense being month, of the first deputy clerk

> Johnston county. F. H. Jeter, Mr. Rose, clerk of the court,

ing by the pastor at 11 a. m. and clerk's office led to a little inp. m. Subject in the morning: vestigation as to what this county Thought the Architect of Char- office is doing. Reference to th lacter," and in the evening, "What official budget approved by the to Do With Our Past." These are county commissioners in July retwo new year sermons which the yeals that the estimated revenue congregation and the public are for a year from the clerk's of-specially invited to hear. fice is placed at \$12,750 with an Prayer meeting Wednesday at estimated total expense of \$9,550. As a matter of fact the collections in the clerk's office from Little Mcn Form Association. December 1, 1927 to December 1, In Fomona, Calif., 75 dwarfs 1928 totaled \$21,956.08. The ex-