## Spring Harbingers Make Appearance day, the reptile having gone through the severe winter unharmed.

There will be some more cold weather, no doubt, but spring is it will be like when the mercury surely on the way, judging from the umerous signs observed during the three or four unusually warm days the early part of this week. Some

of the most noteworthy signs: Fishing poles displayed on the

Chirping of the birds. Early flowers budding.

Large purchases of garden and flower seeds at local stores.

New stocks arriving at stores First herring caught in the Ro

Dymond City section of Griffins occupants was hurt.

PLOWS AND

PLOW CASTING

Fire, Smoke and Water

Still Going Strong

MANY WORTH-WHILE VALUES

ARE TO BE HAD AT THIS SALE

Those Farmers Who Have Not Been Able To

Come To Town Should by All Means Attend

This Sale. We Have What You Need at Prices

Below the Actual Cost of the Items

TRACE CHAINS, now ..... 69c

Inside Enamel & Flat Paints at Big Reductions

HAMES, No. 61, now ...... 97c

HORSE COLLARS

Being Sold at this Fire Sale at Give-Away Prices

CULPEPPER

HARDWARE CO.

PEOPLES

Trading Co.

Royster Field Tested

FERTILIZER

and it is natural that we turn our thoughts

requirements-a fertilizer that has stood

truck goods, and all other analyses for

Nitrate Soda, Cottonseed Meal, Lime, Oats, Etc.

Lot of Fresh Mules, Ready to Work

See Our Representative For Your 1936 Requirements

TRY OUR SERVICE PLAN

Office and Representative in

- Robersonville - Williamston

rading

the test for over fifty-one years.

to FERTILIZER.

various crops.

The planting season is drawing near

We suggest ROYSTER for your 1936

We carry a full stock of plant bed,

ARSENATE OF LEAD, lb. .....

25% Off

-SALE!

2 1-2 feet long, was killed by W. M. Bissell and P. E. Getsinger Wednes-

Spring officially opens March 21, Go To Church but this section got a taste of what reached nearly the 80-mark on the Sunday thermometer earlier this week.

#### County People Escape Unhurt in Florida Wreck

Mrs. Allie Roberson, Mrs. Lizzie Smithwick, Mrs. Frank Jordan and son, Hugh, all of this county, escaped unhurt, but their car was badly damaged in a wreck at Vero Beach, Fla., last Tuesday, according to reports reaching here. A Massachu setts car, figuring in the wreck, was p. m. Appearance of a snake in the old badly damaged also, but none of its

#### **EPISCOPAL**

Church of the Advent

Rev. E. F. Moseley, rector. First Sunday in Lent. Church scholo, 9:45 a. m Holy Communion and sermon, 11

Evening prayer and sermon, 7:30

Holy Trinity Mission Sunday school and preaching

#### METHODIST

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m. Young peoples' hour, 6:45.

Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Our presiding elder, Rev. B. B. Slaughter, of Elizabeth City, will breach at the Methodist church at the morning service and hold our first quarterly conference immediately after preaching. The public generally is invited to hear Mr.

# Mrs. Mary Fleming

Mrs. .Mary E. Fleming died at the nome of her daughter and son-inlaw, Mr. and Mrs. Fon Fleming. near Hassell, last Saturday morning of pneumonia, following an attack of influenza a few days before. Mrs. Fleming, a native of Edgecombe County, was 64 years old.

Funeral services were conducted from the late home last Sunday afternoon by Rev. R. N. Fitts, pastor of the local Methodist church Bural was in Enfield, her old home.

#### Former County Resident Dies In Rocky Mount

Mrs. Kenneth R. Hopkins, daugher of Mrs. J. R. Knowles, of Dardens, died in a Rocky Mount hos pital Wednesday evening following brief illness. Mrs. Hopkins, who ived in Plymouth, had some tooth rouble which caused poisoning and resulted in death. She was 39 years

Funeral services are being conluted this afternoon and burial will follow in the Windley cemetery near Plymouth.

#### Grover Harney Connected With Local Warehouse

Grover Harney, for the past eight ears auctioneer on the Robersonville tobacco market, will be with announced this week. Mr. Harney is well known to the farmers of this | 12 billion calls made in 1910. entire section and is recognized as an able auctioneer.

After completing arrangements for his new work here, Mr. Harney returned this week to his home in Kentucky.

## Norfolk Man Arrested for

Norfolk man, was arrested on the Roanoke River fill fice. Wednesday afternoon by Patrolman Stewart for alleged drunken driv- WANTED: THREE MEN WITH ing. After a short stay in the Marover to Bertie authorities. Millie can qualify, you can build your Bradshaw, white woman of Wilbusiness from two to five thousand mington accompanying Williams, dollars a month. Experience not

Brings a week of content And strength for the work of

But a Sabbath profane, Whatsoe'er may be gained, Is sure to bring trouble and sorrow.

HOW LONG? -

Genesis 2:2 ff-"And on the seventh day God ended His work, which He had made; and He rested on the seventh day from all His work which God had created And God blessed the seventh day and sanctified

The Jews were forbiden to gather manna on the seventh day and were commanded to gather enough on the sixth day for the seventh day also.

Exodus 16:26: "Six days ye shall gather it, but on the seventh day, which is the Sabbath, in it there shall be none." "And the Lord said unto Mose How long refuse ye to keep my

andments and my laws?

### IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear Dies Near Hassell mother, Mrs. Florence Peele, who departed this life three years ago, March 1, 1933:

> We will always miss you, dear mother, As the night shadows fall; Each echo seems your footsteps, Each whisper seems your call.

We miss you, dearest mother, Though you are far away;
We'll always keep your memory
Fresh in our hearts each day.

In every flower we see thy love, so deep, Thy voice in tenderness, so soft,

so clear, Comes through the eventide or shadows' wings, Each gentle whisper saying, "I am near."

We stood beside your bed, dear mother, And watched you fade away;

They told us you were going To heaven with Christ to stay And although we know you're hap-

And in a better land.
We will always miss you, dear mother. And try to understand.

Her devoted children (Annie, Minnie, Ruthie, and Heman)

### Many Phone Calls During Past Year

Telephone calls in the United States lead all forms of communication in volume. There were 25 he Roanoke-Dixie Warehouse here billion calls made from the 17,000,his coming season, it was officially 000 telephones now serving this country last year, as compared with In 1935, according to the tele

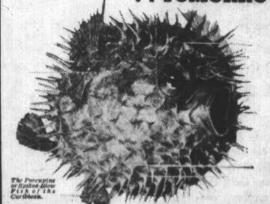
Card of Thanks

I wish to thank all neighbors and friends who so kindly ministered to my son, Woodrow Jones, during his illness with double pneumonia from which he is now recovering. Mrs. Mattie E. Jones.

Driving Car While Drunk FOUND: A BUNCH OF EIGHT keys, several of Yale make. Own-

cars to take dealership for nationtin jail here, Williams was turned al advertised merchandise. If you was arrested on the streets here a necessary, but honesty is essential. short while later for alleged drunk- Meet John R. Godwin at the New enness. She was released yesterday Hotel Saturday at one p .m. Be sure and be there at one

# TOMORROW!





RELIGIOUS NE Sunday School, Too!

#### PRESBYTERIAN

The regular services will be held at all points at the usual hours.

#### CHRISTIAN

There'll be only one service— Sunday school at 9:45—in the local Christian church Sunday. Ail members are requested to attend and bring a friend.

#### BAPTIST

Bible school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11 a. m. A missionary program preceding week of prayer for home missions. B T. U., 7 p. m.

Evening worship, 7:30. Wouldn't it honor the Lord if every church in Williamston should be filled with worshiping people next Sunday morning and evening?

phone almanac issued by the American Telephone and Telegraph company, there were 13 billion letters mailed, while 165 million telegrams were transmitted. This compares with 8,000,000,000 letters in 1910 and 100 million telegrams.

Only 212 million telephone calls were reported in 1885, which was seven years after the invention of the telephone by Alexander Graham Bell. During that year there were 2 billion letters mailed and 40 million telegrams transmitted.

There are now about 34,000,000 telephones in the world, 93 percent of which may be interconnected with telephones of the Bell System. Thirty-five years ago only 36 percent of the telephones in the world cculd be interconnected.

#### Basketball Games Called Off Wednesday Evening

The doubleheader scheduled between the Jamesville and Bear Grass basketball-teams here last Wednesday evening was called off unexpectedly. No reason for the action was given.

NOTICE OF SALE North Carolina, Martin County. In the Matter of Mozlar Gardner, Major Gardner, Daniel Gardner, Noah Gardner, Mary Emily Gard- ing the land whereon William Th Noan tardner, Mary Emily Gard-ner, W. C. Stephenson, Bessie Stephenson, Henry Stephenson, Fannie Rell Stynes, Della Barber, Beulah Stephenson, Addie B. Stephenson, John Thomas Stephenson, Stephenson, Stephenson, Simon Gardner, the last four minors by their next friend, A. Hassell, ex parte.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale made by L. B. Wynne, Clerk of the Superior Court of Martin of the Superior Court of Martin County, in the above entitled pro-ceeding, the undersigned commis-sioner will, on Saturday the 21st day of March, 1936, at twelve o'-clock noon, in front of the court-house door in the town of William-ston, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the fol-lowing described real estate, to-wit: Bounded on the north by Bob

Bounded on the north by Bob ply to Gardner, on the east by Eli Gardner, on the south by Alexander Lilley and on the west by Julius Hardison, containing 30 acres, more or less, and being known as the William Thomas Gardner land, and be-

This 17th day of February, ELBERT S. PEEL

North Carolina, Martin County.
In the Superior Court.
Mrs. Thelma Jones vs. R. C. Jone
The defendant above named witake notice that an action entitle take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Martin County, North Carolina, to secure an absolute divorce based upon two years separation; and the defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear before the clerk of the superior court of Martin County within thirty (30) days and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 27th day of February, 1936.

L. B. WYNNE,

L. B. WYNNE, Clerk Superior Court, Martin County

WE EXTEND A WELCOMING HAND TO

## Clark Candy Co.

Our firm, too, is new in Williamston. However, we are very grateful for the many loyal friends we have made and the liberal patronage accorded us during the past few months, and it is in this spirit of cooperation that we extend our best wishes to the new concern here.

NOW, JUST A WORD ABOUT

Our stock is brand new and very complete. We particularly invite all farmers beginning a new crop year to come in and see us before buying their hardware supplies.

CARLOAD FARM IMPLEMENTS

Now in Stock - Get Our Prices Before Buying

WILLIAMSTON HARDWARE CO.

PROGRAM FOR WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY, MARCH 2

#### **Turnage Theatre** ---Washington, N. C.

Monday and Tuesday March 2 and 3 SHIRLEY TEMPLE in

"THE LITTLEST REBEL" Alice Fave and Ray Walker in

"MUSIC IS MAGIC"

Warner Baxter and Alice Faye in "THE KING OF BURLESQUE"

March 7 BOB STEELE in "SMOKEY SMITH"

ALSO SELECTED SHORT SUBJECTS



BY US IN THE INTEREST OF BETTER PARMING SEE US BETTER PARMING ABOUT PRES TICKETS.

Saturday Morning February

# Watts Theatre

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