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Nobody can say that the Country Club is failing to show character in the speed with which it is proceeding toward effective organization.

Over at Hickory the authorities have a 15-year-old girl locked in the city lockup for larceny. With a detention home, the County would not be compelled to keep so youthful an offender in the common jail.

Travelling rather beyond our depth and range, we venture the opinion that it was poor tactics on the part of Attorney Crowe to tell the judge in whose hands must rest the fate of prisoners for whom the state was asking the extreme penalty.

Yielding to the blandishment of a force that has ploughed away all summer without a vacation, and in view of the fact that between seasons Monday's issue of a daily newspaper is usually printed at a loss anyway, The Advance is announcing that there will be no issue of this newspaper on Monday, September 1, Labor Day. The staff and the editor accordingly will join Elizabeth City's bankers in celebrating the only day of the year that is a holiday particularly for those who toil, and both office and shop will be closed all day.

**Norfolk Horrible Example**  
An advertisement of the latest bond issue of Norfolk, Virginia, gives the net bonded debt as \$28,121,848, which is more than 14.4 per cent of the assessed valuation for 1923, \$194,723,925. The population in 1920 was 115,777.

The so-called 7 per cent rate of New York state, the criterion for municipal financing, limits the investments of savings banks and some other supervised institutions to bonds issued not in excess of 7 per cent of the city's assessed valuation.

Seven per cent is high enough in all conscience. It is refreshing to compare Indianapolis, whose bonded debt is but about 1 per cent, to Norfolk whose commitments are more than twice the usual limit of 7 per cent.

A person of Poor Richard's Almanac would be more helpful to those responsible for Norfolk's distended debt than chronic visits to bankers eager to profit from commissions upon this business. —Dearborn Independent.

**Speke a Parable**  
Better drainage, better forestry methods, and more settlers are put down by the Progressive Farmer as the cardinal needs of Eastern North Carolina.

Perhaps, Editor Poe's paper goes on to say, we should add a fourth need; namely, more settlers; but if its first three needs are ever properly and adequately met, there will be no need to trouble about getting the settlers.

That is a pronouncement well worth pondering in these parts. Too much of our Eastern Carolina development propaganda is putting the cart before the horse.

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**FOR HE'S A JOLLY GOOD FELLOW****Tom Sims CHURCHES Says**

Nothing agrees with a grouch, not even what he eats.

One serious mistake was making of the hottest months of the year have 31 days each.

"Files talk," says a London scientist. Well, tell them to go swallow their tails.

Lots of these blushing straw hats have gone to seed.

Strange things happen. In Chicago a woman arrested as a pickpocket claims she has never been married.

Mosquito lotion is great stuff. It makes them fat and lazy so they are easy to hit.

Our ambition is to be so rich that when we go broke we can call it financially embarrassed.

One thing funnier than a man with rouge on his lips is a man with rouge on his forehead.

Vacuum cleaners are handy devices for men. A woman can't hit her husband over the head with one.

They made beer in Egypt thousands of years ago, but it is all gone.

A man's friends are surprised when he marries. So is the man.

**MORRISON NOT TO ATTEMPT TO LEAD**

Raleigh, Aug. 29.—Governor Morrison announced yesterday that he would not attempt to lead the fight for the Port Commission bill but will work under General Albert Cox whom he has named as chairman of the fight.

**BLACKWELL MEMORIAL**

Dr. J. H. Thayer, pastor, Sun-

**ALL TOURING CARS GONE IN 10 CARLOADS FORDS**

Ten carloads of Ford cars were received by the Auto & Gas Engine Works during the past week.

A large shipment for one firm to dispose of resulted in a town of the two of Elizabeth City, considering that British visitors did not bring much money this year. But the demand for Ford does not seem to be lessened. Six carloads have already been sold during the week. Ed Ford machines being delivered assembled on Saturday alone. All of the touring cars received in the shipments have now sold. There are still some coupes, sedans, roadsters, and one truck to be disposed of. So great was the demand for touring cars however, that one car was ordered from another dealer.

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**PRESBYTERIAN**

Rev. Frank H. Scattergood, minister. Sabbath school 9:45 a.m. Lesson, "David's Sin in Numbering Israel." Morning worship 11 o'clock. Sermon by pastor. Evening service, 8 o'clock. This service will close the series of Union evangelistic services. The Rev. N. H. D. Wilson, D.D., will deliver the sermon. The public is invited to come and worship with us.

**OTHER DENOMINATIONS****Free Will Baptist**

Rev. H. H. Harris, the former pastor of the Free Will Baptist Church on Personage street, will fill the pulpit of that church Sunday morning and evening at 11 and 7:30 respectively. It is earnestly hoped that a large audience will be in attendance.

**First Christian**

Rev. Hilary Bowen, pastor. Preaching at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. in "Storming theme," "The Abundant Life"; evening, "Why I Am a Church Member." Sunday school at 2:30 p.m. E. L. Silverhorn, superintendent. Christian Endeavor at 7 p.m. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p.m.

**Pentecostal Holiness**

Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. J. L. Hill, superintendent. Preaching at 3:30 and 5:30 o'clock by Rev. A. M. Grimes.

**St. Elizabeth's**

Services will be held in the Catholic Chapel, Hinton building, at 10:30 Sunday morning by Father Doherty. Visitors are always welcome.

**CORINTH REVIVAL****COMES TO CLOSE**

The revival which has been in progress at Corinth Baptist Church since last Sunday afternoon came to a successful close today at 11 a.m. Large crowds attended the services in spite of the rain and thunderstorms of the week.

Today night the church was crowded to the last seat. The platform around the pulpit was literally lined with young people. The aisle was crowded and extra chairs were placed in the aisle, while over 100 people stood on the outside and could not get in.

One young man who listened to the sermon from the outside made his way down the crowded aisle and made profession of faith. Several others united with the church.

Rev. J. W. Kinchloe of Rocky Mount assisted the pastor, Rev. R. E. Hall, in this meeting.

**CATHOLIC**

Rev. R. E. Hall, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a.m.; E. F. Aydlett, superintendent. At 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. the pastor will preach.

**Calvary Baptist**

Rev. R. E. Hall, pastor. Sunday school each Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, W. E. Pritchard, Sr., superintendent. Preaching by the pastor at 3:15 and 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

**Berea Baptist**

Rev. R. E. Hall, pastor. Sunday school Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, Ben Frank Pritchard, superintendent. Preaching at 11 o'clock by the pastor. The public is cordially invited.

**CITY ROAD METHODIST**

Rev. N. H. D. Wilson, D. D., pastor. You are cordially invited to all services. Sunday school, Mr. J. A. Hooper, superintendent, 9:30 a.m. Worship with sermon by the pastor, 11 a.m. Subject: "The Call to Advance." At 8 p.m. the congregation will unite in the service at Camp Memorial Presbyterian Church. The musical program for the morning service follows:

Prelude (organ) Allegro Moderato—Mourning.

Ante-Mass Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow.

Offertory (organ) Song Without Words—Teller.

Dox. Only Christ for Me—Porter

Mrs. J. W. Foreman and Mrs. T. P. Bennett.

Postlude.

**CITY ROAD METHODIST EPISCOPAL**

Rev. Daniel Lane, pastor. At 9:30 a.m. Sunday school, G. F. Seydel, superintendent. At 11 a.m. "Preparedness." At 8 p.m. "The Personal Equation in Religion." Intermediate and Senior League at 7 p.m.

**BAPTIST**

First Baptist

S. H. Templeman, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. C. H. Twiddy, supt. Rev. W. T. Haldeman will preach at 11 a.m. Union service at 8 o'clock in the evening at Presbyterian Church. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

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