

fund being increaed from about \$19,-000 to \$39,023 for this county. This fund represents over \$20,000 a year additional good aids to freight transmore for the county that will come from the treasury of the State. It is the desire of the pedagogians to induce the legislature to put this tay this county.

This plan would eliminate all special taxes levied in the various coun- average number of growing days was ties to run the school the extra two 220. Thirty feet elevation above sea ed so far that will allow the cutting 50.37 inches; mean temperature 60.1 der of the United American Mechanics of the property taxes. It is not the business of the school officials to business of the school officials to advocate any special kind of tax but Columbia Township Institute to merely show where the money car be secured for a reduction on property taxes. This plan of taxation would avoid heavy land taxation which some imes keeps out industries and hind ers those already in the State an

a for the six months term will no help as much as does the, eight months plan, since as the size of the fund is increased the large countie come in because now every additiona million dollars added to the si months fund cuts taxes only five cents in the counties of the State There will be no increase of tax or industries. Money must be raised from luxuries or there must be a cut ed by Mrs. Jerry Brickhouse which in the school program and the conwill be followed by the choir and autinuation of already heavy land taxes. dience in a song. Mrs. S. M. Combs

Some of those luxuries that would likely be taxed if the new proposal is passed by the legislature is tobacco products, beverages, theatres, candies, chewing gum, perfumes and cosmetics and hydro-electric power. Sheriff Reynolds will discuss the county that favor this are, J. W. Norman, J. W. Darden, George Dixon and many others.

SUPERIOR COURT OPENED HERE MONDAY

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Superior court opened here Monday morning with Judge Walter L. Small, of Elizabeth City, presiding over the mixed term of criminal and civil court that will continue here for the remainder of this week and possibly next. Solicitor Don Gilliam, of Tarboro, was here during Monday morning when the criminal docket was disposed of in about a half of a day. A farmers have net incomes that are Gardens. The first baby of the clui number of civil cases have been dis- sufficiently high to be taxed under the was presented with a bank book and posed of, and there still remains a federal law. This aids in accounting large number on the docket for dis- for the lack of persons filing inposition.

railroads serve the manufacturer and passenger. Steamship connections are portation. Express rates to Charlotte or first-class pracels is \$2.20, while second class costs \$1.65.

The highest temperature in 25 years on luxuries in order to supply the ad has been 100 degrees. Average date of ditional \$20,000 for the schools in last killing frost in spring was on April 2. Average date of first killing frost in fall was on October 31. The months. This is the only plan suggest level. The annual mean rainfall is World, Women's Club, and Junior Or-

may be enjoyed. One hotel serves the town's guests. One strong bank is located here. There are eight general stores, 10 groceries, 6 markets, 2 hardware stores, 1 music, 4 men's clothing, 2 radio, 7 automobile garages, 6 dry goods, 3 drugs, 2 furniture, 1 jewelry, 1 specialty, 3 shoe and 2 millinery stores. Plymouth has the following organizations: Chamber of Commerce, Masons, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Woodmen of the

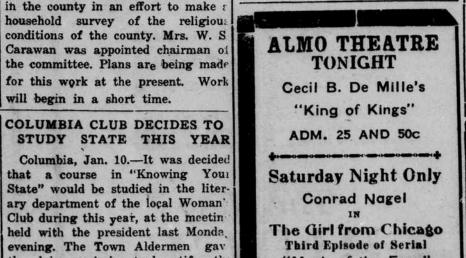
siding and Mrs. T. W. Armstrong a secretary. The organization will continue aiding the two soldiers in the Oteen Hospital. Mrs. L. L. Yerby will be hostess at the next meeting on the first Wednesday evening in February Two objetives decided on for th years includes efforts to get all the soldiers in Washington and Tyrrel counties to register and write a his tory yof their services during the wa so a permanent record can be kerthe courthouses for future records.

COUNTY BOARD OF

EDUCATION MEETS MONDAY Three of the five school buildings and lots offered for sale by the County Board of Education have been sold. it was learned in a meeting of the board here in the courthouse last Monday morning. Other business matters that claimed the attention of the board at this time were not of much importance.

FIREMEN ATTEND MEETING OF ASSOCIATION TUESDAY

Delegates from here that represented the local Fire Department at the meeting of the Eastern Carolina Firemen's Association held Tuesday evening in Belhaven were Chief L. W. Gurkin, R. S. Tarkenton, Jack Willoughby, Surry Wright and Assistan Chief L. C. Willoughby. The meeting was held in the Hyde county courtried that the executive committee ask the assistance of each Sunday Schoo' house.



"Mark of the Frog"

M. G. M. NEWS MONDAY AND TUESDAY

Douglas Fairbanks

"Don Q Son of Zorror"

cember, arts and crafts.

JOHN W. DARDEN HONORED BY FRATERNAL ORDER

Grand Master J. W. Darden, of Perserverence Lodge, No. 54, of the have rearranged their window drap-Masonic Lodge, is in receipt of a certificate from the Grand Lodge of Utah have been made along with a number conferring upon him the honor of of Christmas presents as the results membership in that lodge and requesting that he attend the Grand Lodge Several members are starting some meeting in Boise some time during the next month or so at their expense. Inasmuch as Mr. Darden is in the House of Representatives of North Carolina,

he states that he will more than likely be too busy to attend.

SOLDIERS GATHER FOR AN **OYSTER ROAST AT COLUMBIA**

Columbia, Jan. 10 .- One of th. most delightful events of the seasor was an oyyster roast given by the American Legion on the platform o the Norfolk Southern station la

Friday evening. hose attending were all the former soldiers in Washington and Tyrrell counties. This was the jubilee was given on their return from the World War.

LOCAL MAN RECOVERING

Reports received here today reveal hat O. H. Lyon, proprietor of the local O. Henry Drug Store, is steadily improving after an operation that he underwent in a Norfolk hospital last Wednesday. The operation was made n his head on account of some chronic ailment that had been bothering him for some time, although it was not erious.

CROWDS VISITING LOCAL GA-RAGE VIEWING NEW WHIPPET

Crowds have thronged to see the new superior Whippet that was put on display in the show rooms of the Plymouth Garage & Motor Co. last Friday. Many new features of this light the extension workers at State Colcar that has been invading the small lege. car field for a number of years were explained to the visitors by courteous salesmen. L. W. Gurkin, manager of the firm, stated that "prospects for better sales than were made last year are bright."

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Johnston attended the funeral of Mr. Haywood Hyman in Scotland Neck Sunday.

As a result of demonstrations in making felt hats 324 hats were made. If the same hats were purchased for a small amount as \$3 each, the saving would total \$972. Sixteen homes eries, forty-three children's dresses of demonstrations in arts and crafts. of these ideas now, and some are planning for the spring.

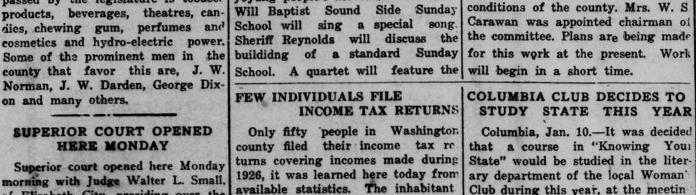
During the December meetings a membership campaign was conducted along with the study of cake and cake decorations. Two leaders were select. ed from each of the fifteen clubs to attend the Leaders School which was given by the home demonstration agent with thirty-five women present. Fifty-six new members were enrolled as a result of the membership campaign.

An exhibit at the Coastal Plain Fair was put on under the direction the Legion Auxiliary members and of the home demonstration agent of the county. Most of the \$68.75 realized was awarded to individuals. Seventhe largest gathering of soldiers since ty-six women and forty girls attended the federation meeting held in Creswell during this time which included representatives from each club in the county but one. About \$10.90 FROM AN OPERATION has been realized through rummage sales to apply on improving the court house grounds. The principal lecture to the club members during the pe iod was made by Dr. B. W. Well Professor of Botany, at State Co lege.

> During a one week bazaar \$51. was realized for the personal benef of the women contributing. A profi of \$4.32 was realized from a number of articles that were bought from a gift shop for resale which will be added to the fund for the courthouse grounds. A dinner was given to the former County Commissioners during November by the home demonstration clubs. In December Miss Covington attended the State meeting of

SCHOOLS OPENED MONDAY

More than 3,000 children resumed their studies in Washington County schools Monday morning after a recess of two weeks for the Christmas holidays. These students were greeted by just about a hundred teachers when they entered the school rooms last Monday



A measure was voted on and car-

ary department of the local Woman' Club during this year, at the meetin held with the president last Monda. evening. The Town Aldermen gav the club permission to beautify the plot extending down Broad street t the station during the coming year returns, and most likely not many The plot will be named Pettigrew's account of \$2.50.

Germany has a ship building boom.

By MRS. W. S. CARAWAN Albemarle Sunday School's part in the program. The Columbia Sunday Columbia, Jan. 10 .- A program of School will sing. Rev. E. Poston will the activities of the Columbia Townexplain "What Makes An Efficient ship Institute which will be held with Sunday School."

Program Announced Today

the Rider's Creek Union Sunday An efficiency conference was held School next Sunday afternoon, January 13, was announced here today at the home of Mrs. S. M. Combs by Miss Sabra Sykes, chairman of Sunday afternoon. This conference the program committee of the Tyrrell was held under the auspices of the County Sunday School Association. A Tyrrell County Sunday School Associsong by the Rider's Creek choir will ation. President D. J. Spruill invited open the program sharply at 2:30. It those present to attend the Teacher's Training Class that would be held in will last for about one hour and fifthe Methodist Church in the near ft. teen minutes. ture.

Devotional services will be conduct-

will discuss the development of the

yoyung people's movement. The Free

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rell county filing their returns with

Not many farmers file income tax

FEW INDIVIDUALS FILE

510 inhabitants per return.

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