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Plymouth, Washington County, North Carolina, Friday, January 8, 1932

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COMPLETE LIST CONTRIBUTORS TO RELIEF FUND		ERM COURT XT MONDAY; UE 2 WEEKS	2 TONS CAPACITY	To Outline Meeting		ogram at sday Night
Otal Contributions and Pledges \$1,229.60; More In Prospect The finance committee of the Ply- nouth division of the Washington	Movies To Be	CRIMINAL CASES FIRST TWO DAYS;	moned for Failure To Observe New Law The strict enforcement of the law	Delegation Inf	formed That	HON. A. D. M'LEAN OF WASHINGTON IS MAIN SPEAKER
ounty Unemployment and Relief association has gone over the top in ledges of cash and merchandise. The oal was \$1,250, and the pledges as hown below total \$1,229.60. The ordon Brothers have offered the use	Presented for Benefit Needy	100 CIVIL ACTIONS Judge J. Paul Frizzelle, of Snow Hill, Will Be Presiding Officer	trailers of two tons or more capacity with effective brakes was reported in the county Friday. Drivers of several trailers unequipped with brakes were ordered to park the vehicles and their owners notified to appear in court to	Extension of TOWN COUNCIL	<i>Local Streets</i>	Business Program for Agri- culture in East Will Be Topic Discussed
f their State Theatre for four Sun- ays and the estimated receipts from his source added to the pledges will nore than equal the quota. The com- hittee contemplates having the first icture show on Sunday, January 17, rovided this arrangement is satis-	For the first time in the more than a century that Plymouth has been established, the amusement realm will enter the role of philanthropist when four shows are held here	The January mixed term of Wash- ington County Superior Court will open here Monday for two weeks. The first two days will be given to the dis- position of criminal cases. Judge J. Paul Frizzelle, of Snow Hill, will pre-	answer the preferred violation charges. As a result of the action, owners are buily engaged equipping their heavy trailers with brakes this week. The new law was resented to some extent but trailer owners accepted the man-	AGREES TO PAY HALF OF COST Board Education Says No Funds Are Available	Federal income tax return forms for the year of 1931 were released Monday, this newspaper has been informed by Gilliam Grisssom, of Raleigh, collector of internal reve-	Upwards of 50 persons are expected to attend the meeting that will be held in the basement of the Washington County courthouse here Tuesday eve- ning at 7 o'clock, Jan. 12, for the pur- pose of discussing a business program for agriculture for Northeastern North
actory to the Gordon Brothers. The list of contributors follows: All cash: W. L. Whitley, \$4; J. P. utton, \$10; H. E. Beam, \$10; Ben A. umner, \$15; Thomas D. Woodley, 1; Miss Pratt Covington, \$4.	during Sundays in January and February with the proceeds going into the treasury of the Wash- ington County Unemployment and Relief Association. The Gordon Brothers, who have	side. There are almost 100 cases on the civil docket. Cases have been set for disposition as follows: January 13—C. W. Over- ton vs. Joe Peele; H. G. Walker vs. W. T. Phelps; Ida Boyd vs. W. W. Walker.	law, it was learned Monday.	For Purpose A delegation, including S. F. Davis, H. C. Spruill, T. C. Burgess, A. L. Alexander and W. H. Clarke and a number of negroes were told by the	should apply to Mr. Grissom. Al- so they can be obtained from Da- vid Burnett, commissioner, in Washington, D. C.	Carolina, it was announced today by A. L. Alexander. Representative A. D. McLean, of Washington, will be the principal speaker of the occasion. Representa-
Pledges in merchandise: W. E. Veede, \$4; A. R. Latham, \$4; B. G. ampbell, \$20; E. R. Jackson, \$8; J. Spruill, \$10; Hassell Bros. Bakery, 8; G. D. Davis, \$20; Abe Adler, \$20; D. Davis, \$4; W. F. Winslow, \$16;	leased the talking picture play- house here will give their time. Tickets will not be sold in the booths on Sunday, as there will be an advance sale of admissions. The city council has agreed to al- low this. Officials interpret the	January 14: W. T. Phelps vs. Vir- ginia-Carolina Land Bank; Winchester Simmons Company vs. W. R. Hamp-	rying more than two tons are also included under the law. Owners op- erating trailers of less than two tons capacity are warned not to overload them or brakes will be necessary. Very little discretion can be shown	tion that no money was available for the purchase of enough property of the W. D. Carstarphen estate to al- low the extension of Third and Fourth Streets to the Washingon County	TO MEMBERS OF	tive Z. V. Norman, of this place, will introduce the speaker, who became prominent in his stand for tax legisla- tion in the 1931 General Assembly. N. G. Bartlett, secretary-manager of the Eastern Carolina Chamber of Commerce, at Kinston, will preside. Delegations from Roper, Creswell,
I. A. and R. A. Williford, \$16. Pledges and part cash: Daniel R. atterthwaite, \$4; Jack Peele, \$4; D. Clayton, \$4; Washington County, 100; Masonic Lodge, \$20; Post office mployees, \$40; O'Henry Drug Store,	law to be liberal in regard to this action for charity.	der. January 15: Jerome B. Rice Seed Company vs. G. K. Harris; H. D. Dav- enport vs. Lazarus Walker; American Agricultural Chemical Company vs. W. C. Davenport; May Simmons vs. Emma S. Brantley; E. L. Owens vs.	where violations of the trailer-brake law are noted, and first offenses are subject to prosecution. The law, passed by the 1931 General Assembly, in connection with brakes for trailers, read as follows:	Training school. Even though the city council origi- nally recommended another site for the location of the building, it agreed to appropriate half of the \$450 needed to purchase the street right of way.	Land for Support of Schools Lieutenant-Governor R. T. Foun- tain, speaking at a meeting of East- ern Carolina Chamber of Commerce	Columbia, Jamesville, Williamston, Washington, Windsor, Belhaven, Pan- tego, Plymouth and other near-by towns are being urged to attend by Mr. Bartlett. The meeting will be held in the form of a dutch supper,
0; G. R. Leggett, \$4; L. T. Weede, 2; P. W. Brown, \$4; M. W. Spruill, 4; W. W. Ange, \$4; Roanoke Bea-	SERVES TOTAL OF 10 CHURCHES	Noch Paul: Fastern Cotton Oil Com-	Livery traner of sente craner of the	there was no funds to be used in this manner.	stated, in part: that the tax upon real	with each participant paying his own expense. The local chapter of the United

tensive Territory of Any Minister in State

The Rev. Arthur H. Marshall, rector is thought to have more churches in his charge than any other minister in North Carolina, with a record of 10 Phelps, Mary E. Phelps, J. T. Tatem, North Carolina, with a record of 10 Phelps, Mary E. Phelps, J. T. Tatem, and the violation of the provisions there children. his charge than any other minister in North Carolina, with a record of 10 A. B. Houtz, Southern Roller Stave in is subject to fine or imprisonment The owner of the land that was of- estate standing as a bulwark of true being held in the eastern part of the parishes in four different counties that he visits weekly. It keeps him busy. These churches are at Belhaven and Verativille in Beaufort County Lake Yeatsville, in Beaufort County; Lake and Laura Johnston.

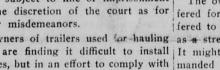
E. D. Carstarphen, \$4; T. A. Stubbs, \$4; E. H. Liverman, \$16; Roscoe Gay- \$4; E. H. Liverman, \$16; Roscoe Gay-lord, \$2; Chicago Mill employees, \$324.60; W. T. Nurney, \$4; C. V. W.
Quarter, and County Mission, in Hyde; Plymouth and Roper, in Wash-\$324.60; W. T. Nurney, \$4; C. V. W.
Statuary 19: Database of the following, in the law, the owners are equipping the vehicles with mechanical brakes.
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J. G. Wallace, of Norfolk, port.

Addresses Farmers of

Lees Mill District

Roper .- Marketing vegetables in car



Yeatsville, in Beautort County; Lake Landing, Sledeville, Fairfield, Swan Ouarter, and County Mission, in Duarter, and County Mission, in County M

BUT TWO CASES

On account of conferences with the times.

Past Thre Years by

Local Office

creased to seventy per cent of the tax Those wishing to participate in the book wealth. Everyone knows that supper should notify Mr. Alexander this change in percentage should have by Saturday night. Reservations for For Week of January 18 been decreased instead of increased as places made by those expected to atpersonal property had magnified many tend will be a great advantage to the United Daughters of the Confederacy

state specialist, Miss Pratt Covington "There should be a re-valuation of who are serving the meal. Those not nnounces the following clubs will real estate as early as possible so that wishing to join in the supper are meet during the week of January 18: the above conditions can be remedied vited to the auditorium of the court-Monday, Alba; Tuesday, Pleasant and real estate taxes made more house to hear the speeches. Grove; Wednesday, Swain; Thursday, equitible." 10 a. m., outlook meeting in court- Mr. Fountain further stated that SEEK ESTIMATE along with these changes must, of course, go a balanced budget as near POTATOACREAGE SLIGHT GAIN IN as can be accomplished, but that this budget must not be balanced at the Growers Receiving Blanks Roper.—Prohibition of the use of the R. Swain, Aufix, Mary E. Bouen, of Mr. Cole on which he was living. POSTAL RECEIPTS expense of the child. The public From U. S. Department schools must be kept open and with-Of Agriculture out lessend facilities, that while he be-Creswell.-Improvements in the Washington County Board of Educa-tion, it was learned here today by January 20: George Hardison vs. sold it and turned the proceeds over Gradual Gain Is Shown in lieved in strict economy, he did not Irish potato growers in Washingthink that the present standard of the ton County have received blank quespublic school system should be low- tionnaires from the division of crop The local post office has shown a made any heavier, and that it should of agricultural economics in the Unitgradual increase in postal receipts for be improved as soon as business con-ed States Department of Agriculture, the last three years, it was learned ditions would permit. which is seeking to determine the acre-"The State, as the individual," the age that will be produced in the seahere today from Postmaster A. L. Lieutenant-Governor continued, "can-son of 1932. Receipts for 1930 were \$8,204.14 for not hope to long function with ex- "Early knowledge of intended acrethe year ending December 31, while penditures exceeding income. I re-age in your section and in other early there was a net increase of \$35.81 for spectfully submit however, that the The nome agent's schedule for the was a net increase of \$35.81 for spectrully submit however, that the potato States should be of valuable proper time to give greatest consid-as follows: The total receipts last year were \$8,- eration to this problem is when the age plans before planting begins. legislature is in session. More care Every one making a report will receive and thought must be given to pro- a complete summary as soon as the viding revenue to meet appropriations estimate is issued," writes W. F. Cal-The local office has a good staff of workers, with Mr. Alexander in charge. that are found necessary after giving lander, chairman of the crop report-Eight dispatches a day are made from consideration to all sound ecenomies. ing board. It is both unfortunate and unfair for the legislative body to hold out certain promises to the institutions of the COUNTY BOARD Methodist Church Sunday State which it is not able to fulfill, MEETS MONDAY whicr, in turn, makes it impossible The Rev. O. W. Dowd, of Eliza- for these institutions to function in a Routine Matters Occupy Time of Commissioners: I. P. Reports Made

have as many churches nor have as Others that the Branch Banking &

far to go to get to their work as this Trust Company has cases against: J.

mondson, \$4; R. L. Whitehurst, \$4: Believed To Have Most Ex- Second week, January 18: The fol- tion: Provided, that until January first, of a petition bearing almost 100 white school term must be removed. ther Basnight, Frince Fucket, James the time of the passage of this act. Thomas, J. S. Shugar, Mrs. Charles Roberson, George W. Sitterson, E. S. Roberson, George W. Sitterson, E. S. Roberson, George W. Sitterson, E. S. The time of the passage of this act. Section 71 goes on to say that the violation of the act is a misdemeanor than through the best residential sec. the through the best residential sec. the the best residential sec.



as to favor intangible property. Real in a series of such meetings that are

ly operated while the trailer is in mo- The meeting was held as the result support of the State's six months Daughters of the Confederacy will be in charge of the banquet, which will lowing will have cases against the one thousand nine hundred and thirty- and colored signatures, which was pre- "From time immeorial, land and cost each guest 50 cents. Working on Virginia Electric and Power Com- two, this section shall not apply to sented to the officials. The white peo- other forms of real property have been this committee with Mrs. Alexander pany: Elizabeth Clark, L. J. Cooper, trailers or semi-trailers licensed or in ple were anxious to afford the negroes the real foundation of all wealth and in arranging for the event is W.R. Willis Roberson, A. L. Owens, Car- use on the highways of the State at an approach to their building other the chief and safest basis of credit. Hampton, C. L. Groves, Z. V. Nor-The Rev. Arthur H. Marshall, rector of the Grace Episcopal church here, ter Basnight, Prince Puckett, James Charles the time of the passage of this act." the time of the passage of this act." the time of the passage of the state at an approach to their building other than through the best residential sec-In our zeal to push forward and build man, L. W. Gurkin, and R. E. Dun-

men, \$12; Ernest Arps, \$4.

SCHOOL HOUSE

P. M. Arps, \$4; National Handle Com-

pany and employees, \$120; Plymouth

Wholesale Company, \$12; Modern

Barber Shop, \$4; Harry Chopick, \$4;

James W. Norman, \$8; Tom J. Swain,

\$8; W. C. Jones, \$4; Olga E. Gard-

ner, \$4; L. W. Gurkin, \$4; J. A. Get-

singer, \$4; Z. V. Norman, \$20; C. I.

Norman, \$8; F. C. Paschall, \$5; John W. Darden, \$4; Mrs. Edison Swain, \$4; Theo Kampus, \$4: Plymouth Hardware Co., \$16; Thompson-Clagon, \$6;

Repairs and Additions Are Made to Building in **Creswell Recently**

sanitary conditions and repairs on the Principal E. N. Riddle, of the local Plymouth Oil Company; Plymouth to Mr. Cole. His bond was fixed at Oil Company vs. L. L. Mizell; Dr. \$250, while he was given until Janu-

by the Washington County Board of Education. Four drinking fountains, 14 toilets, a urinal, additional window in toilet, connecting old and new sepbe borne by the athletic society of Ange. tic tanks, pipe line for waste to septic tank have been installed.

minister.

An additional drain was laid along the event is in progress. the western side of the lot to Smithson's canal. A two-inch well 50 feet DESCRIBES SALE deep was drilled, and a 2,500-gallon OF VEGETABLES water tank was installed, with electric motor. Decayed joists in the

building were also replaced. SUMMARY OF **BAPTIST GIFTS**

Total of \$139,489.40 Raised For Church Work By **Roanoke** Association

tion, which includes churches in Wash- of Lees Mill Township in the Roper BEACON MAKES ington, Martin, Nash, Edgecombe, school auditorium.

Halifax, Beaufort, and other counties, The Southern Produce Company is contributed \$29,972.70 to denomina- reputed to be the most successful and tional causes in 1931, it has been one of the oldest companies of its To Allow 10 Per Cent Over learned from figures compiled by H. kind in America, and is said to keep Market Price for Produce Perry Morgan, statistical secretary. in touch with the leading markets of This association has 13,822 members. the world.

The money that went for foreign Accompanying Mr. Wallace from the Ten per cent above market prices missions, home missions, state mis- Virginia city were Billie Wallace and will be allowed on all country produce sions, hospitals, orphanages, educa- J. Fitzpatrick. They were invited during the next few weeks in exchange tion, old ministers' relief, building and here by N. H. Spruill, N. S. Herring- for yearly subscriptions to The Roanother local expenses raised in the Ro- ton and W. T. Spruill, jr. They were oke Beacon. The peanut offer, made anoke Association that includes the a- dinner guests of N. H. and W. T. by the Beacon, having met with so bove and all gifts totaled \$139,489.40. Spruill, jr.

The O'Henry Drug Store here has

articles.

O'Henry Drug Store Will Handle Rexall Line Drugs

its scope and will exchange subscriptions for any and all kinds of country Reviewed by Commission produce during the next few weeks Little Girl Dies In Two County Cases Are

cases will come to light later.

The North |Carolina Industrial A surplus of nearly every crop accepted the agency of the Rexall Commission that met in Raleigh this grown in Washington County, and it

T. Browning, G. W. Bowen, A. J. Prayer for judgment was continued Simmons, W. W. Browning, J. W. IS IMPROVED Allow Use of Auditorium Simmons, W. W. Browning, J. W. Inder to Judgment was continued 10 a. m., outlook meeting in control of the stateman, who was house; afternoon, Creswell club. In Roper for Basketball Estelle Martin, Admx., P. B. Tomlin- arraigned in recorder's court here son, C. H. Hale, W. B. Cox, Mattie Tuesday, charged with removing a Roper .- Prohibition of the use of the R. Swain, Admx., Mary E. Bowen, crop without permission from the farm

letic events has been modified by the trix; Mollie B. Chesson, Admx., J. H. It was alleged that he was warned not to move the produce unless he Washington County Board of Educa- Leggett and Mrs. E. P. Godwin.

January 21: J. C. Gatlin vs. H. G.

The educators agree to let basket- C. McGowan vs. Alberta Swain, ex- ary 26 to settle the matter.

ball be played in the auditorium with ecutrix; Hobbs and Ward vs. H. T. R. S. Browning was assessed the the understanding that certain expenses Hopkins; J. L. Swain vs. Homulus costs after pleading guilty to viola-

vise the conduct of the children while Walker; E. D. Kemp vs. J. S. Shu- Home Agent Announces Schedule for Next Week

With Removing Crops

Without Permission

Alexander.

the local office.

Creswell Parent-Teacher

Creswell .- The Parent-Teacher Association will meet Friday night, January 8, at 7:30, it was announced by beth City, presiding elder of the Eliza- normal way." Principal C. H. Aderholdt, of the lo- beth City District of the Methodist The aspirant for the Governorship cal school. The tools, technique, and church, will preach here Sunday eve- also called attention to the organized spirit of learning will be discussed. ning at 7:30. There will be no morn- and systematic effort of certain in-

Every member is urged to attend. Harrell will preach in Jamesville.

Child Is Attacked By Dog At Scuppernong

Scuppernong .--- C. B. Davenport, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Davenport, was walking down the road when the anil and children.

being made for the animal to have its head diagnosed to determine if he has rabies.

mons.

products and will carry this line, in week reviewed two cases from Wash- is the sincere belief of the Beacon held Monday afternoon for little lish Government has announced the addition to the stock already in his ington County. Jones against Chicago editor that many farmers will find it Gladys Marie Furlaugh, daughter of abolishment of the custom of supplystore. This merchandise is arriving Mill and Lumber Corporation, and profitable to exchange a few pounds Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Furlaugh, who ing free, during each session of the

ing services Sunday as Pastor J. W. fluences in the State and mation which are undertaking to remove the gov-

ernment from the control of the peo-

points in Kentucky have discovered pointive government for representa- only one among the following magistraces of a race of people which burn- tive government through the short trates who reported the collection of ed the bodie of their males at death ballot bills which take away from the any fines: C. L. Everett, J. F. Snell, but buried in the flesh all females people the right to elect their own G. W. Hardison, and E. D. Carstar-

officers and have them appointed phen. from Raleigh and Washington.

In the Great Smoky Mountain Na-Although a clock in the Memphis used in the purchase of food while he tional Park, Tennessee, is a spring (Tenn.) Power and Light Company's which discharges water for 7 minutes building is 150 years old, and its every and then remains inactive for 7 min-

utes-thus alternating continuously part of wood construction, the old Returns To Charlotte from an active to inactive state with clock marks time as accurately as mod-

As a measure of economy, the Eng-| CHATHAM FARMERS SELL

A group of Chatham County far- kington. Accompanying her on the

Routnie business matters occupied the time of the meeting of the Washington County commissioners here on Archeologists at work at several ple, and undertaking to substitute ap- Monday. John W. Darden was the

> It was decided to issue a voucher of \$5 to Cheek Douglas, a convict, to be was convalescing from a broken leg.

After Visit in Roper

Roper .- Mrs. G. F. McNeill, of Charlotte, has returned to her home 12,000 POUNDS OF TURKEYS after spending a couple of weeks here with her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Tar-

store. This merchandise is arriving and and Editor of his surplus products for a year or succumbed at her home Sunday morn-daily and will be fully featured in his Davenport against Plymouth Whole- of his surplus products for a year or succumbed at her home Sunday morn-House, 12,000 boxes of matches for the mers sold 12,000 pounds of turkeys return trip were Miss Rachel McNeill dany and will be fully reduced in the solution of the more of the

ern time-pieces.

Skinnersville Sunday clock-like precision. Skinnersville .-- Funeral services were

was attributed to diphtheria.

ton Oil Company vs. J. S. Daven-January 22: Eastern Cotton Oil Company vs. W. T. Freeman; Mrs.

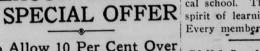
F. M. Simpson vs. J. S. Davenport; Charles W. Priddy Company vs. T. W. Swain; Aaron Davenport vs. Chi-

the company's method was the theme cago Mill and Lumber Corporation. of a speech by J. G. Wallace, of Nor- Motion and divorce cases will be folk, manager of the Southern Prod- called at the pleasure of the court.

On Subscriptions

much success, the papers is widening

ton County and its people.



gar; Virginia Carolina Chemical Corporation vs. Missouri P. Lucas; Fannie Smith vs. End. Dep. G. U. O. of O. F.; Eastern Cotton Oil Company vs. Stanley McCullough; W. C. Har- as follows: rison vs. Tom Bateman; Eastern Cot-

Thursday, Wenona; Friday, Cross Roads; Saturday, curb market.

Monday, Scuppernong; Tuesday, 239.95. at Cherry; Wednesday, Albemarle;

Group To Meet Tonight Presiding Elder At Local