LOCAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IN MEET MONDAY

Ask Town Board To Hear Complaints As To Dock Charges

A committee composed of Z. V. Norman and E. F. Still were appointed Monday evening by President E. H. Liverman, of the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce to prepare resolutions for presentation to a called meeting of the city council to get them to reconsider their act regulating the use of the municipal dock.

The committee was appointed after E. H. Harris, of the Harris Lumber Company here asked the commercial officials to aid him in securing free dockage for shipping his manufactured lumber by requesting the officials to give Mr. Harris a chance to present his case and also to let him have the use of the municipal wharf free for sending out manufactured timber.

E. H. Liverman and the committee appointed to secure \$10 for purchasing school books for needy children reported that \$5 and one book had been secured and that the other \$5 would be raised Tuesday. These books will be loaned to needy children and not given to them, but they must be returned back to the school each year.

It may be that a committee will be appointed before long to appear before the city council asking them to Filling Station so that the curve will not be so hard to negotiate. The hydrant would be moved, and the pavement sloped dwn to the street.

C. L. Groves was appointed by Pres mentary school was completed last pers, as he is a taxpayer in Washing- C. J. Ainsley, Democrat, and C. B. Active pall-bearers were: W. R. President, Minnie Dillon; vice presible a speech by Congressman Lindsay effort to get him to continue his plant to the Board of Education of Washnear here that makes staves and bar- ington County, it was learned when rel heads, instead of moving the busi- the financial report of the building ness operations to Bayboro, as it is cost was filed by M. Gordon Norman,

ARRANEGMENTS OPENING PLANT \$4,595.48 while the lowest bid filed NOT COMPLETED

Unable To Start Plant On Account of Financial Reasons, Said

Here is the reply to the letter from total of \$4,502.29. special committee of the Plymouth the erection of outhouses that gave Chamber of Commerce, who wrote carpenters and the expense material shown that most f the logs shipped Chamber of Commerce, who wrote the bond holders of the local veneer for them an expenditure of \$52.49 are number 1 and 2, thus depleting the best stock here and leaving only plant offering assistance and cooper- with stoops costing \$11 with kinderation in efforts to get the plant to re- garten tables costing \$29.70 which the sorrier grades.

"As president of the Wilts-Nation-

for your letter of the 27th ult. terest and offer of cooperation."

This letter is signed by F. B. s ructed.

ating with the Chicago firm to no at a low cost.

pany here.

Charter Granted Waters-

A charter has been issued to the 20 feet. There is no basement. olina and as Mr. Stier was once gen- ed at the approach to the building for ter workers that will be held in in the more economical administration evangelistic experience on four con- were secured, and it is thought that as a result of a survey maed that diseral manager here of the Chicago the children to make their entrance, Goldsboro October 21 under the au- of state government is that of salaries tinents, and a singer of note who 50 will join in the drive that will be closed that the sinking fund of this

pany. Principal office, Washington, last for years. N. C. To operate shops, saw mills, and factories for the handling of all timber and lumber. Authorized capital stock \$50,000. Subscribed stock \$10,000 by A. H. Stier, Grace Stier, M. G. Waters and Ella H. Waters, of October 6 for little Miss Lenada Jane Among the topics will be a discus- 000 normally taken in property taxes

Ilustrative photograps of the fish- erman. ing industry in Washington County particularly of the famous Kitty Employee of Railroad Hawk and Slade fisheries owned by W. R. Hampton, will be carried in a book about the State of North Caro-

came from Byran W. Sipe, statis- his left hand, which was mashed while tician of the division of commerce he was loading a trunk on the train and industry in the North Carolina at the station here Saturday. No Department of Conservation and De- complications are expected to result velopment at Raleigh.

More Cars on Roads as Tag Cost Declines

Since the opening of the tobacso markets in this part of the State, and especially since the price of auto tags was reduced the first of the month, the number of automobiles in Eastern North Carolina has materially increased, according to Mr. A. MacKenzie, automobile license inspector and revenue collector for the state.

Most of the cars taking space on the roads are old ones, the owners having found it improssible to procure licenses until they started harvesting the fall crops. A few new machines are entering the highways just now, a number believed to be larger than the new sales during the fail of last year or the year before.

No marked increase has resulted in gasoline sales as a result of the increased number of cars put into use, according to information coming from local filling station operators.

CHERRY SCHOOL BUILT FOR \$2,582 LESS THAN BID

cut off the corner at Jack Swain's By Using Local Labor Cost than the man does who buys the logs of the peace Plymouth Township: Plymouth. of Building Was Held Down to \$4,595.48

Construction of the Cherry ele-C. L. Groves was appointed by Pres mentary school was completed last A. B. Houtz, of Elizabeth City, in an than the lowest bid that was presentlocal draftsman.

The financial statement showed that the total expenditure in labor and material for this structure was with the board was \$7,178.

The brick work including material and labor cost \$314.85 while the car-22.96. Plastering cost \$220.73 while price, not knowing that the council L. K. Spruill, Republican and Roy T. was going to levy it. expense was \$123.75 with \$420 being

This report from Mr. Norman who operating the Plymouth plant have was so much more than the actual had to be dropped because of finan- cost of the building and also buildcial reasons. We appreciate your in- ing contractors of experience maintain that the building was well con-

The chamber of commerce letter had only about \$4,5000 available for The chamber of commerce letter had only about \$4,5000 available for give up their contract than to go to referred to negotiations between the this work and the skill of these men this expense as their revenue was so company and A. H. Stier while the with some attention to matters of fireply refers to negotiations between nance being rendered by James W. low. the company and Mr. Still. However, Norman, superintendent of public inboth of these men have been negoti- struction, the building was completed REGIONAL MEET

It is a beautiful building that was Eugene F. Still is now custodian of erected to replace two others that months. The building has five class rooms with an auditorium that will seat 200 people. A convenient prin-Stier Wood Products Co. cipal's office is in the structure. Class rooms are standard size, being 30 by Washington County unit of the Amer- other state of teh union in this period taken from the earth.

following by the State of North Car- Two entrances have been construct- attend the regional conference of chap- "One of the most important items world-wide lecturer and traveler with October 10. Twenty-one members cars of people in Washington County Mill and Lumber Corporation it is and exit. The halls are 10 feet wide. spices of the American Red Cross, and wages spaid to personnel. The will organize the talent here into two started this week. of interest here. Following is a sum- Children are now housed in a commodious, convenient and comfortable Cross in the Present Emergency." reduction in salary costs and elimination of congregational singing. It is not N. H. H. Spruill, chairman; Mrs. The source of these commendatory Waters-Stier Wood Products Com- building that with protection should The principal addresses will be tion of personnel of \$2,750,000 in a known at this time just how long the Ralph Harrell, vice chairman; Thom- remarks is Charles M. Johnson, of

Little Girls Dies Recently

To Depict Fishing Industry place in a family plot near Cherry. leadership, Junior Red Cross, prep-poses," said the governor. On Roanoke In State Book She was born May 5. Surviving are arations for the needs of the winter, her parents and a sister, Shirley Liv- and the approaching membership

Is Hurt Last Saturday

Leo T. Rose, an employee of the Atlantic Coast Line here, suffered a The request for these photographs painful injury to the middle finger on although the injury was serious.

LUMBER MAN

Competition and Pay Dock Expense

What appears to be a concealed effort to stifle an industry in Plymouth came known that the city council had

The charge would be applied to E. is employing 22 men at present and which will add 10 more by November, position. and Mr. Harris alleges that there is such a small margin to be made on manufactured timber now that this would make him pay about \$5 a week for the use of the dock.

The Major-Loomis Lumber Com- Mrs. Mary O. Sawyer, Democrat. pany, of Hertford, is shipping logs from here and while this is good and ocrat and Nathan S. Harrington, Re-than 25 years, officiated. Burial took county people get the benefit of the publican. Coroner: W. T. Nurney, place in the Windley cemetery near money for the sale and hauling of Democrat and E. S. Mizelle, Repub- Plymouth. A massive heap of flowthese logs to the docks, yet Mr. Har- lican. Judge of Recorder's court: ers covered the grave of the deceased ris has to pay an added penalty for John W. Darden, Democrat and Mr. Hardison was married the first manufacturing the lumber like the per Thomas W. Snell, Republican. Countime to Miss Modie Sullivan, who

since they started in business here a Armstrong, Democrats. few months ago in labor and logs, and Getsinger mill near Plymouth.

more consideration than the log shippays out \$4 more on a thousand to blood, Republicans. be spent in Plymouth.

penters and wood matrical cost \$3,- on the lumber, as he did not figure cans. penters and wood matrical cost \$3,-1 this extra expense in the contract Constable Scuppernong Township:

or 100,000 cross ties. And it has been G. Austin Overton and D. E. Daven

makes a total expenditure of \$4,595.48. The firm that Mr. Harris represents TOTAL OF \$31,693 and would be content to pay the penalty Wilbur M. D al Veneer Corporation, I thank you drew the plans and gave personal on any logs that they ship along with st pervision to the structure was well the other log shippers. It has been Total County Levy Reduced "We also deeply regret that our received by the board of education in suggested that the town partition off negotiations with Mr. Still for his consideration of the lowest bid that Loomis, J. M. Horton, and E. H. Hara third of the dock each to Major-

rail was almost prohibitive as the This letter is signed by F. B. structed.

Hitchcock, president of Hitchcock and Company, investment securities, 39 South La Salle Street, Chicago.

Structed.

Ernest D. Kemp served as fore-the ship managers that they secure a wharf themselves for the business, they inferred that they would rather

On October 21; Local Chairman Invited

ican Red Cross, has been invited to of economic hardship."

Hughes, legal adviser, and these two ury." men from national headquarters will "In other words, the economies put Banded Carrier Pigeon At Her Home in Cherry also lead in the discussions on roll into practice in the administration in

Liverman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. sion of flour and cotton distribution, in the pockets of the taxpayers for J. T. Liverman here. Burial took health activities, development of local personal use and for productive purdrive. Each conference will be divided into morning, luncheon, and afternoon sessions.

Mrs. J. C. Spruill Suffers

considered grave at first.

MANY NAMES TO CLAIMS UNFAIR | CHOOSE FROM IN CHARGE MADE NEXT ELECTION

Says He Is Unable To Meet Now Preparing Ballots for Use November 8th In General Election

Names of the candidates submitted came to light this week when it be- on the Republican and Democratic tickets to be placed before the voters passed a resolution making a charge in the general election the 8th of next of 10 cents per 1,000 feet on logs or month have been filed with the printtimber shipped from the municipal er for printing this week and are listed as follows:

For senators second senatorial dis-H. Harris Lumber Company, which trict: A. D. MacLean and Carl

Mizelle, Democrat and J. C. Tarken- ing by members of the family. Mr. ton, Republican. Sheriff: E. R. Hardison succumbed to a severe at-Jackson, Republican and J. K. Reid, tack of heart trouble which has both-Democrat. Register of Deeds: Mrs. ered him for years. Grace H. Swain, Republican, and The Rev. Richard Lucas, pastor of

son who buys the logs to be made ty Commissioners: W. Barton Swain, lived only three years, and then in ROPER HIGH Joe G. Dixon, Stewart J. Wood- 1902 he was married to Miss Blanche The Harris Lumber Company has ley, Republicans and George W. Garland Sanderlin, who, with 5 chilspent \$6,800 in Washington County Hardison, E. R. Lewis and O. R. dren, survives him: Garland Richard,

on each 1,000 feet of timber manu- A. R. Latham, Democrat, and George Lanham, of Newport News, Va.; and Various Classes Elect New factured they spend about \$4 more Bruce Tetterton, Republican; Justices a sister, Mrs. Georgeanna Owens, of here and takes them away to be manu- Thomas W. Bateman, George W. Sit- Mr. Hardison was a member of the factured. He is operating the old terson, W. A. Mizelle, Republicans, Odd Fellows lodge and was a deacon and S. D. Davis, J. B. Stillman and in the Baptist church. He served Mr. Harris thinks that he is due Walter H. Paramore, Democrats.

ton County and that the people who Chesson, Republican; Justices of the White, J. T. McNair, Sam Lucas, W. dent, Elsie Chesson; secretary, Jessie buy timber in the round for shipping peace Lees Mills Township: H. W. E. Weede, F. O. Watkins, and J. B. neither own or pay taxes or anything Tarkenton, W. A. Swain, R. W. Edmundson. Honorary: Jesse B. class adviser: Miss Nickels. here. Also he is operating an enter- Lewis, Democrats, and J. M. Ches- McNair, Louis Lucas, W. H. Gaylord, Officers elected by the freshman

Constable Skinnersville Township: and Jim Swain. A suggestion has been made to Mr. Cortez Swain, Democrat, and Arthur Harris that he use the Atlantic Coast Phelps, Republican. Justices of the SHOW PICTURES Line dock, but it is found that this peace Skinnersville Township: C. V. can not be used and that he could not White, H. A. Norman, M. F. Daven- IN CHURCH HERE spend the money for repairs netded, port, Democrats and A. D. Snell, Joe about \$150, as it would take the profit Cohoon and W. B. Phelps, Republi-

Hopkins, Democrat. Justices of the Mr. Harris explained that he had peace Scuppernong Township: J. F. port, Republicans,

SAVE TAXPAYERS

That Much From 1930 Through 1931

It was pointed out that shipping by bill for the 1931-32 fiscal year was re- ever taken on this subject. duced by \$31,693, compared with the Because of his deep interest in miscommission and released by Gover- movie companies, is showing his pic- Miss Peggy Nickels spent the week- football team will play Columbia on

nor Gardner this week. drop to \$156,930 the following year, try. There is a great variety in the The seventh grade has selected see a good game and also contribute

a decrease of 16.8 per cent.

that will have as its theme, "The Red year ending June 30, 1932, showed a or more choruses with a great deal Officers of the new organization are: \$7,000 deposited in the bank. made by Maurice R. Reddy, assistant, single year of salaries of officials and series will last. Everybody is urged as Tarkenton, secretary. director of disaster relief, and H. J. employees paid out of the state treas- to attend.

Cherry.—Funeral services were held call and emergency relief matters. North Carolina last year left \$12,250,

Commercial Course

A course in commercial business Mrs. J. C. Spruill, wife of a promi- and the course is not connected with nent merchant of Plymouth, is suffer- the school. There are 15 members NP A 32 F22741. ing today from a stroke of paralysis of the class now, but five more can suffered Wednesday. She is a little be handled. Applicants should see Miss course.

Making Arrangements For Big Rally Here on Tuesday

WM. R. HARDISON DIES SUDDENLY AT HOME HERE

By Members of Family; Funeral Tuesday

Funeral services were held here on Bailey, Democrats. They have no op- Tuesday afternoon for William Richard Hardison, 66 years of age, who House of Representatives: C. E. was found dead in bed Monday morn-

the Baptist church here, of which Mr Treasurer: Ernest G. Arps, Dem- Hardison has been a member for more Mabel Ellen, William Wesley, Jesse Constable of Plymouth Township: Lane, all of Plymouth; and Mrs. J. E.

throughout the duration of the Span- cent meeting of the junior class at bearers. Constable of Lees Mills Township: ish-American War doing foreign duty, the home of Miss Louise Smith are:

Start in Christian Church Here 16th of October

Richards, of Mariemont, Ohio, as the class adviser, Miss McKellar.

trips to Africa in the past four years any grade. he decided to take some pictures of held a meeting September 29. Washington County's property tax will show some of the best pictures for the community welfare work Oc. R. H. Lucas, pastor of the Baptist

cording to figures compiled by the tax of selling this valuable film to the grades October 6. tures in churches over America to end in Norfolk, tax levy of \$188,623 for 1930-31 and a missionary work in that great counend in Robersonville.

"I am pleased to give this informa- There is a travelogue, touching Davenport for grade parents. tion to the people of Washington some of the very strange and interes-County," said Governor Gardner in ting little ports and islands around L. S. Brey and Mr. H. L. Lewis for SINKING FUND IN OF RED CROSS a formal statement, "and I do not hest the coast of Africa, including St. grade parents. itate to say that the 1929 and 1931 Helena, the scene of Napoleon's exthe plant and holdings of the com- were burned to the ground in recent Will Be Held in Goldsboro general assemblies did much more to ile. Then there are the people with Young Democratic Club reduce taxes and the cost of govern- their quaint customs, weird superment and at the same time to main- stitions and modes of living. Then tain public service on an efficient bas- there is the diamond mining where Zeb Vance Norman, chairman of the is than has the general assembly of any thousands of sparkling diamonds are of the Young Democratic Clubs of

Dies Here From Hunger

food. The employees fed the pigeon, cracks were all over it. To Be Taught Here but the bird was found dead during the week-end.

C. L. Groves, general manager of will be taught in the building of the the National Handle Company here, Plymouth High School this semester, is anxious to determine the history of Cherry.—The Cherry Home Dem- regard to a log pound for the munici-

LEASE THEATRE

Arrangements have been made whereby Ernest G. Arps and Alton Harrison will become operators of the New Theatre here on October 24. They will succeed Edward L. Owens, who took over the management when the Gordon Brothers here were closed up by A. L. Owens, owner of the building.

Final arrangements have been made with the owners of the building, and word is expected at any time from the Western Electrict system, whose sound system equips the show and who have been notified of the change. Mr. Harrison will be the manager.

Mr. Arps will be busy with his drug business here and in campaigning for the office of treasurer of Washington County on the Democratic ticket

SCHOOL NEWS OF PAST WEEK

Officers At Recent Meetings

Roper.-Officers elected at the re-Peacock; treasurer, Bill Davenport;

class, meeting at the home of E. M. Stubbs, Whit Stubbs, C. L. Gurkin, Chesson, are: President, Olive Mac important legislation was being en-Windley; vice president, E. M. Ches- acted. son; secretary, Woodrow Collins; treasurer, Floyd Asby; class adviser, fice of senator from the senatorial

Evangelistic Campaign To Ruth Chesson. Officers: President, Asheville, Democratic nominee for Ruth Chesson; secretary, Marie North Carolina, and who is to make Spruill; treasurer, Grayson Everett; the main address.

class adviser, Mr. Forbes. paid out for supervision, making a contracts to run for a good long time, Snell, T. F. Davenport, J. C. Gatlin, church in Plymouth for the first time ing at the home of Julian Chesson, crowd will be called together a-Here is the reply to the letter from the late of \$4.502.29.

C. L. Groves and Z. V. Norman, a Then there was a cost attached to or 100.000 cross ties. And is has been contained in the late of \$4.502.29.

Shell, T. P. Davenport, J. C. Gauin, church in Flymouth for the lifts time ing at the home of Julian Chesson. Frowd will be called together about 75,000.

Democrats, and J. Dewitt Davenport, in the evangelistic campaign that will officers: President, Jack Hassell, vice gain at 2:30 o'clock with a selection. begin in the Christian church here president, Hazel Spruill; secretary Ma- by the band that is being scheduled to

During the campaign, Mr. Rich- second-grade teachers, reports that of the Young Democratic Clubs of mal and native life of Africa in his room for the entire week of October Wilbur M. Darden, young lawyer, services. The speaker has made three 3-7. This is an enviable record for will introduce the speaker for the aft-

at which time as a big-game hunter Boy Scout Troop No. 7 of Roper D. Cooley, of Nashville, a man whose

the wild life with the result that he The Scout Troop collected clothes tober 3-4.

Dr. T. L. Bray gave physical ex- tion. And when Mr. Harris mentioned to levy for hte preceding 12 months, ac-

The figures show a total property interest Christian people in further Miss Gladys Everett spent the week admission will be charged. This is an

The senior class has selected Mrs

Roper.-Lees Mill Township unit North Carolina was formed at a meet-So the preacher who comes is a ing held here in the schoolhouse on Words of praise have come to the

Large Sweet Potato

A blue pigeon, thought to be a car- pounds was grown on a patch on the vested in real estate mortgages, collatrier or messenger bird, came to the Wolfe land near Plymouth that was eral or personal notes, and have them ground at the National Handle Com- cultivated by Jesse B. McNair. Stable properly secured, so that it case of pany here Friday afternoon. The fowl manure was the only fertilizer use, bank failure they will lose nothing. apparently was suffering from lack of The potato was so large that large

Second Sewing Day for Needy Held at Cherry

Stroke Paralysis Recently Miss Josephine Bryant is instructor, the bird, which carried the following onstration Club met Tuesday morn-pal dock, it was decided by the officinscription on a band about a leg: ing, October 11, and had another sew- ials to charge 10 cents per 1,000 for ing bee for the needy. Twenty-two all logs loaded at this whari. better at this time. Her condition was Bryant for either typing or shorthand and 23,000 automobiles. Prosperity ernoon the club held its regular month- town's books, and was also instructed ly meeting at 2:30.

AMPLIFIERS TO BE INSTALLED FOR SPEAKERS

Robert R. Reynolds and Lindsay Warren Will Be Speakers

Amplifiers will be arranged about the premises so that the 5,000 people who are to attend the big Democratic rally that will be held here October 18, beginning at 10:30 o'clock, can hear every word that the speakers will say, it was announced today by W. R. Hampton, chairman of the Washington County Democratic Executive

In addition to this a large booth vill be arranged on the vacant lot on the corner of Water and Madison Avenues in the back of Midgett's Service Station so that the bank and speak ers can be heard and seen. A place will be roped out so that no passing vehicles can annoy the speakers as the big day gets underway.

The meeting will open with an invocation by one of the leading ministers, with Mayor A. L. Owens, of Plymouth, making the welcome address in behalf of the town to the great throng of visitors that is expected here for the event. Then the candidates for office present will be presented to the crowd so that every one may know the Democratic standard

C. Warren, of this district, who has been prominently mentioned for the sentatives, and who has presided over that body in its recent session when

district in North Carolina, will intro-The sophomore class held its first duce the principal speaker, who is meeting at the home of Miss Lalla Robert R. "Our Bob" Reynolds, of Mary Peacock: vice president, Lalla office of United States Senator from

A barbecue dinner will be served at October 16 with Rev. Charles H. vis Lewis; treasurer, Henry Everett; furnish the music for the occasion. This session will be under the au-Miss Martha Chesson, one of the spices of the Washington County unit

> ernoon, who is expected to be Harold reputation as a Democratic orator in North Carolina is well known. Rev. church, will pronounce the benedic-

Immediately after the benediction. then the Plymouth High High School the Brinkley Park gridiron. A small opportunity for the fans of football to Mrs. Asa Johnston and Mr. W B. to the support of the team. Coach Furches has a good team this season.

GOOD CONDITION

Organized in Lees Mills Director Local Government Commission Praises County

county was in excellent condition with

Raleigh, director of the local government condition, who found that Washington was among 28 counties in the Grown by J. B. McNair 100 in the state that had good sinking

fund arrangements. A sweet potato weighing 6 3-4 This county has no sinking funds in-

City Council Holds Meet Monday Night

After J. M. Horton appeared before the city council last Monday night in

garments were made, 12 undergar- Mayor A. L. Owens was authorized Newton, Mass., has 14,000 families ments cut, and six shirts. In the aft- to arrange for the annual audit of the to get the tax books made up.