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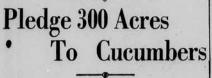
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was recognized by the credentials group as the proper chairman of the Washington County Democratic Executive Committee. Mr. Darden was recognized as chairman of the Plymouth precinct, to which office he has been duly elected.

Mr. Darden's attitude is that despite the repudiation of the State officials he is the legal chairman of the committee, and he refuses to renounce this office, which he still claims as his, despite the recognition of Mr. Swain by the state organization.

Mr. Swain's organization is expected to also prepare and wage a contest for the party. The ticket of Mr. Darden's group was nominated with the exception of Clyde Smithson, who failed to secure a lead over E. F. Swain, Creswell, for commissioner; and Mr. Swain is the only successful candidate of the minority organization.



More than 300 acres have been pledged to be planted to cucumbers in this section next year, and P. H. Roberts, jr., manager of the plant of the C. C. Lang & Co., which is to be built here within the next few

months, thinks that a total of 700 acres will be grown in the trade area next year.

He will probably work through the farm classes in the schools. He will have a meeting in Jamesville next Tuesday night, at. which time he expects to have 100 acres pledged. It is expected that he will have a meeting in Roper, Plymouth and Creswell before the campaign for pledged acres is concluded.

New Physician To Arrive Next Week used by Dr. J. C. Knox, of the State six years as butcher and clerk. He Board of Health at Raleigh, when is to add another clerk, whose name

hall at 3:30. ter Street above the Burgess Shoe and Clothing Store. He will live in the brick residence to be vacated in

Junior Woman's Club. liamston.

"Just reminders," said W. F. Winas instructor in journalism and to slow, referring to the group of occupy the position of publicity dichecks he has in a glass frame over rector of the college. his desk. One was from a firm that

as the "Stratford Traveler." It won

Shortly after the beginning of the had stopped payment, two were from former bankers, and so on ceived the idea of having a journalsession in 1930-31, Mrs. May conism department publish a college sented in the "worthless checks" paper. The 6-page paper was known

kept as a lesson.

immediate favor and received the Nine boys will ben enrolled from blue ribbon award from the Inter-Washington and Tyrrell Counties at scholastic Press Association. the CCC recruiting station in Wash-Mrs. May also organized the Blue

ington, N. C., when Miss Ursula Pencil Club and the Quill and Scroll Bateman, certifying agent from the Society, membership in both requirtwo counties, carries the youths over ing special aptitude in journalistic Friday.

work. Her publications in every in-There will be 5 principals and 4 stance have received awards. alternates from Washington and 4 She is a graduate of the Woman's principals and 4 alternates taken College of the University of North from Tyrrell. They will enter the Carolina, has had professorial work service of the Civilian Conservation in Columbia University in New Camps. York, and the University of Califor-

nia, as well as extension work at Miss Mary Claude Spruill, now Carolina. She has taught in several Mrs. Charles A. Peele, of William- large schools.

ston, will resign her position as sec- Mr. May is head of the science deretary and stenographer for Senator partment in the George Washington Carl L. Bailey about the middle of High School in Danville. They have October. She will go to Williamston twin sons about 3 years of age. to live with her husband. She thinks They spent their vacation here the and for not having the proper brakes that they wil lbe in a position to se- first of September with their par-

cure an apartment by this time. ents. Her brother, W. J. Everett, is She has been with Mr. Bailey for chief of police in Asheville, and ansix years. No successor has been other brother, V. E. Everett, lives named. here.

Senator Carl L. Bailey, chairman E. G. Arps To Open of the commission appointed to consider the claims of counties against **Grocery Here Soon** the State Highway and Public Works Commission for public roads

constructed by the counties, is at home this week.

E. G. Arps, local druggist and Last week he heard with his com- treasurer of Washington County, mittee 23 counties argue for their will open a grocery store on Water contentions in Asheville. Next Street in the building now occupied Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, he by Williford's Yellow Front Grocery will hear about the same number as soon as Mr. Williford moves his in Raleigh. In November he will store across the street to the J. C. have another session of his commit- Spruill building.

Mr. Arps will have in his employ Gilmer Ayers, who was formerly according to placards in the windows Sound motion pictures will be connected with Williford's for about about town.

he comes to Plymouth Friday for will be announced later. three showings of his health pro- Mr. Williford would not announce

the Plymouth High School and lat- ors have it that Sidney Hilliard, who in the show. the practice of medicine. His of- er in the afternoon at the Senior was here years ago and who has

Hostesses for the club meeting with Mr. Williford. be in his new store next week.

ime Thad Eure, of Winton, nomine Club had good attendance at its regular meeting Thursday. This for Secretary of State, has been inclub is very interested in all phases vited to be the principal speaker. This unit is joining the state orof club work and tries to get all reganization in designating the event ports correctly.

It is time, in October, to pay fed- addition to the speech of Mr. Eure, to spend their hot summer days next eration dues and to make an annual short talks will likely be made by report of club work. Each club candidates in the county who represent the party on the tickets. member is asked to fill in the blanks

that are given in. Eac hgarden leader is asked to end in a report of her garden and the meeting is designed to aid in ara short story of it as soon as possible.

Only Two Cases in Recorder's Court

chairman.

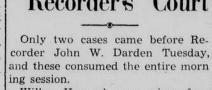
Wilbur Howard was given four months on the road, suspended upon Principals To Meet Wilbur Howard was given four the payment of \$10 and costs on a charge of reckless driving, speeding, on his truck. The charges were

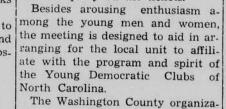
brought after a wreck with another truck operated by a man named Stillman. Policeman L. C. Snell,

Local Youths To

of Roper, was the prosecuting wit-

Raymond Garrett was given three months suspended upon the pay ment of \$10 and costs on a charge of assaulting Julie Nichols and with making himself a nuisance and being drunk. L. L. Basnight was the complaining witness.





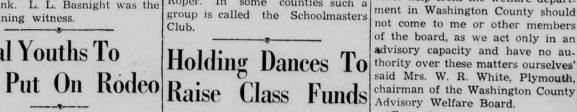
tion hopes to have registered for the party as many of the eight million young men and women as possible who will vote for their first time on November 4.

Walter H. Paramore is county

During October

A meeting of the principals of the schools in Washington County will be held some time during the month of October to prepare a program for Welfare Board the monthly teachers' meetings that are to be held during the term.

Present will be H. H. McLean, the superintendent; E. W. Joyner and Miss Ethel Perry, Plymouth; C. H. Aderholdt, Creswell; D. E. Poole, Roper. In some counties such a



Now Plymouth is to have a rodeo, Now is the time for all dancers to

and Mrs. W. L. Whitley, is in charge cording to President James Harold bers of people in regard to this work Greenville Tuesday, they were sudand with his pony will be one of the Ward. performers. Young Jack Swain,

of the State Sanitorium, is expected gram, beginning at 2:15 and 3 at the successor to Mr. Ayers, but rum- Harry McLean, and others will be

"Yes; we have a bucking horse, gift to the school. A victrola will Bateman," said Mrs. White. fice will be in the building on Wa- Woman's Club meeting in the legion been in the business in Norfolk, wild calf, jumping racks and other be borrowed from Rea's Beach to would return here to be associated things," said young Mr. Whitley, provide the recordings of the best was held last week, with Mrs. White from the negro's hands and pockets who wanted the public to know that musical numbers of the country's made chairman, and E. S. Woodley, a \$50 pile of greenbacks that the will be Mesdames B. G. Campbell, Mr. Williford thinks that he will it would be in the back yard of Mrs. best orchestras," said young Ward. Robert Bateman, T. L. Bray, P. W. be unable to move from his present Sally Gardner, and that members of He urges all to be at the dance at Wilson, Roper, third member, did window of the cashier's cage and with her family, will move to Wil- Brinkley and the members of the location by the week-end, but will the high school band would play in the high school gym (tonight) Fri- not receive his notice in time to be then turned the thief over to the day at 9 p. m. the parade preceding the show.

Business at Rea's Beach, Albe marle Sound resort, was better this year than in many seasons past, according to L. W. Gurkins, owner,

who promises the surf lovers that as a "Roosevelt-Hoey" rally, and in they will have a much better place summer.

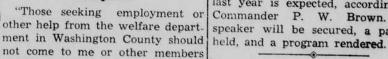
Mr. Gurkin will build a new dance of Mrs. Kathleen Spruill. hall, at least 75 by 100 feet, over some brand bathhouses. More conveniences will be afforded as well as privacy by the new houses. This will greatly enlarge the dance pa-district director, is expected. A vilion, which was crowded several times this summer.

Also Mr. Gurkin plans to have canvas canopies or tent-shelters along the beach for people to rest under while lying in the sand. New walkways will be built to the water. The recent storm damaged this part of the beach.

plans to improve the beach walls so Mrs. W. B. Cox as pianist. that they will be more attractive, and more convenient. In fact Mr. Gurkin plans to spend several hundreds of dollars on the place. He hopes to arrange schedules far enough in advance with reliable

bands so that the best music possible for the dances will be available.

Only Advisory



of the board, as we act only in an advisory capacity and have no ausaid Mrs. W. R. White, Plymouth, chairman of the Washington County Advisory Welfare Board.

"Ever since a news story in the

He held tenaciously and Horton of Creswell, attending, but F. D. negro had grabbed from beneath the police.

Play by October 20

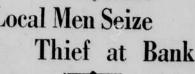
Hopes that the presentation of "Beauty and the Beast" will be ready for the third week in October as the Federal Theatre Project of the WPA continues under the direction

Materials for the costumes have been requisitioned, but have not arrived. A dress rehearsal was to be held this week when Howard Dailey treasurer has been appointed, and a

mall admission will be charged. Zeb Norman, as the beast, and Priscilla Whitson, as the beauty, head the cast, which includes a number of dances and the following: Miriam Joyner, Fanny Winslow, Roy Manning, Patsy Dixon, Harry McLean, Rex Paramore, with Miss And to cap the whole thing he Evelyn Arps as dance director and

Is Being Planned

A committee, including Dr. C. Mc-Gowan, B. G. Campbell, and another is busy arranging for an Armtistice Day program that is to be held here on November 11 by the James E. Jethro post of the American Legion. A program better than the one last year is expected, according to Commander P. W. Brown. A speaker will be secured, a parade



Remember Bob Johnston and Beacon a couple of weeks ago re. Lloyd Horton as Plymouth's latest come to the aid of the senior class vealed that I was a member of this heroes. Waiting in the vestibule of Wilford Whitley, son of Attorney at the Plymouth High School, ac- board I have been beseiged by num- the Guaranty Bank & Trust Co., in but Miss Ursula Bateman is certi- denly stirred to action by the yell "We are having a dance for ev- fying agent and looks after this part of the cashier to stop that man. Bob