

With a North Carolinian mayor of Norfolk, Frank C. Spruill advised some of the Virginians while there last Sunday to be nice to visitors or "Governor Hoey will demand a plebiscite and take over the territory down that way."

R. W. Johnston, who gets about the county a great deal, said Wednesday that so far as he knew not over four bales of cotton had been ginned in this county this season. J. L. Phelps and Eddie Davenport had some ginned down the county. No report has been heard from W. W. Mizelle at Roper.

"No officer or director in the Plymouth Building & Loan Association receives any compensation whatever from the association, except Secretary M. W. Spruill, who gets \$10 monthly for his services in keeping the records and collecting the money." E. F. Still, president of the savings association, said this week.

Clayton House, Joe Arps, and Elmer Turner went to Charlotte Wednesday where they will see the new Chevrolet cars for 1939. This is one of a series of district meetings that is being held throughout the nation by the Chevrolet Company to acquaint the dealers with the new sales program for the new product.

The Episcopal Men's Club enjoyed an oyster roast at J. T. Terrys place Wednesday night, with 10 men present. H. A. Williford is president of the organization and R. A. Duvall secretary.

W. H. Moore, new vocational agriculture teacher at the Plymouth High School, will explain his work and members of his class will provide string music at the regular meeting of the Lions Club Thursday night.

It required a lot of extra work, as the State was slow in certifying the corporation tax valuations and other handicaps were encountered, but at last the 1938 tax notices have been mailed to the taxpayers, according to J. E. Davenport, tax collector of Washington County.

Mrs. Lula Jackson, librarian at the Washington County Public Library in the courthouse, Tuesday attended a WPA library training meeting in Elizabeth City, where those in similar work from the surrounding counties were also invited.

Officers here have repeatedly asked hunters to be cautious where they shoot. The latest report of a narrow escape was when D. Beale and L. J. Meunier, Jr., heard bullets from a high-powered rifle whizzing around them while they were playing golf on the country club course here.

Dr. A. Papineau was in Durham Thursday, where he attended a meeting at which a symposium of medical problems were discussed by specialists from the Duke Medical School. He was to return late Friday.

Funeral for Sylvester Lilley Held Sunday At Pleasant Grove

Well Known and Highly Respected Tenant Farmer Died Saturday

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Mr. Lilley was a well-known tenant farmer in this county and was highly respected and well liked by all who knew him. A large gathering attended the final rites Sunday.

He is survived by eight children, Elizabeth, Blanche, Ruth, Lueraner, and Patty Ray, of Creswell; Margaret Lilley, of Williamston; Sylvester Lilley, Jr., and John Lilley, of Roper. He also leaves a brother, Ben Lilley, of New Bern; and three sisters, Mrs. Ella Marriner, of Morehead City; Mrs. Maude Shackelford, of Washington, N. C.; and Miss Patty Lilley, of New Bern.

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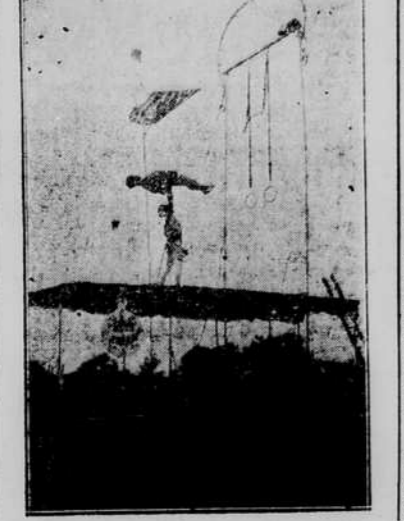
J. B. Willoughby, assistant chief of the fire department, attended the meeting and asked about the progress being made for the WPA-City sponsored new firemen's quarters.

Additional Restrictions on Traveling Shows Possible

It was indicated by town officials that action will be taken soon on the proposed ordinance submitted by Attorney Carl L. Bailey for Shep Brinkley last Monday night, which seeks to regulate and control the performances here of traveling shows.

Legion Sponsoring Shows Next Week

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Taylor Brothers and their high trapeze act constitute one of the free acts with the Dixie Model Shows, sponsored by the American Legion post here, at the new ball park all next week, starting Monday.

Plan Reorganizing Red Cross Chapter Here Next Tuesday

County Superintendent of Schools H. H. McLean is in receipt of a letter from Miss Katherine Myers, field representative of the American Red Cross, asking him to call a meeting at his office Tuesday, October 18, at 2:30 p. m., for the purpose of reorganizing the Washington County chapter.

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Surplus Corn Should Govern Size of Swine Herds, Agent Advises

"Most of our farmers have a tendency to go in and out of the hog business according to price levels, and these same folks are usually out of the market when hogs are high and have hogs for sale when prices are rather low," according to County Agent W. V. Hays.

Meeting To Be Held Friday To Work Out Final Plans of Event

Dixie Model Shows Will Present 7 Rides, 6 Shows, Several Free Acts

Final plans for the presentation of the Dixie Model Shows by the Washington County Agricultural Fair Association next week will be made at a meeting of the James E. Jethro Post, No. 164, of the American Legion Friday night, it was announced this week by Dr. C. McGowan, secretary of the fair, and W. V. Hays, commander of the Legion Post, which is sponsoring the event.

The Dixie Model Shows will be the featured carnival attraction at the new baseball park, starting Monday and continuing throughout the week. There will be seven riding devices, including hobby horses, ferris wheel, chairplane, loop-a-plane, lindy-loop, tilt-a-wheel, kiddie autos. There will also be six shows, including the brown-skin review, circus side shows, Hawaiian show, Paris review, living models, and athletic show.

One Freed, One Held Result of Highway Accidents in Section

A jury in reorders court Tuesday returned a verdict of not guilty in the case of Goliath Blount, 49, colored, who was charged with reckless and careless driving and inflicting personal injury on Miss Lilley Preston, 15, who was struck by his car while she was walking on Highway No. 64 last Tuesday evening near Plymouth.

No Evidence of Foul Play in Negro Death

Leo Bolton, 33, colored resident of Fifth Street, was found dead by his wife Tuesday morning when she called him to breakfast and he failed to answer.

Local Building and Loan Association Opens Sale of Stock in Fourth Series

Realizing a small profit during its first year of operation, the Plymouth Building & Loan Association is beginning its second year with confidence, it was learned from Secretary M. W. Spruill this week, following a meeting of the board of directors, at which it was decided to offer its fourth series of stock for sale, as of October 1st.

As a rule, these organizations do not make a profit the first year of operation, as there are many supplies to be purchased and other expenses incident to organization, but the local association got off to an excellent start and managed to show a small profit by holding expenses to a minimum.

Registration Books Open Saturday for New Voters

Registration books for the November 8 general election will open Saturday, October 15, and remain open for three consecutive Saturdays, it was announced this week by P. M. Arps, chairman of the Washington County Board of Elections, who also pointed out that the Saturday before the election, November 5, would be challenge day.

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There are two days left, and I am asking the legionnaires and friends to contact the leaders in the various communities and assist them in standing watch during the following hours: Friday, 7 to 11 a. m., 6 to 10 p. m.; Saturday, 7 to 11 a. m., and 6 to 10 p. m., said Mr. Hays.

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Recent Visitor Here Injured In Auto Accident Monday

Reports here are to the effect that Mrs. Greenleaf and Miss Margaret Greenleaf, of Montreal, Canada, are recovering "satisfactorily" from injuries sustained when the automobile in which they were returning to their home collided with another 45 miles beyond Philadelphia. They had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Earle here and were on their way home when the accident occurred.

Lay Service at Grace Church Here Sunday

There will be a Lay Service at the Grace Episcopal Church here Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, it was announced today. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Canadian Exports Are Up To Nearly Double 1937

United States agricultural exports to Canada and via Canadian ports in the first half of 1938 reached a value nearly double that of the corresponding period in 1937.