

### Student Council Is Being Organized in Local High School

#### To Elect President Student Body Friday; Principal Explains Plan

There has been increasing interest and requests among the pupils of the Plymouth High School for student government, and at a recent assembly period a discussion was held on the matter. Many pupils expressed their views and made inquiries, following which the student body voted unanimously in favor of the proposal.

Last Friday nominations were made for president of the student body, and an election will be held by Australian ballot tomorrow in the school. It was stated the president must come from the senior class and must have passed all work for the preceding semester, as well as maintaining an average above 80 on conduct. The following seniors were nominated: Brinson Cox, Luther Armstrong, James Rea, Felton Magee, Frank Winesett and Jack Stubbs.

The council will be composed of 10 members elected from the high school classes as follows: 1 from the freshman class; 2 from the sophomore class; 3 from the junior and 4 from the senior classes. The council will function in an advisory capacity under the guidance of the principal and a faculty advisor.

According to Principal Trotman, "student government in high school should mean student participation in school administration rather than actual student government and pupils may participate insofar as they are capable and worthy. There is no such thing as student self-government, and there never will be; students lack that good judgment which comes from experience. School control may not be shifted from the heads of competent teachers and administrative advantages to the pupil. They will be given to understand that they act in an advisory capacity only and may recommend while the administrators have the veto power. There are certain purposes and aims to be strived for in pupil participation in school administration, which may be summed up as follows: Training in social customs, training in speech, training in civic interests, in ethical character, in leadership and fellowship and to promote the general activities of the school. The proper handling of a student government program will necessarily result in definite advantage to the pupil. He will become more cooperative, more self-directive and will develop in initiative; he will become more familiar with democratic principles and will learn by actual participation which carries with it responsibility and obligation.

"Contrary to the current conception of student government the student council in no way formulates or controls the administration of the school. The scope of activities which the students may participate in will

### Colored Church Will Have Series Special Services Next Week

#### Celebrate Third Anniversary of Pastor; Interesting History

A series of meetings will be held in the Spring Green Church of Christ (colored) next week, beginning Monday night, during which time the members will observe the third anniversary of the third pastor to serve this 50-year-old church.

Older residents here say this church was founded about 70 years ago and that the frame structure at the rear of the present imposing brick building is at least 50 years old.

During the last half century there have been only three pastors, including Rev. Isham Darden, who served the charge for 26 years, Rev. John Spencer, who was pastor for 24 years; and now Elder Noah Boston has been pastor for about three years.

When Elder Boston accepted the pastorate the old wooden structure was used for services but since he became the leader the church has been able to complete the brick building, which was started in 1928.

George Smith, deacon, who contributed hundreds of dollars in work as mason on the structure, said that after the walls of the building had been erected, the congregation found they were unable to complete it. Much of the material that had been purchased at the outset was ruined by the weather during the years that lapsed.

The roof and ceiling has been completed within the last three years. Most of the labor was done by members, with the ladies of the church providing the food for workmen. The material for the church cost about \$7,500 and the donated labor easily would make the church value about \$10,000.

Eighty-one members joined during a recent protracted meeting increasing the membership to 465 with an average attendance at church services on the fourth Sunday of each month placed at 300.

The meeting that will be held next week will include speakers and choirs from other services that will join in making the services a success.

Deacons of the church who have contributed much to the success of the church include Ellis Lee, Edward Pollock, Edward Pettiford, Ben Hedg-

be as follows: care of school and personal property; service to fellow students; community and school activities; discipline with regard to general school regulations such as the encouragement of good behavior, fostering proper spirit and attitudes, discouraging dishonesty and to recommend measures to the faculty.

"This is an excellent and worthwhile activity and we solicit the aid and encouragement of the public. It is a matter with which we must work patiently and cautiously."

### CRESWELL

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Peal, Mrs. W. H. Johnson, of Plymouth, Mrs. C. A. Swain and Mrs. A. T. Brooks were in Norfolk Thursday.

Misses Maude Battle, Julia Van-Landingham and Nelle Hathaway spent the week-end in Norfolk.

Mrs. Ida Hassell is spending this week in Edenton.

Misses Lona Belle Weatherly, Betty Swain and Frances Peal were in Edenton Saturday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Pritchett and son, Ronnie, Mrs. E. Pritchett and Mrs. A. W. Alexander visited Mrs. Frank Holton and Mrs. E. Pritchett in Raleigh Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blue and family, and Misses Mary Lou and Vollet Midgette, of Cotlock, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Davenport Sunday. They were accompanied home by Mack Blue, who has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. Davenport, since Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bray, of Roper, attended the Christmas program presented at Creswell Baptist church Sunday.

Mrs. Irving Smith and son, Irving, jr., of Robersonville, arrived Saturday to spend the week-end with Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. R. T. Hopkins. They were joined Sunday by Mr. Smith, who accompanied them home.

Mrs. Charles W. Pritchette, of Creswell and Columbia, entertained at her home in Columbia Sunday evening, honoring Mr. Pritchette and Mrs.

beth, Theodore Cooper, Willis Phelps, Albert Spruill, Raphe Belcher and George Smith. Olivia Watson is the church secretary.

## Home-Club Notes

By Mrs. MARY F. DARDEN, Home Agent

**Schedule for Next Week**  
Monday afternoon, Beech Grove Club.  
Monday night, County Bridge.  
Tuesday afternoon, Pleasant Grove.  
Wednesday morning, Plymouth 4-H club.  
Wednesday afternoon, Cross Roads club.  
Wednesday night, Swain Club.  
Thursday night, Creswell club.

**Cherry Club**  
85 garments made, 19 quarts meat canned; 100 bulbs and 75 shrubs planted; 1 chair, 1 rug, 1 heater purchased; \$53.45 worth of eggs, \$87.20 worth of chickens, \$42.66 worth of milk products sold.

**Christmas Meetings**  
The following clubs have had their Christmas meetings: Hoke, Roper, Chapel Hill, Scuppernon, and Cherry. Regular programs were planned in two of the clubs. Mrs. Floyd had charge of the program in Roper club and Mrs. Roy Davenport presided over the Cherry club programs. Carols were sung in all the clubs, con-

rom Norman on their birthdays.

The second number of "The Spotlight," the Creswell High School paper, is being circulated this week. Friends of the paper are congratulating the staff on their earnest effort to publish a worth-while school journal.

tests and relays were enjoyed and the members exchanged gifts.

**House Furnishing**  
A lot of improvements in homes are being made at this time of the year. Mrs. F. D. Wilson is reupholstering chairs, Mrs. C. Swain is making slip covers for her furniture, Mrs. Walter White is painting her living room, Mrs. Roy Davenport refinishing a chair, Mrs. Carlyle, reupholstering; and Mrs. Tom Davis, painting kitchen furniture.

**DRIVE**  
One of the main objectives of Extension Service workers in Edgecombe County in the coming year will be a milk cow on every farm so that each family may have an adequate milk supply.

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### MACKEYS

Miss Margaret Collins returned Sunday from New Bern, where she has been visiting friends for the past week.

Miss Elizabeth Chesson, Mrs. William Davenport, and Mrs. W. S. Davenport were in Plymouth shopping Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Davenport and their young son, Carlton, together with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Davenport,

were dinner guests of Mrs. W. S. Davenport Sunday.

Miss McCain, of the Roper High School faculty, was the guest of Mrs. W. B. Davenport Sunday evening.

Mrs. T. E. Griffin has returned from Norfolk, where she has been visiting her son, Jim Ed Griffin.

Mrs. Edison Davenport accompanied Mrs. Teddy Blount to Rocky Mount Monday to see Mrs. Beam Blount, who is ill in Park View Hospital.

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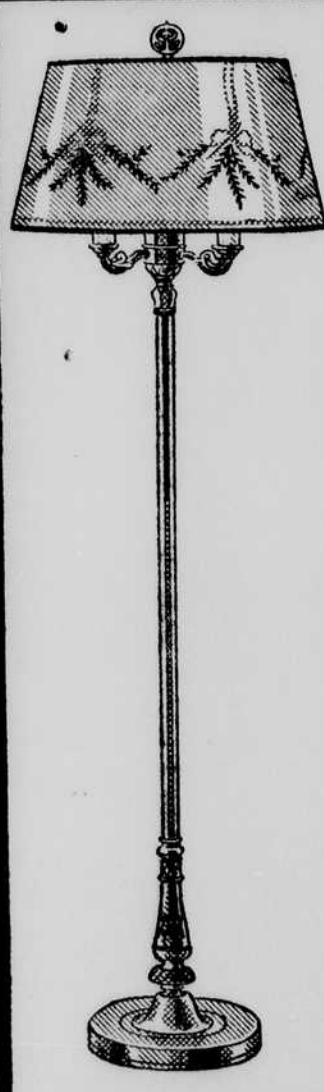
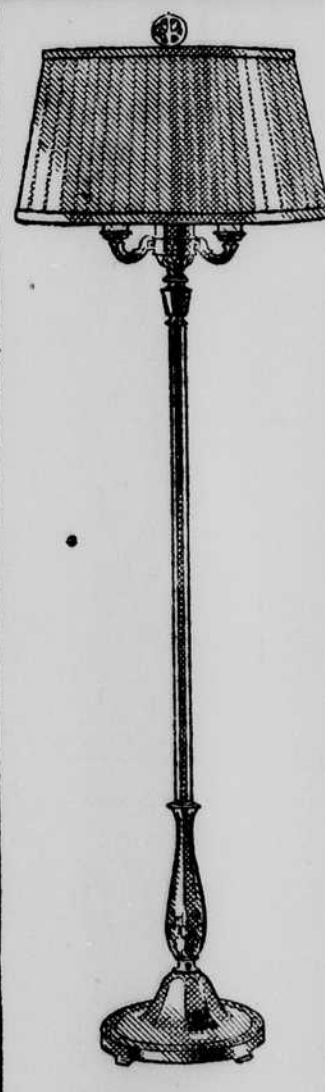
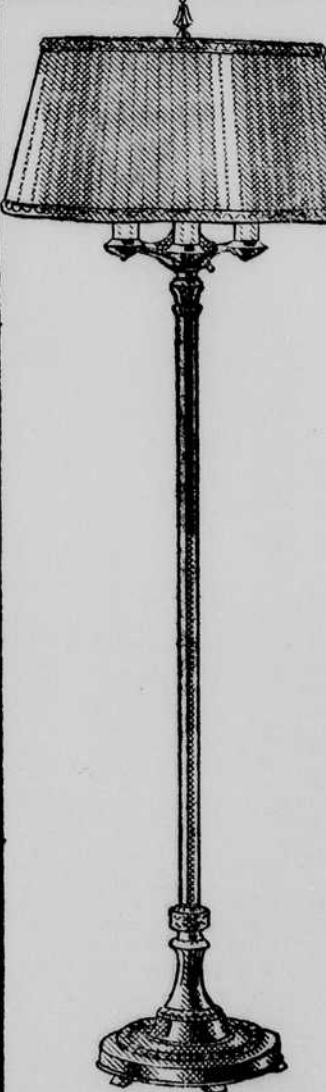


# Mistletoe Mood!



### SOME LIGHT ON CHRISTMAS GIFTS

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—and—  
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- Ties
- Shirts
- Hose
- Gloves
- Belts
- Suspenders
- Handkerchiefs
- Scarfs
- Sweaters
- Leather Jackets
- Underwear
- Shoes
- Pants
- Lumberjacks

### For the Woman

- Hose
- Scarfs
- Undies
- Sweaters
- Skirts
- Gloves
- Hats
- Dresses
- Shoes
- House Coats
- Gowns
- Handkerchiefs
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