

Town Topics

The old fire siren will continue to be blown at 9 a. m. and 6 p. m. during each work day in Plymouth...

W. F. Veasey, superintendent of schools, has reported that the State Board of Education will allow the maintenance of a colored high school in Creswell...

Federal and county offices in Plymouth as well as the local bank will observe a holiday this Friday which is Memorial Day...

Although several resignations have been received in the office of the superintendent of county schools, W. F. Veasey, he reports that so far all replies to re-election notices sent to teachers in the Plymouth district have been acceptances with one exception...

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Miss Clara W. ... the \$1 price for selling the most popular in the Poppy Sale sponsored by the Plymouth American Legion Auxiliary...

Due to a sharp increase in business and a shortage of helpers in the Elizabeth City Rent Control Office, Mrs. Sabrie Reid, chief clerk in the Washington County office in Plymouth...

Delbert D. Allen, sanitarian for the Washington-Tyrrell Health Department, has been granted a 3-months leave of absence from his duties with the department in order to attend the School of Public Health of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill...

Grace Church Purchases New Rectory in Village

Vestrymen of Grace Episcopal Church have purchased the home of R. H. Reynolds at 68 Golf Road in Country Club Village to be used as a Rectory for the new minister, the Rev. Edward M. Spruill...

Freed on Charges of Setting Fire to House

Sonny Moore, 55-year-old Plymouth negro charged with arson in the burning of the home of Joe and Minnie Garrett, colored, in Plymouth last Sunday, was allowed non pros with leave in county recorder's court here this week...

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BUY YOUR Extra SAVINGS BONDS NOW

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Another Cannonball Dug Up Here Recently

During the process of excavation on the site of the Plymouth Furniture Company's new store building, last week-end, workmen discovered a 35-pound cannonball embedded in the clay near the rear wall of the foundation of a previous building...

ball was badly corroded and not in so good condition as that uncovered by Mrs. C. E. Jones in her back yard last week, but that he hopes to clean it up a bit and put it on display shortly...

All Auto Drivers To Be Examined

748 Register For Election

Total registrations for the special election on the Plymouth City limits extension now stands at 748, according to reports from Mrs. Hermine Ramsey, registrar...

Qualified voters from Country Club Village were reported as being slightly lax while almost the whole of Little Richwood turned out to register...

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Railroad Effects Complete Change Passenger Policy

A complete change of policy affecting the passenger train service of the Norfolk Southern Railroad for Washington County and other communities served by the company has been announced...

Immediately following the re-organization, the new chairman, Patrick B. McGinnis, of New York, announce that the Norfolk Southern would inaugurate a program of improved passenger and express service...

Joyce Allen Has Left Leg Broken

Joyce Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton E. Allen, of Plymouth, suffered a broken left leg shortly after noon on Tuesday of this week when she slipped and fell while standing on the front steps of her home here...

City Approved by CAA for Airport

Plymouth has been approved by the Civil Aeronautics Administration as the site of one of the new municipal airports being sponsored by the federal government under its \$500,000,000 municipal airport appropriation...

Reexaminations for Motor Vehicle Permits to Be Held by Boyce Beginning July 1

In accordance with the law passed by the 1947 General Assembly of North Carolina requiring the re-issuance of motor vehicle driver licenses, the following schedule has been made: the period beginning July 1, 1947, and ending on December 31, 1947, is the time for all driver license holders...

The period beginning January 1, 1948 and ending on June 30, 1948, will be the time for all operators whose sur-names begin with either of the letters C or D to apply for re-issuance of licenses...

Area Commission To Be Appointed

Notice has been given by W. M. Darden, clerk of superior court, that three commissioners for the new Scuppernon Drainage District in Washington County will be appointed by him at the county courthouse on Monday...

Hold Last Rites For Mrs. Barber

Last rites were held from the Piney Grove Baptist Church last Thursday afternoon for Mrs. W. B. Barber, 59, of the Pea Ridge section, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Paul Gurganus...

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More Than 700 Registered For Election Tuesday on Extension of City Limits

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If Election Carried, Town Would Include 2 Mill Villages, 2 Factories, and Stillacres

All qualified voters in Plymouth, Little Richwood and Country Club Villages, and Stillacres who have registered for the special election being held in the county courthouse here next Tuesday will choose at that time whether or not the corporate limits of the Town of Plymouth shall be extended to include the two villages, Stillacres and several other small portions of territory...

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When the proposition of an extension of the city limits election is carried, the city limits of Plymouth will extend beyond their present bounds on Highway 64, in the west, to Welch Creek and to the Roanoke River, running down the river to a point on the northern corner of the Old Hampton Farm, bending southward and continuing to a point just beyond County...

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