Plymouth High School Coach George Ingle and Mrs. Ingle and small son moved into their new home on Third Street last Sat family last fall, but the local Lions Club came to his rescue and after some scrambling and hunting, finally secured the Third Street residence.

preparatory to receiving a certi- night (Thursday) at 8:15. tions being given her in Raleigh warden of the church, and C. E. outh. will terminate today.

Mrs. Edison Davenport of Mackeys has been reappointed as a member of the North Carolina Recreation Advisory Comfrom R. Gregg Cherry, Governor of North Carolina. Mrs. Davenport will represent rural groups to the committee.

Among the Washington County baseball fans who will attend big league games this week-end are J. S. Brown, "Snooks" Burnham, C. D. Loane, and Voight Knight who left Plymouth today for Washington, D. C., where they will attend the game between the Boston Red Sox and the New York Yankees. They will return ome on Sunday.

The 44 alumium windows ordered by the county board of education for the Plymouth School have arrived and will be installed immediately, it has been announced, and thereby takes another load off the shoulders of those in charge of construction. The cost of aluminum windows is higher now, total charge for the shipment \$2,565, but even so, it was pointed out, they are cheaper than the old-fashioned woodenframe affairs.

Plymouth Police Chief P. W. "Poss" Brown returned home Sunday after visiting in Santa Cruz, Calif., with his daughter Mrs. Wade Adams, for several weeks. The Chief states that the trip was wonderful and the visit enjoyable, but that he is "some kind of se "y" h, wasn't in Plymouth to supervise repair operations when the Washington Street sewer caved in.

School of Art. Mr. Winslow says rapidly. that while he intends to give most of his time to portrait study, he VFW are Dr. Ernest Furgurson, around the middle of September. man.

Mrs. Dallas Waters and Mrs. Elton Ange attended the twentyseventh annual convention of the American Legion Auxiliary, Carolina department, which was held at Carolina Beach last week. Mesdames Waters and Ange were delegates from the Plymouth organization. Mrs. Waters was recently elected and installed president for the group for the 1947-48 term.

Funeral Held for

Church of Plymouth on Tuesday over the meeting. at 2:30 p. m. for William A. Kerney, 68, of Plymouth, route one, who died suddenly at his home here at 6:30 Saturday. The Rev. E. B. Quick, pastor of the church officiated at the services. Burial was made in Windley Cemetery.

Mr. Kerney was a native of Mr. Kerney was a native of Mamie Lee Garrett, Plymouth Lake Village, Ind., coming to colored girl and wife of Sam Merchants Have Plymouth from there about 21 Garrett, jr., 19, gave birth to a years ago. He was a member of the Wenona Christian Church and bright and early last Thursday was an employee of the North morning. Carolina Pulp Company.

wife, Mrs. Amanda S. Kerney of helped deliver almost every col- ed by some 30 of the leading the home; one son, W. Roscoe ored infant in Plymouth for the business houses in Plymouth will Kerney, of Federalsburg, Md.; past 50 years, but that the Garberney, of Federalsburg, Mrs. E. B. Hanger, of rett offspring took the well-larger, Mrs. E. B. Hanger, of larger of Watseka, Ill.; two nephews; and known chocolate cake when it nounced.

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urday. The coach had had difficulty in securing a house for his family last fall but the local Church Here Tonight

The Rev. Edward M. Spruill, Ayers, junior warden. Several Miss Janet Bowen of Plymouth new rector of Grace Episcopal other members of the Episcopal is being given State board ex- Church in Plymouth, will be in- clergy of the diocese are expected aminations in Raleigh this week stalled at the church here to- to attend the ceremony.

An invitation has been issued ficate in dental hygiene. Miss
Bowen was graduated from TemD. D., Bishop of the Diocese of Plymouth Episcopalians in atple University in Philadelphia East Carolina will be in charge tending the services, while a this Spring where she majored in of the service and will be assist- special invitation has been exdental hygiene. The examina- ed by P. B. Bateman, senior tended to the ministers of Plym-

New Auto Laws lina Recreation Advisory Committee for a term of two years, according to announcements | In Effect July 1st | possible prevention of malaria sources, department officials have stated. | For Scholarship

Increased Sharply

The new regulatory legislation

penalties for violations of the

laws have been made correspond-

speed limit for motor vehicles

the previous \$10 minimum.

creased fines.

announced times.

a passing mark on the exams.

beginning with "C" and "D."

Others will follow through the

Radio Broadcast

"Plymouth on the Air," a new

air from 7:15 a. m. until 7:30 a.

m. on week-days and 9:15 a. m.

station will be WRRF in Washing-

HERE TONIGHT



Wright, D. D., (above) will officiate at the installation of the Rev. Edward M. Spruill, new rector of Grace Episcopal Church in Plymouth tonight.

Committee Named rely with persons convicted of drunken driving. These law-By Veteran Group

A five-man committee was appointed by the Veterans of Foreign Wars at their meeting last W. Frith Winslow left Plym- Thursday night, which will attend outh on Wednesday for Cape Cod, the conferences of the joint com-Mass., where he will study por- munity building committees, reptraiture under the international- resenting other civic groups in ly known artist Jerry Farns- Plymouth, so that co-ordination worth, N. A., at the Farnsworth of plans may be effected more

Composing the group from the

VFW members also voted to have questionnaires sent to each tions for auto operator's licenses questing his views on the proposed establishment of a blood bank in Plymouth. Blood-type of each individual will be requested.

State Highway Examiners in the each individual will be requested. Recipients of the questionnaires same manner as persons applyhave been asked to fill them out ing for licenses for the first time. have been asked to fill them out and return them immediately. The cards will be kept on file at the Plymouth Clinic for future reference.

Those present drivers who fail to pass the road and traffic trules tests will be denied licenses until such time as they can make

Visitors at the VFW session last officers from the Washington, and aminer James Boyce who will be town, according to reports from William Kerney New Bern recruiting stations. A at the Municipal Building in picture on submarine warfare was plymouth for that purpose each ing of that organization here on week with certificates being stations. A at the Municipal Building in picture on submarine warfare was plymouth for that purpose each ing of that organization here on week with certificates being stations.

> Fifteen-Pound Baby Is Born to Colored Couple

Getting off to a good start in alphabet. raising a family, 16-year-old Mamie Lee Garrett, Plymouth

The attending mid-wife, Mary Mr. Kerney is survived by his Lizz Bonds, stated that she had 15-minute radio program sponsorcame to size.

Local Business Places m. on week-days and 9:15 a. m. until 9:30 a. m. on Sunday. The Will Close July Fourth ton. Included on the will be news reports,

will have Independence Day only summer resorts.

Independence Day will be ob- as a holiday, observing the usual and music entertainment. served as a holiday by practically Saturday hours on the following A special will be a "man-on- this action has been given from ed the highway again and that

every business establishment in day. The county library will be every business establishment in day. The county library will be every business establishment in day. The county library will be station day. The county library will be for a county library will be station day. The county library will be for a county library will be station day. The county library will giving uneir personnel a two-day vesterday in Raleigh and rep- gust 25; and Middle Belt, Sep-vacation, Friday and Saturday, ing formulated by Plymouth re- ed in front of the Legion Hall liamston highway, follow the Atvacation, Friday and Saturday, ing state openings and Saturday from 11:30 a. m. lantic Coast Line tracks, at a disness houses closing for July 4 cally deserted at that time since until 12 noon during which time tance of bout 300 feet, approxibe disatisfied with it, and that lord requested that all members men and buying interests. most residents will make a week- the audience, made up of pass- mately half through town, then the department might as well go of the post attend the session The Eastern Belt will open for last year, the lateness of the crop Post office and bank employees end trip to beaches and other ers-by, will be invited to participate in the grogram.

Control Program In Town Monday

Total 3,092 Homes Treated with DDT in Health Department Campaign; Considered Success

With the treating of 97 homes in Plymouth last week-end, crewmen working on the Washington Tyrrell District Health depart ment's DDT mosquito control program completed the spraying of all houses in Washington County with DDT chemicals for

The opreators, who terminated their work on Monday of this Regulations More Severe on Speedsters, Drunk week, serviced some 1,036 homes cipals or teachers receiving rec-Drivers; Fines Will Be and 2,056 homes in other sec- Schools Superintendent W. F. tions of the county, making a to- Veasey will be eligible for a \$50 tal of 3,092 homes receiving the scholarship to a Durham work-North Carolina's new traffic treatment. regulations, as made into State

Quite a few homeowners rethe State cancer control commislaw by the recent session of the fused the services, which was sion, it has been announced. General Assembly, will go into supplied free of charge, and All county principals have reeffect on Tuesday of next week, several homes were found to be ceived the recommendation from locked and the occupants gone, but by and large, the program has will suggest teachers from their been considered a success. Only respective schools who might also is more strict than any so far in the history of the State and inhabited, most of these being offered by the course to aid in uninhabitable which would ex- the renewal of teaching certifiingly severe. Although the State plain their vacancy. The program was subsidized by

has been increased to 55 miles both federal, county, and muniper hour, first offenders caught cipal governments, with the fedexceeding the limit will be given eral government supplying a ed. minimum fines of \$25 instead of truck, spraying machinery, and Names of those accepting the 'all DDT chemicals necessary, proferred scholarship will be anwhile county and city boards nounced at a later date. within a 12-month period will supplied another truck and paid The second speeding offense salaries of the four crewmen. A total of around \$1,500 to \$2,000 Workers Expect salaries of the four crewmen. A bring the offender an increased fine and a 12-month suspension of his operator's license. For each boards. The department's prowas paid by the local governing successive speed limit violation, the violator will be given in- ished in May. gram in Tyrrell County was fin-

The new laws deal most seve-The new laws deal most seve-with persons convicted of Frank E. Robinson laying of the Stillacres sewer lines have about 950 feet more of

The second violation will carry Last rites were conducted from a \$500 fine and revocation, while Horner's Funeral Home in Plym- the pipe remains to be put in, exthe third conviction on the same outh at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday for tending the line to Highway 64, charge will automatically revoke Frank E. Robinson, 63, of Plym- while the remaining 700 feet will the operator's license forever. outh, route one who died sud-connect the line with the plan-Alternative penalties for drunken denly at his home near here on ned opening in the Roanoke drivers are a minimum term of three months in jail.

Saturday at 10:30 p. m. The River.

Rev. Paul B. Nickens, pastor of Men in charge of the installation Also on next Tuesday the new Ludford Memorial Baptist Church say that the laying of the outlet porated into the Plymouth city additional 13 districts were creatautomobile safety regulations will in Plymouth, officiated at the will probably be difficult since limits on June 3 of this year, ed, making a total of 35.

public roads and those found un- Mr. Robinson was a native of near the surface of the ground. made at fairly frequent and un- He was an employee of the Thursday of this week. American Fork and Hoe Com- So far, 2,813 feet of pipe have

bert Robinson of Bangor, Me.

Rotary to Erect Signs on Highway Vacation Bible School

Plymouth Rotarians are plan Washington County drivers ning to erect Rotary Club signs week were a detachment of naval will take their tests from Ex- on all highways leading into New Bern recruiting stations. A at the Municipal Building in club members made at the meetshown. Beer and other liquid re- Thursday from 9 a. m. until 5 Tuesday night. Committee Chair-Funeral services were conducted from the First Christian

freshments were served. Commander Bill Davenport presided p. m. The period July through man Bruce Bateman reported to December of 1947 will be devoted the group that sketches for the to reexaminations of the "A-B" signs have already been drawn category, the first six months of up. The signs are expected to be 1948 being given to the examinaerected in the near future. tion of persons with last names

Following reports from other committee leaders, J. S. Fleming principal of the Plymouth High on "Plymouth Schools, Its Pre- ing at Lake Phelps on Thursday countries. sent and Its Needs for the Fu- of next week, July 3, beginning

of Grace Episcopal Church. Pres- post of the American Legion. Proident Carl L. Bailey presided ceeds will go to that organizaover the meeting.

The programs will be on the sir from 7:15 a. m. until 7:30 a. Said Changed Again

Reports here indicate that the nection with the old highway just made. ton. Included on the program path of the planned re-routing of south of Juniper Lodge.

ing highway 32 and making con- wants to.

weather U. S. highway 64 through Plym- Several citizens complained to Legionnaires to Confer forecasts, local church bulletins, outh have been changed again, al- Mayor A. J. Riddle this week though no official confirmation of that the surveyors have re-rout-

Veasey Resigns as Head of Schools

W. F. Veasey, superintendent of the Washington County Schools, has resigned his position with the local system of education to accept the superintendency of the Beaufort County schools, it has been an-

Mr. Veasey stated today that he had not planned such a move since he is vitally interested in the Washington County building program and that he hesitated to tender his resignation since the cooperative spirit

mester hours are required to re-

More Pipe Delay

Crewmen now at work on the

nounced previously.

The Vacation Bible School

tego directed the courses.

Lake Phelps Post Will

education and the citizenry in general has been excellent, but that he felt that he could not afford to turn down an opportunity which would mean a promotion both financially and professionally.

The superintendent has noti-

fied the board of his decision and a special meeting is being held this morning to consider his action. It is expected that a pay raise will be offered, but indications are that Mr. Veasey will not accept. He plans to

leave Plymouth and take up his duties with the Beaufort schools in July. He had served as superintendent of the Washington County system since April, 1945 Residents of Plymouth and the county have joined the board of education in expressing their regret that Mr. Veasev is leaving and have extended him good wishes with his new position.

As yet, no plans have been made to secure a successor to the Washington County posi-

Acreage Cards

Sent Growers

Tobacco acreage notices for

1947 have been mailed out to

65 of Washington County's 286

tobacco growers, leaving a bal-

ance of 221 producers to be no-

tified of their acreages, accord-

ing to reports from the county

The notices, they remarked,

constitute an official final re-

port on individual acreages, un-

less additional acreage has been

planted since crop measure-

ments were made. If such is

the case, Triple-A officials

pointed out, producers should

notify the central office im-

mediately. All growers will re-

ceive official acreage notices by

AAA office.

County with DDT chemicals for the destruction of mosquitoes and possible prevention of malaria Schoolmen Named Soon Name New Men To Council repairing of the structure or give the cash equivalent of such a contribution, Bowen said. He add-Washington County school prin-

Village Residents Will Meet Tonight To Suggest Candidates for shop course being sponsored by Fourth Ward Posts

Residents of Country Club Village will conduct a meeting in the home of R. L. LaCoy, on Linthe superintendent's office and den Street, tonight for the purpose of choosing and recommending to Plymouth Mayor Archie J. a very few homes were found un- use the 3-semester-hour credits Riddle possible appointees for representatives to the Plymouth town council from the fourth cates. The course will be given ward, which is composed of July 14 through July 26. Six se-Country Club and Little Richwood Villages.

Mayor Riddle and the town councilmen will consider the several persons recommended by the village group in the appointment of two councilmen from the new ward, although it has been pointed out that the town board is in no way bound to follow the ecommendations. Nevertheless it is probable that the new counilmen will be selected from the cilmen will be selected from the list approved by the village resi-

dents aving of the Stillacres sewer Statements from the town officials indicate that one councilpipe to install before the current breakers will be handed a \$100 fine and a one-year license revocation for their first offense.

The second violation will correct the current of install before the current of install bef Two hundred and fifty feet of

go into effect. Check-ups will be made on all cars traveling the made in Windley Cemetery.

Will probably be difficult was made the land in that area is low and water will be encountered very must be citizens of the new sections must be citizens of the town for installed immediately after his must be citizens of the ground.

So far, 2,813 feet of pipe have been installed in the Stillacres the Plymouth council hoon of Columbia. Mrs. Hays acbaptist minister. He was active Survivors include his wife, Mrs. section of town. Major factors membership from the present six companied her husband to the in West Virginia religious circles will begin on July 1. Drivers Florence Buchanan Robinson of delaying the completion of the the home; and one brother, Her- line were marshy areas and quick ments will be made at the next sand. Construction men expect will be held in the municipal May Get Lateral to have the entire project combuilding on Monday, July 7. A pleted by the end of next week, delegation of village residents instead of this week, as was anwill be on hand at that time to make known their representative preferences to the board.

To Graduate 96 Pupils Farm Agents Asks farmers interested in having la-Heavy July Vote year to contact him as soon as possible at his office in the Agrisponsored by the First Christian

W. V. Hays, Washington Counawarded to all 96 students of the ty farm agent, has requested all completed for securing proper school. Mrs. Gladys Lollis of Pan- farmers in this county to go to machinery. the polls on July 12 and cast ballots in the referendum on the es would be dug by a track-type proposed assessment of 10 cents tractor. He added that indica-Give Dance on Thursday per acre on all tobacco raised tions are that several farmers in with money thus taken to be used by Tobacco Associates in pro- to have laterals constructed this Square and round dances will moting the increase of United fall. School, addressed the assembly be held at the Community Build- States tobacco exports to foreign

Mr. Hays stated that he has at 9 p. m. and lasting until every- had a letter from high officials Guests at Tuesday's session one goes home, it has been an- in the Bureau pointing out the were Tom Hood and the Rev. nounced. The dance is being "discouraging outlook for flue-Edward M. Spruill, new rector sponsored by the Lake Phelps cured exports this year." The tion officials will be announced as soon as final arrangements are

Here This Friday Night

The James Jethro post of the

Gym Repair Group To Solicit Day's Work on Project

ESTABLISHED 1889

Alternate Gift of Cash Equivalent of Work to Be Requested by High-School Canvassers

A committee of eight highschool girls will canvass Plymouth business and residential sections next Tuesday for the purpose of enlisting all possible aid in the Lions Club gymnasium repair project, Earl G. Bowen, gymnasium committeeman, has stat-

Each citizen will be requested o donate one day's work on the ed that the cash would amount to around \$4 since the average worker receives 50 cents per hour for an eight-hour day. Those choosing to give work, rather than money, will have the privilege of choosing which day he will vork.

Bowen added that a cement mixer has been engaged by the repair committee and will be here within two weeks to prepare and pour the concrete floor for the two dressing rooms which will be constructed. The dressingrooms will provide four showers for boys and four for girls, and

Further repairs include the eiling of walls, improvement of lighting and heating systems, repair of floors, and ment of seats so that the building may hold more spectators to sports events. The heating system will tie in with the central unit used to heat the main school building. Repair committeemen have stated that they hope to have all work on the gymnasium completed by September.

Head of District

Jimmy Hays was elected comthe second from Little Richwood. mander of the third district of The two new members would the North Carolina department serve a two-year term on the of the American Legion at the town board, with the first elected State convention held by legioncouncilmen being selected by the naires at Carolina Beach last villagers themselves at the first week. The third district, comvillagers themselves at the first week. The third district, communicipal election in which they posed of Washington, Tyrrell, and will be eligible to cast ballots.

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will continue to paint landscapes.

Wr W are Dr. Ernest Furgurson, safe will be removed from the paul Mueller, and Benton Liver-made at fairly frequent and unsupport and Bill Peele, have been some and those found and those The new appointees will in- both of Creswell, and Floyd Ca- on-Gauley, and was a retired

Drainage Ditches

conservationist, has issued a re- Nettie Holbrook of Fairmont, W. quest to all Washington County Va. teral drainage ditches dug this cultural Building in Plymouth so that arrangements may be

Chapel Hill Club Meet

Hill home demonstration club has Washington County for the purassessment would provide funds been moved forward one week pose. He pointed out, however, for a campaign to promote in- so that a special demonstration that farmers desiring to have creased tobacco exports during may be given the county 4-H ditching work done this fall, the three-year period 1947-1949. girls on Thursday, July 10. Mrs. after crops have been harvested, He stated that regardless of how Frances M. Darden, home agent, should contact him immediately an individual farmer might feel has stated. The Chapel Hill club so that preliminary plans may be about the issue, it is his duty to will convene on Thursday, July drawn up, thereby avoiding unappear at the polls and cast his ballot. Polling places and elec
Ambrose, she said.

Thursday, July drawn up, thereby avoiding unnecessary delay in getting ditches dug this fall.

will be built of concrete blocks.

Funeral Held for William Holbrook

Funeral services were held from the Baptist Church in Camden-on-Gauley, W. Va., on Monday at 2:30 p. m. for William Pleasant Holbrook, father of Virday afternoon, following an illwere conducted by the Rev.

until his retirement, due to ill health, eight years ago.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Sarah Holbrook of the home; three sons, R. E. Holbrook of Camden-on-Gauley; and Virgil and Arden Holbrook of Plymouth; two daughters, Mrs. Norah Donald B. Jones, county soil Rigsby of Nitro, W. Va., and Miss

Cherry Dragline Has Been Moved

The dragline machine, formerly employed by the Soil Conservation Service for drainage projects in the Cherry section of the coun-Quantico, Va., Donald B. Jones, county soil conservationist, has stated

Mr. Jones added that as soon as there is enough requests from Is Moved Up One Week county farm operators for ditching services, more draglines and Meeting date of the Chapel operators will be available in

Eastern Leaf Markets To Open August 25th

Opening date for the Eastern hour day when the Middle Belt served as a nonday by practically belt tobacco markets this year opens on September 15. Opening every business establishment in day. The county library will be the-street broadcast" which will the State Highway Department.