

### Revival At Local Presbyterian Church

Services are being held each morning and evening at the Presbyterian church. The Rev. Vernon A. Crawford, pastor of the Brevard Presbyterian church, is the preacher. He is a young man of attractive personality, of ability and power, and has won his way into the hearts of his hearers. The services have been well attended, and are growing from day to day. The messages have been heart-searching and soul stirring.

On Saturday morning there is being planned a service for the young people of the community. Every boy and girl, young man and young woman is invited and urged to be present at this time. It will be a young people's service.

The services will continue through the week, closing on next Sunday night, each morning at 10:30 o'clock and each evening at 7:30. Everyone is given a cordial invitation to attend these services and it is hoped that many shall avail themselves of the privilege.

### A Democratic Estimate Of Herbert C. Hoover

During the Wilson administration Walter H. Page was American Ambassador at the Court of St. James. It is interesting to know what this prominent Democrat wrote to President Wilson regarding Hoover and his work.

The following will be found in Volume 3 of the Life and Letters of Walter H. Page, page 312.

December 30, 1916. Written not for the sake of the gentleman mentioned but for possible help to the President and the service:

HOOPER: Mr. Herbert C. Hoover, chairman of the Commission for Relief in Belgium, would, if opportunity should offer, make a useful officer in the State Department. He is probably the only man living, who has privately (without holding office) negotiated understandings with the British, French, Dutch and Belgian Governments. He personally knows and has had direct dealings with these governments and his transactions with them have involved several hundred millions dollars. He is a man of very

the work began, for the cost him much. He was approached on behalf of the British Government with the suggestion that if he would become a British subject the government would be pleased to give him an important executive post and with the hint that if he succeeded a title might await him. His answer was: "I will do what I can for you with pleasure but I will not give up my American citizenship. Not on your life!" Within the last six months two large financial organizations, each independently, have offered him one hundred thousand dollars a year to enter their service and an industrial company offered him one hundred thousand dollars (to start with). He declined them all. When the Belgian Relief Work recently struck a snag Hoover by telegraph got the promise of a loan in the United States for the British and French Governments for the Belgian Relief at \$150,000,000. I do not know but I think he would be glad to turn the European experience to the possible use of our own government. He is 42 years old and is a graduate of the Leland Stanford University.

### Beulah Beauties

Some years ago when Mr. W. J. Jenkins was down at the legislature Dr. J. A. Kent, a member of the house from Caldwell, carried a barrel of apples down to Raleigh just to show those from the lowlands what Western North Carolina can do in the way of growing apples. Even Mr. Jenkins who had always considered himself more or less an authority on apples was immensely impressed with the luscious fruit shown by Dr. Kent, so much so, in fact that he asked the doctor for some graftings. In course of time these graftings arrived. Then Mrs. Jenkins who had seen the Beulah Beauties took a hand in the matter and she carried on her urgent campaign to such an extent that Mr. Jenkins just had to do something. Consequently he began grafting—on apple trees, to be sure. Some of Dr. Kent's graftings were placed at home and others on the orchards of near neighbors. And now Macon county has some apples that are a delight to the eye. Not enough for sale, but enough to make one wonder why the Beulah Beauties have been so long neglected in this apple growing country. Mrs. Jenkins was kind enough recently to send the editor a couple of these apples grown in the home of Bob Sheffield. One weighed an ounce or two of weighing one pound and is exactly 12 inches in circumference, while the other is somewhat smaller. The apples are a beautiful red in color and well shaped. There is no doubt that the finest apples in the world can be grown right here in Macon county, but—the trees require some attention and, besides, granddad "grew good apples without no spraying and all these new fangled methods."

### Supervisor C. G. Smith Here

Supervisor C. G. Smith of the Cherokee National Forest with headquarters at Athens, Tenn., was here on two last week. He was here again the fourth Sunday in November.

### SEVERE TEST FOR FORD RADIATORS

In the Highland Park plant of the Ford Motor company at Detroit, there is a machine which tries with all the efficient fiendishness of an engine of destruction, to shake the life out of a Ford automobile radiator in the shortest possible time.

Ten hours is the time allotted to this machine, known as an "agitator," to do all within its power to ruin a water-filled Ford radiator. At the end of that period the much abused radiator is taken of the machine and examined by experts for any signs of damage and a brand new Ford radiator, also filled with water, is put on for another ten hours of torment.

This agitator device is part of the testing equipment for radiators that are being built for the new Model "A" Ford car. When you watch it jiggling and jolting and shaking the gurgling radiator, you have a feeling that no automobile driver could drive a car over roads and at a speed which would give it such a severe shaking up and still hold on to his wheel and his seat. Then the factory foreman tells you that within the period of ten hours this agitator gives the new radiator more and severer jars and jolts than the average Ford car will get in its whole lifetime of service.

And he tells you also that the great majority of radiators tested on this agitator come through the ordeal without a sign of injury. Those that spring even the smallest leaks are rare indeed.

Then the foreman takes you through the radiator factory and shows you why this is so. He shows you that every part of the radiator which is touched by water is made of either copper or brass, which will not rust and which will resist corrosion to a high degree. He shows you also that the construction of the entire radiator is rugged and strong—parts welded and soldered together in such a manner that engine vibration and road jars cannot shake them apart.

To make sure that the finished radiator is free from leaks or potential leaks, as soon as it comes off the assembly line it is given a severe compressed air test. Filled with air under high pressure and sealed, the radiator is submerged in a tank of water. If there is the slightest sign of bubbles, due to escaping air, the

features of this new Ford radiator which make it an unusually efficient unit of the cooling system. The upper and lower tanks are large. The openings through which the water flows from the tanks into the radiator tubes are bell-shaped, thus providing faster flow and faster circulation of the water. The tubes of copper and the fins of brass permit very rapid radiation of the heat and therefore quicker cooling.

Throughout the radiator of the new Ford car has been built in keeping with the greater power, speed and durability of the Model "A" Ford.

### Mrs. Hurst Wants Agent

Franklin, N. C., Oct. 30, 1928.

Dear Major Harris: Your paper is doing much to inform the voters of the county what each candidate for commissioner expects to do in the future management of the county affairs. But each voter must spend a little time talking politics in order to know what the commissioners expect to do when they are in office.

I hope every man and woman will learn what candidates expect to do about our county agent. The time to find this out is before election and vote accordingly. If we will only stand behind him and help him to realize the vision of every hillside a permanent pasture with paying livestock on each acre we will be the most prosperous and the happiest people in all this mountain region. Our boys and girls will have to help us to develop these pastures, so let us help them in their club work in order to make farmers of some of the smartest ones instead of sending all of them away to the cities.

The farmers' page in The Press is so full of useful information that I hope Mr. Lyles Harris is allowed to continue sending it to us each week.

Respectfully yours, MRS. H. C. HURST.

### Walnut Creek Items

Our post office, Scroil, is dead, though the people are still here. So for a while the correspondent will report under the title of "Walnut Creek Items." A petition has been signed by many patrons asking for a star route up Walnut creek to Erastus in Jackson county.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Keener and little son, Jimmie, of Calderwood, Tenn., are at present with Mr. L. Keener's mother, Mrs. W. A. Keener. Mr. Randolph Keener has returned to Calderwood, Tenn. Mrs. Randolph Keener is spending a few days here with Mrs. F. Keener.

Quite a number enjoyed the good old-fashioned corn shucking at Mrs. W. A. Keener's Monday. Of course the best part of it was the excellent corn-shucking dinner.

"Mother Vian," Mrs. Jim Keener's, health is steadily failing.

Mr. Woolam and family, of East La Porte, were with us Sunday. In the morning at the school house Mr. Woolam delivered a very forceful sermon. In the afternoon he preached

again the fourth Sunday in November.

### George M. Pritchard

George M. Pritchard is the son of the late Judge Jeter C. Pritchard, who was twice elected United States Senator to represent North Carolina in the National Congress. He is a brother of the late Dr. Arthur T. Pritchard, who was recognized as one of the South's most eminent surgeons and who was loved by all the people for his many deeds of charity.

In 1917 Mr. Pritchard was elected a member of the Legislature. On the strength of his record he was elected in 1918 as Solicitor of this district, which is composed of Buncombe and Madison counties. He served in this capacity for a term of four years. As Solicitor Mr. Pritchard was noted for his ability as a prosecuting attorney, but withal he was considerate and impartial in the discharge of the duties of his office.

Since the expiration of his term as Solicitor Mr. Pritchard has diligently devoted himself to the practice of the law, and now enjoys an extensive practice and is recognized as one of the leading attorneys of the State of North Carolina.

Mr. Pritchard's professional training, public service, and wide experience eminently qualify him for the high office of Congressman.

Respectfully, THOS. J. HARKINS.

### Lake Emory News

Aunt Susan Myers is very sick at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cunningham and two children were visiting on Cartoogechaye Friday.

Mrs. Sam Hall was in town shopping one day last week.

Mr. Sam Hall has been crippled but is improving fast. Has got able to go fishing.

Mrs. Jack Conley and two children spent the day with Mrs. Jim Cunningham Saturday.

Mrs. Carey Patton and son, Clabourne, spent the week end with Mrs. Patton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cunningham.

### Officials Leave

After a stay here of two or three weeks Assistant District Foresters H. O. Stabler and R. M. Evans have returned to their headquarters at Washington, D. C.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Collier, a 10-pound boy, October 12, Samuel Robert.

Mrs. Carl Bingham was visiting Mrs. Homer Collier one evening last week.

## SPEAKING

HON. GEORGE PRITCHARD

Republican Nominee for Congress from this District, will address the voters of Macon county at the Court House in Franklin, on Saturday, November 3 at 1:30 P. M. Hon. Geo. Ward and Geo. Sutton will be present and speak in behalf of HERBERT HOOVER.

EVERYBODY INVITED, LADIES ESPECIALLY

## THANKS, GOOD FOLKS

We take this opportunity to thank our many customers who stood by us so faithfully at our old stand on Main street. Since moving to the new post office building, not only the old customers, but many new ones are trading with us. As our new meat and vegetable market is sanitary in every respect, we are now in a position to offer the best of service.

We invite the closest inspection of our market. We again thank you.

### ESSIG'S MARKET

FRANKLIN, N. C.

# ANNOUNCING

THE OPENING OF

## The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co.

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Where at all times you may secure a full line of fruits, vegetables and highest quality groceries.

SWIFTS JEWEL \$1 15  
8-lb pail

MILK small 5 1-2c  
Carnation or Pet large 11c

SUGAR 25-lb cloth bag \$1.57

SUN MAID Raisins 10c

FLOUR A&P Plain or Self Rising 95c  
24-lb bag

CIGARETTES  
Camels, Luckies, 2 pkg. 25c  
Chesterfield, Old Gold

CAMPBELLS BEANS.....10c

CORN FLAKES  
KELLOGS or POST TOASTIES 2 for 15c

SOAP Octagon 6 for 25c

MORTON'S SALT.....10c

IONA Tomatoes 3 for 25c  
No. 2 can

CAMPBELLS  
TOMATO SOUP 3 for 25c

COMPOUND LARD  
8 lbs. loose for \$1.00