# THE DUNN DISPATCH

DUNN, NORTH CAROLINA, M

MISS CHRISTINE THOMPSON

Miss Thompson is one of Dunn'

most popular young girls. She was

val held here by the Camp Fire

Washington, May 18 .--- A me

throughout the United States

statement since taking office.

improvement in commercial activities

shown in reports from Mational

Banks on the bank call of April 3,

Comptroller Dawes of the currents

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MARKED IMPROVEMENT

VOLUME X.

## JUNIOR - SENIOR **RECEPTION HELD ON FRIDAY NIGHT**

Large Number Of Well-Wishing Friends Present To Cheer Young Folks

### Music For Occasion By Masonic Orchestra

The Reception Was Held In The Former Show Rooms of The Barnes and Holliday -Building Beautifully Decorated - High School Will Graduate Twenty-Five This Year.

Cheeved on by a large number o well-wishing friends, the Junio Class of the Dunn high school Priday evening staged the most enjoyable reception in the ristory of the sciool when its members entertained the twenty-five members who this year will graduate.

Nothing was lacking to make the occasion a fitting one to speed and young folk on their way to the large duties of life. From 8:36 to midnigh there was a continuous round o torets to the charges and their file ada and the Masonic occhestra, lad b, Robert Jordan, added to the enjoy month by giving the best musical pro giam heard in Dann for many days

The reception was held in the for mer show rooms of the formerary department of the Darma & Hells day Company on Brand st. set. The hig building was docurden in an colors of the high school, and prsented a gala seene indeed. Move seconding to N. A. Townsenti, bad bailding in Dunn looked to good.

Hannibal LaPayette Godwin, Jr. son of the former congresement from this district, delivered the welcouting address. He was foliant i by the following toasts:

Tous: to the Scalor-Bruce Cro nurtie. Resper -Carl Wilson

Toast to the Moscott-Hand Newberry, Response-Mrs. Harper Holli Toast' to the Incale -- Mary 1. Response-Mr. Buin.

Tonst to the School Board-Man garci Pope. Response-Mr. Clifford.

Toast to the Town-Emma Leo Smith. Raponse-Mr. Towaseed.

Toast to the School-Annie Delly Noel. Respon e-Mr. Snip.4

Toast to the Calling -Might Carr.

Response-Ruth Young. Toast to the Orchestra -Learned Reardon.

Response-Orchester. In the menior class of this year

ed with much applause, and Judge there are twenty-five young gitl. Cranmer severcly rebuked women and boys-the largest number even

# **MULE KILLED IN** AUTO ACCIDENT Was Struck By "Lightless" Car—Driver Abandoned Car And Escaped

A mule owned by June Byrd of Sampson county, and driven by Raymond Brown, was so badly injured when struck by a Ford automobile on the Dunn-Benson highway, one mile north of Dunn, Friday night that it was found necessary to kill him. The left front log of the mule was broken in several places and he received othr bruises and lacerations. Ret ; e buggy to which the mule was hitched and the Ford car were demolished. The car belonged to Horbert Wil-

king of Dunn, though it has not been learned who was driving it. The driver ran as soon as the accident oe crowned Queen of the May Festicurred and has not yet been appreended. Mr. Wilkins reported to the Girls the first of May. local police that his car had been stolen Friday night. The automobile had the appearance of a "whiskey car." A broken jug and a quart bottle, which carried the odor of whis key, were found in the car, which

was abandoned by the driver. The accident occurred about 9 o' clock. The car was being driven without lights and was on the left side of the road when it struck the mule, according to Brown, who was rendered unconscious as a result of the collision. However, his injuries were

not of a serious nature. pondent banks and Federal reserve banks, Mr. Dawes said, show a re-Did you ever wear a collar that duction, although loans and discounts didnt fit? Think how much wome of increased. A reduction was shown in is a mule or horse with a collar that balances due to correspondent banks is too large or too small and bankers and demand deposite in-



Young Sampsonian Found Not Guilty By Wake County Jury

charged with killing Robert C.

Chappell, driver of a Ford with which

the hig car collided at right unglet

on a Raleich street several weeks ago

The perident in which Chaopell

was killed all a resulted in the death

of William Naylor, of Raleigh, who

was in the rear seat of the car driv-

on by Bethune. The young Samp-

Chappell was pushed.

all lines of commerce and industry. The total resources of 8,320 ne-tional banks might reported to the Illing Motingae, of Clinton, & stu Required of the charge of mansince the previous call December 29 eler thur hatunday by a Wake counof \$362,244,000 but it is an increase ty jury, which required just 40 min of \$1,763,811,000 since the call of yacht crew. March 19, 1922. uces to reach its verdict. Bethune, who was driving a Packard, was

MARCH WAS RECORD MONTH FOR FORD CARS

shows to an extent the increase

rapid turnover of money in use by

"More people want Ford Cars than ever before," J. W. Thorpton, local Ford dealer said today. "Fifty thousand more Fords were sold at retail in March than in any one month in the history of the Ford Motor Company, according to

sonian was indicted separately for word from Detroit. The March ployees was not changed in the least sales totaled 179,764 Cars and by the recently elected town fathere the death of both Chappell and Naylor, but only the case involving Trucks. The verdict of the jury was greet

"For a whole year sales have However, there is one addition to the bringing a total of 1.429,979 Ford



Started

Thursday Night

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15, 1923.

Greensboro, May -Bishop Edwin Rondhtaler, of ton-Se lem, of the Moravi church. preached the sermon to be gradu-ates of Oak Ridge ditute this morning, the beginning of comheard by a big crowd of the school heard by a big crowd of the school well at the Oak Ridge i stets. Bihop Rondihaler urged the young men to stand firm, the for the worthy aims and to st -for the Last evening at 8 of Townsend, of Dunn de best citizenship.

ared the annual alumni addree Again there was a big crowd? The exercises whe contained through Tuesday, whe contained will be presented to 440 ming man, and certificates from the commer-cial department will be priven 37 others The exercises others. Monday will be feature

by class day exercises in the afri to societhe annual debate betwee ties in the evening. The debaters are Duncan Morton; of Smrlot J. B. Gillie, of Spray; 24. Shi of Norwood and R. L. SuCo of McLeansville.

YACHT AVALON SEIZE WITH CONTRABA STUFF

Wilmington, May 13 .-75-100 ville beach tonight by Share rights Geom C. Jackson and county aut lowing the information reed tha the versel had a large iit.y hquor aboard.

But a few quarts of s liquid was mlyaged by e postc, as it is alleged that the vessel upon notici 81 proach of the sheriff threw all wet goods on hand en urd. The captain of the visitame it not known, and who con not be seen tonight, is la

now Lear Wrightrville beach making efforts to salvage the liquor allege to have been throws overboard by the



All Old Employees Re-Elect By New Board-Elect A Town Auditor

The personnel of the town em

been running over 100,000 a month corps, W. E. Baldwin having been town as



Duke, May 14 .- The closing en Coleman, 47, and Miss Mannie Fiem ercises of the Duke graded and ing, 43, sisters of soar Ma high schools were begun last Seturday evening with the primary children presenting the part of thy after 5 o'clock this afnorth of this city, when the program, which included the Air Line Bor weilding of 'Tom Thumb,' and eevsmall sedan suff ey were riding.

TWO KILLED IN

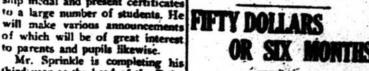
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eral other numbers. All the children showed the evidence of having Their two broth and The been well trained and the prese but not f tation of each part was as well ren derest ne if it were grammar chil-drest inhead of the tiny tots. The audience, too, seemed to thoroughinjured, the forme the car, sufferings a fra and ants and head and head and the la audience, no, program' and repeat-edly voiced their applyval. The annual spring religion of Miss Mabel Woodworth's music class was held tonight (Monday), with der, injuries to his back and

Mrs. Coleman was trilled while Miss Fleming tived and Monday), with ng their selecan hour, but was tions in a way which slearly shows that they had had the benefil of pital in this city, injerice were not read good training for the past several

On Thursday night an operetta, "Snow White," is to be given by the grammar grades. The closing a, D. Floming. tight of the commencement comes Priday when the high school pre-sents two one-act farces estilled, "Love and Lather," and "Who's de, mid his sine stalled as he drove upon th track, the sails pretrud three inches above the level of the and block the sai he it dowed down. Hype w Crazy Now." These are said to be it was impossible for the angles stop his train before striking the Flemming said he did not know a full of laughter and will be a treat

---stalia.



Negro Pistel Totor Al od A Pull Line Si

ways in response to placards DO ed over town calling upon the peo-ple to attend Sunday school and terday on the charge of carrying r. church and honor Mother in that pistel. If he fails to mise the \$50 manner. A special service was held and indications are that he will, he at the Methodist church, with the must serve six months on the county pastor, Rev. H. L. Davis, choosing ronds as a substitute for the fine. as his text: "Yonder goes some-Edwards was acrested Saturday one's Mother.' He drew a very vivnight at Tilghman's camp, when id picture from it and delivered a was learned that he had in his por

sermon which touched the hearts seasion a large supply of silk hosiery shirts and other expensive wearing apparel. After his arrest it wa Following the Sunday school serfound that he had a pistal in his vices Sunday morning, a Christian

Endeavor Society was organized at pocket. the Presbyterian church by the members of the school. S. J. Clark, A suit case filled with high-price ladies' clothing, including several Jr., was elected president; F. M. pairs of all hose, found in the ne-McKay, vice-president and J. F. McKay, vice-president and J. F. gro's pomension, is thought to have Lynch, secretary and treasurer, Different committees were chosen yet been claimed by any of the own

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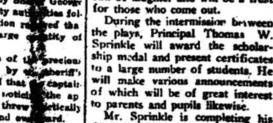
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county jail

to have graduated fro schools. They are:

Jno. Oates Harris, Bratom Park er, James Farral, William Peurce Orren Dowd, Carl Wilson, Edward Hodges, David Clifford, Hector Jones Arthur Hobbs, Alien Lee, Charles Skinner.

Eleanor Grimes, Mildred Sheil Bessie Massengill, Ruby Crockett Benie Wilson, Ruth Young, Lucile Creel, Kathryn Botts, Ensily New berry, Eleanor Hatcher, Emlig Gran tham, Lillian Eason, Elizabeth Davis There are twenty-six members of

the junior class. They are:

Hannibal Godwin, Jr., Leamon Reardon, Henry Skinner, Delmas Clinton, Baggett, Bernard Baggett, Rudolp! Wilson, Bruce Cromatic, Herar Newberry, Edgar Carr, Guyton Smith Gibson Cook, Benjamin Ccoper.

Christine Thomason, Ida Mer Matthews, Margaret Pope, Margaret Darden, Kathryn Tew, Magdalla Smith, Elizabeth Draughon, Lill's. Ezzell, Annie Belle Noal, Raby Popo, Adele Rowland, Mary Leo. Emme Loo Smith, Emily But'er.

#### PET BULL DOG BURIED IN SIXTY DOLLAR COFFIN

Carrboro, N. C., May 11 -A pet bull dog owned by Dr. Burke Lloyd. following its death here last week was buried in a handsome little casket that cost \$80.

Savannah, Ga., May 11-Two unidentified men entered the Morris Plan Company Wednesday at five o'clock, bound the cashier and escaped with \$1,500 in cash and several thousand dollars in liberty bonds.

The first live boil weevil officially

reported to Franklin Sherman, State Truelove was away from home Entomologist, was found near Aber-Priday when the officers captured the deen in Moore county by Dr. R. W. still. He was at home finturday, Lothy. Another was found on April however, though as a swift-footed 20 at Dunn in Harnett County and speedstor he outclassed the officers and made good his escape. another on April 24 at Aberdeen.

Cars and Trucks into use in en pupishment. The trial lasted for United States alone since April 1. three days, and was attended by a 1922. large crowd, including a number of "Here in the Charlotte Branch

r as to threat

women. Sentiment in Raleigh was largely with Bethune, according to press reportr, and a large delegation from his home town and county attended the hearing. The general feeling was that the accident was more or less

where else in the country. unavoidable on the part of either "The Company is now operating Bethane or Robert C. Chappell, de schedule in its history, so there are

Young Bethunc, who is a senio more Ford Cars being built than at the State college, is the son of L ever before and improvements in all A. Betnune, a prominent banker of

## **RICH HAUL WAS** MADE BY SHERIFF Large Still And Much Bee

And Whiskey Captured Last Week

RICH HAUL What might be termed " a rich

bases.

haul" was made by Sheriff J. W MeAr ntaand his deputies Friday and

Saturday. The haul Friday consist ed of a 150-gallons capacity copper whiskey still and 7,000 gallons of beer, while that of Saturday consisted of 124 gallons of whiskey ready for the market.

The still was found near the home of Frank Truselove, who lives treat

Spout Springes, in the western par: of the county. The whiskey was found buried in Truclovo's field, no! far from his home. The still was a modern outfit, according to the off

cers, though it was not in operation when located.

berg Reformed church and Sunday school and was an employee of the This spring he has sold 200 be Thomasville chair company.

ownership."

HOMASVILLE YOUTH

How prosperous the people who drop in from out-of-town!

was elected at the suggestion of B M. Brewer, commissioner from the

fourth ward. He is to receive a aniary of \$15 the month, and must Territory of which this city is audit the town's books quarterly. part, the March sales were 9690, a The old officers re-clocked by th big increase over last year for the new board are: Town clerk, H. A same month. The demand for the Parker, salary \$150 the month; town Ford is just as great proportionatetreausurer, H. B. Taylor, salary \$15 ly right here at home as it is anythe month; chief of police, B. A.

Rowland, salary increased from \$125 to \$150 the month; night policeman on the greatest manufacturing W. F. Nippers, salary \$125 the month; superintendent of streets, N B. Bass, salary \$125 the month; suhere. perintendent of water and chief of

the different types make the Pord fire department, L. U. Bizzeti, sal Misses Vera and Katy, of Bensor the best it ever has been. ary \$150 the month; town attorneys "And Ford Cars are now easie Clifford & and Townsend; health of to obtain than ever before becaus ficer, Dr. H. C. Turlington, salary of the new Ford Weekly Purchase \$15 the month.

Plan which makes it possible for R. M. Warren was elected mayor more families to have a car. Fa- pro tem. The election of a recorder ther, mother, sons and daughters vice-recorder, solicitor and public all can participate in the Plan and health nurse was deferred until the it is rather surprising the number next meeting of the board on next of families who are taking advan-Monday evening. The board will tage of it so as to enjoy the pleas meet twice each month. The first ures that come with automobile and third Monday nights, as hereto

fore. The various committees will also be named by Mayor J. L. Wadat the meeting next Monday evening They mayor and commission were sworn in by U. S. Commission

Thomasville, May 13 .- Roy El- er E. Lee Just prior to the opening edge placed a Smith and Wesson of the mooting last avening. As has revolver to his right temple this af- been stated in The Dispatch, the termoon at 2 o'clock, and fired a present board is made up of two new

bullet into his head, dying in a short and two old members. The two mem builtet into his head, dying in a soort and two ord memory. Ine two memory time: He was 17 years old and a son bers holding over are, E. M. Warrer of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Elledge, and P. A. Lee, while E. M. Brewer who live on Highland street. The and W. B. Thompson: are the new young man was in an upstairs members, succeeding 2018 Goldstein, and W. H. Newberry.

Hope Mills, May 12 .--- It is A farmer in Pitt County built ted that it will take \$109,000 to m place the dam of Mill No. 1 wh broke last Sunday, letting flood of water.

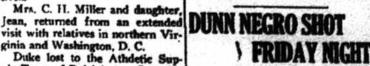
\$1.25 per bushel and is selling about 200 humbels more for bedding at \$1.50 per bushel. His neighbors who have potatoos to sell from the b ing at are letting theirs go at from fifty to ors who seventy-five cents per bushel.

society. It is the aim of the organiin Dunn or near by towns during th past few months. zation to promote the work of the

It appears that a band of orga church and to also train its younbers have been wor ger element in order that they may ized 20 through this part of the State of take the interest in the church's late, and it is thought by the loca work and to build a foundation for meers that Edwards is a member of their Christian work in later life. Miss Susie Roberson, of Empor the band,

ia, Va., is spending several days here the guest of her sister, Miss Francis Roberson. Workers of the State College as State Department of Agniculture find that good pure bred sows have larg Frederick and Philip Thomas, o ers, which grow rapidly into pork Durham, were week end visitors use less feed per pound and gain J. Milton Holmes and sisters more in doing so.

The worst advertisement Dun spent the week end here with relaas its hotel.



by the score of 6 to5. The game McNeill Given Call By Cumbe ratic work upon the locals part caused defeat. Jones, the local hur-County Negro

ler was knocked from the box by Sam McNell), negro, wh the visitors in the sixth canto and tone at Langley's ba rber shop, was succeeded by Turlington, who shot and dan gerously wounded fared little better than his predeattending a cessor. Athletic Supply played con-sistent ball afield and at bat, Wil-Acorn, in Cumh county. day might. The bullet from a 38fbre pistol entered McNeill's Mg breast and lodged in his left shoul

der. The shot was fired by Claud terially aided their team to anatch Price, another negro, seconding to the victory by a splendid margin, McNelll. Price has not been an

> The specting followed an REPAIR BROKEN DAS

about a seat, it is said. While th wound is considered serious, McNet now appears to be well on the ros to recovery. The negro whom fired the shot lives in berland county, and spy drinking at the time of ording to McNeill.

> -----"s smokin' a pipe.

Lotter to Mire. Ju

Governor Merrison's let noon follows:

"My Dear Mrs. John

loaire to with for an investigation by you into prison conditions in I have decided that my own responsibility about this greater than I had at fit I have, therefore, de sume full res ter and to take far Vilhout delay. Your board, under the

nly make a report to me mission to the next general or for my guidance and ass have decided that I do not report from you for the m anine time, I

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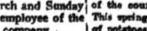
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was enacted, but no one has been able to assign his motive for the act. Roy was a member of Heidel-

TAKES HIS OWN LIFE

WILL COST \$100,000 TO

iams and Robinson of the Athletics ounched the agate out of the park for a round trip ticket, which ma

ply Team of Raleigh, last Saturday

was replete with thrills and to er-