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FARMVILLE, PITT COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA, FRIDAY, MAY 4, 1934

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Saturday April 30th in Perkins Hall. Meeting Was Called By Mrs. B. O. Turnage

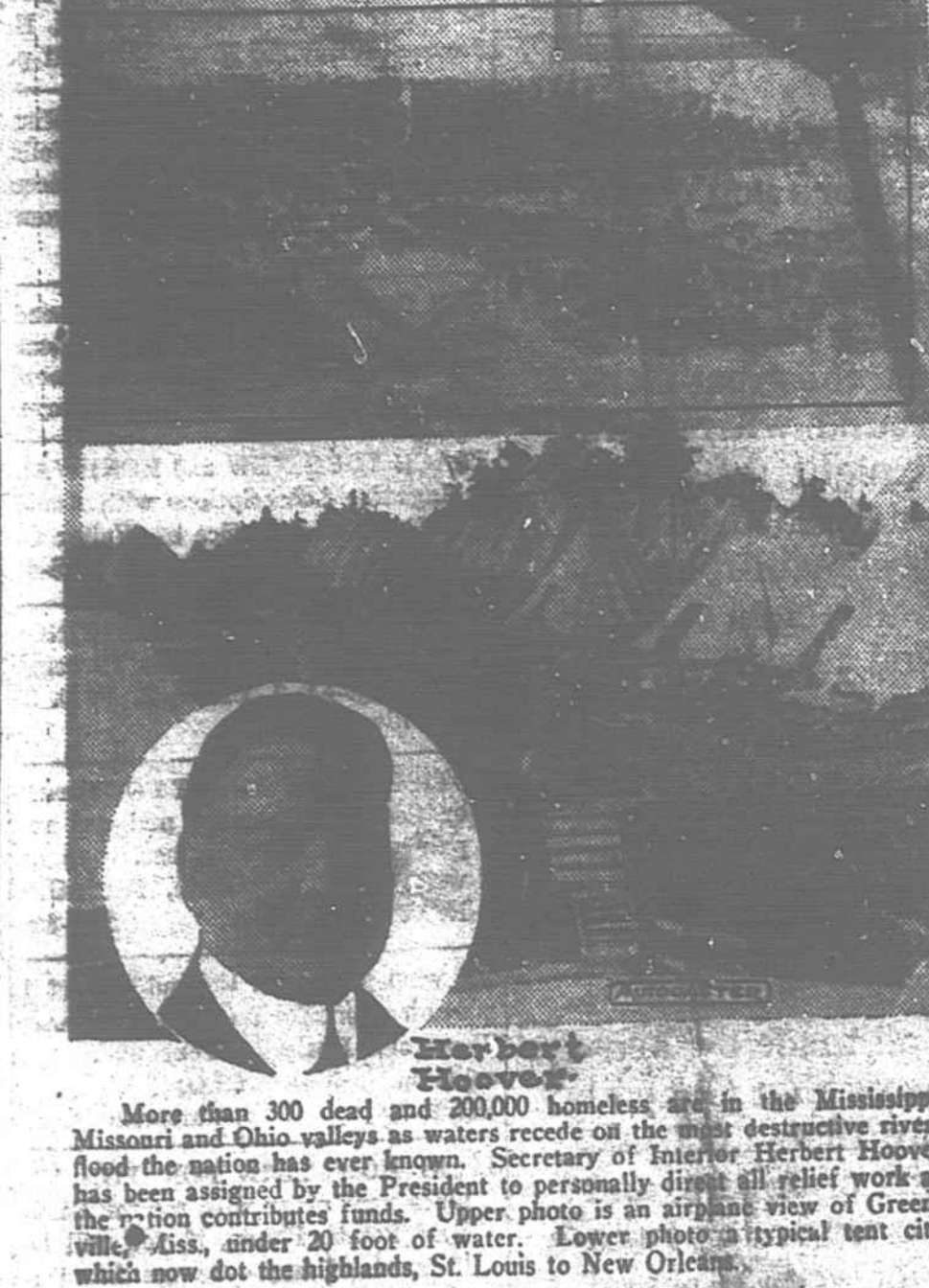
The Thirteenth District of the United Daughters of the Confederacy met at Farmville Saturday, April 30th, in Perkins Hall. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. B. O. Turnage, District Director.

FARM WOMAN'S SHORT COURSE

To Be Held at East Carolina Teachers College Greenville June 7th to 10th

Plans are going forward for the Farm Women's Short Course to be held at East Carolina Teachers College, Greenville, June 7th to 10th.

Nation to Relief of Mississippi Homeless



More than 300 dead and 200,000 homeless are in the Mississippi, Missouri and Ohio valleys as waters recede on the most destructive river-flood the nation has ever known.

JUSTICE IN A.C. JACKSON CASE

Criminal Court Jury Dismissed Sunday Morning Following Failure to Agree

Greenville, N. C., May 2.—Judge E. H. Cranmer, presiding over Criminal court here last week, Sunday morning at 12:35 ordered a mistrial in the case of State vs. Amos C. Jackson, former sheriff of Pitt county, charged with embezzling \$21,822.18 from county funds during his administration as sheriff.

Number Homeless Increased to 250,000 in the Flood Area

Devastating Flood Waters Result of Break in Lower Mississippi River at Natchez Cover 15,000 Square Miles

New Orleans, May 4.—Devastation of Northern Louisiana on a stretch of approximately four thousand square miles rapidly was becoming complete today as the muddy-raging Mississippi tore through its banks at two additional places between Vicksburg and Natchez.

2 DOCTORS TO MEMPHIS

Aftermath of Flood Just Beginning. Battle Against Disease Will Be Bitter

Raleigh, May 2.—The State of North Carolina today rushed two doctors and a sanitary engineer to Memphis, Tenn., to aid the Red Cross in its flood relief work.

NEGRO SHOT BY FARMVILLE COPS

Gun Battle Staged on Suburbs of Town Between Police and Three Negroes

Willie Gibbs, colored, believed to be from Smithfield, is being held in the county jail in Greenville, suffering from injuries sustained in a gun battle with Farmville police Monday night.

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Raleigh, May 2.—Governor McLean, back from a month's absence in the North and Middle West, today said he would authorize Attorney General Brummitt to conduct a sweeping investigation of the charges of graft against the State Board of Health.

LICENSE OFFICES OPEN NEXT MONTH MANY CITIES

Raleigh, May 2.—Arrangements for the opening of 38 branch offices in the State for the sale of automobile licenses for the six months period from June 1 to December 31, are being made by the automobile license division of the State Department of Revenue.

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FARMVILLE BARBER SHOP TO MOVE TO NEW QUARTERS REAL SOON

New quarters will soon be completed and the Farmville Barber Shop is expected to move in the near future from their old location next door to J. J. Furnishing Co. on West side of Main street to their especially arranged place on the East side of Main street next door to J. H. Harris store.

Rev. Duncan Preaching Pine Sermons

The church member and citizen of Farmville and vicinity who is failing to attend the revival services now being held in the Farmville Baptist Church is surely missing a wonderful opportunity to get some needed food for thought.

Advertisement for a political campaign featuring a man in a suit and a woman, with text: 'He Knows From Whence Help Me Come', 'AND OH PLEASE BRING THE FARMERS BOUNTIFUL CROPS, SO THEY MAY FORGET WHAT I PROMISED TO DO FOR THEM AND WHAT I HAVEN'T DONE', 'POLITICAL'.

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Advertisement for 'TWO SATURDAY RANGERS' featuring a cowboy and the text: 'The Wonder Book of Fighting Names', 'PRICES 10c'.