

UNVEIL BOULDER NEAR SNOW HILL ON HISTORIC ROAD

Several Thousand Visitors Attend Patriotic Event and Hear Many Noted Speakers; Luncheon Was Served in Gugg Grove.

Greene County surpasses even its own proverbial reputation for hospitality Tuesday when its citizens were hosts to several thousand visitors at exercises attendant upon the unveiling of the boulder and tablet marking the old Hull Road cut by General Hull in the march of the British army through eastern North Carolina during the Revolutionary War.

Gen. Thomas Holliday, general in the war of 1812 was also honored, a number of his lineal descendants having a part in the program. The marker was unveiled and the program sponsored by the Col. Alexander McAllister Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution of which Mrs. W. B. Murphy is regent, but as usual all Snow Hill and Greene county residents acted as hosts and assistants.

J. C. B. Ehringhaus, of Elizabeth City; Gen. L. R. Holbrook, commandant at Fort Bragg and Judge L. V. Morrill of Snow Hill, were the main speakers at exercises during the morning at the school house, one of the most effective patriotic gatherings that has been held for sometime in this section.

Mr. Ehringhaus spoke on North Carolina's contribution to American history, telling comprehensively of the State's settlement, progress and outstanding achievements, particularly along lines of government, religion and education. "Hold fast to the recollections of our glorious past, not in pride and arrogance, but as the source of an unparalleled inspiration to press forward to an even greater future," Mr. Ehringhaus told his interested hearers. "This North Carolina which we love is something more than a geographical description. There is a subtle magic in the name. It suggests intangible realities, more enduring than time, more precious than wealth, more tender than love. At once it brings to mind the romance of discovery, the hardship of pioneers, the vision of liberty and representative government, the dedication of a people to a principle, the love of humanity, world freedom and enduring peace, the epitome of our pride and purpose. God help us to dedicate ourselves to the tasks and problems of the hour with the fervor and devotion that our fathers manifested in another day."

The need and importance of citizens' military training camps were emphasized by General Holbrook, while Judge Morrill traced the history of the Hull road and the career of General Holliday. Mrs. Murphy presided over the program and presented many other leading residents and visitors. The high school band furnished music.

Greetings were extended by Mrs. J. F. Parrott, of Kinston, State chairman of trails and roads, D. A. R.; Mrs. R. S. McGeachy, Kinston, State president American Legion Auxiliary and Miss Gertrude Carraway, New Bern, national vice-chairman of publicity, D. A. R. Mrs. J. W. Parker, Farmville, introduced General Holbrook. Paul Fritzsche introduced Mr. Ehringhaus.

Miss Margaret Whittington, daughter of Dr. W. W. Whittington, and for the past two years a pupil of Miss Dicke Howell, gave groups of lovely soprano solos and the Snow Hill male quartet also sang. Miss Julia Palmer received a chapter prize for history, the presentation being made by Mrs. Harry Taylor. The salute to the flag was led by Mrs. T. A. Person, of Greenville. Rev. E. B. Craven, Snow Hill, asked the invocation.

After the indoor exercises, the tablet was unveiled by thirty-two young children on the Ed Suez property three miles from Snow Hill on the Farmville highway. Mrs. R. W. Lyle made the presentation, with acceptance for the daughters by Mrs. T. C. Turnage, Farmville, former State treasurer of the D. A. R., and for the county by Joshua Newborn, chairman Greene county Board of Commissioners. A wreath was placed on the boulder by Mrs. Owen E. Gaton, New Bern, descendant of Gen. Holliday. Rev. George Maize, Kinston, pronounced the benediction.

Immediately following the exercises the crowd enjoyed one of Greene county's famous picnic dinners, spread in the grove of Mr. Emmett Suggs.

The local auxiliary of the American Legion, Mrs. W. D. Bryan, president, observed Poppy Day by decorating graves of World War veterans at the nearby cemeteries of the community. The sum of \$32.17 was realized from the sale of 200 poppies. This money will be handled directly by the local organization in rehabilitation work.

OFFICERS SPIRIT ACCUSED NEGRO OUT OF GREENE

Ether Perry Charged With Attempt to Assault White Woman Residing in Hookerton Township Traced to Farm and Captured.

Saved from a possible lynching by the alertness of officers who arrested him, Ether Perry, negro, accused of an attempt to assault upon Mrs. Walter Stallings, is being held in a jail outside of Greene county for safe keeping.

Mrs. Stallings, wife of a farmer residing in Hookerton township, told officers the negro had attempted to assault her upon six occasions. The first, she said, was on Monday of last week. The last was Tuesday morning when he tore her clothes partially from her body and preceded his arrest by a few hours.

Sheriff E. A. Rasberry and deputies had been seeking the negro since the first attempt was reported to them, but had so carefully guarded reports of the attempt that it had not become known in the county.

Mrs. Stallings said the negro came into her kitchen Tuesday morning while her husband was at work in the fields and seized her. Her screams brought Charlie Joyner whom Stallings had secured to watch over his home following the earlier attacks.

Perry then fled, but was trailed by officers to the farm of Jesse Ormond and arrested there. They brought him back to the Stallings home where Mrs. Stallings identified him as her assailant.

Meanwhile, news of the attack had spread and when Sheriff Rasberry brought the negro from the Stallings home a mob had gathered in front.

"Let's hang him now!" Sheriff Rasberry said members of the mob shouted. Assisted by deputies, Sheriff Rasberry placed the negro in an automobile and drove from the county with him. He declines to reveal where Perry was taken.

Mrs. Stallings said the negro on previous attempts to assault her had threatened her with a pistol once and with a shotgun another time. She said she saved herself once by jumping from a window and escaping.

MISS MARY BARRETT GUEST TO FRIENDS

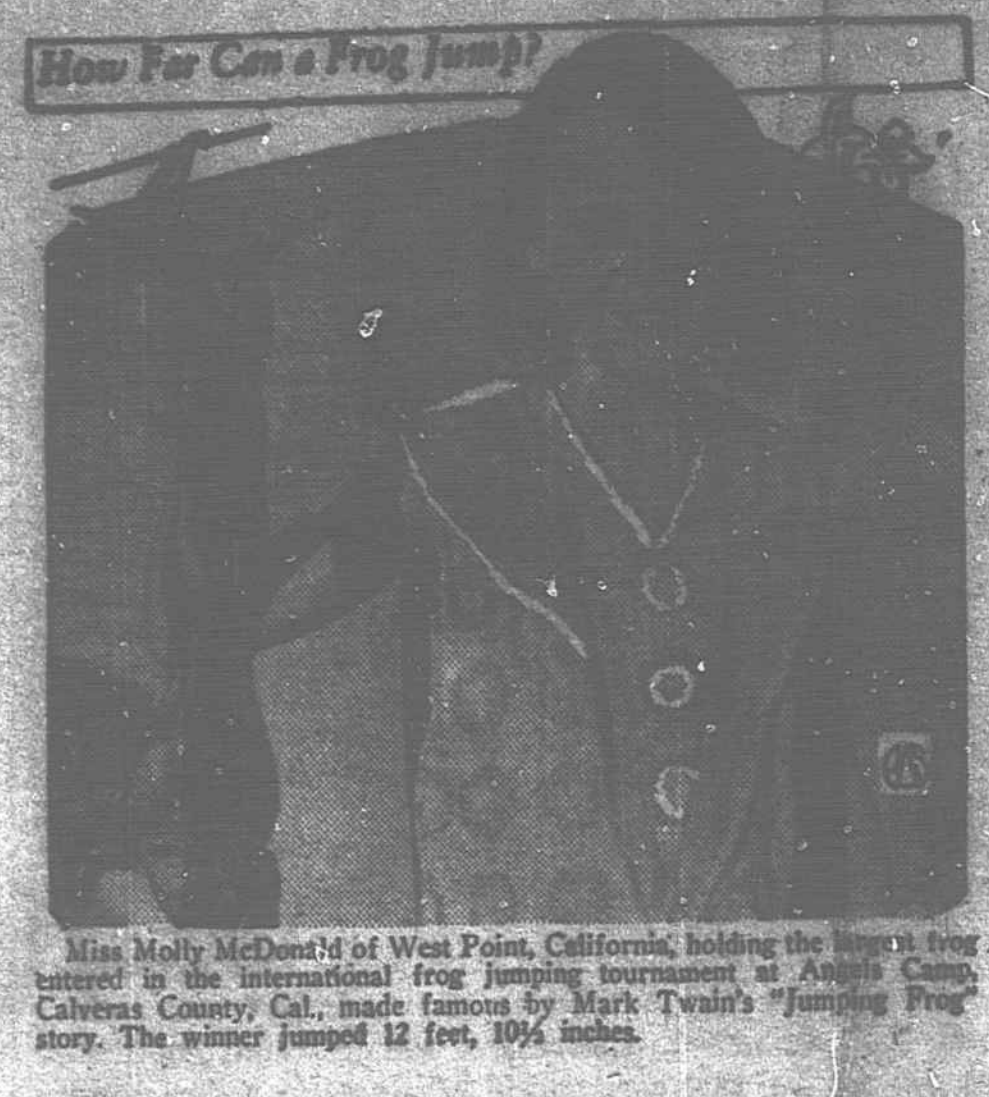
Miss Mary Barrett entertained a number of friends on Monday evening from 8:30 to 11, at her home on Wilson Street. Two tables were arranged for bridge in the spacious living room which was enhanced by bakings of coropsis and ragged robins. After several progressions the ladies high score prize was presented to Miss Tabitha DeVisconti and to Mr. Harry Lang a box of cigars was awarded for men's high score prize. Delectable sandwiches, pickles and tea were served by the hostess assisted by Miss Louise McKee.

REV. E. L. HILLMAN PREACHES BACCALAUREATE SERMON

With the annual baccalaureate sermon by the Rev. E. L. Hillman, pastor of the Methodist church of Greenville, the closing exercises of the Farmville high school began in the auditorium Sunday morning. Mr. Hillman took as his text, the 3rd chapter of Ezra, 11th to the 18th verses, the theme of the sermon being, arise and build. He urged the young people to take all the good lessons out of their past and use them as the foundation for their future lives and to start right, so that they would never have to change their course in life, and above all, to put in the midst of their building, an altar to God, and to use this altar daily. Beautiful music was rendered by a choir made up of representatives of the various churches with accompaniment by Mrs. Haywood Smith. Diplomas will be awarded to the graduating class on Monday night.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH NOTES

Sunday, June 5th, is Pentecost Sunday. It is the 100th birthday of the church. It is a slogan of the Disciples of Christ that all church members of that communion will be in attendance on that Sunday and partake of the communion. So do so, be in your place and partake of this spiritual feast on this the 100th day of the establishment of the church. Let us unite in fellowship with all the efforts of God's people that have gone before. Let us hold the torch high for the present and future generations.
Morning subject: Pentecost.
Evening subject: After Pentecost.
Southern Methodists defeat plan for written constitution.



Miss Molly McDonald of West Point, California, holding the largest frog captured in the international frog jumping tournament at Apple Camp, Calaveras County, Cal., made famous by Mark Twain's "Jumping Frog" story. The winner jumped 12 feet, 10 1/2 inches.

FLOWER SHOW WAS A GREAT SUCCESS

Many Fine Specimens Are Exhibited and Much Interest Shown in Event

The flower show held Friday by the Garden Club, of which Miss Tabitha DeVisconti is chairman, was highly successful, both as to quantity and quality of specimens exhibited and as to the interest manifested by the community.

The show was presented in the City Library rooms of the municipal building with the following members of the various committees receiving and serving refreshments: Miss Tabitha DeVisconti, Mrs. T. E. Joyner, chairman of the show, Mrs. D. R. Morgan, Mrs. J. M. Hogwood, Mrs. D. E. Oglesby, Mrs. R. S. Tandy, Mrs. J. B. Joyner, Mrs. J. W. Joyner, Mrs. Jack Smith and Miss Bettie Joyner.

Judges were Miss Isabel Buebee, Miss Georgia Piland and Mrs. B. S. Sheppard all of Raleigh. Ribbons were awarded to the following: Bettie Joyner, Mrs. T. E. Joyner, Mrs. Leth Morris, Mrs. Chas. Manning, Mrs. A. C. Monk, Mrs. Mirinda Cobb, Mrs. T. M. Dail, Miss Mary Joyner, Mrs. W. G. Gay, Mrs. M. V. Jones, Mrs. D. E. Oglesby, Mrs. J. I. Morgan, Mrs. B. O. Turnage, Mrs. J. T. Thorne, Mrs. Madeline Bountree, Mrs. J. I. Morgan, Miss Tabitha DeVisconti, Mrs. J. W. Joyner, Mrs. R. A. Joyner, Mrs. Ernest Gaynor, Mrs. A. W. Bobbitt, Mrs. W. E. Joyner, Mrs. A. S. Venable, Mrs. Ernest Gaynor, Mrs. J. M. Hogwood, Mrs. Mary Lewis Lang, Miss Meta Moore, Mrs. Reddin Fields, Mrs. J. M. Wheeloe.

STUDENTS WANT COACH CASON BACK NEXT YEAR

The student body of Farmville high school hopes for the return of Coach Cason for the coming year. He has made many friends during his stay in this city. Mr. Cason came to us under a great handicap, as far as athletics were concerned, but made a wonderful success by his coaching ability in football and baseball. He obtained his coaching ability from Georgia Tech., from which he was a graduate. In the school he was a splendid teacher, and too this was one of his methods of making many friends among the students. Those having subjects enjoyed the year in his classes. So we, the members of the student body, desire the return of Mr. R. H. Cason for the year 1932-33. Also it is a request of the school for the return of the whole faculty for the coming year.

RATINGS JUNE 1, 1930

We list below the grades of markets and Dairies as of June 1st, 1930:

Home Grocery Co., No. 7	95
Home Grocery Co., No. 4	95
Smith Grocery Co.	95
D. Fender Grocery	90
Shirley & Patton	90
J. C. Brock & Co.	90
Wilson Boyd	80
L. S. Bennett	70
Robt. Atkinson	70

The following dairies are licensed to sell grade A milk:

S. T. Lewis
J. R. Lewis
Patrick Farm Dairy
J. D. Gates

The following grade D milk:

M. Liles
B. S. Smith
J. M. Hogwood

We hope to have cats and drug stores graded by next report.
E. G. HARGETT, V. M. D.

TAX CORRECTION

Through an oversight in my office the property of Mrs. S. G. Gardner, of Farmville, was advertised for sale to satisfy taxes on same. Mrs. Gardner had paid her taxes before the advertisement was published and I am very sorry her name appeared in the Tax Sale list. I make this correction and apologize to Mrs. Gardner for the error.
S. A. WHITEHURST,
Sheriff of Pitt County.

Moderate gains indicated in week's general business.
BUT WHAT A NEGATIVE!
It was Sir Rennell Rodd, who, in a speech delivered a little while ago said: "I remember an Italian of the old school observing that he did not appreciate the young women of the present day. They reminded him of indifferent photographs—too much exposure and too little development."

U. D. C. IN CHARGE OF GOLF COURSE

The United Daughters of the Confederacy will have charge of Oakhurst golf course Friday June 6, and extend an invitation to the public to come out and play at that time. There will be prizes awarded to the players, either ladies or gentlemen making the largest number of "Eagles" or "Holes in One" during the day. The daughters will receive a benefit from the proceeds of the day and they will appreciate your patronage at this time.

SOLICITOR CLARK

(BY KID HUMAN)
Editor New Bern Times in Article of April 12th, 1929.

Dave, "Red" Clark, State Solicitor of this Judicial District, is an easy subject to write about—he's absolutely on the level—four square, democratic, and a public servant who's made his office synonymous with strict honest and earnest endeavor—you don't have to gloss over vague periods in Dave's history just to make good copy—there ain't any such periods—yourly let the history of any honest guy flow from your pen and some episode in Dave's life is bound to fit your story.

He's the scion of an illustrious family—his daddy, E. T. Clark, was well-known lawyer—his uncle, the illustrious Walter Clark, of Halifax, graced the State Supreme Court bench for 23 years as a member, and for at least a quarter of a century as Chief Justice. Justice Walter Clark died in 1924, and a whole state mourned the passing of one of its greatest men and characters.

Dave Clark's mother was Margaret Lillington, daughter of a well-known North Carolina family—Dave was born Sept. 21, 1886, as red-headed as a beacon light—he's 43 years old, and looks a lot less—reckon there's a reason for his youthful appearance—he's one of those individuals who are clean, morally, mentally, physically.

He was graduated from the high school at Weldon and entered State College to take up a civil engineering and when he graduated he followed that profession for several years.

A hereditary penchant for law urged him back to Wake Forest, and in 1911, after a law course there he was licensed and began practice at Greenville in 1912—he was young, but folks recognized energy and honest convictions, and he was elected to state legislature from Pitt County in 1912-14—he again served in the same capacity in 1917-18—he was the author of several important state wide measures while in the Legislature.

Although legislators were immune from war service, he resigned his seat in the house and volunteered in the army for the World War—departed to Washington and was sent to Camp Sherman at Chillicothe, O. After the Armistice was signed Dave Clark came back home to Greenville, and in the hot spring campaign of 1918 he was elected Mayor of Greenville, and again in 1921. In '22 he ran for State Solicitor and was defeated in the whole district by only 400 ballots—he was re-elected Mayor of Greenville and again in 1923 each of his mayoralty battles were marked by heavy fights, but he was the candidate of the people, and each time he ran his campaigns were marked by larger and ever increasing majorities.

In the strong campaign of 1926 he was elected Solicitor of this district and resigned as Mayor of Greenville—and Greenville, when it helped to elect him solicitor, lost a doggone determined, yet absolutely impartial city official—it was Dave Clark who put Greenville's police force on the map as one of the most efficient and capable in the Whole State.

Dave's whole record is one to be proud of—this story is all too brief—we'd thoroughly enjoy writing Dave Clark's full biography—there'd be adventure, romance—an indomitable determination to be just and right—and then more romance—he's a romantic devil, all right—he got married only six months ago—but he displayed a lotta sense, at that—or maybe Lady Luck was one of his grandmothers—because in waiting 'till he'd charted his own pathway, he met Myrtle Brogden of Tennessee. Dave and Miss Brogden were married July 10, 1929. She was Pitt County's supervisor of schools at the time of her marriage to Dave—she's charming, doggone pretty, talented and gifted with a whole of a lotta common sense—it's a good old world—and may the tribe of Clark ever increase. (Political advertising.)

ROUGH AND TOUGH

Applicants to the supreme bench are usually quite elderly men, particularly after the senate gets through criticizing their appointments.

FORM COUNTY TAX RELIEF ASSOCIATION IN PITT CO.

F. M. Wooten Elected Chairman of Permanent Organization in Pitt.

Greenville, N. C., June 2.—The Pitt County Tax Relief association was formed at a mass meeting held in the court house in this city this morning and permanent officers for the year were elected.

F. M. Wooten was elected as chairman and C. W. Hearn, secretary. The meeting appointed an executive committee of thirteen, one from each township. This committee is directed to examine in detail the estimates of heads of the departments of the county government submitted to the county accountant prior to the making up of the budget estimate, and prayer to official action by the Board of County Commissioners. The session was attended by approximately two hundred persons interested in the movement to bring about reduction of expenses in the operation of the county government and the reduction of taxes.

By unanimous vote the following suggestions were adopted as resolutions of the meeting:

- 1.—A budget tax commission composed of representatives of each township to fix county expenses and value of land.
- 2.—Reduce appropriations for roads to basis of upkeep for convicts.
- 3.—Reduce appropriations for the schools 5 percent.
- 4.—Consolidate health department, county home and welfare offices under one department and plan for a district home for dependents.
- 5.—Reduce overhead expense in auditor's office and in other departments to meet present conditions.

USES TWO PISTOLS IN KILLING HIMSELF

Young Newspaper Man Was Victim of Ill Health and Despondency; Body Was Found in Servant's House Where Father Killed Self

Asheville, June 2.—Selecting the identical spot where his father committed suicide twenty years ago, Philip Price, 25, newspaper man, today pressed two pistols against his head and killed himself. The suicide took place at Rugby Grange, near Fletcher.

Price left no explanation for his act. A note was found in his pocket bearing the words: "To make doubly sure, I used two pistols." It was signed with his name.

Price had been visiting with relatives at Fletcher for several days. Today he failed to show up for lunch. Martin Lance, Fletcher man, found him in a servant's house at Rugby Grange. Only one shot had pierced his head. Although he had fired a pistol with each hand, the bullet of one evidently had disrupted his aim so that the other bullet missed him.

The newspaper man was the son of Mrs. Alice Price of Alexandria, Va., who was a granddaughter of the Westfielder who established Rugby Grange and the descendants of whom still own the historic old farm.

Coroner Albert Beck, of Henderson County, was enroute to Rugby Grange to investigate the suicide Monday afternoon.

Rugby Grange is located about two or three miles west of Fletcher which is about twelve miles south of Asheville. The farm has a large stone house on it once occupied by the Westfielder but now empty except during the summer months. Several smaller buildings and homes also are on the farm.

The building where Price was found dead was almost identical with the spot where his father, O. W. Price, a forester, killed himself twenty years ago. The father too, was found with a pistol bullet through his brains. He like the son, had left no explanation of his suicide. The Price family at that time lived at Fletcher.

Price worked in Washington and in Virginia cities for some time on newspaper until his health broke down about a year ago. He went into the Great Smoky Mountains and lived for several months on Mt. Le Conte in a tent. Later he lived in Bryson City. Recently, however, his health had improved and he was seeking work in western North Carolina.

SPANISH WAR BILL IS MADE LAW OVER THE HOOVER VETO

White House Amazed at Big Majority in Overriding Veto; President's Message Denounced by Speakers of Both Houses

Washington, June 2.—Regular Republicans joined with the Democrats today to override President Hoover's first important veto, and pass through both Houses by more than the necessary two-thirds vote a \$11,000,000 Spanish-American War pension increase bill.

An hour after the Senate overrode the veto, 61 to 18, the House took it up and passed it by 298 to 14, one of the most one-sided votes in recent legislative history. The bill is now law without the President's signature.

At the White House officials expressed amazement and would hardly believe the first reports of the house action. It was one of the few times in recent years that the House has not followed White House direction.

Mr. Hoover's only other veto in his 15 months of office, disapproved a Gadsden purchase coinage bill, was upheld by the house.

The new law affects many thousands of Spanish-American War veterans, some of whom are already on the pension rolls. Pensions will be increased \$5 a month, and extended to many not heretofore included.

The President's disapproval of the bill on the grounds that some diseases and injuries made compensable thereby may have been contracted through vicious habits came in for attacks in both houses.

Veterans were active in working for the overthrow. Governor Fred Green of Michigan, president of the Spanish-American War Veterans' organization, and former Senator Rice Means of Colorado, a past president were busy on the floors of Congress. Green issued a statement denouncing the Hoover veto as requiring that a veteran 'take a pauper's oath,' before he could get a pension. The veto message disapproved of giving pensions to men who were not in need of it.

U. D. C. MEETS WITH

The regular June meeting of the U. D. C. chapter was held at the home of Mrs. J. W. Parker on Tuesday, June 3rd, with fifteen members present. At the business session, the chapter voted to take over the golf course, Friday afternoon and night. The program for the afternoon was on "Flags." Mrs. J. W. Harrell gave a splendid talk on Betsy Ross and the Flag. Mrs. G. M. Holden read an interesting article on Flags. Mrs. Walters, chaplain of the chapter conducted the devotional exercises. A refreshing ice course was served by the hostess.

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS

The literary and art department of the Woman's club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. E. Joyner with Mrs. Joyner, Mrs. Wheeler and Mrs. Thomas as joint hostesses. After a brief business session, Mrs. Haywood Smith presented three of her music pupils, Miss Mary Frier Rouse, Miss Serene Turnage and Master Ell Joyner, who entertained the members with several delightful numbers. At the conclusion of the program, the hostesses served a delicious salad course. Mrs. R. T. Martin and Mrs. Charles Baucom were special guests. This is the last meeting of the department until Fall.

LET'S MOVE

On the new planet recently discovered the year lasts 330 times as long as ours does. Instalment payments must be spread over delightfully long periods.

FIGHTING AGAIN!

"I hear they're starting a new campaign against malaria." "Good heavens! What have the Malaysians done now?"

SAFETY ZONES

"I have said the White House is a glass house," said Will Irwin, "but under the present administration it will always have its opaque spots."—The American Magazine.

BABY SHOW AND CONTEST

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Christian church is sponsoring a baby show, contest and parade one day next week. All babies from five months to five years will be allowed to enter. There will be three age groups, prizes for each group. The cost for entrance of any name will be ten cents, and the contest will be carried on at one cent per vote. Watch for posters for exact date and other information.