

OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENTS OF FARMVILLE ORGANIZATIONS DURING THE CURRENT YEAR!

The nineteen patriotic, fraternal, civic and social groups of Farmville, have all, in their various branches of service, done most effective work here during the past year, promoting the development of citizens along every conceivable line, and fostering worthy movements in the community which were creditable and praiseworthy.

Today there is a more enthusiastic and intelligent consciousness of the necessity for cooperative endeavor along patriotic, humanitarian, civic and cultural lines, than ever before, and each one of these organizations has a growing appreciation of its responsibility and duty in building good citizens for Farmville, and is zealously engaged in the furtherance of plans and efforts bearing towards this worthy goal.

In keeping with the purpose of this issue of "The Spotlight," to bring current events before its readers rather than historical data, some official of each of the following organizations was requested to give a short outline of its outstanding activities and accomplishments during recent months.

Farmville Literary Club

Since its organization thirty years ago the purpose of this club, which is the oldest woman's group in town, with the exception of the church societies, has been two fold; a broader outlook along literary lines for its members, and a deep interest in educational advantages for others.

A recent study of books of travel, as outlined by Urban T. Holmes, included music of the various countries, with an illustrated lecture on his visits to the Holy Land, by Rev. Stephen Gardner, of Washington; a talk by the president, Miss Annie Perkins, relative to her trip to Cuba; a lecture by Mrs. Agnes Settle, of Greenville, regarding her travels through Japan; a talk was made, by Mrs. T. C. Turnage, concerning the history of Flora MacDonald and of the college, bearing her name at Red Springs, N. C., and her own Alma Mater; an account of their visit to the World's Fair, at Chicago, by Misses Elizabeth and Janie Davis; by Mrs. J. W. Joyner, who spoke on her recent visit to Texas, and by Miss Edna Robinson on California.

To the limited membership of twenty was added a former member, Mrs. Minnie S. Warren. National and State Federation dues were met, including a contribution to the Sally Southall Loan Fund, a student loan fund, in which this group has been particularly interested, formerly contributing \$100 annually. Contributions were also made to local projects, including twenty books of biography, fiction and history, to the Farmville Library, which were circulated among the club members during the club year. The club was assisted in the annual Tuberculosis Christmas Seal sale by the Woman's and Junior Woman's clubs.

The officers reelected to serve another term before adjournment for the summer months were: Miss An-



MAIN STREET, FARMVILLE, ON A SATURDAY AFTERNOON

nie Perkins, president, Mrs. J. B. Joyner, vice-president, Mrs. J. L. Shackelford, secretary, Mrs. J. I. Morgan, treasurer.

The program for the new club year, beginning in September, will be divided into five subjects: Literature, Art, Music, Citizenship, and Home Decoration, with four meetings devoted to each.

Parent-Teacher Ass'n.

The Parent-Teacher Association, under the capable leadership of Mrs. J. M. Hobgood, had a most successful (Please turn to page 30)

More than twenty marketing agreements covering crops and commodities have been made by the government, including seven tobacco agreements.

The average interest rates of the various credit institutions for farm loans is about 5 per cent; prior to the establishment of these institutions in many instances the rate actually paid was above 10 per cent, and one survey shows that farmers in certain sections paid over 20 per cent on cash loans.



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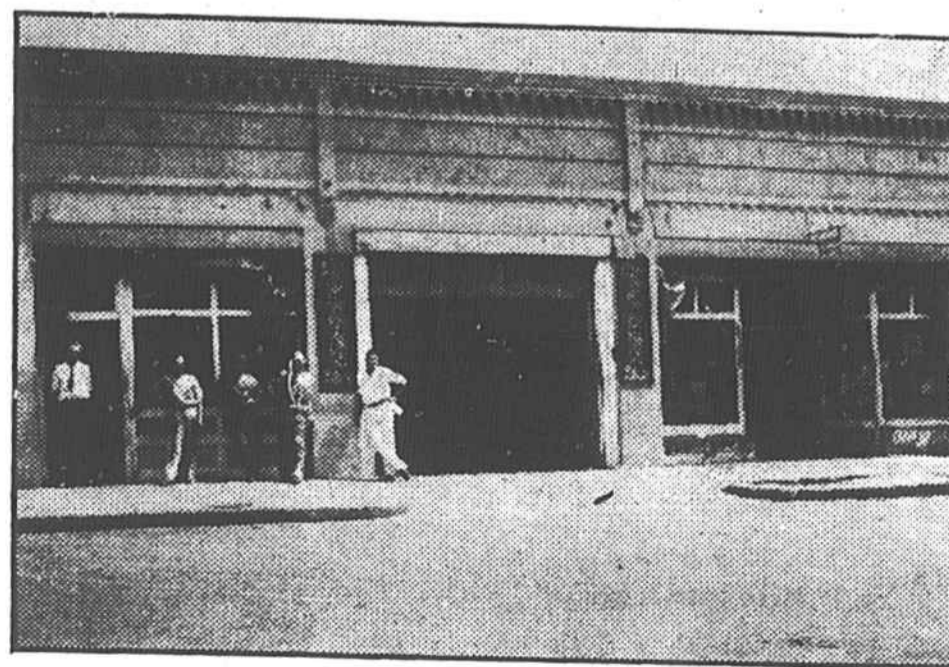
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