

of his purpose in Washington. landslide. There is little doubt in Washing- He has brought "western Europe ton that this was precisely the under- union" into being. The framework has been laid at Brussels. This is a lying purpose of what the Communists did in Prague. Their action there structure which he believes can withwas followed immediately by forma- stand the tide of Communism and hold it at the "iron curtain." But it tion of "action committees" in neighboring Austria, where the feeling of needs ERP, and quickly. insecurity is widespread and increased by the long and continued exist-

Will it come in time?

LEVI HUMBLES SUCCUMBS

Highlights of the state Wesleyan guild conference held several weeks ago in Fayetteville were discussed by Mrs. V. F. Bullock of Pinetops. district secretary, at the local guild meeting Monday evening.

Good Friday service will be held and Mrs. Bennett Murphy were spe-Refreshments were enjoyed. A cordial welcome is assured visitors. Methodist right recreation and sharing with others were the program topics discussed.

Refreshments were served.

Annie Sawyer. from 2:00 to 3:00 o'clock, the last hour on the cross, on that day. Spent Saturday with her parents, COUNTY ORATORICAL TEST Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shirley.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shirley and Mrs. W. I. Mrs. Frank Shirley and Mrs. W. I. Shackleford visited Mrs. Susie Suggs school won first place Thursday even-ment campaigns and the urging of ing in the Pitt county oratoricall conin Hookerton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harris were Farmville visitors Saturday. Mrs. W. P. Ellis and sons, Frankie and Dickie of Wilson, spent Sunday with Mrs. Ellis's mother, Mrs. W. L ty in for the afternoon

ance of food shortages and the mos unsatisfactory economic conditions. It would not take very much to

start a landslide in Austria. And if it should happen there just before the Italian elections, it well might have a reciprocal effect on Italy. And if Italy went Communist, there would be mounting concern for France, where stability is far from consolidated, although gains have been made

under Schuman in recent weeks. The only device Washington has to offset such a landslide is ERP-the Marshall Plan, Washington believes that if Congress would arm the western world promptly and dramatically by passing the European Recovery Program, the landslide could be prevented.

Quick passage of ERP, they think. would make two major contributions to restoration of stability in western son, Joseph, of the home; a brother, Europe:

1. It would counteract the tendency to panic in Austria and among nondsville. Italian voters. Rev. Humbles attended the Free

2. It would give substance and validity to the 50-year political, econo mic and military pact being written in Brussels which represents the best attempt of the West so far to start countermovement. But at this very moment, which which cr years he farmed and was Sunday

President Truman and Secretary gress is not only disposed to dally over passage of the Marshall Plan, but also to allow the politics-encumress is not only disposed to dally ver passage of the Marshall Plan, at also to allow the politics-encum-ered China issue to weaken the ap-earance of American clarity and rmness of purpose. Although the Marshall Plan battle ered China issue to weaken the aprmness of purpose. Although the Marshall Plan battle

Although the Marshall Plan battle appears to be over in the Senate, fol-lowing restrictive amendments back-ed by Senator Robert Taft (R) of Ohio, an even more difficult contest Ohio, an even more of Representaed by Senator Robert Taft (R) of Ohio, an even more difficult contest looms in the House of Representa-tives. Unless the House takes un-expectedly rapid action, more dailying is in prospect for the aid program. Senator Taft had demanded that the gram be cut \$1,300,000,000-to a

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fr. and Mrs. Edward S. Dixon

IN DUKE HOSPITAL MON.

cial guests.

Walstonburg. Interment was in the home mission study book, "Spiritual O'Leary. Ladies were asked to dec- Sunday. Hollywood cemetery, Farmville.

Surviving are his widow, the former Lula Wooten; a daughter, Grace, described how different races in the with lilies on Easter. On account of a teacher in the Youngsville school; a S. A. Humbles of near Greenville; and two sisters, Mrs. Bessie T. Byrd and Mrs. Alfred Grimsley of Or-

Southland respond to the gospel, she pointed out the location of each on a map. Lemon bisque, nuts and coffee were served to the 13 members present. Mrs. H. C. Outland entertained the Junior Girls auxiliary Friday night there will be the regular monthly tubercifosis of the Cross" will be recited by the congressident, Grace Miller, president, Grace Miller, president, Grace Miller, president, Grace Miller, president, Grace Miller, Proug folks of the parish are preparing to sing the "Missa de Angeliar Lake 2:40-45 followed by pray-Will Baptist Seminary in Ayden and was an ordained Free Will Baptist ninister. Over a period of years he held pastorates in several churches of School superintendent and teacher of the men's Bible Class at Howell's Swamp Free Will Baptist Church of

The love of home, good literature "Missa de jubilo" on Easter. Win Greene County Title Three Years In Row

Baptist

Plans were made for the district meeting which will be held here April The Power of the sermon Sunday The theme of the sermon Sunday Miss Payne Suggs of Snow Hill The Shackeford. Miss Payne Suggs of Snow Hill Second, third and fourth place win-vice regent, presided. Mrs. C. S.

Rev_Levi W. Humbles, 56, of near Walstonburg. field at Duke hospital Monday afternoon following an*ill-tess of several weeks' duration. His condition was critical for sev-eral days prior to his death and lit-the hope had been held for his re-covery. Number also conducted by Rev. D. W. Alexander, Free Will Baptist minister of Bethel, assisted by Rev. Key W. Taylor, Methodist minister of Walstonburg. Interment was in the Walstonburg. Intermen

home mission study book, "Spiritual O'Leary. Lattes were asked to decorrect and any." Frontiers," Thursday night for the Sacrament for Holy Thursday. They also decided to decorate the altar Wilson Tuesday.

Southland respond to the gospel, she the Lenten fast, only coffee was ser- TUBERCULOSIS CLINIC TO

gelis" on Holy Thursday and the Dr. Mumford will conduct the clinic.

for the contest.

Chief of Police L. T. Lucas has re

LEE FOLGER HEADS UNC ALUMNI IN PITT COUNTY Nearly one hundred members at tended the joint annual supper meet ing of the Pitt county Chapter of the University of North Carolina Alum-ni Association and the Educational Foundation at the Airport Inn in Greenville Wednesday night of last week.

CHOOSES NEW OFFICE

a silver bowl of camellias. The hos-

tesses, Mrs. Herbert E. Hart and

basket arrangements with potter azaleas and bowls of camellias being

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plation of health problems; suppo of health education by visual method

representatives in state and nation

week. President Juseph S. Moye presided. Carl L. Snavely, head football coach, talked about the Educational Four-

At a meeting of the high sc talked about the Educational Foun-dation and its providing for worthy boys who otherwise might not get an education. He pointed out that none of the students assisted by the Foundation has ever been consored by the faculty or student govern-ment, and with possibly one excep-tion, none has flunked. Coach Snavely reviewed football it the University inst year and gave

At The Rotary Club

eeting Taesday night. After e

Pictured above are the members of the girls basketball team at Walstonburg high he recently won their third consecutive championship of Greene County. ading left to right : Front row-Jean Bediek, Boris Williams, Captain : Dorothy Balley Jane Fields Back row-Betty Gav, Ma av. Ann Holloman, Evelyn Fields and Janie Dildy.

at the University last year and gave a summary of 1948 prospects. His head line coach, Max Reade, showed motion pictures of the Maryland.

Arginia and Texas games. The alumni chapter elected Lee forger, president, L. S. Ficklen, vice

i, and John B. Lewis of

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

n is a native of this

friends who extend their sympathy to

EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE

There will be a Com

his family.

Sunrise Service at the Walstonburg Methodist Church at 5:30 o'clock, A billion. ary Marshall is anxious not ar the possibility of panic in and Italy, but also over the lity of something approaching in Washington itself. In washington itself. In the christian minister, Rev. L. B. Bennett, and Mr. A. J. Craft will lead the devotional. The community choir, assisted by the high school gle club, will render the music.