

**Stacy Speaks**

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parents and school board members.

Turning his attention for a moment to teachers and principals, Mr. Stacy averred that much better results in the securing of a teacher-retirement set up in the state might be obtained if there could be closer cooperation between teachers and school-board members, and that additional problems pertaining to "low ceiling" levels of professional attainment for teachers could be lifted and should be lifted through a willing cooperation between interested laymen and teachers.

He also emphasized the necessity of limitation of duplicating boards of control in the present state school administration set-up in Raleigh.

Mr. Stacy was introduced by Reginald Lee Harris, of this city, candidate for nomination in the Democratic primary as lieutenant-governor of North Carolina. Toastmaster for the evening was Lewis S. Cannon, principal of Bethel Hill school and president of the Schoolmasters' club. Introduction of guests was made by Superintendent of Person schools, R. B. Griffin.

Invocation was given by E. L. Wehrenburg and the address of welcome was made by H. C. Gaddy, while response was given by Mrs. J. W. VanHook. A feature of the evening was choral singing lead by Wallace W. Woods. Incidental music was played during the dinner hour at the piano and additional music was provided by the Roxboro high school glee club chorus under the direction of Mrs. Sam Byrd Winstead, the numbers presented being Sokalof's "Spring", by the girls' chorus and Dr. Nathaniel Dett's, "Listen to the Lambs," by the mixed chorus composed of both boys and girls.

Special guests in addition to teachers not members of the Schoolmasters' club, included members of the Persons Board of Education, the County commissioners, representatives of the press and school committeemen. Committeemen present included: J. M. Brewer and Guy Clayton, of Olive Hill; Leslie Harris and Dr. J. H. Merritt and Mrs. Merritt, of Bethel Hill; B. G. Crumpton and Ollie Averette, of Allensville; L. G. Oakley and J. R. Jones, of Mt. Tirzah; Ed Brooks, of Helena; Charles Norrris, Mr. Berry and Wallace Foushee, of Hurdle Mills; Arthur Whitfield, Carl E. Hester and Ed Broach, of Bushy Fork, and C. A. Harris, T. Miller White and G. H. Ellmore, of Roxboro. Also guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Puryear, R. B. Dawes, J. W. Noell and Edgar Warren. Also Mesdames Herman Gaddy, E. E. Bradsher, G. W. Walker, D. M. Cash, Frank Whitfield and R. G. Cole.

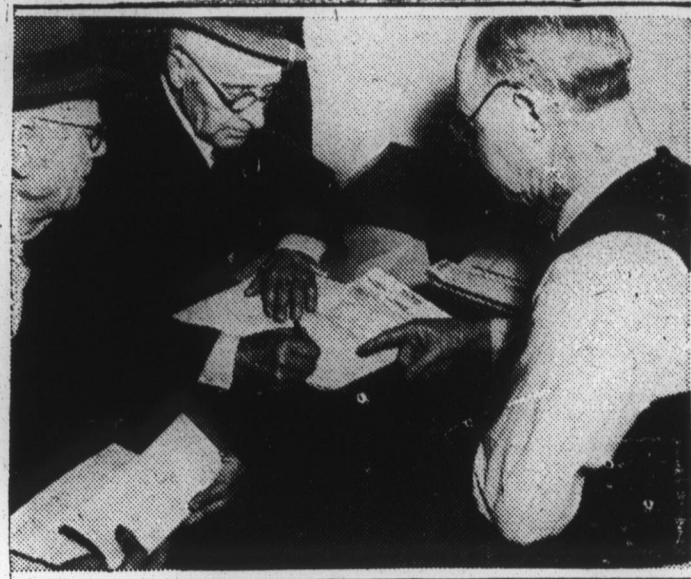
**College Play**

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the aid of students in the department, is making the beautiful and colorful Greek and fairy costumes

Miss Alia Ross, of the school of music, is directing the orchestra in the special music composed by Mendelssohn for this play. Miss Helen Maddock, associate professor of voice, is directing the choruses and will sing the role of first soprano. Miss Miriam Mason, of Greensboro, graduate of Greensboro college and former player has charge of the choreography. She will play the part of the chief fairy.

Outstanding feminine roles in the production include: Helena, Frances Hallam, Rockingham; Hermia, Carolyn Stansel, Maxton; Titania, Frances Winstead, Roxboro; Puck, Nancy Moore, Dillon, S. C.; Weleska Pegram, Winston-Salem; Hippolyta, Carrie Lupton, Leasburg; Philostrate, Anna Rue Hauser, Mt. Airy; Peasblossom, Lannie Gunter, Abernethy; Moth, Helen Cunningham, Greensboro; Mustardseed, Lucille Cox, Asheboro; Cobweb, Alice Birkhead, Asheboro.



Here is a farmer doing what thousands of other farmers have done during the past few weeks, signing his AAA Farm Plan for 1940. There are still many farmers in the State who have not worked out their Farm Plan, which is essential before any Government payments can be received for agricultural conservation and soil building work this year. E. Y. Floyd, AAA executive Officer of N. C. State college, announces this April 15 is the deadline for signing Farm Plans. There is nothing binding about the Farm Plan. If something happens to prevent carrying out the practices listed, then a farmer can still earn his payments by carrying out other practices named on the back of the Farm Plan. However, Floyd said that every farmer who has not done so should immediately visit his county AAA office and work out a plan. There will be no extension of time beyond April 15.

**Resolutions**

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by Clerk of the court, R. A. Bullock, prior to the opening session yesterday morning.

A copy of the resolutions follows:

"When the Person County Court was organized in 1932 it was recognized that it was an experiment the success of which would depend chiefly on the personality of the presiding Judge, and, after very mature consideration, and after consulting members of the bar and other citizens, the Board of County Commissioners offered the post to Honorable W. I. Newton, by whom it was accepted, and by whom it was filled with great distinction until his death, which occurred on March 27, 1940.

"Judge Newton's great and varied experience, his knowledge of human nature, his analytical faculties, his flair for sifting evidence and arriving at truth, and above all his humanity enabled him to guide the destinies of the Court with discretion and wisdom so that it has long since amply justified itself in the mind of the public.

"It is now, therefore, by the Person Bar association:

"Resolved second: That by his death of Judge W. I. Newton, Person County suffers a loss which will not be readily repaired.

"Resolved Second: That by his wise and impartial administration of law he not only gained credit to himself, but enhanced the respect and confidence of the public at large for the Courts.

"Resolved Third: That in his untimely passing every member of the bar is acutely conscious of having lost a valued friend and associate.

"Resolved Fourth: That these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of Court, and copies be furnished the family, and the press."

(Signed)

F. O. Carver, Sr.

R. P. Burns

**To Test Siren**

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ing from an oil stove and one from sparks from a lumber plant sawdust pile.

Damage to buildings was estimated at \$120, with damage to contents, \$1,000. Buildings threatened were valued at \$7,000.

Of the six alarms for the month five were within the city limits and one outside. Only ten alarms, to date, have been recorded during the calendar year.

Following the city council meeting Tuesday night, it was announced that Chief O'Brian will attend the meeting of the Southeastern association of firemen to be held June 17, 18 and 19 at Memphis, Tenn.

**"Song-Play" To Be Presented Tonight**

"Festival in Songlandia", a song-play by Miss Lisette Allgood, of this city, will be presented tonight at 8 o'clock by young people of the Roxboro primary grades, at Central Grammar school auditorium.

There will be two scenes, with leading roles for many of the actors. The production is under the direction of Mrs. Sam Byrd Winstead, public school music instructor, and a small admission will be charged.

**Announcement**

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for nomination for the position of county commissioner of Person county, subject to the Democratic Primary, May 25. I will appreciate your support and vote and if nominated and elected I pledge you my very best efforts.

Sam Byrd Winstead  
4-11-40

The Junior Union of First Baptist church will hold a social in the basement of the church tomorrow evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

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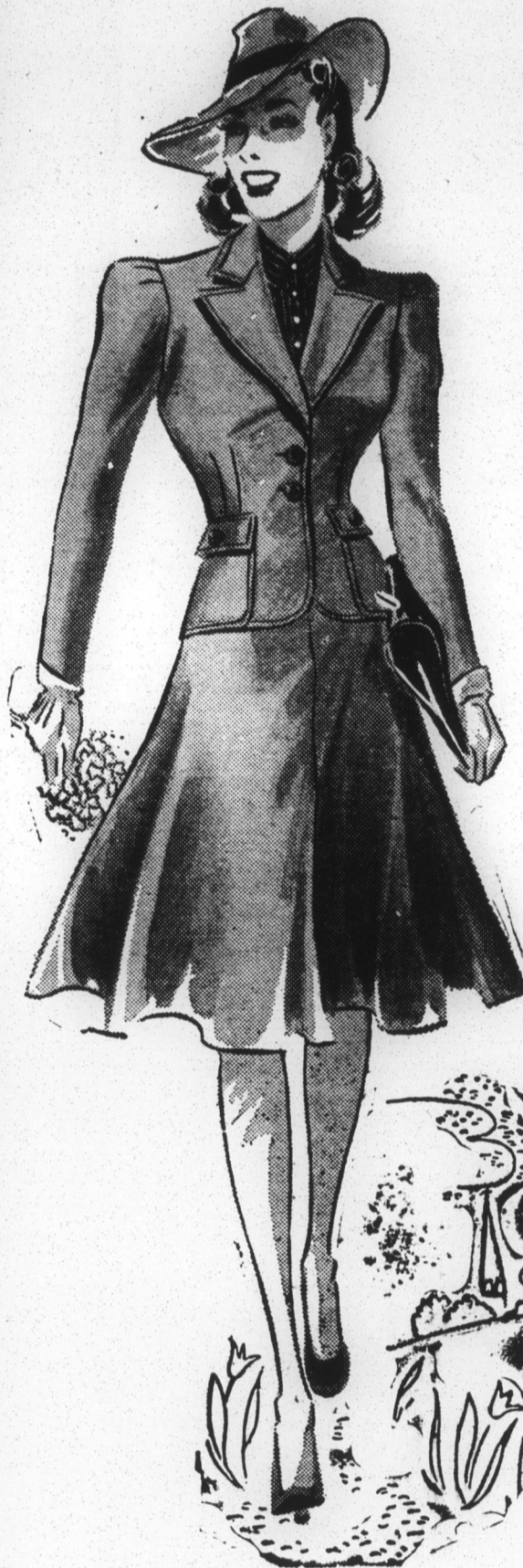
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