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MEMORIAL AT BOILING SPRINGS

**BUILDING TO HONOR SOLDIERS
AND SAILORS**

**Board of Trustees of Boiling Springs
High School Start Campaign for \$25
000 for Memorial Building**

Americans everywhere are today looking about for practical and substantial ways and means of commemorating the valor and patriotism of our young men who so promptly and faithfully responded to their country's call, whether they were permitted to "go over the top" and make the supreme sacrifice, or were held on "this side" in readiness—all alike are enshrined in a nation's love and merit any honor that can be bestowed upon them. A cold and lifeless shaft of marble or granite may have been sufficient in the past to commemorate the valor of heroes, but not so in this practical age which demands something that will alike honor the heroic deeds of the past and bless the living. To meet this demand in this section, definite plans have been adopted and are briefly outlined below.

For several years the Boiling Springs high school, to meet the rapidly growing patronage, has greatly needed a new building to contain, among other departments, a large auditorium, society halls, music rooms, art and domestic science rooms, etc.

At a recent meeting of the board of trustees after careful and prayerful consideration, it was unanimously and enthusiastically decided to start a movement to raise funds for the erection of a new building on the school grounds to contain the above-named departments, or so many of them as will be found practicable, same to be a memorial for all former and present students of the school and for all other white persons, of any denomination, within the territory of the King's Mountain and Sandy Run Associations, who were inducted into any department of the army or navy during the recent war.

The proposition has since received the hearty endorsement of the Executive Committee of both Associations and, we confidently believe, will receive the hearty support of every friend of Christian education and of heroic valor within this territory.

The undersigned were appointed as a Special Committee to formulate and to carry into execution plans for the erection of said building. The following plans, so far, been agreed upon by said Committee: The building to be planned by an architect shall cost not less than \$25,000, the limit to be determined by the estimate of the architect. At or near the main entrance of the building shall be placed, in permanent form, tablets upon which shall appear names and rank of all persons in whose memory the building is being erected.

Subscriptions for the building will be received payable, in three annual installments with interest form date, or may be paid in Government bonds, or in War or Thrift Stamps at first cost. Mr. E. B. Hamrick, treasurer of the Board of Trustees of Boiling Springs High School, will be custodian of the building funds. Work on the building will not start until the full amount is subscribed. The canvass for funds will start as soon as the Million Dollar campaign closes and as soon as a suitable manager can be found. The canvass will be pressed to completion at the earliest date possible, as the fund can be raised more easily within a few months than within a year or two.

It is expected that the mothers who, next to the soldiers themselves, suffered most by the war will take the lead in this great movement to honor the memory of their sons. In fact, it should be made "a mother's memorial for their soldier-sons." It is the desire of the committee to find a name for the building that will be in keeping with this idea. Have you any name to suggest?

It is not the purpose of this committee to retard, in the least, the work of the Million Dollar campaign for Christian education. That is of supreme importance. That over, our Memorial building should have the right of way. In fact we believe it will strike a responsive chord in every heart. The school is suffering for the building and the soldier-boys who are returning home after completing so nobly the work assigned them by their country, or are sleeping beneath the soil in France should be

THOMAS SETTLE DIES AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS

**Ex-Congressman from the Fifth and
Brilliant Speaker, Succumbs to
Pneumonia in Asheville.**

Asheville, Jan. 20.—Thomas Settle twice congressman from the fifth North Carolina district, one of the most brilliant political speakers in the state and a Republican of statewide and national acquaintance; a close friend of the late Thomas B. Reed and in 1912 the regular Republican candidate for governor of North Carolina, died tonight at 8 o'clock at the Mission hospital from pneumonia. Mr. Settle had been ill for about two weeks.

Mr. Settle was born in Rockingham county, adjoining Guilford but moved with his parents to Greensboro in his early youth where he lived until he came to Asheville about 15 years ago to make his home. He was a son of the late Judge Settle, who made state history in his memorable race against Zebulon B. Vance for governor during the campaign of 1876. Mr. Settle was four times solicitor of the seventh district, which included Greensboro and was elected to Congress in 1892 when barely of age. He succeeded Archibald H. A. Williams, Democrat of Granville, being elected to the 53 Congress of which Crisp of Georgia was speaker. Mr. Settle was renominated in 1894 and again elected and in that Congress voted for Thomas B. Reed for speaker. In 1896 the district returned to the Democratic fold and William W. Kitchen was elected to represent the fifth district.

After coming to Asheville Mr. Settle took a prominent part in politics and in almost every campaign his services as a speaker were in demand.

Mr. Settle had national reputation as an orator and was regarded as one of the most sarcastic political speakers of his time and, by his admirers at least without a superior in the state in joint debate or on the stump. Surviving is a widow, who was Miss Eliza Potter of Wilmington.

Six Months School

The plan to provide a six months' school will be incorporated in two bills as follows: (1) The county school budget bill, which will set forth the amount of money sufficient to run all the schools of a county, the city schools, the other special chartered schools, and the regular county schools, six months. It will also provide a minimum salary scale and a maximum expense fund, and not plan is considered that does not provide a six months' term for all the schools of the county.

A revenue bill that will distribute the burden of taxation as equitably as possible. No plan is considered that does not provide that the strong county shall help the weak.

Kicking Your Dog About

Raleigh, Jan. 23.—North Carolina canines had their bumps in the general assembly today, a measure introduced in each branch designed to curb their activities by the license system, and attendant restrictions. Senator Stevens, of Buncombe, presented the senate bill, while Representative Ray, of March, fathered the one which the house will be asked to adopt. These bills are largely similar in nature and provide dog control in definite, relentless fashion. Both are in the hands of committees and the final outcome of this legislature now seems obscure.

Russia May be United and Get Representatives

Paris, Jan. 22.—Led by President Wilson, the supreme council of the great powers today moved to unite the factions of distracted Russia and bring them into the peace congress.

They unanimously adopted a proposition brought forward by President Wilson asking all the Russian factions, including the bolsheviks, to meet the allied and associated government at Prince's islands in the sea of Marmora on February 15, the contending factions meantime declare a truce and suspending all military operations.

honor now. To defer the erection of a memorial to their heroic young lives might ultimately defeat the proposition or at least, delay it for many years. We shall expect your hearty co-operation.

J. W. Suttle, G. B. Pruett, W. W. Washburn, M. M. Green, J. H. Quinn, Committee.

CONCERT WAS A GREAT AFFAIR BY MISS GARDNER

**Demonstration that Edison Phonograph Re-creates Human Voice
800 People Attend.**

The concert in the graded school auditorium Monday night was a most delightful affair and clearly demonstrated that the Thomas A. Edison "phonograph with a soul" can and does recreate the human voice so clearly and distinctly and that people in the audience did not know when the instrument was playing/and when Miss Ida Gardner, soprano, was singing. Miss Gardner stood beside the Edison and sang in unison with Mr. Edison's recreation—so called—of her own voice. This would have proved as her voice might easily have overbalanced the tone of the instrument—swallowed it up so to speak; but Miss Gardner did more—or, to be accurate, less. She paused from time to time, apparently at random and permitted her re-creation voice to be heard alone on the Edison. This gave an opportunity to compare one with the other and it is more than just to state that there was no discernible difference in tone quality. At one time while Miss Gardner was singing beside the Edison the lights were put out and when they came on again, Miss Gardner had left the stage, but her recreated voice was heard from the Edison and the audience was thrilled to see how perfectly her voice was reproduced.

Mr. Harold Lyman, flutist, offered similar comparisons with his instrument, playing in direct comparison with the re-creation of his own performances. This proof was very convincing. About 800 people attended the free concert which was given by Mr. W. A. Pendleton, the well known Edison dealer of this city.

SHELBY OIL MILL DOES NOT WANT SEED NOW

**Farmers Should Wait for Further
Notice Before Hauling Seed To
Sell—Warehouses Full.**

To the Farmers and Ginners:
We wish to state that we have our seed houses full of cotton seed and cannot take in any more cotton seed for several days, therefore, we ask that you do not haul us any seed for several days, nor until we advise you by phone or through The Cleveland Star, which will be done just as soon as we can get in position to take in more cotton seed.

The food administration under whose rules we are working has certain rules that we have to comply with, and one of them is that we cannot store seed on the ground, and it has come to a point we have to put them on the ground or not buy, so we have to stop buying.

We do not want to see anyone haul their seed to our mill and have to take them back, so don't bring them until you call us over the phone and get permission or see through The Star that we are again buying cotton seed.

We are doing all in our power to take care of the farmers cotton seed and in a few days or weeks, I hope to be able to have plenty of room and begin buying seed again. Yours very truly,
J. FRANK JENKINS, Mgr.
Adv. Shelby Oil Mill, Shelby, N. C.

Buffalo in North Carolina.

The state geological and economic survey has just been notified by Mr. Edmund Seymour, president of the American Bison society, of the shipment of six head of buffalo—three males and three females—to Homin, Buncombe county, N. C., as a start in stocking the Pisgah National forest with these animals. The bison left New Hampshire on January 15, with Mr. M. S. Garretson, secretary of the American Bison society, in charge, and they are expecting to complete the journey in about 48 hours. The animals, therefore, are probably now once again roaming the North Carolina forests, which their ancestors inhabited hundreds of years ago, but which have been free from them for a very long time, possibly since the advent of the white man. The only present indication of their former presence is in the names of many of our water courses.

Rufus Heritage of Graham, was killed and Howard Burke of Burlington, was seriously wounded when the car in which they were riding at Graham struck a telephone pole.

Will Jenkins, a Rowan county negro, now a convict in the state prison at Raleigh, assaulted the wife of the prison drug clerk last week. He will be prosecuted for the crime.

We still have a few ladies coats and suits left. Hull Brothers. Adv.

SOCIAL NEWS

**Ishpingen Club to Meet
With Miss Moore Today.**
The Ishpingen club will meet with Miss Mary Moore at her home on W. Marion street this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

**20th Century With
Mrs. Bateman.**
The 20th Century club will meet with Mrs. Thomas Bateman on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at her home on South Washington St.

**Mrs. George Blanton
Entertains Club.**
On last Thursday afternoon at her lovely new home on West Marion street Mrs. George Blanton entertained the Thursday afternoon club and a number of invited guests. Rook was played at five tables and at the conclusion an elegant salad course was served.

**Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Mitchell
Give Dinner Party.**

Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Mitchell on last Thursday gave a delightful "spend-the-day" party seven of their neighbors being their guests. An elegant dinner was served. Those enjoying this hospitality were: Judge and Mrs. James L. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gettys, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ligon and Mrs. S. O. Andrews.

**Mrs. Lineberger Hostess to
Tongues and Needles.**

On Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at her attractive home on W. Warren street, Mrs. J. D. Lineberger was hostess to the Tongues and Needles club and several invited guests.

The house was most inviting with decorations of potted plants and flowers, and after sewing was laid aside Mrs. Lineberger assisted by Mesdames George Blanton, Will Lineberger and Mrs. Julius Suttle of Lincolnton served a delicious fruit salad, sandwiches, cheese straws, hot chocolate and mints.

GAFFNEY AND SPAKE GET THE STAR TWICE A WEEK

**Say Miller Harris and Giles Webb
Enjoyed Xmas Dinner with Them
Their Menu was Fine.**

Poincon, France, Dec. 26, 1918.

Dear Lee:
Yesterday was Christmas day and you know a Christmas that can be had in the States can't be had over here. But we didn't let anything bother us in the way of having a good dinner yesterday and in fact we had more than we could well dispose of; and thoughts came to me that some people and children, couldn't have anything at all. Of course we were only too glad to share with anybody that came to us for something to eat.

Supply Co. 322 Infantry menu for Christmas day was: Roast turkey, roast goose, roast chicken, chicken dressing, creamed potatoes, apple sauce, peach jam, hot biscuits, coffee, oranges, grapes, cakes, cigarettes, cigars and chewing gum, and if we are in France and get feeds like that no man has any remarks to make. I am sure every man in the company enjoyed his dinner and Giles Webb and Miller Harris came over to take dinner with the boys from Shelby, and we were glad they came for its interesting to have a talk with anyone you know. And after dinner oranges and nuts were served to the children in Poincon; and no doubt the kids were glad for they can't get everything that an American can. At 2:30 p. m. the German prisoners gave a little show to make the day more pleasant and it could not be understood for it was in German, but it was good anyway. We had a little snow last night. But it had been raining and it melted, this is the first snow we have had. The rain and the mud are the biggest things here, and the rest we don't mind much.

I receive the Star about twice a week and pass it around to the boys from home, and it is appreciated very much. We would be glad if you would put this in your paper. Everybody from Shelby in this regiment is doing fine.

Very truly yours,
Sergts. J. L. Gaffney and G. A. SPAKE.

Just received a big shipment Ladies and misses skirts prices right. Hull Brothers. Adv.

HEK for headache and neuralgia. 24 tablets to package 25c. All dealers.

JONI THE RED CROSS NOW.

DEAN MARVIN H. STACY OF U. N. C. PASSES AWAY

**Son of our Esteemed Countyman Rev.
L. E. Stacy of Belwood—Presi-
dent of University of N. C.**

Prof. Marvin Hendrix Stacy, dean of the college of liberal arts at the University of North Carolina for the past five years and chairman of the university faculty with full powers and duties of president since the death of the late President Edward K. Graham last October, died at his home at Chapel Hill Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock from influenza and complications. He became ill while attending a meeting of the executive committee of the board of trustees in Raleigh last Tuesday. Saturday night his condition became critical and grew steadily worse, until the last. The funeral was held there Wednesday at 2 o'clock. A service for the family was conducted at the home, which was followed by a short service at the grave. The remains were interred in the Chapel Hill cemetery.

Professor Stacy was 41 years of age. Surviving are his wife, formerly Miss Inez Koonce, of Clinton; his father, Rev. L. E. Stacy of Belwood; and the following brothers and sister; Judge W. P. Stacy, of Wilmington; H. E. Stacy of Lumberton; L. E. Stacy, Jr., of Wilkesboro; Mrs. Hardin of Charlotte; Mrs. C. C. Weaver, of Emory, Va.; Mrs. Kinsman, of Hamlet; Miss Rosa Stacy, of Emory, Va.; Miss Nancy Stacy, of Burlington; besides other relatives. Mrs. Stacy also has influenza but her condition is reported favorable.

Professor Stacy received his Ph. D. degree at the University in 1902; was instructor in mathematics from 1902 to 1906, receiving the M. A. degree in 1904; was a student at Cornell university in 1905, 1906, 1911; was associate professor of civil engineering from 1906 to 1910, when he was made professor of civil engineering. He was made acting dean of the college of liberal arts in 1913 and elevated to the position of dean when Dr. Graham was elected president in 1914.

SHELBY BOY IS AT HOME FROM OVERSEAS

Gastonia Gazette.

Sgt. T. J. Abernethy, a former Gastonian, arrived in the city yesterday from Camp Meade, having received his final discharge from the service Saturday, January 18. Sergeant Abernethy, who was a member of Company F, 118th Infantry, was wounded in action on October 8, a machine gun bullet having gone through the muscles of his right arm. He was assigned to a casualty company and landed in the United States December 18, 1918 being sent to Camp Meade, where he was finally discharged last week. Sergeant Abernethy's company was in a support regiment on September 29th, when the Hindenburg line was broken, and went into action that night. The action in which he was a part of the follow-up drive behind the famous line. He will spend a few days with friends here and then go to his home at Shelby.

Only Applies to Burke County.

Legislators are somewhat puzzled because some North Carolina papers have evidently conceived the idea that the measure offered last week by Representative Joseph E. Wilson, of Burke relative to possession of more than a quart of whiskey, would be state-wide in application. As a matter of fact, it would be applicable only in Burke county. Mr. Wilson's substitute bill would make it a misdemeanor for a person to have more than a quart of liquor, if the finding related to this first offense, while in subsequent offenses such possession would constitute a felony, the penalty being left largely to the discretion of the court.

T. D. Warren Nominated for District Attorney

Special to The Observer:
Washington, Jan. 22.—Thomas D. Warren, of New Bern, N. C., was nominated district attorney for the eastern district of North Carolina and Hiram M. Smith, of Richmond, for the eastern Virginia district.

Church Notices.

Preaching service and church conference Saturday morning at 11 o'clock. Very important meeting. Also preaching Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. Sharon Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. South Shelby Sunday night at 7. REV. N. C. WILLIAMS.

Young man take a look at our new Hats. Hull Bros. Adv.

TOM J. GOLD URGED FOR CONGRESS

**AND HE IS A NATIVE OF OLD
CLEVELAND**

**May Succeed Major Stedman in the
Fifth District—Tom is Strong Man
in this Session of Legislature.**

The following dispatch from Raleigh to the Greensboro News will be of interest to the many friends of Hon. Thomas J. Gold, a lawyer of High Point, because he is a native of Cleveland and son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gold of this county:

The latest thing in political booms comes in the shape of a movement to have Thomas J. Gold, of High Point, represent the fifth district in Congress. At present Mr. Gold represents Guilford in the state house of representatives and there are a number of North Carolinians who see in him potential larger representation. The idea is advanced by men of affairs both in and out of the general assembly and is gaining in momentum from day to day.

Mr. Gold's friends regard him as a young man who is displaying undoubted ability as a legislator and who possesses capabilities that may be developed in large fashion. He has long been closely identified with the work of the Democratic party in this state and he enjoys a popularity which would be a valuable asset in a campaign for Congress, according to prognosticators. He is a "fighter" who would enter the campaign with zest if he decided to make the race, and it is generally conceded that some scrapping may be necessary in this particular contest.

This is Thomas J. Gold's fourth term in the general assembly. In 1911 and 1912 he was judge of municipal court at High Point. As president of the Commercial club he has been prominently connected with many civic enterprises in the Furniture city. In 1916 he was presidential elector from the fifth district. He is a trustee of the University of North Carolina.

Many names have been mentioned in connection with the fifth's congressional fight to be staged in 1920, one of the most prominent being that of Victor S. Bryant, representative from Durham. If Major Stedman does not seek re-election—and there are many who believe he will retire—the Democrats will probably be called upon to choose between several candidates. Dennis G. Brummitt, of Granville, speaker of the house, has been suggested in this connection and there are others. Just now Tom Gold is being talked by many of his friends as a "logical" candidate.

30th DIVISION IS RELEASED TO SAIL

**The 27th and 37th Divisions are Also
Expected to Return to the
Port of Charleston.**

Washington, Jan. 21.—General Pershing has released the 30th division, known as the "Old Hickory," comprising national guardsmen of North Carolina, South Carolina and Tennessee, and this division will start home at an early date.

This was announced today by the war department which received and published the following cable message: "The 27th, 20th and 37th divisions including all organizations of these divisions, have been released and instructed to prepare for embarkation. The 102 trench motor battery of the 27th division has sailed. Of the 91st division, the 316th trench motor battery has been released and the 346th field artillery has sailed; all other organizations of this division are on priority and will be released as shipping becomes available."

It is expected that the boys of the 30th division will return via the port of Charleston and will be demobilized at either Fort Oglethorpe, Camp Sevier or Camp Jackson. Efforts to have the North Carolina boys sent to a camp in that state for muster out have so far been unavailing and so have local efforts for parades in Goldsboro, Raleigh and other cities.

Birth.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Wilson of Littleton, N. C., on Jan 18th a daughter. Mrs. Wilson was Miss Margaret Bowers before marriage.

Chapine for chaps, rough skin, au-toists. Will keep the skin soft and smooth. 25c bottle. Drug stores.

Hi-Ko gets the whole corn crop, nubbins, roots and shoots, 25c. All dealers.