

Digest of Charlton County Herald - January 1924

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January 11, 1924

NEW BABY. Born to Mrs. and Mrs. W.J. Johnson on December 31st, a baby girl who tipped the scales at 14 pounds, an unusually heavy baby. Both mother and baby are getting along nicely.

THE CITIZENS BANK. Statement of condition of the Citizens Bank at close of business on December 28, 1923: Resources: \$205,017.94.

MR. SEABORN RODDENBERRY DIED. Mr. Seaborn Roddenberry died suddenly at his home in Denton, Ga. Tuesday and was buried in the Folkston cemetery Wednesday afternoon. He was about sixty-five years of age and is survived by one brother, Mr. Newt Roddenberry and the only one living in the family of seven sons. He formerly lived in this county, moving to Denton several years ago and was engaged in business.

NOTICE. Pending the selection of a truant officer the Board of Education has requested that I look after the delinquents. Please see that your child is prompt in attending school. I assure parents I will report promptly the neglect of the child of his school duties, and expect cooperation from all. --T.W. WRENCH

ST. GEORGE SCHOOL DAY EXTENDED. On account of the large amount of work being attempted this semester the St. George school day has been lengthened a half hour. Class will be dismissed at 4:00 o'clock now instead of 3:30. Trucks will leave promptly at that time and pupils who do not go on the trucks are supposed to go directly home. Any cases of loitering on the road should be reported.

BETHEL SUNDAY SCHOOL. If you wish to go to a real live Sunday School, go to Bethel any Sunday afternoon. It was the editor's great pleasure to attend this Sunday School with Mrs. W.H. Mizell on December 30th. We found an even 100 in attendance, a gathering of enthusiastic Sunday School folks who were determined to make an enviable record in 1924. Mr. B.F. Gay is Supt. and is an excellent one. Rev. and Mrs. L.E. Williams were present and he gave an interesting talk. All hail Bethel Sunday School.

PARTNERSHIP DISSOLVED. On account of the continued ill health of J.C. Buie, the partnership engaged in business in several places in Charlton County under the name of Buie and Littlefield, and composed of J.C. Buie and J.C. Littlefield, has been dissolved, Mr. Buie having retired from the business. J.C. Littlefield succeeds to all the good will and benefits of said partnership, assumes all liability and all rights to collect and receive all indebtedness of partnership. December 27, 1923. J.C. BUIE. J.C. LITTLEFIELD.

January 18, 1924

DIRECTORY OF CHARLTON COUNTY. Clerk of Superior Court, J.D. Raulerson; Ordinary, J.J. Stokes; Sheriff, W.H. Mizell; Tax Collector, J.M. Roddenberry; Tax Receiver, H.H. Crews; County Commissioners, S.F. Mills, Jr., S.G. Gibson, O.M. Prescott, J.C. Boughner, J.P. Canady and O.F. Wilson, Clerk; County School Supt., L.E. Mallard; County Board of Education: T.W. Wrench, Chm.; John A. Prescott, W.R. Keene,

N.J. Norman, P.G. Brooks.

DIRECTORY OF CITY OF FOLKSTON. Mayor, Dr. A. Fleming; Councilmen, H.J. Davis, L.E. Mallard, Wm. Mizell, Jr., J.W. Rodgers, W.B. Smith; Treasurer, Mrs. J.M. Roddenberry; Assessor, G.A. Dean; Clerk, O.F. Wilson; Marshal, J.H. Barnes; City Attorney, A.S. McQueen. Postmaster, B. Fay Mills. Trustees, Folkston School: B.G. McDonald, Chm., C.W. Waughtel, S.F. Mills, Jr., Jim Huling, Mrs. William Mizell, Secretary.

WEDDING. Mr. M.D. Musgrove and Miss Luvennia Knight were married by Judge J.J. Stokes Sunday at his residence. The happy couple were accompanied by the parents of the bride, several relatives and friends.

WEDDING. Mr. Joseph Earl Thompson of Florida and Miss Clar Verna Lamb of Racepond were married Wednesday by Judge J.J. Stokes.

WEDDING. Mr. Hugh McClain and Miss Lucille Brock were married Saturday at the residence of Judge A.G. Gowen, the bride's grandfather, who performed the marriage ceremony.

HOLIDAY NOTICE: Lee's Birthday on January 19th, being a legal holiday, this bank will be closed for business on that day. THE CITIZENS BANK.

LITTLE NELL LITTLEFIELD DIED. Just as we go to press the sad intelligence of the death of little Nell Littlefield reaches us. Laryngitis with measles complications was the cause and her demise was sudden and unexpected. She was ten years old and a pupil in Miss Whatley's room. Her death caused universal sadness in the school as she is dearly loved by all. Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Littlefield of Burnt Fort are her parents. All of her brothers and sisters were at school at the time and Mr. Littlefield at his business.

January 25, 1924

LIBRARY IS A REALITY. From Folkston Woman's Civic Club article: It was decidedly a Library Day, culminating in the formal presentation by the trustees, of the deeds to the club, and the key to the new building to the library to Miss Susie Mizell, librarian. It will be open each Friday afternoon at 4:00 and the public is invited. A committee to assist the librarian was appointed: Mrs. Page, Mrs. Dean and Mrs. J.M. Roddenberry. The trustees of the library have worked unceasingly in their efforts to present to the club and the city an attractive library. This is an institution in our midst that has come to stay. The club secured on September 24, 1923, the very desirable northeast corner lot 50 feet wide and 110 feet deep from E.L. Martin for \$150.00. The club paid \$100.00 cash and gave a mortgage for \$50.00 for one year at 7%. Cost of war tax stamp: fifty cents. We had donated in cash \$125.50 and cost of recording the deed \$2.75. This leaves the balance of only \$25.00 due on the lot. Total cost of remodeling the library: \$149.70. cost of labor: (donated) 22.10. Amount expended, \$127.60. (Note: This library building was located across street from two-story Hewitt home on S. First Street. LBM)

MARY CATHERINE BUSSEY BORN. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bussey, St. George, are the parents of a baby girl born Friday afternoon. She has been named Margaret Catherine.

LITTLE ELEANOR WOODROW LITTLEFIELD DIED. On January 18th, God in His infinite wisdom, saw fit to descend to the earth and pluck from among His garden of flowers a tender bud that promised to bloom forth into one of the fairest Lilies of the Valley. Eleanor Woodrow Littlefield, age eleven years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Littlefield of Burnt Fort, while attending school at Folkston last term was knocked unconscious by a swing and it affected her nervous system, leaving her very excitable. During Christmas she had measles which left her very weak, then immediately following

the measles she contracted whooping cough and her condition wasn't strong enough to overcome it. She was laid to rest in the Folkston cemetery Saturday, services being conducted by Rev. T.B. Kemp of St. Marys.

ST. GEORGE SCHOOL PROVIDING LUNCHESES. The hot soup being served for lunch by the Domestic Science class at the St. George school is proving quite popular, especially on cold days. This innovation meets the approval of both parents and pupils where the great majority of the pupils do not go home at noon.

W.H. Robinson was owner of Charlton County Herald. Mrs. W.H. Robinson was editor. Published on Friday of each week. Subscription rate was \$1.50 for one year.

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(Nothing of interest in issue of February 1, 1924)

February 8, 1924

LIVESTOCK DIPPING VAT EMPLOYEES NEEDED. Applications are wanted by the County Commissioners for Range Riders, and Dip Inspectors for the Folkston, Winokur and Traders Hill Districts. Range riders will be paid \$75.00 per month and all fines he collects and Inspectors, \$75.00 per month. There will be about 10 vats for each two men to look after.

EX-PRESIDENT WILSON DIED. Death tiptoed softly to the bedside of Woodrow Wilson Sunday morning and carried him away without a struggle. The end came peacefully at 11:15 Sunday morning. "He died just like a tired man going to sleep," Admiral Grayson said. He died on the seventh anniversary of the day he ordered severance of diplomatic relations with Germany.

MARION LAVERNE PICKREN BORN. The Folkston school extends congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. V.J. Pickren on the birth of a daughter who has been named Marion laVerne. Mrs. Pickren will be remembered as Marion Mills and Mr. Pickren as just Verne, both old pupils of our school.

SCOTT DRUG STORE. The Scott Drug Store opened for business this week with A.T. Scott, proprietor.

HAROLD COLVIN POWERS BORN. Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Powers, Blackshear, announce the birth of a son on January 26th. He will be named Harold Colvin. Mrs. Powers will be remembered as Miss Mattie Gibson.

WEDDING. Married at the courthouse Saturday afternoon was Miss Mamie Byrd to Mr. James H. Edwards, J.J. Stokes officiating. Mrs. Edwards is a Charlton County girl and Mr. Edwards is from Spartanburg, S.C.

February 15, 1924

GRAND JURORS. Grand jurors drawn for the March Term of Superior Court: Geo. C. Howard, M.J. Paxton, R.E. Condon, R.L. Prescott, D.W. Reynolds, J.A. Prescott, Geo. R. Gowen, L.S. Conner, W.E. Gibson, Robt. Thrift, N.J. Norman, H.D. Thomas, J.P. Mizell, T.H. Lowther, Leon Chisholm, F.N. Stokes, Noah Stokes, G.A. Dean, J.W. Rodgers, H.J. Davis, W.A. Stokes, B.H. Aldridge, C.C. Canady, Daniel A. Raulerson, H.S. Hodges, G.W. Holzendorf, Jas. C. Raulerson, H.G. Gibson, N. Roddenberry and

W.O. Gibson.

TRAVERSE JURORS. Traverse jurors drawn for March Term: J.K. Hopkins, Ed. Mizell, B.B. Gowen, Lester Loyd, Frank Carter, H. Stokes, J.P.B. Higginbotham, Hamp Crews, Sr., J.M. Wilson, Matthew Smith, C.J. Altman, J.S. Joyner, N.J. Raulerson, Geo. J. Stewart, Albert Phillips, B.B. Raulerson, Robt. Jones, J.H. Williams, C.W. Prescott, Benj. M. Prescott, Spencer Rowell, F.D. Mills, J.A. Barker, Joseph Thrift, B.H. Lowther, M. Sikes, John W. Sineath, J.W. Canady, Thomas Johns, J.W. Vickery, W.B. Smith, Thomas Chesser, I.G. Rowe, Sol. Burnsed, P.C. Brooks, Raiford Carter, L.H. Kennison, E.N. Grooms, Edward Petty, W.B. Kennison, Jas. E. Johnson, R.L. Canady, Moses Hendrix, S.A. Crews, Andrew Crews, W.L. Chancey, R.R. Bell and J.S. Grooms.

VOLUNTEERS DEFEAT HOUSE FIRE. The residence occupied by Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Crews was nearly destroyed by fire Sunday. About 2:00 o'clock the roof was seen blazing by neighbors who gave the alarm. Volunteers quickly extinguished the blaze, which had done very little damage. Water damaged the furniture and rugs considerably. No one was at home except Mr. Crews.

NEW TRANSPORTATION FOR STUDENTS. The school board has purchased a new truck and put it on the Toledo route.

SCHOOL PRINTING PRESS. The printing department of the St. George school has been busy the past week turning out envelopes, report cards and notices required by the school.

LEWIS THOMAS RANSOM BORN. A fine boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T.K. Ransom Saturday. He has been named Lewis Thomas.

WEDDING. Mr. W.O. Wildes and Miss Ora Crawford were married in Jacksonville Saturday. They motored through and visited the parents of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Wildes. They will live in Jacksonville where Mr. Wildes has a position with the Cummer Lumber Co.

February 22, 1924

NEW LIBRARY. One of the members of the Folkston Woman's Civic Club gave \$60.00 on the day the library was opened and it was used to buy books. Club members plan to celebrate "Book Day" by each bringing a gift of a book to the library on February 22nd.

MR. THOMAS D. PRESCOTT DIED. On Friday the 15th instant, Mr. Thomas D. Prescott died at his home near Waynesville, a victim of typhoid fever. He is survived by six brothers J.A. Prescott, C.W. Prescott, H.O. Prescott, B.S. Prescott, J.L. Prescott and O.M. Prescott, all well-known citizens of this county; and two sisters, Mrs. Isabel Chancey and Mrs. Jeanette Gill; Mrs. Mary Ann Chancey and Mrs. J.D. Wildes having died a few years ago; also by his wife, Mrs. Lula Prescott. Mr. Prescott was forty-five years old on November 15th last.

--W.O. Gibson

DR. WILLIAMS, FATHER OF DR. A.D. WILLIAMS, DIED. The friends of Dr. A.D. Williams sincerely sympathize with him in the loss of his father, whose death occurred in Jacksonville Wednesday.

February 29, 1924

DEAN GOWEN HOME FOR VISIT. Dean Gowen, who is a student of the Duval High School in Jacksonville, spent the weekend with his parents at Traders Hill.

PICKREN CHILD PAINFULLY BURNED. The little year old baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor L. Pickren was burned painfully Tuesday on his arm and several places on his body by scalding water. It appears that a kettle of hot water was on the hearth and

before the mother could move it, the baby crawled up to it, catching hold and splashing the hot water on his little body. If the kettle had entirely overturned, it would have been much worse. We are glad to report that the little boy is improving nicely.

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JUDGE A.G. GOWEN PASSED AWAY. Mr. A.G. Gowen, age 85, died at his home at Traders Hill Wednesday and was buried Thursday with Masonic honors. He is survived by his widow; four sons, G.W. Gowen, B.B. Gowen, J.V. Gowen and A.G. Gowen, Jr.; five daughters, Mrs. J.W. Vickery, Mrs. Mary Brock, Mrs. Katie Casey, Mrs. Flora Copeland and Mrs. Laura Kirkpatrick. His life of over 67 years in Charlton has been full of activity and many honors have been his, having served as Superior Court Clerk, Representative, Judge of the county court and was a school trustee at the time of his death. His friends are legend and his life is a record of good works, and interesting from a historical point of view of this section.

HEALTHMOBILE TO BE HERE. The Healthmobile sent out by the State Board of Health from the Division of Child Hygiene, will be in Charlton County March 17th and 18th. They will be in St. George, Folkston and Racepoint. The Healthmobile is in charge of a doctor and he is assisted by a nurse.

ST. GEORGE SCHOOL. According to unforeseen and heavy expenses the St. George School Trustees have found it necessary to reduce the length of time by one month this year. Under this arrangement, the school will close March 28th.

March 14, 1924

CAMDEN SCHOOLS CONSOLIDATE. The report on the survey of Camden County shows that all of the white schools of the county, originally 33, have been consolidated into five, one each at St. Marys, Kingsland, White Oak, Waverly and Woodbine.

Through aid from the Rosenwald Fund the negroes have erected a school building at Kinwood near Kingsland.

GEORGE WHITE INJURED. Mr. George White is nursing a broken arm, a result of too intimate association with a Ford.

WEDDING. A marriage of interest to the many friends here of the groom was the wedding of Mr. James T. Wildes of Folkston and Miss Clarabell Howard of Blackshear where the happy event occurred on the 12th. They are at home to their friends at Homeland.

MR. ED. PETTY KILLED. The remains of Mr. Ed. Petty who was accidentally killed near Live Oak, Florida Tuesday by being caught in a drum of a skidder were brought here Wednesday and taken to the home of his father in the Traders Hill district. The interment took place Thursday at Sardis. He leaves a wife and two children and a large number of relatives to mourn his tragic end.

MR. R.T. THOMAS VISITS HERE. Mr. R.T. Thomas, of Callahan, is visiting his daughter Mrs. J.C. Allen this week. He is a pioneer citizen of Charlton County having moved here with his parents from Bullock County during his childhood. He has reached the ripe age of 78 but looks more like a man 60. He has 56 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren. Mr. Thomas served with distinction in the Confederate War and is a man greatly beloved by our people.

March 21, 1924

REPORT ON CHARLTON SCHOOLS. State School Supervisor E.A. Pound, in his report on Charlton County, in the survey on Georgia State Schools, says there are in the county 17 white schools and 3 colored schools. There are less than 400 colored children in the county. The colored school at Traders Hill and the Folkston colored school should be combined and the money secured, perhaps from the Rosenwald Fund, in order to develop a good school and first class building. The county has discontinued all eighth grades in country schools and is transporting all of the high school pupils to the high school.

NEW BABY. Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Pearce announce the birth of a fine baby boy at Jesup last week.

MR. LEONARD HARRIS DIED. Mr. Leonard Harris, age about 80 years, died at his home near Traders Hill Tuesday afternoon and was buried at Sardis Cemetery Wednesday morning. He was a member of the Primitive Baptist church for many years and was devoted to his church.

MR. C.A. HOWARD DIED. Mrs. B.G. McDonald has returned from Bradford, Fla. where she was called on account of the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. C.A. Howard. Mr. Howard, at one time, lived in Charlton County near Uptonville. In April 1888 he married Miss Lillie Lang who survives him.

March 28, 1924

MAD DOG BITES RESIDENTS. A mad dog was on the streets Friday night and bit Mrs. W.E. Banks and Sue Jack Littlefield. The dog's head was sent to Atlanta for examination and Tuesday Dr. Banks received a telegram stating that there was positive evidence of hydrophobia and treatment was being sent. The city council met Monday and passed an ordinance prohibiting dogs from running on the streets without muzzles.

WAINWRIGHT HOME DESTROYED BY FIRE. The home of Mrs. Lizzie Wainwright was completely destroyed by fire Tuesday afternoon supposedly caught from burning grass. The house was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Lassiter. The entire contents were saved, except some of Mrs. Wainwright's furniture, which had been stored in a room while she was away. We understand that the loss was covered by insurance.

END OF SCHOOL PARTY. The ladies gave Miss Mayme Askew and Miss Mary Banks a surprise party at the Moniac Ridgewood school house where the young ladies were teaching their last days of school last week.

NEW BABY. Mr. and Mrs. D.F. Pearce are the proud parents of a fine baby girl, born in Jesup Tuesday.

NEW BABY. Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Stewart announce the birth of a fine baby boy born March 23.

WILSON BABY DIED. The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wilson will sincerely sympathize with them in the death of their baby girl born March 4th.

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April 4, 1924

PLAY TO BE PRESENTED. Local talent directed by Mrs. J.D. Roddenberry will present "A Poor Married Man", a play, next Friday. Those who will take part are T.L. Pickren, Brantley Roddenberry, Mrs. Dean, Neal Joyner, Pearl Allen and Helen Pickren.

Proceeds will go to the Methodist Church Building Fund.

FOLKSTON METHODIST CHURCH. The Methodists have started work on their new building. Their old "lean-to" steeple, that has been an eye-sore to all the people in town, has been pulled down. The sides of the old building have been removed and everything is ready for the new work to begin. The new building is to be stucco with a metal roof. There will be six Sunday School rooms and the building is to be completed by the first of June. The Methodists are using the school building for their Sunday School and the Baptist Church for their church services.

LITTLE MILDRED RODGERS PAINFULLY BURNED. Mildred, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Rodgers, was painfully burned Monday by overturning a pot of boiling coffee. Her leg above the knee and her foot was so badly scalded that the skin came off when her clothing was removed. She is getting along as well as could be expected and soon hopes to take her place in the first grade, at which she is one of the brightest pupils.

April 11, 1924

WEDDING. A marriage announcement that will be interesting to their many friends is that of Mr. Ralph Johnson and Miss Julia Haddock who were united in holy wedlock Wednesday. Mr. Johnson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson and is a young man of many sterling qualities. The bride is the sister of Mr. J.S. Haddock and is a charming young lady.

BOARD OF TRADE ORGANIZED. A meeting was held in the auditorium Tuesday and a Folkston Board of Trade was organized. Col. McQueen was chosen chairman and G.A. Dean as secretary.

April 18, 1924

THE CITIZENS BANK. Statement of condition of the Citizens Bank at close of business March 31, 1924: Resources, \$191,733.97.

April 25, 1924

LITTLE IMOGENE MCCLOUD MCQUEEN DIED. Little Imogene McCloud McQueen died at a hospital in Jacksonville last Saturday morning. The funeral was conducted at the home of Col. and Mrs. A.S. McQueen Sunday afternoon by Rev. L.E. Williams. Interment was in the Folkston cemetery. This tiny blossom of humanity came into the home of Col. and Mrs. A.S. McQueen two years ago the 26th of last January.

MR. GEORGE W. BRYANT DIED. Mr. Bryant died at his home at Traders Hill Sunday morning of pneumonia. He was buried at Traders Hill Cemetery Monday morning. He is survived by his widow and several children. Mrs. Bryant is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.S. Joyner.

NEW BABY. A fine baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Powell on April 20.

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May 2, 1924

WEDDING. A wedding of unusual beauty was that of Miss Susie Mizell and Dr. Albert Fleming which was solemnized Wednesday at the home of the bride's parents in Folkston. Immediately after the ceremony Dr. and Mrs. Fleming left for a motor trip through Florida.

WEDDING. Miss Mabell Hendrix and Mr. E.D. Mizell were happily married in Folkston

Saturday. Mr. Mizell is well and favorably known in Charlton County as a young man of many sterling qualities and business ability. The bride is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T.M. Hendrix and one of the most popular young ladies in the community.

TRAINS DISCONTINUED. The Floridian and Dixie Limited, fast north and southbound trains, will be discontinued by the Atlantic Coast Line now that the northern tourist season is practically over. The trains were run regularly every day and the last trip was made Wednesday, when the trains went north and will not return until next fall.

DELEGATES ATTEND CONVENTION. Mr. C.W. Waughtel and Mr. E.F. Dean, Sr. went to Atlanta this week to attend the convention of the Republican Party.

MR. E.C. CRAWFORD DIED. Mr. E.C. Crawford, a well known citizens of this county, died at his home near Toledo last Friday. He is survived by his widow and several small children. May 9, 1924

WAYCROSS TOBACCO WAREHOUSE. Business men in Waycross are making an effort to secure the establishment of a tobacco warehouse there.

UNUSUAL PET ANIMAL. Last Saturday afternoon a very unusual visitor made its appearance in the Herald office. The visitor was a beautiful mild-eyed deer, led by Otto Martin. This deer was captured when small and is quite tame.

NOTICE: Dues for the Folkston Woman's Civic Club are now \$2.00, but if a member wishes this may be paid \$1.00 now and \$1.00 in six months.

PICKREN BABY DIED. Since going to press the news of the death of the little baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor L. Pickren reached us. He died Friday morning at Argyle, and will be buried in the Folkston cemetery Saturday afternoon.

NEW BABY. A fine baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Ryles May 2nd.

NEW BABY. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Askew announce the birth of a fine baby girl on May 3rd. May 16, 1924

MR. W.L. SPENCER DIED IN FIRE. Mr. W.L. Spencer was burned to death in a fire which consumed his home near Kent just across the St. Marys River from St. George Friday afternoon. The funeral was held in St. George Saturday.

1924 GRADUATING CLASS. The graduating class of the Charlton County High School includes Pearl Allen, Margaret Garrison, Thelma Gowen, Mildred Littlefield and Violet Martin. An elaborate program for the entire week has been planned and will end with graduation on May 30th.

LITTLE JUNIOR PICKREN DIED. Again death has broken into a happy home circle and took away little Junior Pickren, the ten-months-old son and only child of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor L. Pickren, to realms where there is no sorrow or suffering. Mrs. Pickren and little Junior were visiting her mother in Argyle when sickness struck him and after a week of intense suffering death came to relieve the little body and brought sadness to the hearts of his loved ones. He was tenderly laid to rest in the Folkston cemetery Saturday afternoon.

MR. A.L. SMITH DIED. A.L. Smith died at his home in St. George last Tuesday night and was buried in the cemetery there Thursday afternoon. The funeral was held at the family home. "Daddy" Smith, as he was affectionately called by his friends, came to St. George in the early days, and with his good wife who survives him, established the Smith Hotel. Born near Columbus Grove, Ohio on April 21, 1844, he was married to Sarah Tousley on 28 of May, 1881. He came to St. George from Columbus Grove in 1905 and has remained here ever since. His surviving children include Mrs. C.E. Stroup, Mrs. W.T. Londeree.

CHILDREN IN NEED. Last Tuesday there was camping in the city camping grounds a family consisting of five adults and 14 or 15 children claiming to be in destitute circumstances. The three men were able-bodied and looked amply able to work. The children, from five to twelve years of age, combed the town begging for money, food and clothes. No telling where they will go next, but something should be done for these children.

MR. AND MRS. WHITE VISIT. Mr. and Mrs. George White and two little sons of Waycross spent this week visiting friends in Homeland and looking after their Homeland farm. They sold their range cattle while there.

May 23, 1924

COURTNEY HOME DESTROYED BY FIRE. The home of Mrs. Nellie Courtney was completely destroyed by fire Saturday afternoon. When discovered the fire had gained considerable headway covering the kitchen and dining room. She was upstairs when she discovered the blaze coming in the windows. She only had time to snatch up some of her clothing and push her trunk down the stairway. The furniture upstairs was burned and the furniture downstairs was partly saved. This was one of the oldest houses in Folkston, built of heart lumber which went up in smoke in a short time.

JOSEPH WILLIAM DAVIS BORN. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Davis announce the birth of a fine son in Hardeeville, N.C. on May 16th. The little boy has been named Joseph William.

DR. MCLAUGHLIN HERE. Dr. A.T. McLaughlin announces that May 30 will be the first day he will be in Folkston, after that he will be here every Friday. He has an office in Mrs. E.L. Martin's home.

NEW BARBER. Roy Braddock has opened a barber shop in the old stand occupied by the City Barber Shop.

May 30, 1924

COTTON CROP. In the past two issues we requested all who were growing cotton to let us know the acreage that each one had planted. Two have reported. Gabor Enyedy has three acres planted at St. George and Ed Davis reports that he has two acres of mighty fine cotton growing in Folkston.

POSSIBLE NEW INDUSTRY FOR SOUTH. Eyes of the paper-making industry are turning toward the South in search of more continuous supplies of raw materials and it is believed the South is the coming center of paper-making.

TOBACCO AND TOMATOES. Several of our tobacco growers are replanting missing places with tomatoes. Mr. Wrench supplies plants on a basis of a thousand for a bushel of fruit. You will make no mistake planting a big patch.

May 1924 May 2, 1924 WEDDING. A wedding of unusual beauty was that of Miss Susie Mizell and Dr. Albert Fleming which was solemnized Wednesday at the home of the bride's parents in Folkston. Immediately after the ceremony Dr. and Mrs. Fleming left for a motor trip through Florida. WEDDING. Miss Mabell Hendrix and Mr. E.D. Mizell were happily married in Folkston Saturday. Mr. Mizell is well and favorably known in Charlton County as a young man of many sterling qualities and business ability. The bride is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T.M. Hendrix and one of the most popular young ladies in the community. TRAINS DISCONTINUED. The Floridian and Dixie Limited, fast north and southbound trains, will be discontinued by the Atlantic Coast Line now that the northern tourist season is practically over. The trains were run regularly every day and

the last trip was made Wednesday, when the trains went north and will not return until next fall. DELEGATES ATTEND CONVENTION. Mr. C.W. Waughtel and Mr. E.F. Dean, Sr. went to Atlanta this week to attend the convention of the Republican Party. MR. E.C. CRAWFORD DIED. Mr. E.C. Crawford, a well known citizens of this county, died at his home near Toledo last Friday. He is survived by his widow and several small children. May 9, 1924 WAYCROSS TOBACCO WAREHOUSE. Business men in Waycross are making an effort to secure the establishment of a tobacco warehouse there. UNUSUAL PET ANIMAL. Last Saturday afternoon a very unusual visitor made its appearance in the Herald office. The visitor was a beautiful mild-eyed deer, led by Otto Martin. This deer was captured when small and is quite tame. NOTICE: Dues for the Folkston Woman's Civic Club are now \$2.00, but if a member wishes this may be paid \$1.00 now and \$1.00 in six months. PICKREN BABY DIED. Since going to press the news of the death of the little baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor L. Pickren reached us. He died Friday morning at Argyle, and will be buried in the Folkston cemetery Saturday afternoon. NEW BABY. A fine baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Ryles May 2nd. NEW BABY. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Askew announce the birth of a fine baby girl on May 3rd. May 16, 1924 MR. W.L. SPENCER DIED IN FIRE. Mr. W.L. Spencer was burned to death in a fire which consumed his home near Kent just across the St. Marys River from St. George Friday afternoon. The funeral was held in St. George Saturday. 1924 GRADUATING CLASS. The graduating class of the Charlton County High School includes Pearl Allen, Margaret Garrison, Thelma Gowen, Mildred Littlefield and Violet Martin. An elaborate program for the entire week has been planned and will end with graduation on May 30th. LITTLE JUNIOR PICKREN DIED. Again death has broken into a happy home circle and took away little Junior Pickren, the ten-months-old son and only child of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor L. Pickren, to realms where there is no sorrow or suffering. Mrs. Pickren and little Junior were visiting her mother in Argyle when sickness struck him and after a week of intense suffering death came to relieve the little body and brought sadness to the hearts of his loved ones. He was tenderly laid to rest in the Folkston cemetery Saturday afternoon. MR. A.L. SMITH DIED. A.L. Smith died at his home in St. George last Tuesday night and was buried in the cemetery there Thursday afternoon. The funeral was held at the family home. "Daddy" Smith, as he was affectionately called by his friends, came to St. George in the early days, and with his good wife who survives him, established the Smith Hotel. Born near Columbus Grove, Ohio on April 21, 1844, he was married to Sarah Tousley on 28 of May, 1881. He came to St. George from Columbus Grove in 1905 and has remained here ever since. His surviving children include Mrs. C.E. Stroup, Mrs. W.T. Londeree. CHILDREN IN NEED. Last Tuesday there was camping in the city camping grounds a family consisting of five adults and 14 or 15 children claiming to be in destitute circumstances. The three men were able-bodied and looked amply able to work. The children, from five to twelve years of age, combed the town begging for money, food and clothes. No telling where they will go next, but something should be done for these children. MR. AND MRS. WHITE VISIT. Mr. and Mrs. George White and two little sons of Waycross spent this week visiting friends in Homeland and looking after their Homeland farm. They sold their range cattle while there. May 23, 1924 COURTNEY HOME DESTROYED BY FIRE. The home of Mrs. Nellie Courtney was completely destroyed by fire Saturday afternoon. When discovered the fire had gained considerable headway covering the kitchen and dining room. She was upstairs when she discovered the blaze coming in the windows. She

only had time to snatch up some of her clothing and push her trunk down the stairway. The furniture upstairs was burned and the furniture downstairs was partly saved. This was one of the oldest houses in Folkston, built of heart lumber which went up in smoke in a short time. JOSEPH WILLIAM DAVIS BORN. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Davis announce the birth of a fine son in Hardeeville, N.C. on May 16th. The little boy has been named Joseph William. DR. MCLAUGHLIN HERE. Dr. A.T. McLaughlin announces that May 30 will be the first day he will be in Folkston, after that he will be here every Friday. He has an office in Mrs. E.L. Martin's home. NEW BARBER. Roy Braddock has opened a barber shop in the old stand occupied by the City Barber Shop. May 30, 1924 COTTON CROP. In the past two issues we requested all who were growing cotton to let us know the acreage that each one had planted. Two have reported. Gabor Enyedy has three acres planted at St. George and Ed Davis reports that he has two acres of mighty fine cotton growing in Folkston. POSSIBLE NEW INDUSTRY FOR SOUTH. Eyes of the paper-making industry are turning toward the South in search of more continuous supplies of raw materials and it is believed the South is the coming center of paper-making. TOBACCO AND TOMATOES. Several of our tobacco growers are replanting missing places with tomatoes. Mr. Wrench supplies plants on a basis of a thousand for a bushel of fruit. You will make no mistake planting a big patch.

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HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION. Graduation exercises were held Friday evening in the high school when the young ladies Pearl Allen, Thelma Gowen, Margaret Garrison, Mildred Littlefield, Violet Martin and Eleanor Cockrell received diplomas. Gertrude Wildes made the highest average in the high school for the term.

WEDDING. A marriage of much interest to their many friends was that of Miss Gladys Mae Grooms and Mr. Owen Prevatte which was solemnized at the Methodist parsonage Saturday with Rev. L.E. Williams officiating. Mrs. Prevatte is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E.N. Grooms and is a very attractive young lady. Mr. Prevatte is the youngest son of Mr. J. Prevatte and is a very prosperous young man and has many qualities that make a splendid man. The marriage was witnessed by two sisters of the bride, Miss Beulah and Miss Netta Grooms. The young couple will live in Mattox.

WEDDING. The First Methodist Church in Folkston was the scene of a beautiful wedding Wednesday when Mrs. Beulah Mizell Davis and Mr. Warren Chester King were united in marriage. Mr. and Mrs. King left for an extended tour of the West and will be at home after July 15th in Kingsland.

MRS. LULA JOHNSON DIED. The many friends here of Mrs. Lula Johnson will be grieved to learn of her death which occurred in Waycross at the home of her father, E.J. Johnson Monday. She is survived by one daughter Mae Johnson, age 12; by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Johnson; four sisters, Mrs. S. Palmer, Mrs. T.H. Matthews, Mrs. S.C. Meldon and Miss Lutie Johnson; one brother, F.J. Johnson, Jr. The funeral was held at Sardis Church Tuesday with Rev. W.O. Gibson officiating.

COTTON FARMER. Mr. A.W. Askew informs us that he has twelve acres of mighty fine cotton on his farm north of Folkston. He is an experienced cotton farmer and says that this year has been one of the most favorable seasons for cotton that he has ever seen.

June 13, 1924

LITTLE RUBY IRENE STEPHENS DIED. Death cast gloom over the community on June 10th at noon when little Ruby Irene Stephens, the ten- months-old baby of Mr. W. Garland Stephens and Mrs. Minnie Stephens passed away. She was only sick three days and everything that medical aid and tender hands could do was done to relieve the little sufferer but nothing availed. God called her home.

GETTING RID OF EMPTY CANS. Next week the City of Folkston will employ a truck to call at every home and carry away empty cans. Have them placed so that the truck can get to them without trouble. By order of Mayor Fleming.

ERNEST ALTMAN COMING HOME TO PREACH. Commencing Sunday the Baptist Church will begin their annual protracted meeting when Ernest M. Altman, a former Folkston boy, will assist the pastor. Rev. Altman is regarded as one of the strongest preachers in the South. He is not only well known to the people of Folkston, but throughout the country.

RUSTING CANS HELP FRUIT TREES. Empty cans buried under the grape vine or around those fruit trees will do a wonderful amount of good. The rusting cans supply an element to the soil needed for growth. Mayor Fleming has had cans buried under his fruit trees and says he has never seen such growth. Peach trees and grape vines are bearing fruit in four months after being transplanted. He can prove this.

WEDDING. Miss Estelle Gowen and Mr. Jim Sikes were married last Saturday afternoon and left immediately for Hoboken.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH. The First Methodist Church of Folkston has the appearance of being almost completed. This is indeed a beautiful church with large Sunday School rooms on each side. The main part of the church is beautiful. The building is one a much larger town might be proud of.

FIRST COTTON BLOOM. The first cotton bloom of the season was brought to the Herald by Mr. J.T. Bell who stated that he had many more blooms in his acre patch. We believe Mr. Bell has broken the record for the earliest bloom.

June 20, 1924

WEDDING. The announcement of the marriage of Miss Pearl Allen and Mr. Earl Roberts last Sunday will be of interest to their many friends. Mrs. Roberts is one of the recent graduates of Charlton County High School. Mr. Roberts is the bookkeeper for a lumber company in Bradford, Fla. For several months he lived in Folkston keeping books for Mr. Tomicello.

COUNTRY SCHOOLS. Mr. L.E. Mallard and Mr. John Harris have spent much time this week touring the county trying to place the most qualified teachers in the specific schools that need those teachers.

REWARD OFFERED. A reward of \$50.00 will be paid to the party with the evidence to convict persons who are scattering tacks on the highway. --DR. A. FLEMING, Mayor.

FOR SALE: The bricks of the two chimneys standing on my place. --MRS. NELLIE COURTNEY.

June 27, 1924

CHURCH IN RUINS. As soon as we get the data we will give the history of the beautiful Baptist Church building at Homeland, whose bell is silent, furniture moved, windows falling out and the entire building fast going to decay. The history of this church is very interesting.

MALARIA MOSQUITO PLACE FOUND. Dr. Fleming, who is always on the lookout for

causes which might possibly be the means of sickness, reported to the editor of the Herald that he had found only one small stream infected with the malaria mosquito and that stream was to be immediately cleaned out and the breeding place destroyed. RAILROAD BOYS VISIT. Sidney Robinson, Garland Stephens, Frank Mills and Billy Robinson spent Sunday with the home folks. These boys are with the signal department of the Atlantic Coast Line and are now located at Callahan.

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(Nothing of interest in issue of July 4th, 1924)

July 11, 1924

EUGENE RODDENBERRY IN CALIFORNIA. The relatives and friends of Eugene Roddenberry, son of Leon Roddenberry, a former citizen of Charlton County, will be interested to learn that he and his wife and children are now living in Los Angeles, California and are doing well and are happy.

July 18, 1924

ALBERT S. STEWART KILLED. Albert S. Stewart, 22 years of age, was instantly killed late Monday at his sawmill when a tractor which he was driving reared up, overturned and pinned him beneath it. When he did not return to the mill as soon as he should, his brother, George, went to look for him and found him under the tractor dead. He had a small log attached to the tractor, which was going at a good rate of speed, when the end of the log hit a lightwood stump causing the tractor to rear up and turn over. Albert was one of the smartest boys to graduate from the Folkston high school. Wednesday morning the long funeral procession left the home for the private burial ground where the body was tenderly laid to rest, Rev. L.E. Williams conducting the service. He is survived by his mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Mizell; five brothers, George J. Stewart, Edgar Stewart, Domingo Stewart, Walter Stewart and Oscar Stewart.

METHODIST CHURCH. The first service will be held in the new Methodist Church Sunday. No special offering will be taken. NEW BABY. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Condon are the proud parents of a fine baby boy born July 14th.

MRS. AGNES HADDOCK DIED. The friends of Mr. J.S. Haddock, proprietor of the Folkston Meat Market, sympathize with him in the death of his mother on July 11th after an illness of several months. Mrs. Agnes Haddock was the daughter of the late John C. Walker and had resided in the community in which she died all her life. She was 61 years of age. Interment was in the family lot in Pigeon Creek Cemetery. Besides her husband, J.W. Haddock, she is survived by the following children: H.L. Haddock, J.C. Haddock, Dean Haddock, Mrs. P.C. Tracey, J.S. Haddock, Mrs. E.H. Johnson and Mrs. A.R. Johnson.

July 25, 1924

METHODIST CHURCH. The new Methodist Church is now complete and ready for use, the Sunday School rooms having received the finishing touches this week. Services were held in the building last Sunday.

ROADMASTER HODGES AND DICK BERGEN IN ACCIDENT. Mr. V.A. Hodges and his helper, Dick Bergen, had a thrill Wednesday. When rounding a curve north of town, they ran into a bunch of razorbacks. Dick took a header into some bushes sustaining a few

painful bruises, while Mr. Hodges stuck to the car and escaped unhurt. Striking a hog, the car was derailed and badly damaged.

MOTHER, MRS. LEWIS FLOYD AND DAUGHTER, MARY DIED. The mother, Mrs. Lewis Floyd, age 73, died at her home near Uptonville Wednesday of heart trouble after a lingering illness. The daughter, Miss Mary, aged 20 years, died just before noon on the operating table in Dr. Williams' office where she was brought for treatment of diphtheria. She had been ailing a week and the disease had secured too firm a foothold to yield to treatment. This sad double death removed all females of the family, leaving to mourn the loss of the mother and daughter, Mr. Floyd, and six sons. The Herald extends its deepest sympathy to the family in its great loss. The double funeral took place Thursday and interment was at the Sardis Cemetery.

SARDIS SCHOOL. Sardis School District is contemplating a new school building.

NEW BABY. Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Lovett are the proud parents of a fine ten pound girl born Wednesday at Grandfather Roach's home.

PRESBYTERIANS TO BUILD. The Presbyterians are going right ahead with their plans and are getting funds from distant friends for a church building fund. Their building plot by the courthouse is a beautiful one and they hope for a start at an early date.

THE CITIZENS BANK. Statement of condition of the Citizens Bank at close of business June 30, 1924: Resources, \$198,057.74.

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OKEFENOKEE TRIP. It was our pleasure to be in the party of the Ga. Press Assn. and Waycross people who made the trip in the Okefenokee Swamp with Billys Island as the destination last week. The guiding hand of Mr. A.J. Armstrong, general manager of the Hebard Cypress Co., made every moment of the time from Waycross and return pass pleasantly.

The special train was composed of the wood burning "cabbage head" as it is known to the people of the Okefenokee, one "dog house", the name commonly given to the observation car of the Okefenokee Railroad, one box car furnished for the occasion and seven flat cars which were fitted with railings and seats.

Hopkins is a genuine lumber mill town. Great stacks of lumber of all dimensions, cypress and pine, were seen. Yes, acres of lumber ready to be shipped to the building contractors. Five smokestacks sending the smoke to the sky silently told the story of the labor being used to convert great big logs into beautiful boards. We left Hopkins and journeyed to Billys Island over water through the dense growth of vines, bushes and majestic trees from which Spanish moss hung in great...(not legible)...the air with fragrance, brilliant colored butterflies flitting by as the engine labored to carry the party to their destination.

At last Billys Island was reached and a more beautiful spot will be hard to find. They just made in the heart of this fresh water swamp an island covered with the largest trees, beautiful flowers and ferns. The little city of Billys Island has two hotels, one well stocked general merchandise store, a restaurant, a moving picture theater, a barber shop, a church, a community school, an electric light plant and a water works system. The island was turned over to the party, surrendering to the editors the curiosities of the place and telling them the historic traditions which hover over the old

hunting grounds.

Barbecued pork and beef, pickles and bread were served at the dinner hour. Mr. Armstrong had made preparations for more than 500 visitors and the meat was brought out on wooden serving boards and placed upon the picnic tables. Huge barrels of lemonade and ice water, whose supply seemed inexhaustible were the center of attraction all day.

Harrison Lee, a pioneer of the Okefenokee, exhibited a bear cub caught early Wednesday morning several miles from Billys. It was our pleasure to meet several of the citizens of Billys Island ...(not legible)...known in Folkston, Hamp and Sam Mizell, W.L. Chancey, Mrs. Rhoda Mizell-Spaulling, valuable employees of the Hebard Lumber Co.

We are delighted that we had the opportunity of making this trip, glad to shake the hands of our neighbors and subscribers. Long may they live and always be as happy and prosperous as they are now.

The last business session of the Press Assn. was held in the moving picture theater. PARTNERSHIP DISSOLVED. The undersigned has sold all his interest in the partnership known as the Racepond Turpentine Co. to R.H. Adams of Marianna, Fla. and the undersigned will be bound for no further indebtedness.

JOE M. SHINGLER

TEACHERS EMPLOYED FOR THIS YEAR. The following will teach in the Charlton County High School and Folkston Consolidated School for the new year: John Harris, supervising principal, science, civics and classics; Mrs. J.D. Roddenberry, assistant principal, English and Latin; Mrs. C.D. Thaxton, mathematics and history; Miss Mayme Askew, 6th and 7th grades and physical training; Miss Eleanor Ross, 5th grade and song leading; Miss Leola Grant, 4th grade and penmanship; Mrs. W.R. Courtney, 3rd grade and home economics; Miss Agnes Grant, 2nd grade and games; Mrs. W.J. Jones, 1st grade and beginners.

SARDIS SCHOOL. Saturday morning bids will be received at Sardis schoolhouse for building an addition to this building according to state plans. --G.S. RODDENBERRY, Chairman

PRESBYTERIAN FUND RAISER. The chicken supper given by the Junior Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church was a great success. \$50.00 clear of all expenses was made by these girls. This money is the beginning of the church piano fund.

August 8, 1924

TOBACCO MARKET OPENED. Folkston had a deserted appearance Wednesday because so many people were in Blackshear for the opening of the tobacco market.

LITTLE FRANCES LOUISE WRIGHT IS BORN. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wright announce the birth of a fine six pound baby girl, Frances Louise, in Jacksonville on August 6th.

(Nothing of interest in issue of August 15, 1924)

August 22, 1924

LITTLE MORRIS WHITAKER MILLS IS BORN. Morris Whitaker is the name of the fine baby boy who arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sol P. Mills August 16th.

MR. GIBSON INJURED IN WRECK. Mr. H.G. Gibson, an esteemed farmer of Folkston

District, was painfully hurt Wednesday evening a mile and a half west of Blackshear when a Ford truck driven by T.W. Wrench turned turtle down a five-foot embankment on an approach to the creek bridge. The truck was loaded with 800 pounds of tobacco and Mr. Gibson, Ralph and Howard Wrench were on top of the load. Mr. Wrench was driving and Mr. Toy was on the seat with him. The lights on the truck burned out at Waycross and Mr. Wrench thought he could make Blackshear before too dark to see. Passing a car with glaring lights blinded Mr. Wrench who could not see, and he turned into the embankment. Mr. Gibson was thrown out of the car against a stump and the boys were caught under the truck. The high frame prevented their injury. Mr. Toy got a bruised shoulder. Mr. Gibson was rushed to Blackshear for first aid and then to Waycross to the King's Daughters Hospital. Dr. Hawkins of Blackshear and Dr. Folks attended him. Mr. Gibson had two ribs broken and today's report states he had a good night's rest and if no other ill effects arise, he will soon be up.

PUPILS MUST BUY BOOKS EARLY. High school pupils who wish to have their books ready for the opening of school should see Mr. Harris at the school Monday so that the order may be sent early.

WEDDING. Miss Margaret Garrison and Mr. Carroll Wright were quietly married last week surprising their friends as only a few knew the marriage was to take place at this early date. Mrs. Wright is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garrison of Homeland. Mr. Wright is a young man with admirable traits of character and is connected with his father in Wright's Garage.

ST. GEORGE TEACHERS. Teachers for the St. George school this year will be John Harris, supervising principal, science, literature and advanced mathematics; J.B. Drew, assistant principal, high school subjects, athletics and hygiene; Fannye Rodgers, 6th and 7th grades, physical training and singing; Eleanor Cockrell, 4th and 5th grades, home economics and penmanship; Mary Enyedy, 2nd and 3rd grades and reading; Ruth Dumas, beginning and first grade, games and drawing.

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NEW BABY. Mr. and Mrs. Garland Stephens announce the birth of a fine ten-pound baby girl on August 26th.

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LITTLE LUCIA MERLE ASKEW DIED. Lucia Merle, the thirteen-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Askew died Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E.H. Wright. The baby was well and playful at 12:00 o'clock and the Grim Reaper had snatched her away before nightfall. The body was tenderly laid away in the Folkston Cemetery Wednesday afternoon, Rev. L.E. Williams conducting the burial service. The parents and grandparents are receiving the sympathy of everyone in the loss of this beautiful baby.

UPTONVILLE SCHOOL. Uptonville school opened Monday with a good attendance. The building has been remodeled and for the first time three teachers have been employed, Mrs. Barney Gowen, principal; Miss Thelma Gowen, intermediate and Miss Kate Knox, primary.

SCHOOLS BEGIN CLASSES. Charlton County High School and the Folkston Consolidated School opened Monday. About 40 patrons were present to show their interest. All the teachers and 207 pupils were ready to begin work. On behalf of the Woman's Club, Mrs. Toy presented a full set of Encyclopedia Britannica and Mrs. Strathee gave The History of the World and Great Nations. The St. George Jr. High School and St. George Consolidated School opened Tuesday and about 35 patrons showed their interest by attending the opening. Like Folkston, the lack of an auditorium necessitated the holding of the exercises in the open air. 156 pupils and all the teachers were present. Twenty-one high school pupils are in the three grades carried in this school.

NOTICE FROM GAME WARDEN. Sportsmen of Charlton County: I am appealing to the law-abiding men of the county to aid in the enforcement of the game laws. The Warden does not have the time nor inclination to skulk around in the woods to see who he can catch. It is left to the citizens to see that these laws are observed by reporting violations. Respectfully, A.S.MCQUEEN, Warden

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. A committee consisting of Mrs. Rosa Toy, Mrs. A.S. McQueen, Mrs. W.B. Smith and Mrs. George Stewart went to St. George Thursday to look at different plans and decide as to the material to be used for the new Presbyterian Church.

WEDDING. Friends of Mr. Fred Osterman of St. George will be interested to learn that he was married about two months ago to a charming young lady in Brooklyn, N.Y.

NEW PRESBYTERIAN PASTOR. Rev. Mr. Dawson of Atlanta is the new Presbyterian minister who succeeds Mr. Layton Frasier. Services will be held every fourth Sunday.

LANG MARTIN DELIVERS TIMES-UNION. The Fla. Times-Union is now handled here by Lang Martin. Delivered daily and Sunday for twenty cents per week.

September 12, 1924

GRAND JURORS. Grand Jurors for the October term of Superior Court: F.J. Strickler, H.O. Stokes, J.W. Spencer, J.H. Barnes, T.A. Scott, Richard C. Taylor, O.J. Shuman, B.B. Gowen, W.C. Hopkins, E. Alexander, R.E. Condon, Hansel Carter, Ben Rodgers, J.W. Vickery, Joe Taylor, Lewis E. Stokes, C.E. Stroup, John S. Tyson, Jr., L.H. Wasdin, L.M. Reynolds, J.M. Wilson, James Purdom, A.F. Phillips, H.C. Parham, Joe Prevatt, Chas. H. Gibson, Aaron Canady, E.B. Stapleton, R.A. Boyd and A.S. Mizell.

TRAVERSE JURORS. Traverse Jurors for October Term of Superior Court: W.L. McDuffie, T.J. O'Quinn, P.G. Mizell, J.C. Barber, Taylor L. Pickren, Jr., Eddie Crews, Curtis Dixon, S.M. Mills, John Snowden, J.M. Sikes, B.R. Burnsed, M. Combs, W.S. O'Quinn, Fred Thompson, Sam Edwards, S.A. O'Quinn, W.R. Keene, T.T. Petty, Charlie Chisholm, F.D. Mills, Sol P. Mills, John Hardy, R.T. O'Quinn, Niram Dixon, John A. Allen, L. Knabb, C.S. Bethel, Lawt Crews, J.Q. Harvey, J.S. Taylor, W.A.J. Box, W.T. Mitchell, Fred Osterman, Frank Dowling, F.L. Murray and W.C. Leckie.

MR. CHARLIE T. WAINWRIGHT DIED. Mr. C.T. Wainwright, 31 years old, proprietor of the Forsyth Cleaning Co. of Jacksonville and son of W.R. Wainwright died Sunday in St. Luke's Hospital where he was confined from an operation for appendicitis. In a delirium he escaped from his room and had gotten upon the stoop over the entrance. He was rescued but the exertion made him take a turn for the worse and he died a few hours afterwards. His remains were brought to Folkston and interred by the side of an infant brother and brother Dolph, Wednesday. Services were conducted by Rev. L.E. Williams, his brother Rev. E.L. Wainwright assisting. Mr. Wainwright is survived by his widow and

a son, 12 years old; his father and mother and five brothers, Rev. E.L. Wainwright, Clyde Wainwright, Drawdy Wainwright, Roscoe Wainwright and Esther Wainwright; one sister, Mrs. Crystal Kent. In the death of Charlie, this makes loss of the third son by death.

TRADERS HILL SCHOOL. The Traders Hill school opened Monday with 31 on roll. Only one teacher was here, the other one is expected the last of this week. Miss Rivers Brock is acting as assistant this week.

LIBRARY. The librarian of the Folkston Woman's Civic Club reported that during vacation 245 books were presented to the library. These were given by Miss Virginia Wolf of Jacksonville and Dr. Brockman of Ottumwa, Iowa. We now have in our library 604 volumes.

MR. JEREMIAH HARDEN DIED. Jeremiah Harden, age 62, a well-known citizen of Charlton County, died at his home near Folkston Sunday. He was a native of Tattnall County and married Miss Lilia Ray of Telfair County and moved to Charlton County about thirty years ago. He was a fair and upright citizen. He is survived by his widow and six sons, Henry Harden, Owen Harden, Lewis Harden, Joe Harden, Robert Harden and Bertie Harden; one daughter, Otella; two brothers and two sisters. The funeral was held at Sardis Cemetery Monday.

AD. A Ford Fore Door In Thirty Minutes! Thirty minutes if you do the job yourself, less time if you have a skilled mechanic. Mr. Ford owner, instead of wriggling out from under the steering wheel like a contortionist, or scrambling over your friend in the front seat, you can simply open the door of your Ford touring car and step out, just as one does from a high-priced car. Built of the same material as the Ford body, the Fore Door is enameled to match the body exactly and fits as though it were factory hung and will last until the old boat falls apart. Complete with flanged frame and latch and instructions for installing for \$12.50. Don't crawl out, step out! Get your Fore Door at Homeland Garage.

MR. HENRY GIBSON IMPROVING. The many friends of Mr. Henry Gibson will be glad to know that he is improving from being badly injured when a truck in which he was riding ran into a ditch near Blackshear. He is still in the hospital but in a few days will be able to move to his son's home in Waycross.

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MR. A.H. HOWARD DIED. A.H. "Bud" Howard, age 50, died at his home in Princeton Thursday. The body was brought to Folkston arriving Saturday. The funeral was at Sardis Sunday. Mr. Howard was a well known and highly respected citizen of Charlton County. Two years ago he moved to Princeton and engaged in the trucking business. He is survived by his widow and three daughters, Miss Vera Howard, Mrs. Ira Anderson and Mrs. W.B. McVickers.

JOHN S. TYSON, JR. BUILDING NEW HOME. The latest addition to the pretty homes in Folkston is the handsome bungalow being built by Mr. John S. Tyson, Jr.. This will rank as one of the prettiest and most convenient residences in our city.

IMPROVEMENTS AT FOLKSTON SCHOOL. All desks in the entire Folkston school building are being put on strips to make sweeping easier and keep down noise and confusion.

NEWS OF SCHOOLS. In the Uptonville school a partition has been run through the south room dividing it into two good rooms. The Winokur school is in charge of J.C. Jones and Miss Beulah Grooms this year. The building in the Prospect district is having a new roof added. The patrons of the Riverview school met at the building one day

before school opened and put everything in readiness for the term. Sardis is to be made a two-teacher school this year, another room having been added.

MR. WILL DAVIS DIED. We have received the news of the death of Mr. Will Davis who has been ill and suffering intensely several months. We hope to give a more complete account of his death and burial next week.

September 26, 1924

NEWS OF SCHOOLS. The school at Winokur held a box supper Friday night. A volley ball and net will be added to the school equipment. At the Racepond school the floors are already oiled, the honor roll and schedule are posted, the handwork is displayed and Friday afternoon exercises are held. The visitors last Friday brought a treat of grapes for the children. At the Traders Hill school Miss Etha Cliett is the new teacher of the higher grades. Mrs. Grooms has the primary grades. The fourth year high school class of Folkston, which is to graduate in June, has elected J.C. Littlefield, Jr., president; Helen Pickren, vice president; Gertrude Wildes, secretary and Georgia Littlefield, treasurer. The Folkston second grade is going to dramatize Little Boy Blue and Little Miss Muffett. Louie Passieu will take the part of Little Boy Blue and Mamie Allen will be Little Miss Muffett.

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October 3, 1924

WEDDING. Mr. R.B. Burnsed and Miss Myrtle Mattox were happily married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. J.J. Mattox September 24, Rev. L.E. Williams officiating. The best wishes of their many friends go with them.

MRS. HAMP MIZELL DIED. The friends of Mr. Hamp Mizell will deeply sympathize with him in the loss of his wife who passed away at their home near Hopkins Thursday.

FOLKSTON BUS LINE. The Folkston Bus Line to Waycross has been taken over by Mr. O.E. Raynor. He makes a special of the parcel business and will guarantee prompt service.

October 10, 1924

HOMELAND LIBRARY. The Homeland library has been discontinued and they have given their books to the Folkston library. There were 352 books, making a total for Folkston of 956 books, including many for children, in the library.

October 17, 1924

NEW BABY. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Scott announce the birth of a fine baby girl October 13th.

October 24, 1924

MR. WRENCH INSTALLS INCUBATOR. The Mammoth Wishbone Incubator purchased by T.W. Wrench arrived yesterday and Mr. Wrench is installing it in his present home on the highway. It comes in sections for 800 eggs. The testing of the machine will begin at once and Mr. Wrench will contract for all large breed thoroughbred eggs for winter. A poultry club will be organized at once.

THE CITIZENS BANK. Statement of condition of the Citizens Bank at close of business on October 10, 1924: Resources, \$202,326.62.

SCHOOL NEWS. The FOLKSTON school will give a Halloween box supper Friday night. There will be a candy booth, hot drink booth and fortune telling booth. The

PRESCOTT school building has been made more comfortable by being ceiled and has added new windows and roof. The school at WINOKUR is dismissing for one week to allow all pupils an opportunity to do necessary homework. Potatoes are to be dug and other fall work looked after.

October 31, 1924

WEDDING. The marriage of Mr. Howard J. Mays and Miss Naomie Martin was quietly solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Martin, Sunday evening, Rev. A.M. McCool, pastor of the Baptist Church officiating. They will make their home in Waycross. Mr. Mays is an employee of the Atlantic Coast Line Railway.

SCHOOL NEWS. By unanimous vote Tuesday the Charlton County High School agreed to join the Georgia High School Athletic Assn. This will make the pupils eligible to enter the 11th District meet next spring, a thing which has never been done so far. The fourth grade in FOLKSTON has two new pupils, Allen and Doris Nazworth, who came from Traders Hill. The work of the RIVERVIEW school has been interfered with by miscreants breaking into the building, destroying equipment and stealing the flowers out of the windows. The MONIAC school owns an honest-to-goodness flag pole, the only iron one in the county.

"KU KLUX KLAN PARADE. Last Friday evening at nine o'clock, the Ku Klux, about 200 strong, made their appearance on the streets of Folkston out of the mysterious distance. The white-robed figures, headed by the fiery cross silently marched up Main Street to the courthouse, then back across the railroad and disappeared as suddenly as they came. Notice had been given that the parade would be staged and the streets were lined with automobiles in which were spectators viewing the awe-inspiring impressive sight."

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MR. J.L. WHITE DIED. The friends of Mr. J.L. White will be grieved to learn of his death which occurred at the home of his son, Will, at Witchutah Falls, Texas on November 1st. He was buried by the side of his parents.

DR. McCOY TO PRACTICE HERE. Dr. W.R. McCoy announces that he and Mrs. McCoy will arrive the first of next week to locate permanently. A few weeks ago Dr. McCoy spent a while here looking over the location and being favorably impressed with our city, decided to return to open an office as a practicing physician. His office will be in the Rodgers Building.

AD. If you are eligible for membership in the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan get an application blank for membership. Address Folkston Klan No. 72, Folkston, Ga.

November 14, 1924

CITIZENS BANK TO EXPAND. Mr. William Mizell, Jr., cashier of the Citizens Bank, informs us that the directors have decided to establish a branch bank at Nahunta for its increasing number of customers in that county.

MONUMENT TO FORMER FOLKSTON PASTOR. The monument erected to the memory of the late Rev. Daniel Sikes will be unveiled at Live Oak Cemetery near Dyal Station on November 16th.

THANKSGIVING DAY OBSERVANCE. The school law of Ga. requires each school to

observe Thanksgiving with appropriate exercises. This year school will be in session as usual. At 11:00 o'clock pupils and teachers of the Folkston school will march to the Methodist Church for services.

MR. ELI DIXON DIED. Mr. Eli Dixon, age 70, was stricken while hunting cattle in the woods November 3rd and fell from his horse dead. He was buried the following day in Sardis Cemetery. He is survived by his widow and two daughters, Mrs. Jack Nettles and Miss Mary Dixon and one son, Curtis Dixon. Mr. Dixon was one of the most substantial farmers and stock raisers in Charlton County and had accumulated considerable property. About a year ago he purchased the Soler Chancey fine farm and home.

November 21, 1924

EXPLOSION AT WRIGHT'S GARAGE. About 8:00 o'clock last Saturday morning the residents of Folkston were alarmed by a loud explosion. Upon investigation it was found that the air tank at Wright's Garage had blown up, leaving broken windows and a shattered interior. The tank was being filled with air for the day's work and the gauge failed to register, causing an overcharge.

November 28, 1924

SCHOOL TEACHERS ORGANIZE. Mr. J.L. Poplin and Miss Jimmie Mattox, teachers of the Sardis school, Mrs. Poplin teacher of the Johnson school, Miss Knox and Miss Thelma Gowen of Uptonville, Miss Beulah Grooms of Winokur school, Miss Laura Nazworth of Screven Ridge school and Miss Stella Keene of Prescott school were among the teachers here Saturday at the organization of the County Education Association.

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CITY OFFICIALS. The following were elected as Folkston city officers for the coming year: Dr. A. Fleming, mayor; V.A. Hodges, H.J. Davis, William Mizell, Jr., M.J. Paxton, W.B. Smith, aldermen; G.A. Dean, assessor, Mrs. J.M. Roddenberry, treasurer and O.F. Wilson, clerk.

WEDDING. A very quiet wedding was solemnized November 30th when Miss Mary Banks and Mr. Waudell Vickery were united in marriage by Rev. L.E. Williams.

DR. W.R. McCOY IS PRACTICING HERE. Dr. McCoy arrived last week and opened his office in the Rodgers Building. He has a room in Mr. E.H. Wright's residence and will answer calls day or night.

December 12, 1924

MR. C.V. CULLISON DIED. Cornelius V. Cullison, 66 years of age, died suddenly Wednesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C.W. Waughtel, at Homeland. He was working with some cultured blackberry vines when apparently he sat down to rest, falling peacefully asleep from which there was no awakening. He is survived by two sons, O.J. Cullison and M.C. Cullison; three daughters, Mrs. C.W. Waughtel, Mrs. P.L. Wilkins and Mrs. C.W. Purdy. The body accompanied by Mrs. Waughtel left Thursday for Mt. Vernon, Ohio, where the burial will take place. The local lodge of Odd Fellows were in charge of the arrangements here.

TICK QUARANTINE LIFTED. For the first time since 1906 Georgia is entirely free from the cattle tick quarantine. In 1906 when the government first declared war against the

cattle tick the whole state was put under quarantine.

BOB RODDENBERRY DIED. R.H. (Bob) Roddenberry, age about 30 years, died at his home in Ocala December 3rd from a stroke and paralysis which struck him only two hours before his death. His remains were brought to Folkston and buried at Sardis Friday. He is survived by his widow and one child; three children by his first wife; his mother, Mrs. Lou Roddenberry and three brothers, G.W. Roddenberry; J.P.

Roddenberry and J.M. Roddenberry; three sisters, Mrs. Ella Kelsey, Mrs. Nola Maree and Mrs. Eva Robinson. At the time of his death he was superintendent of road construction of Marion County, Fla.

TWO KILLED WHEN BOILER BLEW UP. Monday morning about 8:00 o'clock the boiler at the sawmill at Homeland blew up killing two negro men and injuring others. Those killed were Joe Taylor and Pete Sears. Hudson Dozier and John Wesley were injured. Others were stunned and shocked by the explosion. The sawmill is owned by Dr. J.W. Buchanan, Mr. Roberts having recently taken over the operation. The boiler was blown about 300 feet from the mill.

NOTICE TO FARMERS. For the convenience of our customers wishing to plant tobacco this season, we have bought a supply of seed. These will be given to you free of charge if you will call for them.

THE CITIZENS BANKOLD SCHOOL BUILDINGS FOR SALE. For sale, school buildings and lots not in use for school purposes: Petty school; Newell school; old Canady school; old Toledo school; old Lyons school; old Burnsed school and Mills or Bailey Branch school. L.E. Mallard

LITTLE SUE D. WAINWRIGHT IS BORN. Mr. and Mrs. Drawdy Wainwright are the proud parents of a fine baby girl born December 8th in Waycross. She is named Sue D. **BANKS SELL CAFE.** Last week the Folkston Cafe was sold by Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Banks to Mr. Roney who took immediate possession. He is also the proprietor of the City Restaurant, placing both restaurants under the same management.

WEDDING. The marriage of Mr. Lewis Batten and Miss Pearl Dyal was quietly solemnized at the residence of Judge J.J. Stokes Sunday afternoon. This young couple is from St. George and has a host of friends there.

December 19, 1924

FARMERS ON HIGHWAY URGED TO PLANT. At the Board of Trade meeting this week Mr. L.E. Mallard proposed that all property owners on the Dixie Highway be encouraged to plant their fields in some crop to show that Charlton County can produce both a summer and winter crop.

TYSONS MOVE INTO NEW HOME. This week the Tysons moved to the handsome bungalow just completed by J.S. Tyson, Jr.

BARTER FOR SUBSCRIPTIONS. The editor of the Herald is very grateful to those who brought in produce from their farms to be credited on their subscriptions. Next week we could use very nicely some sausage, pork, beef, pecans, potatoes or home ground meal or grits. Thank you,

December 26, 1924

LITTLE McDONALD WASDIN DIED. On December 16th the Death Angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Wasdin at Winokur and took away their son, McDonald. He had been sick only a short time. He always had a sweet smile and though but a small child, a cheerful word for each one that passed his way. He is survived by his parents and two brothers, W.C. Wasdin and F.W. Wasdin. McDonald was tenderly laid

to rest in the family lot of Corinth cemetery Wednesday.

THE CITIZENS BANK. Legal ad amending the charter of the Citizens Bank, reducing the capital stock from \$25,000.00 to \$15,000.00. Stockholders are listed as follows: William Mizell, Sr., William Mizell, Jr., A.S. Mizell, N. Roddenberry, L.E. Mallard, J.H. Johnson, H.S. Mattox, B.G. McDonald, Mrs. J.A. Clark, Ivey Dowling, Polly I. Triggs, Jesse W. Vickery, L. Knabb, B.F. Scott, S.F. Mills, Jr., L.M. Bedell, J.D. Donahoo, Mrs. Mattie Mizell, Mrs. J.T. Winn, Mrs. Nellie Courtney and W.C. Hopkins.

WEDDING. Miss Leila O'Berry and Mr. Lacy Williams were married last Saturday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.F. O'Berry. Never was there a more handsome couple joined in wedlock than this one. Many friends are extending congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy life.