

Digest of Charlton County Herald - January 1930
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January 3, 1930

LANG JOHNS FOUND DEAD. Mr. and Mrs. T.T. Petty found the body of Lang Johns in the road near their home on the night of December 23rd, returning from a visit to the home of Demp Snowden. The body was laying in the road when discovered and one of the party thinking he was intoxicated, tried to lift him. He found blood on the clothes and the body lifeless. He had been dead for some time. He had called by home to see his mother, Mrs. T.T. Petty, who was absent, got his double barrel shotgun, put two shells in, giving the other to his sister and told her that he would not need them anymore. "When Mother comes home, tell her she will find me down near the bridge," was his remark on leaving. Later he went to Demp Snowden's called Jim Cason and gave him his notebook stating there was something written there that he wished him to attend to. This gave an account of some money due him, ending with the statement that he would not see him any more. Coroner Wainwright held an inquest and the verdict was suicide. He was buried in the old family graveyard near where they live, on Christmas Day. He was a brother to Mr. Johns killed at St. George two years ago.

JIM RODDENBERRY'S BARN BURNED. Last Saturday the first woods fire of the season caused the burning of Jim Roddenberry's tobacco barn. A worker cutting wood nearby set fire to some rough places, then acting the part of carelessness, left after cutting the wood, and paid no heed as to the fire. It caught the grass and was carried hence to Mr. Roddenberry's barn, destroying it and the contents of about thirty bushels of potatoes, fodder and hay, amounting to \$200.00 damage.

MRS. J.C. WAINWRIGHT DIED. Mrs. J.C. Wainwright, 18, of Charlton County, died Thursday in a Waycross hospital after an illness of five weeks. She was a daughter of the late J.A. Strain. She is survived by her husband and one young son, James Wainwright; also a brother, J.J. Strain of Winokur and a sister Miss Mary Strain of Winokur. The remains were sent to Hickox for funeral services and interment.

WEDDINGS. Marriages performed by Judge Gibson:

Luke Jenkins and Minnie Dasher of Traders Hill jumped the broomstick on December 22nd.

On December 26, J.C. Jones, son of Jim Jones, Traders Hill, took as his bride, Miss Agnes Jones of Hickox. They will live near the Hill, so we hear.

January 10, 1930

OUR LAST TWO CONFEDERATE VETERANS. The Times-Union of Sunday had the pictures of two "Southerners of War Time Days" in which we recognized the features of Charlton County's only two living Confederate veterans, Mr. John Vickery and Uncle Jesse Grooms, 96 and 86 years young. With their pictures was a sketch of their life supplied by their granddaughter, Mrs. James A. Hickox, nee Grooms, who resides in Jacksonville. We intend giving a history of these interesting old gentlemen shortly. Mr. Vickery was born where he now resides October 10, 1833. Mr. Grooms first saw the light in Tattnall County on June 23, 1843. Both served four years with the Confederacy and are now enjoying the same home with Mr. Vickery's daughter and Uncle Jesse's son, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Grooms.

ASKEWS MOVE. Leon Askew has moved to the old Barbour Home on the highway,

which they have recently acquired.

FOLKSTON FINANCES. Financial statement for City of Folkston for 1929: Received \$8,136.52. Expenses \$6,884.69. Balance \$1,251.83.

January 17, 1930

BROOM FACTORY. Folkston has a new industry, a broom factory which began operation the first of the year in the Nobles Garage building on the highway. M.H. Jordan is the owner. He is a blind man making first class brooms and mops.

LARKIN SEES SWAMP FROM THE AIR. Two trips were made to the Okefenokee Swamp by airplane Sunday, Floyd Larkin being the first Folkstonite to see the Swamp from the sky.

BOWLING ALLEY TO COME HERE. Folkston will be enlivened for the younger set next week by the addition of a bowling alley, the Scott Building having been secured for that purpose. Mr. Strickland of Waycross is the new proprietor.

WEDDING. An announcement that surprised the many friends of Russell Cassel was the item published in the papers the past week announcing his marriage to Miss Allie R. Waters of Nichols on January 3rd.

THE CITIZENS BANK. Statement of condition of the Citizens Bank of Folkston at close of business on December 31, 1929: Resources: \$480,418.23.

January 24, 1930

POWER RATE HEARING SET. The Mayor and Council of Folkston made application to the Ga. Public Service Commission for a reduction of electric power rates now being charged by Charlton County Power Co. and a hearing has been set for Jan. 28th.

RURAL ROUTE FOR ST. GEORGE. Arrangements have been made by the St. George Post Office for a rural route from there to the south end of the county and to overlap Florida. It is urged that all concerned take an interest in this matter, and qualify as patrons at the St. George post office. 130 families must certify for this by March 15th.

BAND TO ENTERTAIN. A free concert given by the Georgia Industrial Home Drum and Cornet Corps of Macon will be given at the school auditorium Friday. The program is unique in that all the music is produced by the boys on drums and cornets. Sixteen boys, all orphans, make up the band and they range from 10 to 16 years old. During their stay here they will be entertained in our best homes.

CHARLTON COUNTY'S ONLY TWO VETERANS. Charlton County's only two Confederate veterans now in the land of the living are residing in the same home, bound together by the marriage of a son of one and a daughter of the other are veterans John Vickery and Jesse Grooms, a good likeness of which we present herewith. [Pictures of John Vickery and Jesse Grooms.]

The Herald man [Mr. T.W. Wrench] dropped in to see these two beloved citizens Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earny Grooms, now residing at the homeplace of Uncle John, where he first saw the light 90 years ago. I was greeted by Uncle Jesse who ushered me into the sitting room, where we were again welcomed by Mr. Vickery, who was not so frisky, having suffered a fall a few nights ago by misjudging a step when going out. We found them both in good spirits and fine health and enjoyed hearing them tell of the many interesting events of their careers.

Mr. Vickery, who is a real native son, our oldest citizen as well, first saw the light of day on the 10th of October, 1839, being the 10th child of Thomas and Mary Vickery, who

were the parents of 15 children, and Uncle John is the sole survivor, ten resting in the Vickery cemetery, another at Sardis and three in Virginia. His father, a native of England, ran away from a vessel at Brunswick at the age of 17, securing employment with a Mr. Ginliat on a Satilla plantation, with whom he stayed 17 years. Then after marriage to Miss Mary Cooper he came to Charlton, buying the farm where both of these old veterans now live, from Jimmie Wainwright, a brother-in-law. Of his life, it has been that of a good honest farmer and as he said he knew nothing else and always made a living. "I was Sheriff one term and got enough of politics" Uncle John told us, and added "I tried out a venture in Waycross, but a year there cured me and brought me back to the farm. You see, I was 60 and couldn't be weaned away." He served four years in the war as a Private in Co. G, 1st Fla. Calvary. An accident deprived him of some fingers, which kept him out of service a few months, which caused him to rejoin a Georgia command, later being transferred to his old company and saw service in the Battle of Chicamauga. Mr. Vickery married Miss Ellen Conner in 1860 and by this union 6 children were born, four survivors being Thomas W., Jesse W., and Mrs. Ora Grooms of Charlton and Mrs. Carry Bates of Plant City, Fla. There are 22 grandchildren and 30 great grandchildren representing this good citizen now enjoying a ripe old age.

Uncle Jesse Grooms, the other veteran, came to Charlton with his parents from Tattnall County, where he was born June 23, 1844. Uncle Jesse was then 12 years old. Like Mr. Vickery, he was a farmer and first settled in the Racepond section. Mr. Grooms was more susceptible to a political life and was a squire [note: Justice of the Peace] at an early age of the 1193 G.M. District, which was an honor in those days. From that post Judge Grooms was elevated to the County Treasurer's office where he served for some half dozen terms. He resided on the Paxton Place for 22 years before locating on a place of his own. He served four years with Co. K, 4th Ga. Cavalry and also saw service at the Chicamauga front. In 1870 he was married to Miss Vinie Riggs who was a native of Tattnall County. By their union ten children were born, the six survivors being Earny Grooms, with whom both veterans reside, Mrs. Allie Mattox, Mrs. Andrew Gowen, Ralph Grooms of Charlton County; Mrs. Della Gay of Kingsland and L.E. Grooms of Savannah. Uncle Jesse has 39 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren. We have in these estimable citizens, two great characters as they represent over 100 years in the history of this section and yet they enjoy the pleasure of your company now as if they were still more actively engaged in the pursuit of life. And to veterans like these, our laws grant aid, but it is too bad that this pension is so tardy in its coming. In speaking of it, Uncle Jesse said "It's good when it does come and we appreciate it." With the new year they are to have a dollar per day and it is to be paid monthly. Thus do we show the appreciation of our veterans of the "lost cause".

POISON POINTER. Mrs. Edward Darling, a Blackshear teacher, was presented a pointer which she and the pupils used in blackboard work. When their faces and hands began to swell it was discovered it was made from poison ivy. No serious results occurred but looks were marred for several days.

WHITE CHILD CHRISTENED. One of beautiful ceremonies of interest to all was the christening of infant son of Mr. and Mrs. M.G. White Sunday preceding church services at the M.E. Church. His baptismal name given was George William White.

EDITORIAL COMMENT. The report of the new doctor and an undertaker are still just reports. In the meantime everybody seems not to worry as conditions seem to be "distressingly healthy".

BOWLING ALLEY. The equipment for the bowling alley arrived on time, but being required to pay a yearly license of \$150.00 in advance, stored the equipment and went back to Waycross to think it over. We hear they will open soon.

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ELECTRICITY RATE HEARING. Folkston was much interested in the rate hearing this week before the Ga. Public Service Commission at the courthouse. Col. McQueen, city attorney, introduced testimony from consumers showing what they contended were excessive charges. Dean and Gowen, the largest user, set forth that their bill of over \$100.00 a month was excessive, as did the drug stores. To compare, L.E. Mallard paid over \$6.00 per month for a six room house, while across the street a satisfied customer, Owen Wilson, testified that his bill averaged less than half of that for a larger house, but said Mr. Wilson, "We turn out the lights except when in actual use."

TRAIN-CAR CRASH KILLS BRYANTS. News of the death of Henry Bryant and child and Mrs. Elizabeth Remling and child, both children of the late J.W. Bryant in an automobile wreck at Tampa last Saturday week was received the past week. It seems that Mr. Remling with his wife and his brother-in-law, Mr. Bryant, wife and child were out motoring and when crossing a railroad was struck by a train, destroying the automobile and killing the four people. Mr. Remling and Mr. Bryant's wife were both badly hurt.

HOMELAND TOWN COUNCIL. The old town council of Homeland ends its regime next week as the new city dads take up the burden of control. Mayor Bass and his Board steps down and Mayor Waughtel and his new crew picks up their oars and begin to steer the ship of state over the rough spots.

NEW RAILROAD SIDING. A siding has been put in at Winokur for loading purposes. The lack of accommodation had been before the Public Service Commission and recently they ordered it put in.

FIRE DESTROYS MONIAC SCHOOL. Thursday night the third largest school unit of the Charlton County system, at Moniac, burned to the ground. Cause of the fire is unknown. The building was erected at a cost of \$4,000.00 during the war period and was a commodious wooden structure with three rooms and hallway. It was equipped at a cost of \$500.00 more. Everything went up in flames as it happened at a late hour and no one lives very near. It was partially covered with insurance of \$2,000.00. Supt. Harris has been busy the past week trying to secure seats to refit the old Canaday School building for temporary use. There has been a discussion of rebuilding nearer Moniac and a bond issue election is to be called at an early date.

EDITORIAL COMMENT. Folkston stuck to its \$150.00 license on the bowling alley and sent them out of town. Now if they will make war on gambling and other immoral practices, we'll add a few more words of commendation.

U.S. CENSUS TAKERS. One hundred thousand census enumerators are about to swarm over the land, ringing doorbells and asking questions. Doubtless millions of housewives are wondering how to act when the Census Man calls. Here's how: tell him everything he asks. If he seems to ask questions that are not any of Uncle Sam's business, make him show you that question on the official list. The rest of your conduct is optional. You can keep him standing in the doorway or invite him into the parlor and serve him ice cream and cake. They will be around early in April.

ANNOUNCEMENT. The marriage of Thomas Brock and Miss Thelma Jones, daughter of Mr. Jim Jones is announced to occur shortly.

NEW ATTORNEY HERE. Col. Van C. Wall, junior partner of the firm of McElreath & Wall, of Kingsland, has moved to Folkston and will practice law.

SNOW FELL IN FOLKSTON. Snow, beautiful snow, dropped down on us Thursday for a few fleeting moments. Snow was on passing trains that day and gave us the shivers.

PRESBYTERIANS TO DISBAND. The small membership of the Presbyterian Church and their inability to pay off the indebtedness due for its construction, has caused them to liquidate by disposing of the building, and the members to join the other churches.

FRUIT BASKET TURN OVER. Folkston folks have been moving around. Dr. McCoy has moved into the Wainwright home on Main Street. Morris Powell moved into the McQueen home vacated by the doctor. Then O.E. Raynor moved to the Roddenberry place Morris vacated.

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MRS. LILLA K. MILLER DIED. Mrs. Lilla Kirkland Miller, 60, wife of the late Lemuel E. Miller, former citizens of Folkston, died February 1st in Waycross after an operation. The body was interred in the Kettle Creek Cemetery by the grave of her late lamented husband. She is survived by five children. They had been close neighbors of the W.J. Jones family for many years.

MONIAC SCHOOL. The Moniac school was unable to resume operations as planned Monday because the new desks ordered from Atlanta had not yet arrived.

NEW BABY. Born, a little baby girl to Mr. and Mrs. Vesta Aldridge.

NEW BABY. Mrs. Sterling Ackerman, Homeland, gave birth to a fine baby girl on January 21st. She has been named Johanne Meirlyn.

FOUR WEDDINGS. Marriages for January, 1930:

Robert Brown and Charlotte Johnson of Toledo, by the Ordinary.

Lucious Reed and Daisy Laster of Paxton Place by the Ordinary.

T.G. Brock and Miss Thelma Jones, Traders Hill, by Rev. E.F. Dean.

Fulton Lucious and Cassie Smith of Traders Hill.

February 14, 1930

DR. BOB JONES TO SPEAK HERE. "The Perils of America" will be the subject of an address to be delivered at Folkston Methodist Church Friday morning by Dr. Bob Jones, noted evangelist and lecturer. Arrangements to get Dr. Jones to come to Folkston were made by John Harris and the pastors of the community. All the business houses of the town have signed an agreement to close their places of business at that hour.

MR. WILLIAM MIZELL DIED. Mr. William Mizell, Sr., a native son of Charlton County, a retired lumberman and the wealthiest citizen of this section, died at his home in Folkston Wednesday morning at 10:45 after a lingering illness of several months as a result of a stroke of paralysis. As a chief stockholder in the organization of the Citizens Bank, Mr. Mizell, then a resident of Kings Ferry left the management of the bank to the minority stockholders. Moving to Folkston and building a beautiful home he was made bank president in 1920. He was truly a remarkable character. He was born June 21, 1852 on

the old homeplace near Burnt Fort. He was engaged in the timber business, later with his brother Jackson Mizell a sawmill was established at Kings Ferry. His father was Joshua E. Mizell who married Miss Parita Paxton and settled on the old place over a hundred years ago. and of that...[not legible] Mrs. Felder Lang, Mrs. Gary Lang, Jos. P. Mizell. Mr. Mizell married Miss Susie Reid of Charleston and settled at Kings Ferry where they resided until moving to Folkston. Surviving him are Mrs. Mizell, Howard W. Mizell, Albert S. Mizell, William Mizell, Jr., Clifford Mizell, Mrs. W.C. King, Mrs. E.P. Davis, Mrs. A. Fleming and Miss Helen Mizell. The remains were in the hands of Morton & Kyle, morticians of Jacksonville. The funeral was held from the residence, Rev. K.W. Hollister of Ft. Mead, Fla., an old friend, officiating at the last sad rites.

OUR LAST CONFEDERATE WIDOW, MRS. POLLY PRIVETT, DIED. Mrs. Polly Privett, the only widow survivor in Charlton of a Confederate veteran, is dead at the age of 83. She passed to her reward last Friday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Geiger, in Nassau County. She was laid to rest by the side of her husband, Irwin Privett, in the old Thompson Cemetery near Toledo, Saturday. Rev. Jim Strickland officiated. "Aunt Polly", as she was affectionately called, was a splendid representative of the early days and stirring events of pioneer days and was beloved by all the citizens of this section. Survivors are a son, W.H. Privett and three daughters, Mrs. Frank Geiger, Mrs. Henry Geiger and Mrs. Harris Geiger and a large number of grandchildren.

CORINTH BUILDING TORN DOWN. The annual workday of cleaning the church yard and cemetery at Corinth Primitive Baptist Church last Saturday turned out to be the destruction of the old structure built some forty years ago. It was razed for the purpose of having constructed a larger building. Contractor Ed Shivar and force are pushing the work, which will meet the needs of an increased membership. The cemetery fence was also rebuilt, taking in more ground.

PRESIDENT HOOVER CAME THROUGH FOLKSTON. President Hoover passed through Folkston last Sunday afternoon on ACL train 76. All local officers and section men covered the ground in their territory ahead of the train. He was observed by a few bystanders.

NEW BABY. Born on February 10, a fine boy to Mrs. Ben A. Altman.

WOODROW PICKREN VISITING. Woodrow Pickren is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T.L. Pickren. Woodrow has been working in Toledo, Ohio.

EDGAR MILLS, MEAT MAN. Edgar Mills marketed several butchered pigs in Jacksonville Tuesday, wholesaling them for twelve cents per pound.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Rev. W.P. Cain and wife of Waycross spent a few hours here Friday looking into the continuing of the Presbyterian Church in Folkston. We understand that the church will continue having services here.

MRS. A.T. MIZELL DIED. Mrs. A.T. Mizell, widow of the late T. Mizell, died at noon today, we learn as we go to press. Funeral Friday. Particulars in next issue.

MR. FRED AMBRUSTER DIED. News of the death of Mr. Fred Ambruster, a pioneer citizen of Homeland, has been received as occurring on January 27th in Minneapolis. He was taken to his birthplace, New Brunswick, New Jersey for burial. He was 70 years of age.

B.W. KENNISON IS NEW HOMELAND TAX COLLECTOR. Mayor C.W. Waughtel of Homeland has appointed B.W. Kennison as Tax Collector in place of C.S. Bethel. In the future, all taxes will be collected by him.

GRAND JURY for March term Superior Court: W.E. Banks, Theo Dinkins, F.L. Burns,

Charles H. Gibson, W.L. McDuffie, J.W. Vickery, P.G. Brooks, H.S. Hodges, J.H. Barnes, O.F. Wilson, J.H. Rogers, Sol Burnsed, D.W. Reynolds, Mose Crews, L.S. Conner, J.D. Burnsed, S.T. Cockrell, Ben H. Rodgers, Pratt Crews, V.J. Pickren, James Raulerson, J.P. Russell, W.E. Gibson, E.P. Stokes, D.W. Lane, Geo. W. Chisholm, S.F. Canaday, L.E. Mallard, E.F. Allen and V.A. Hodges. PETTY JURY: E.H. Lee, W.C. Hopkins, W.H. Chancey, E.G. Mills, C.L. Crews, C.E. Roy, J.C. Littlefield, Sr., Gilbert M. Mizell, Richard E. Chesser, Curtis Dickson, D.H. Lowther, John Harris, K.G. Bass, Riley Johns, Elbert J. Crews, Fred S. Osterman, E.B. Stapleton, G.S. Roddenberry, Alex Bryant, Jack Mizell, R.T. Chesser, T. E. Player, Wheeler Crews, J.S. Joyner, B.F. Scott, Carl Scott, John D. Mizell, S.M. Altman, Ottie Johnson, Jeff Lloyd, J.D. Raulerson, Russell Cassell, Lloyd Crews, J.W. Gowen, Leon Askew, Geo. J. Stewart, Eli Waughtel, J.M. Crawford, J.M. Liles, James Purdom, G.H. Jacobs, Fell L. Murray, Albert Kemp, Floyd Chancey, J.D. Colson, E.F. Dean, Jr., Allen Thomas, J.H. Liles, J. Thomas Chesser and J.H. Jones.

ADVERTISEMENT. If you need any repair work done, bring to FOLKSTON BLACKSMITH SHOP. All work guaranteed first class. D.A. Royal.

AD. Notice: Will grind corn every second and fourth Saturdays. I have good cotton seed for planting, \$1.00 per bushel. Also have a little cotton for mattresses or quilts, 17 cents per pound. A.W. ASKEW.

February 21, 1930

MR. WILLIAM MIZELL, SR. The last rites paid our greatly beloved citizen, Mr. William Mizell, Sr. last Thursday afternoon was by the gathering of the largest and most representative citizens of this section. A cherished wish of Mr. Mizell was that he be buried in Folkston, and that by the side of a daughter who had gone before and was buried at Kings Ferry. This was made possible when the child's body was reinterred a few days ago by E.B. Stapleton and Cliff Mizell. Mr. Mizell was a wealthy man and while his will has not been probated, we learn that he leaves his fortune to his wife practically as a whole. William Mizell, Jr. will be executor.

PLANTING PECAN TREES. A step in the right direction is the planting of pecan trees. We notice that E.B. Stapleton had a twelve acre tract on the highway set out this week. Dr. Williams has his place north of town on the highway set out in these nut trees.

FARMING NEWS. Mr. L.M. Davis, just over the Brantley line near Winokur was in to see us last Friday. In telling us of his farming we drew from him some interesting sidelights on what he was doing. He began marketing his farm products by truck to Jacksonville a while back adopting the wholesale manner of sale. Weekly trips are made and we found that he had sold 200 pounds of homemade sausage a month for the past several months, with more fattened hogs for several trips. He takes chickens and eggs and will market 1000 gallons of syrup and almost as many bushels of potatoes. And yet we hear them say "Farm relief!" and "Hard times!" But as you sow, so shall you reap.

MRS. MATTIE MIZELL DIED. Mrs. Mattie Mizell, widow of the late T. Mizell, a beloved citizen of the older regime of Charlton County, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W.D. Knox, near Folkston, Monday after an illness of three weeks of pneumonia. The funeral was at Sardis where by loving hands she was tenderly laid to rest by the side of her departed husband. Rev. W.O. Gibson, a life-long neighbor and friend, conducted the services over this loved woman who was a pioneer citizen of this section and who had raised such a splendid family. Those surviving her are Mrs. Pratt Mizell, Mrs. Jesse P.

Mizell, Mrs. Charles Altman, Mrs. Ben A. Altman and Mrs. Sam Altman and A.T. Mizell. WEDDING. The courthouse was the scene Wednesday of a quiet marriage of Charlton County's young people when R.L. Canaday of Moniac and Miss Ida Stokes of St. George was united by Ordinary Gibson. They will make their home in Moniac.

MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED. License to wed was issued this week to Elbert Altman and Miss Etta O'Quinn. This marriage will take place Sunday at the home of the Ordinary. Mr. Altman is the salesman at Passieu Motor Co. and everybody knows him. Miss O'Quinn is the daughter of the late Bob O'Quinn of Traders Hill. The Herald showers its congratulations on the young couples.

BOARD OF EDUCATION BEING SUED. A suit was filed in the Clerk's office against the Board of Education for \$10,000.00 by Elijah Petty in favor of Jewell Petty, a minor for injury resulting from a fall from the Winokur truck [school bus] in January 1928. The truck was driven by Erroll Wasdin. The Board of Education has not secured an attorney yet.

E.J. PITTMAN, FORT MUDGE, BLOWN INTO TIDBITS. The Spurlock Retort Camp at Fort Mudge was the scene last Friday of a horrible tragedy. E.J. Pittman, supposedly a dynamite expert, was blown to atoms by an explosion of dynamite that scattered his remains over a wide area. Pittman was connecting fuse caps and dynamite for use in blowing stumps. He had a quantity of caps and some 25 sticks of dynamite that he was working over. Using his knife, it slipped from his grip, striking a cap, exploding it. The explosion that followed was heard for miles. The scattered remains of Mr. Pittman was gathered up, some parts found over 300 feet away. Pittman formerly worked here with Mr. Spurlock at his retort at the Paxton Place. He was buried in Waycross.

ACL VISITOR HERE. Mr. J.W. Daniel of the Coast Line, was a visitor to Folkston last Thursday. He is the Supt. of this division and is always a welcomed visitor in our town. He expressed regret over the death of Mr. Mizell and said that the Coast Line was closing its doors, as other business houses did in his memory, to attend the funeral.

ADVERTISEMENT: When you come to Atlanta, stay at the Biltmore Hotel. Three blocks from the new 3 million dollar Fox Theater. Biltmore rates are \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00. We have thirty rooms at \$3.50. The WSB Broadcasting Studio is on the 10th floor. THE ATLANTA BILTMORE.

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BOX SUPPER PLANNED. The women of the Baptist Missionary Society will give a box supper in the vacant room next to the post office Friday night. Everyone is invited to come and bring a box. No box will be sold for more than \$1.00 and a good time will be had by all.

INTEREST IN TIMBERLAND SOLD. A sale was completed Saturday of interest. E.B. Stapleton bought out the 1/10 interest of Dr. J.W. Buchanan in the Burnt Fort Investment Co. The company holds over 6,000 acres of timbered land including the beautiful Burnt Fort landing, lake and island, which makes it the ideal spot for a clubhouse or resort.

EDITORIAL COMMENT. Some nit-wit was in Banks Restaurant the past week distributing advertising cards of the Murson Hotel, Waycross, to the dinner guests stopping there, on which was written "Don't stop in Folkston." If this hotel thinks it gains prestige by such, then they have another think coming. It is surprising to us how some people stoop to get a little business.

MR. BILL CARTER VERY SICK. Mr. Bill Carter of Racepond has been ailing for the past

week or ten days. Fear has been expressed that he would become an invalid.
MOVIE MACHINE INSTALLED. The moving picture booth has been installed at the school auditorium. It won't be long before we will have it in operation.
WEDDING. Miss Myrtle Wainwright of Uptonville and Mr. Alfred Johns of Baxter, Fla. were married at Macclenny on February 23rd. Miss Myrtle is the daughter of Mr. G.B. Wainwright. Their friends wish for them a long and happy life.

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CAR SPACES PAINTED. Mayor Thompson announces that street work, for the present, will stop. A noticeable improvement is parking places for automobiles. Frank Murray is marking off spaces so that every car will have a painted place to park in. Cars park right or left as indicated. The regulation of traffic is a much-needed thing.

McCLAIN CHILD BURNED. Little Vanice, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T.H. McClain, living at Hopkins Camp, was badly burned by having her clothes catch fire while playing near the stove. Her left cheek and left side of her body was badly burned. Dr. Fleming was called and dressed the wounds. While very painful, no bad results outside of ugly scars are expected.

BUCHANANS TO BE HERE SOON. Hamp Wainwright has been busy re-covering the Buchanan house on the Dixie Highway near the Aviation Field. We learned that goods belonging to C.S. Buchanan, his son, have arrived and that he will soon be here from his Colorado home.

HOUSE DESTROYED BY FIRE. The cottage belonging to Walter Huling south of town was destroyed by fire Monday evening. A spark from a defective flue was probably the cause. The house was being used by mattress makers in remaking them. They saved the work in their charge. Insurance lapsed in February so Mr. Huling suffered a loss of \$1,000.00.

WORK COMPLETED AT CORINTH CHURCH. Contractor Ed Shivar has completed the work on Corinth Primitive Baptist Church located in the Prescott settlement. This structure was built of timbers specifically selected and sawed for the building and is very well built. Services will be held in it the next meeting day in April.

PROHIBITION LAW STRESSED BY JUDGE. The Spring Term of Superior Court was only of two days duration. The Grand Jury listened to a charge delivered by Judge Dickerson in which he stressed the importance of the Prohibition Law, stating that when the people wished this law to be enforced, there would be no trouble in its being enforced.

MRS. RHODEN ADOPTS CHILD. At Superior Court an order was signed granting adoption of a child to Mrs. J.L. Rhoden.

GRAND JURY CONCERNED ABOUT BRIDGES, BALL GAMES AND CUSPIDORS. The Grand Jury has recommended the County Commissioners build a bridge over Mims Creek near St. George, where it is reported that it is very dangerous for the passing of the school truck. It was also recommended that the Commissioners make at least one crossing over Spanish Creek that would be considered a full-time crossing, placing the necessary bridges and fills to accomplish this. It was also recommended that the

playing of basketball games during school hours be curtailed. The Grand Jury also recommended that sufficient cuspidors be placed in the courthouse and that heaters be placed in the jury rooms.

APPROXIMATELY 100 ADULTS BEING TAUGHT TO READ AND WRITE. It is estimated that 100 illiterates are taking regular instruction in Charlton now, with quite a few receiving instruction from private sources, their own children for instance, who are offered \$5.00 for each adult they instruct to read and write. The colored people are taking a decided interest.

NEW BABY. Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Mills are the proud parents of a fine baby boy, born February 25th.

TWIN BOYS BORN TO WRIGHTS. Born February 26, to Mr. and Mrs. C.M. Wright, twin boys. It is announced that mother and boys are doing nicely.

MILLS CEMETERY CYPRESS MARKER. A marker on a cypress board in Mills Cemetery which was placed there 90 years ago has been attracting some attention of late on account of the manner in which it retains a painted epitaph and its well preserved condition. The tradition of the Mills family is that the board was placed over the grave of Mrs. Carolyn King, aunt of the late Mr. S.F. Mills at the time she died 90 years ago. The words are easily read and have never been retouched since painted originally.

CLYDE CHESSER DIED. Clyde Chesser, who was one of the young men injured in the wreck of an oil truck at Waycross two weeks ago, was buried February 26th at Oak Grove Cemetery in Brantley County. He was the son of W.C. Chesser of Charlton County.

WEDDING. A wedding united a Charlton County young man, Mr. Sam Wainwright, son of Irwin Wainwright, and Miss Winnie Walker, daughter of James D. Walker of Brantley County, at the home of the father of the bride, Rev. W.O. Gibson officiating. The bride was only fourteen years old, the youngest bride led to the altar in some time about here.

STOKES FAMILY MOVES. The R.E. Stokes family has moved to Argyle. We are sorry to lose these good people from our midst.

FEBRUARY MARRIAGES: Willie Bowers and Mary Williams, both of Folkston. R.L. Canaday of Moniac and Miss Ida Stokes. E.C. Altman and Miss Etta O'Quinn by Rev. G.H. Jacobs. Cris Mitchell and Lois Williams of Folkston.

MIZELLS MOVE TO WAVERLY. Pratt Mizell has ordered his paper changed to Waverly. We are glad he did not move far away.

March 14, 1930

MONIAC SCHOOL BOND ISSUE FAILS. The surprise of the day was the result of the school bond election that occurred in the Moniac school district Monday. Since destruction of the school building by fire some three weeks ago, it was considered sure that the voters would support the bond issue inasmuch as it meant a four-teacher school for that community. However, some discussion arose as to moving the school site into Moniac. Discontent over the matter caused some to refuse to support the issue. The vote was a 50-50 affair, the anti-bond voters being slightly in excess of supporters. No report of numbers voting has been made on account of the issue failing.

BOX SUPPER HELPS CEMETERY FUND. Friends gathered at the Uptonville school house last Saturday evening for the purpose of having a box supper to raise funds to fence the Bethel cemetery. The sale of boxes netted \$24.00. A contest voting the

prettiest girl with a delicious cake netted \$15.20 with Miss Ora Roddenberry being declared the prize beauty.

CHAIN STORE ISSUE TO BE DISCUSSED. The merchants of Folkston have invited Senator Ed Rivers to speak here and discuss the evil of the chain store manner of doing business. Come to Folkston Monday night and hear this discussion.

THREE MEMBERS OF CARTER FAMILY DIED. The attack of measles on the Carter family at Racepond has resulted in three deaths since last Saturday when the twenty-year-old sister of Mrs. Frank Carter died. The second death, Sunday, was the nine-year-old daughter of Frank Carter. On Monday, the death of his brother, Riley, age 45, took place after he contracted pneumonia fever. We understand that at present Mr. Carter and two children are very sick with measles.

POOR MAN'S CLUB BUYS CAMP SITE. Some of our good folks have organized a "Poor Man's Club", the intent is to build a camp on the salts for pleasure purposes.

Tuesday a committee of Mayor Thompson, L.E. Mallard, J.W. Vickery and C.J. Passieu invaded Camden County and viewed with longing the property of William Pacetty at Cherry Point. When the boys came home they were joyous with the good news that a deal had been made. Some twenty have intentions of joining this social club.

MURSON HOTEL MANAGER APOLOGIZES. Manager Rawlings of the Murson Hotel writes that the cards given out advertising his hotel and advising tourists "not to stop in Folkston" was not with his permission. He regrets this and want his friends here to know he will cooperate at all times. He enclosed a letter showing the discharge of the offender.

1930 CENSUS ENUMERATORS. The enumerators for the Charlton County Census have not as yet been appointed. The work of gathering the business census was begun yesterday by C.W. Waughtel and the Herald filled out the first return. We understand that Rev. E.F. Dean will be one of the enumerators.

RAILROAD WATER TANKS. The Coast Line tank gang is here rebuilding the water tanks. The one opposite the Herald office is having some new wooden legs put on, not to walk about on, but to stand up under its heavy liquid.

March 21, 1930

1930 CENSUS. Census taker C.W. Waughtel, who has been taking the business census of Charlton, finished the lower end of the county Tuesday, getting that part done just ahead of the rain. He has every part of the county covered except Winokur.

ST. GEORGE POST OFFICE. The St. George postmaster has been advised that the rural route will be established on April 2nd. Indirect information is that the present postmaster, John A. Barker, will be transferred, which will call for the appointment of another postmaster.

SENATOR RIVERS SPEAKS ON CHAIN STORES. The meeting Monday night at the courthouse was a good one, as those there listened to a good talk by Senator Ed Rivers. In a short talk, William Mizell stated that bankers all over the country were not seekers for chain store business and showed where several of the larger banks had refused to carry their accounts. The Herald was glad to hear Senator Rivers' speech on chain stores which dodge tax laws. The senator also attacked the mail order business and chain store for lack of interest in handling home products. It is in line with our attitude, and like him we will go to extremes to force such methods of doing business out of our community. The Independent Merchants Association entertained Senator

Rivers with a meal at Banks' Restaurant.

L.E. MALLARD INJURED. L.E. Mallard was painfully hurt last week when he stepped from a freight car to a dump truck. The catch was loose and down Mr. Mallard went with such force as to render him badly dazed and cause a severely sprained ankle. This kept him in bed for several days. At the time he was hurt he was superintending the unloading of fertilizer.

GET RID OF FLIES AND MOSQUITOS. Swatting flies and mosquitos is the thing. Do it early, do it now and do it often. Bury tin cans. Drain stagnant water. Use lime. Screen the house. Good health is the prize, whatever the cost.

TELEPHONE EXCHANGE. Floyd Larkins is here this week supervising the installing of our new telephone exchange.

MRS. TOY. Mrs. R.M. Toy was a pleasant caller at our office Tuesday, just as spry as one could be at 82 years young. She had just recovered from a ten weeks' illness caused by ptomaine poisoning. As she discussed a planting program, the pulse of spring is in her being. Here is good luck to this wonderful old lady.

March 28, 1930

1930 CENSUS. Our county does not seem to be complete in qualified nose-counters but we understand that Rev. E.F. Dean has qualified for Folkston, C.W. Waughtel was offered Uptonville and Winokur and Arthur Roberts has also qualified.

McCOY FAMILY MOVES. Dr. W.R. McCoy left Thursday for Boston, Ga., where he goes to locate and practice his profession. He has been a citizen here for the past several years but now goes to seek a wider field of activity. The family will be missed by a wide circle of friends.

FLOYD WARD DIED. Floyd Ward, former citizen, died Sunday in Jacksonville from an attack of asthma from which he has long been a sufferer. He was 49 years old. The body was brought to Folkston Monday and buried in the Folkston cemetery, Rev. G.R. Wilson officiating. The funeral party consisted of Mrs. W.W. Ward, wife of the deceased; daughter, Alma Ward; mother, Mrs. Alma Ward; nephew H.B. Ward and many other relatives and friends.

SUSPICIOUS DEATH IN SWAMP. Three men in a boat, W.C. Anderson, Ed Lindsey and John Lovell from Waycross went to the canal Saturday on a fishing jaunt. Despite the high water and bad weather they persisted in taking the trip in a motor boat. Lindsey and Lovell returned later and stated that Anderson had fallen overboard and was never seen again. They left without assisting in recovering the body. A party later discovered the body, led by A.E. Hickox and J.B. Rider. The body was lying on the lake, face upwards. When examined traces of blood were discovered on the nose and mouth. Mr. Anderson's brother came from Waycross and insisted on a coroner's inquest. When it was found that it happened just across the Ware County line they met with Jack and Willie Davis, Noah Lee, Milton Brock, Brantley Gay and A.G. Gowen as a jury. They left it up to Ware County to handle the case.

NEW BABY. Born to Mr. and Mr. M. Altman a fine 12 pound baby girl on March 21st. She has been named Vacey.

WHOOPING COUGH. Whooping cough is becoming prevalent in Folkston. It is a bad time to contract such disease as weather conditions might indicate trouble with the flu. The school is trying to have those affected remain at home during the contagious period.

ED SHIVAR INJURED AT WORK. Ed Shivar and Fell Murray have been doing some

building over at Woodbine. Tuesday while putting up a joist, Mr. Murray happened to release his hold while nailing it in place and it slipped and fell striking Mr. Shivar on the nose, skinning it up and giving him two black eyes.

MR. FRANKLYN JOHNS DIED. Mr. Franklyn Johns, age 70, died on the 23rd at his home near Bachlott where he was a pioneer after a several months illness from the result of paralysis and a cancer. He was buried the next day at Hickox. He suffered a stroke of paralysis several years ago and since that time he has not been so active. He was one time a County Commissioner of Charlton County. Having known him for the past thirty years we regret his passing and sympathize with the bereaved family. Surviving him are five sons, Ben Johns, Art Johns, Jess Johns, Ward Johns and Walter Johns; three daughters, Mrs. Mark Wildes, Mrs. B.W. Minchew and Mrs. E.P. Higginbotham, all living in this section.

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April 11, 1930

ST. GEORGE RURAL ROUTE. The postal patrons on the rural route at St. George will receive mail on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

DR. WILLIAMS TO RUN FOR CONGRESS. The opening of Dr. A.D. Williams' campaign for Congressman at Woodbine Monday was a good one and presented issues for which he stands. His formal announcement will appear later.

REUNION OF GIBSON BROTHERS JUST IN TIME FOR ALL, FOR ONE BROTHER DIES. W.O. Gibson and H.G. Gibson returned Friday from Young's Island, S.C. where there had been one of the most pleasant gatherings of the last few years. All six of the brothers were present, the occasion being somewhat hastened by the illness of Steve Gibson, 71, who had been an invalid for some time. Wednesday of this week a wire came announcing the death of Steve M. Gibson, the ailing member. His body was taken to Dublin, Ga. where two children had been interred. He leaves a wife and two children besides the brothers named above.

SCHOOL CLOSINGS PLANNED. Plans are being made to close the county schools on April 25th. A new feature this year will be the alumni banquet at which 78 graduates of the school will welcome the 24 members of this year's graduating class.

THE CITIZENS BANK. Statement of condition of the Citizens Bank at close of business on March 27th, 1930: Resources: \$459,217.41.

MARCH MARRIAGES: ...Cris Mitchell and Lois Williams, Folkston by Ordinary. ...Sam Houston, Camden County and Martha Clayton, Folkston by Ordinary. ...L.L. Crews of Uptonville and Miss Freeda Byrd of St. George by H.S. Hodges. ...Henry Thompson and Rosa Lee Lumpkins, both of Folkston by Rev. S.A. Chaney.

April 18, 1930

OLD HATHAWAY HOME ESCAPED DANGER. Discovered in the nick of time, a small blaze caught around the kitchen flue in the old Hathaway house Monday and averted the possible destruction of the old landmark. The place is occupied by VanDell Bennett and while preparing dinner Mrs. Bennett was made aware of the fire by embers falling to the kitchen floor. The fire caught from embers dropped in dry, decayed shingles. A

telephone call brought help that soon quenched the blaze.

FOLKSTON-KINGSLAND ROUTE BEING PLANNED. Chairman J.C. Littlefield of the County Commissioners has just returned from a meeting of the State Highway Board in Atlanta. The purpose was to promote the Folkston-Kingsland route.

SCHOOLS TO CLOSE. Charlton's school system closes its eight-months grammar school next week. The high school work continues another month to complete the work of the graduating class.

COLERAINE SOLD TO DAN HEBARD. The sale of the M.G. White Coleraine property Saturday under mortgage foreclosure was to Dan Hebard, of the interest that controls the Swamp. Mr. Hebard has long desired a river property of this character and this opportunity was to his advantage. Friends of George White will be glad to learn he will come out of the deal without severe loss.

SIDNEY BROWN INJURED ON RIVER. Sidney Brown is hobbling around on crutches, the cause being a bruised ankle got on a timber raft, when the injured leg was crushed between two timbers last week. Dr. Fleming treated it. If it does not become infected, he will soon become himself again.

MRS. BANNER CREWS DIED. Monday we met W.L. Thomas who had decided to run up to Brantley County to visit his grandmother, Mrs. Banner Crews, about 80 years of age, and was surprised to find that she had died the night before. She was buried that afternoon at the family burial ground in that county. Dr. Williams made the trip with Mr. Thomas.

JOHN BARKER ESCAPES HARM IN BRIDGE ACCIDENT. Mr. Barker, St. George, dropped the front end of his car through a goodly portion of Sparkman's Creek highwater bridge Wednesday on his regular mail route. He stoutly maintains it looked very, very dangerous and when he came in from his work he was still badly scared. Fortunately C.H. Johns and other men working nearby rendered first aid and put him on his way with no damage to his car.

WEDDING. Folkston young folks were interested in the report from Miami Beach that James Fleming, son of Dr. A. Fleming of this city, was married Tuesday to Miss Alma Loraine Stephenson, daughter of the chief of the fire department there.

April 25, 1930

ELECTRIC POWER RATE LOWERED. The Ga. Public Service Commission has handed down a ruling, giving Folkston a lower power rate. Many of our refrigerator users are already discussing fridged air refrigeration. The announcement was also made that a deal has been made whereby the Georgia Power and Light Co. has completed a trade for the Charlton County Power Co.

HUFFMAN CHILD BADLY INJURED. The ten-year-old son of foreman Huffman, who works a skidder for the sawmill at Racepond, was run down by an automobile Sunday near the Racepond schoolhouse while playing on the highway. Reports from the hospital in Jacksonville are that he will have to suffer amputation.

MRS. W.R. KEEN DIED. Mrs. W.R. Keen, wife of one of Charlton's oldest citizens, W.R. Keen of Traders Hill, died at her home Tuesday night and was laid to rest in the community burial ground Wednesday afternoon. She was 75 years of age and one of Charlton County's earliest settlers. She was taken ill last week and lingered until death relieved her suffering. While her health has been very poor of late, she was able to be up and about until the attack that caused her death. Besides Mr. Keen, the survivors of

this good woman are Mrs. Cora Grier, Miss Nettie Keen, Miss Annie Keen; two sons, Willie Keen and Charlie Keen.

HOMEMADE GIBSON SUGAR. We have heard it said that farmers in Charlton could produce everything to eat but sugar and coffee. Now in walks farmer Steve Gibson with a big bottle of brown sugar and presents us with this homemade sweetness. It was sparkling and grainy and reminds us of the sugar we used to have before the days of refineries.

THE McCOY FAMILY RETURNS TO FOLKSTON. Dr. W.R. McCoy and family have returned from a stay at Boston and are at home in the Walker cottage. The doctor has opened his office in the same place.

CHICKEN THEFTS. Reports of chicken thefts are coming to us again. Mrs. W.R. Wainwright, A.W. Askew and Jos. P. Mizell are late losers of fine birds. Buckshot and a good dog are helpful cures if properly used.

TAYLOR BABY DIED. John Taylor who is an inspector in the cattle quarantine work in Chatham County, came with his family, bringing the corpse of a three-weeks-old infant for burial Monday evening. It was buried at Sardis and they returned to Savannah Tuesday.

MR. E.T. MIZELL DIED. E.T. Mizell, Coast Line car inspector for over 30 years, died at his home in Savannah Wednesday. He had been ill for a week. Tuesday night his sister Mrs. L.E. Mallard, received a telephone message saying he was in serious condition and had been calling for her. Mrs. Mallard left on the first train but found him unconscious upon arrival. He died a few hours after her arrival. The funeral will be in Savannah and burial in the Bonaventure Cemetery Thursday. Mr. Mizell leaves a wife and three brothers surviving him.

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May 2, 1930

GILBERT MIZELL IS NEW MANAGER. Gilbert Mizell has accepted the position as manager of Hughes Grocery Store and took charge this week.

SMART STUDENT PROMOTED. Pearl Vallerchamp, St. George, who has made such remarkably good grades, averaging 100% often in her studies, was promoted from third to fifth grade.

MISS ROSEBUD HODGES DIED. Word has just been received that Miss Rosebud Hodges, daughter of G.C. Hodges who lives near St. George, died suddenly Monday night after a long illness.

TRAFFIC SLOWING DOWN. Highway traffic, according to the reports of the quarantine station, is falling and now not over 300 cars daily pass on the highway. This is about a 50 percent reduction.

JOHNSON SAWMILL COMMISSARY. The J.H. Johnson sawmill has completed a commissary building at their works in Folkston. Frank Murray put the finishing touches on it this week. It is now ready for its stock of supplies.

May 9, 1930

SPANISH WAR VETERANS MEET. Dr. Williams, M.G. Davis and T.W. Wrench attended the monthly meeting of Spanish War veterans last Friday in Brunswick, they being

members of that organization. CENSUS FIGURES. Folkston's population is 506. Homeland reported 152. Charlton's figures are 4500. Folkston in 1930, 506; in 1920, 397 for a gain of 109. Folkston District, 1447. Homeland in 1930, 152. In 1920, 138. Folkston District will show an increase and will hold first place in population. St. George comes next with about 900, then Traders Hill District. From what we can gather, Moniac will have less population than any other district, being less than 500.

NEW WORKERS AT SINCLAIR STATION. Dean Gowen has leased the Sinclair station and took charge Wednesday morning. Jim Mizell is in charge of the filling station and George Stewart has the mechanical department.

WEDDING. The marriage of Miss Gladys Cockrell of St. George, and Rev. J.B. Smith was performed May 7th at the home of the bride's parents.

ROSEBUD HODGES DIED. Rosebud Hodges, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Hodges, who died at her home near St. George on April 28th, was buried at Emmaus Cemetery Tuesday with simple services. Rosebud was sixteen years and two months old. She had lived here all her life, attended school until the beginning of her illness several months ago and endeared herself to her family and friends by a sweet, uncomplaining spirit during a long period of suffering before death relieved her. Surviving besides her parents are her grandmother, Mrs. Basha Rowell and brothers and sisters, Alex, Fronie, Herbert, Myrtle and Wilmerine, all of whom live at the old home place.

NEW BABY. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Southwell, a boy, on Sunday. Mother and baby are reported well.

OLLIE ROWELL VISITED. Ollie Rowell was down from Jesup Wednesday, mingling with friends. He looked quite natural.

NEW MEMBERS FOR PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Mrs. Thomas Sullivan and little daughters, Shirley and Burley, were received by baptism into the Presbyterian Church Sunday afternoon.

NEW BABY. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Nazworth are the proud parents of a fine baby girl born Wednesday. This is their fifth child.

May 16, 1930

MR. JOSEPH HARRIS DIED. Mr. Joseph Harris, age 42, died Tuesday night at his home on the Emory Dean farm after an illness of 14 days with typhoid fever. Mr. Harris was a good farmer and was looking after the farming interests of the Ga.-Fla. Investment Co. at Traders Hill. He was reared on the Big Buffalo Creek and leaves a wife, who was Miss Cora Prescott. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harris of Brantley County survive him. Also four brothers, Erdly Harris, Frank Harris, George Harris and Jim Harris. And three sisters, Mrs. James Higginbotham and Mrs. T. Davis. The funeral was held Wednesday evening at Corinth Cemetery with Rev. W.O. Gibson conducting the service.

MRS. ALICE WAINWRIGHT HUNT DIED. Mrs. Alice Hunt, widowed daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Wainwright, died Saturday at her father's home in Homeland after a short illness. She was buried at Bethel cemetery, funeral conducted by Rev. C.L. Nease and Rev. G.H. Jacobs. She is survived by her parents, five brothers, J.P. Wainwright, E.D. Wainwright, W.R. Wainwright, W.H. Wainwright and C.O. Wainwright and two sisters, Mrs. M.D. Jones and Mrs. Agnes Smith.

MARRIAGES IN APRIL: John E. Hodges and Miss Nora A. Crews by Rev. W.O. Gibson,

on fourth Sunday.

Willie Brown and Pearl Maner, at Newell, by Rev. L.H. Littles.

Augusta Austin and Wilhemina Hannon by Rev. L.C. Charlton.

W.M. Jackson and Mary Allen of Paxton Place, by the Ordinary.

JOHNSON BABY DIED. Born to Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Johnson, a baby boy on Monday morning. The baby did not live, however, and the body was brought to St. George that afternoon where loving friends prepared the little body for burial. Mrs. Johnson is still in a Jacksonville hospital.

May 23, 1930

CHICKEN THIEVES ARE BUSY. The continual theft of chickens in this community has become a nuisance. Last week they cut the back wire fence at O.K. Prevatt's home, lifting 15 hens; got the rest of Dr. Williams' hens and got six fryers from Mrs. Clark at Homeland. It is suspected that some local person is working with some out of town thief. It might be a good idea to check as to where some of our loafers are getting their spending money. Farmers and poultry raisers should keep their shotguns handy. A dead chicken thief is a better community asset than a live one.

WEDDING. A wedding of much interest occurred May 12th when Miss Sara Virginia Harbaugh of Alumbank, Pennsylvania and Mr. John A. Barker of St. George were married at the home of the bride's parents.

1930 HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES. The following is a list of the graduating class of 1930: Edgar Anderson, Helen Battle, Louise Barker, Maude Crews, Leila Crews, Althea Gowen, Hazel Gowen, Jessie Gowen, Anna Gibson, Howard Huling, Eunice Johnson, Monnie McDuffie, Vina Mattox, Bessie Murray, Lester Quarterman, Virginia Rodgers, Eloise Roddenberry, Cecil Roddenberry, Tracy Stewart, Eugene Shivar, Everett Smith, J.W. Vickery, Jr., Errol Wasdin and Thomas Wrench.

NEW ROAD EQUIPMENT. The new road grading machinery purchased by the county commissioners has been at work this week connecting up the link through Sam Crews' place at Newell.

TELEPHONE EXCHANGE. There's been a rumor concerning our local telephone exchange, that it has been sold to a holding company of the Bell System.

DR. WILLIAMS. Dr. A.D. Williams, who is getting much encouragement in his race for Congress, addressed the voters in Jeff Davis County Monday. Tuesday he will be in Brantley County.

STEALING CHICKENS. Chicken thieves are still plying their trade. Rev. M.G. Davis is a victim, having lost a fine lot.

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June 6, 1930

DR. WILLIAMS IS CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS. At a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce this week at Banks Restaurant, an enthusiastic endorsement was made of Dr. A.D. Williams' race for Congress. Some \$500.00 was subscribed toward a campaign fund. Campaign manager Mallard gave a good report. Dr. Williams qualified Monday. He and Congressman Lankford are the only contestants so far.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. The ladies of the Presbyterian Church will have a measuring party next week at the high school building for the purpose of raising funds to make the final payment on their piano.

ALL SCHOOL BILLS PAID. The Board of Education at their meeting this week paid every outstanding claim due and found themselves with a lone nickel to their credit with vacation time on hand. Plans for an eight-months school were discussed. The Prescott school asked for a two-year consolidation trial with Folkston and this was granted.

CLYDE GOWEN TO WORK FOR GA.-FLA. INVEST. CO. Clyde Gowen, one of our hustling young men, has quit the mercantile business, leaving Dean & Gowen, to take charge of the cross tie business of the Ga.-Fla. Investment Co.

4-H CLUB CAMP. The annual 4-H Camp at Burnt Fort is being planned near Mrs. H.A. Howard's home. We are expecting 30 or 40 boys and girls to attend. Mrs. Howard is letting the girls sleep in her house but they must furnish their own quilt, pillow and sheets and they must not sleep on any of Mrs. Howard's beds. We have a nice concrete bathing pool there and all the boys and girls taking their bathing suits will be permitted to go in the pool. Mrs. Howard says the girls must bring bathing suits with skirts attached and that none of the entire bunch will be allowed to romp around the premises in their bathing suits. Every camper must bring his bedding and dishes or he will be out of luck. Do not leave home without them. Each family represented should bring a lard can as we will need ten lard cans. Take a lunch along for dinner and bring the following food for the week: one dozen irish potatoes, one dozen eggs, one pound meat, one chicken, one glass of jelly, one jar of preserves, one jar of fruit, two pounds of lard, two pounds of meal, two pounds of rice, two pounds of grits, one can of pork and beans, two cups sugar, one pound butter, one cake, one loaf of bread, two onions and whatever vegetables you have. Every camper must bring fifty cents to buy flour and ice as well as pay the cook. Get everything ready now. A.B. Hursey, County Agent

THRIFT BABY DIED. Mr. and Mrs. Josie Thrift were visited by the Death Angel Wednesday, who took away from them their baby. The infant was buried Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Thrift have the sympathy of many friends.

CANADY CHILD DIED. Little Willie Mae Canady, two years and seven months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Canady, was called by death Friday night at the home of Mrs. J.P. Canady near Moniac. The child had been sick for nine days with gland trouble. Willie Mae was laid to rest Saturday in the Mt. Zion Cemetery. Besides her parents, Willie Mae leaves a baby sister, Margie Deloris.

NEW BABY. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Wright announce the birth of a fine baby girl.

REPORT OF MAY MARRIAGES: May 15: Arthur Dixon and Miss Nora Lee Dixon, both of Traders Hill by Rev. W.O. Gibson. May 18: Johnnie Walker and Miss Winnie Crews, both of Winokur, by Eddie Crews, J.P. May 24: S.J. Johns and Miss Connie Wainwright, both of Winokur, by the Ordinary. Lenard S. Kelley, Chief of Police of Sycamore, Ga. and Miss Ethel S. Jones, of Folkston, by Ordinary. May 11: Howard Huntley of Nassau County and Verie Robert, of Charlton County, by Rev. J.A. McNair.

June 13, 1930

ECONOMIC DEPRESSION. Miami and St. Petersburg have both suffered from banks closing the doors, the worst financial break in their history. The Bank of Bay Biscayne with deposits of \$14 million closed after a brief run on it. Demands on other banks were met, \$2 million were rushed by airplane and by Thursday they should be open for

business. The Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta offered \$4 million to help during the crisis.

CAFE REOPENS. The Airport Cafe reopens its doors to the public Friday with a delightful dance. The work of moving the residence of Mr. M. deWay is now in progress and when it is placed on a lot on the driveway, the corner lot is to be made into a miniature golf course, and tennis court.

NEW BABY. Vivian Wright is the name of the charming young visitor mentioned as having arrived at the home of Mrs. Carroll Wright in last week's Herald.

WEDDING. Mrs. J.J. Stokes announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Ethel Jones to Mr. Lynn Kelley. The wedding took place in Folkston on May 29th.

June 20, 1930

MR. WILLIAM R. KEENE DIED. In the death of Mr. William R. Keene last Friday morning there passed a citizen who served the county twenty- seven years as a member of the Board of Education and in the record of the last ten years, only missed one meeting. His health for the past several years has not been so good. While he complained little, it was noticed that since the death of his wife seven weeks and three days ago his spirit seemed to be broken, his health declining till the end came with his loved ones around him. Mr. Keene was a splendid citizen living in his humble way. He did many good works while living on a farm, raising a splendid family with limited means. He was born October 8, 1852 in Columbia County, Fla. He lived there till a short time after the War Between the States. He moved with his family to Hillsboro County. When he was sixteen years old he came to Charlton County, stopping at what is known as the Big Bend, living there, working with different families until 1878. He was married at Traders Hill to Miss Josephine Gay, locating on what is his present farm 52 years ago. To this union nine children were born, five survive him. They are Miss Annie Keene, Miss Nettie Keene, William Keene of Traders Hill; Mrs. J.R. Greer, Homestead, Fla. and Charles Keene, Woodbine. Funeral service was from the quaint old Methodist Church, over a hundred years old, of which he had so long been a member. Interment was at the nearby cemetery.

MR. ALONZA JEFFERSON CASON DIED. Mr. Alonza Jefferson Cason, 31, section foreman of the Atlantic Coast Line, Uptonville Section, died Tuesday at the hospital in Waycross after an illness of several weeks. He had been with the Coast Line at Uptonville for several years and was considered one of their best foremen. Surviving him are his wife, the former Miss Osie Crews, a daughter Louise Marion and two sons, A.J. and Harry Foster; his father John Cason; four brothers, Laurie, Lod, Ernest and Freddie; three sisters, Miss Rosie Cason, Mrs. Lloyd Pittman and Mrs. George White. Funeral services were at Sardis Cemetery conducted by Folkston Lodge Woodmen of the World.

MRS. ANN ELIZABETH TRACHY DIED. Mrs. Ann Elizabeth Trachy, 76, who suffered a stroke of paralysis ten days ago, died at her home in Homeland Friday evening. The remains were shipped to her old home in Minneapolis via Southern Railroad. Mrs. Trachy was a native of Jersey Island, England. A memorial service was held at the Homeland Methodist Church Sunday afternoon. She leaves a husband, Philip Trachy and a son, W.E. Welch.

MALLARD HOUSE TO BE MOVED. Bids on removing the Mallard house south facing east on the highway were received Tuesday by Mr. Griffin, a Standard Oil

representative, who announced the job would be handled by local contractors.
WEDDING. Traders Hill was the scene of a beautiful home wedding last Saturday when J.H. Quarterman and Miss Althea Gowen were united in wedlock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Gowen, by Rev. C.L. Neese. Miss Gowen is an accomplished lady, a graduate of the 1930 class of Charlton County High School. Mr. Quarterman is a valued employee of the Ga.-Fla. Investment Co. of Traders Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Quarterman of Traders Hill.

HOLE IN RIVER BRIDGE. A moving van out of Jacksonville which was carrying household goods of the L.E. Roberts, went through the river bridge near St. George, enough to cause some delay in traffic. A wrecking crew from Jacksonville handled the truck. Mr. John Southwell took charge of the bridge and soon had the road open again. That bridge needs considerable fixing and there are those who think we need a new one.

No issue for June 27 on microfilm.

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GROWING AMARILLIS BULBS. R.W. Ragin of Orlando, representing the Growers Association of Amarillis Bulbs, was here this week trying to get our people interested in the growing of them on a commercial basis. He made a talk to the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday, interesting several in the growing of them. M.G. White and M.M. Crews signed up for an acre, and a half-acre. The Association promises to supply the seed, demonstrate their growing and handle the selling of the products. As the exportation of bulbs from Holland has been stopped it is estimated it will take from six to ten years to supply the demand of the present.

YOUNG STILLER WORKS TIMBER. Willis Baker Jones has started out young. He is thirteen years old and Grandpa Baker has set him up a still of a quarter-barrel capacity. He will work his grandfather's timber and has a contract for all the spirits he can manufacture. He insists that nothing but pine products will be stilled by him. This is an experiment by our youngest naval store operator.

BOARD OF EDUCATION HAS FUNDS ON HAND. The July meeting of the Board of Education found that they are out of debt with a balance of \$1200.00 on hand. This is on account of financing on a budget plan.

ANOTHER CHICKEN THIEF. West Johnson said that some chicken thieves had a narrow escape at his place three weeks ago. He heard the sneak strike a wire which aroused his bulldog. He took Old Betsy loaded with buckshot, and got in position behind two henhouses where his white leghorns roost and awaited action, but the dog made a run toward the fence and the would-be thief escaped. Next morning it was discovered the fence had been cut, then hooked back, evidently with the thought of keeping the dog in when he made his dash.

NEW TELEPHONE MANAGER. The family of M.J. Jordan moved to Callahan the first of the week. Mrs. Jordan has been serving as operator of the telephone exchange for the past several months but the sale of the business to Mr. Sikes, who will have his

family living in the exchange building and looking after the exchange work made it necessary for her to give up the position. Mr. Jordan, who is blind, operated a broom and mop factory and helped in making a living but it was not sufficient to cause them to remain.

WEDDING. One of the most interesting of June weddings was when Miss Mary Elizabeth Snowden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Snowden, became the bride of Mr. E. Eugene Player, son of Mr. and Mrs. T.L. Player. The ceremony was performed June 22nd at the home of the bride. Mrs. Player has many friends in Stockton and Folkston. Mr. Player is an industrious young man connected with the Racepond Turpentine Co.

NEW BABY. Traffic officer Jim Sikes is wearing a broader smile than usual. Mrs. Sikes presented him with a charming gift, a darling little daughter, arriving Saturday night. The young miss has not been named as yet.

MRS. JOE HARRIS HAS TYPHOID FEVER. Mrs. Joe Harris, whose husband died a few weeks ago of Typhoid Fever, was taken to the hospital in Jacksonville this week and her ailment was also pronounced Typhoid Fever by the doctors at St. Luke's.

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VETERANS' PICNIC. Veterans of the Spanish-American War of 1898 from Charlton County who attended the Woodbine Veterans Picnic included J.V. Gowen, J.C. Allen, Dr. A.D. Williams, T.W. Wrench, and M.G. Davis.

CENSUS RECORDS. Here is the official population of the districts in Charlton County compiled by the 1930 census takers. Paste it in your hat and watch us grow. Folkston 506; Homeland 152; Folkston District 1452; St. George District 768; Traders Hill District 645; Moniac District 405; Uptonville District 779 and Winokur District 332.

SLEEP MEDICINE. A simple remedy describing "How to Sleep Through Hot Nights" as given by the Atlanta Georgian: "Take one teaspoon or more of soda bicarbonate in a glass of water before retiring." This remedy sets up an alkaline substance in the blood, thins it and at the same time produces a healthful sleep.

LARGE RAFT OF LOGS. Some 400 piling were taken down the river Monday by the tug "Roamer" of Brunswick, loaded in the water by J.C. Littlefield. These were a fine lot of logs and have been awaiting rafting for some days, the tug being hard to secure to do the work. The piling were taken to Brunswick. While the price on cross ties has dropped the demand for piling continues good, with fair prices.

WEDDING. Married in June: Solomon Brown and Odessa Conley, both of Traders Hill, by Judge Gibson.

WEDDING. Of interest to a host of friends is the announcement of marriage of Miss Sara Frances Hayes to Mr. James H. Wrench which took place Sunday at the home of the bride's parents in Mansfield. The bride has taught school in Folkston for three years. Mr. Wrench is importantly connected with the Citizens Bank.

NEW OPERATOR AT TELEPHONE OFFICE. Miss Bessie Lee Davis is now "Central" at the local telephone office.

CITIZENS BANK. Statement of condition of the Citizens Bank at the close of business on June 30, 1930: Resources: \$431,900.65.

NOTE: Some ads for groceries and other goods have suddenly added CASH ONLY in large type.

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MAIL PLANE STOPPED HERE. Mr. A.P. Kerr, Supt. of the U.S. Mail from Jacksonville to Atlanta, was forced to land at the local airport on account of bad weather and was delayed about an hour here.

MISS PEARL LYONS DIED. Pearl Lyons, the fourteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyons, died Sunday afternoon after an illness of about two years. Her suffering was intense but she bore the pain without complaint which was unusual for such a young girl. At last the Death Angel placed his cooling hand on her brow and her pain and suffering was at an end. The funeral services were conducted at the cemetery by Rev. J.D. Poindexter, then the little emaciated body was tenderly borne to the grave by four ministers, J.D. Poindexter, C.L. Neese, G.H. Jacobs and Rev. Mingledorf when she was consigned to the last resting place. Pearl is survived by her parents and five brothers.

MR. JOHN R. GUINN DIED. The many friends of John R. Guinn, 59, will regret to learn of his death which occurred Sunday at his home in Jacksonville. He had been a resident of Jacksonville for 12 years and a citizen of Charlton for a number of years. He was a member of the Baptist Church here, a member of the Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees of Atlantic Coast Line and Masons. Interment took place at the Homeland Cemetery.

BANK NOW CLOSES AT 2:00. It sounds a little bit peculiar to say that a bank will close at 2:00 o'clock so as to give them more time for work, but it is a fact not generally known, that the hardest part of the day's work in a bank is after the closing hour. The Citizens Bank began Monday to close its doors at 2:00.

BIRTHS. Folkston's births reported for May: VIVIAN WRIGHT, May 24. Father, C.J. Wright. HELEN IRINE NAZWORTH, May 7. Father, J.S. Nazworth. LILLIE MAY MOODY, May 18. Father, Otis Moody. Uptonville: RUDOLPH C. SHAM, Father, Lawson Sham.

Racepond: FRANCIS MARTHA KING, May 1. Father, John M. King.

Winokur: TALMADGE S. CREWS.

AND DEATHS. Moniac: May Belle Thrift, 28. Father, Jos. Thrift. Willie May Canady. Father, W.M. Canady. Folkston: Mrs. Allie Hurst, May 10, father, R.F. Wainwright.

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WEDDING. Mr. Jesse C. Ashley and Miss Altie Green from the Moniac district were married July 13th in Macclenny. Miss Green was born and reared in the Georgia Bend and Mr. Ashley is from Kentucky.

COTTON IS GROWING FINE. L.M. Reynolds from Moniac brought the first open boll of cotton to the Herald office this year. Mr. Reynolds says that his cotton crop looks fine.

MR. HARRISON B. HIGGINBOTHAM DIED. In memory of Harrison B. Higginbotham, Jr. He was born in Camden County June 22, 1902 and departed this life June 26, 1930. He was a member of the Camp Pinckney Baptist Church and is survived by his widow and two children, Helen, 3 years old and Clementine, one year old; his mother and father; four brothers and two sisters. A devoted aunt, Mrs. W.J. Johnson

READY TO FLY. "Miss Folkston", the airplane at the Okefenokee Airport, was reconditioned this week and is now ready for service.

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TALKS SCHEDULED FOR MEETING. At the Chamber of Commerce meeting next week the program will be: Supt. John Harris "Educational Needs in Charlton"; Wm. Mizell, Jr. "Existing Conditions That Are Harmful to the Welfare of the County, and the Remedy"; J.C. Littlefield, Sr. "Charlton's Prospect for Better Roads"; Guy Dean "How Merchants and Farmers Could Cooperate to Better Advantage"; Mayor Thompson "Folkston's Most Pressing Need"; L.E. Mallard "How the Progressiveness of our County Compares with Other Counties" and Johnny Wilson on "Big-Stem Jersey Potatoes".
DR. WILLIAMS' CAMPAIGN. Dr. A.D. Williams, who has been canvassing the district in his race for Congress, has scheduled three speeches next week at Alma, Winokur and Ocilla.

THE STATE OWES SCHOOL FUNDS TO CHARLTON. The State of Georgia owes Charlton County for appropriations for schools for 1928 and 1929 \$9,152.11. There remains an unpaid balance on the 1930 appropriations of \$3,949.84. This policy of discriminating against the public school system in favor of other legislature appropriations and the gauntness of payments has persisted so long that it has become a custom.

TEACHERS' TESTS. Anyone wanting a County Teacher's License will be given the opportunity to take the examination at the High School building Saturday morning.

JOHN WILDES HOMEPLACE BURNED. Fire some ten days ago destroyed the John Wildes place northeast of Folkston where R.M. Lloyd resides. We understand that all the household goods of Mr. Lloyd was burned. There was no insurance on the building.

NEW SCHOOL FOR MONIAC. The voters in the Moniac Consolidated School District voted to bond the district and build a new school on land near Moniac where L. Knabb has donated five acres. The issue is for \$11,000.00. Total registered voters in the district is 60 and 40 came out and voted with one voting against the proposition. With this new building, Charlton County will have practically all new buildings with an investment of about \$125,000.00 in the eight units accommodating the white people of the county.

COUPLE WEARS OVERALLS TO OWN WEDDING. Folkston was the scene of an unusual incident in its social life Tuesday when E.B. Dellinger and Miss Emily Peeples of Kingsland were wed at the Ordinary's office by Judge H.G. Gibson, both arrayed in bright new overalls. They had their wedding lunch at Banks' Restaurant and returned to Kingsland afterwards. This is a new wedding style and the interest of the populace was excited by our neighbors coming over to get tied up in working clothes. The young man is an automobile mechanic and the young lady is the daughter of Deputy Sheriff George Peeples of Kingsland.

WEDDING. Nep Edwards is married again. He took as a bride Mary Jane Parker, a widow who was his first love, so Nep says. They were married by Parson Hodges at his home on July 10th. On account of the youthfulness of the couple, both being over 66, it was a quiet affair. Nep has been in this section some 69 years while the bride has seen 66 summers. They are living at a cottage south of Folkston.

NEW BABY. A baby boy was born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wilson.

W.O.W. INSURANCE FOR MRS. CASON. C.S. Bethel presented Mrs. J.A. Cason with a check for \$2,000.00 in payment of W.O.W. insurance carried on the life of the late A.J. Cason, who departed this life a few weeks ago. The foresight of Mr. Cason for his family is readily perceived and this insurance comes in handy for the widow and the three

small children. The W.O.W. also had a burial permit for Mr. Cason. His grave is marked with a neat stone of this benevolent order. [note: Buried in Sardis Cemetery.]

TICK QUARANTINE OFFICER MOVES. R.B. Thompson, who has been with us for over a year in charge of the cattle quarantine regulation, left Tuesday for Waycross where his headquarters will be in the future. He will still keep a watchful eye over Charlton which is now bordering upon being turned loose from future regulations.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PARTY. Delightfully entertaining her Sunday School class with a bathing party Monday morning at Buchanan Lake, Mrs. H.J. Davis and nine of the girls had a camp breakfast and then a watermelon cutting at Johnny Wilson's.

DR. WILLIAMS' OPPONENT HERE. Congressman Lankford was in Folkston last Thursday and was the dinner guest of Dr. Williams at Banks' Restaurant.

NEW BABY. Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Suggs are the proud parents of a fine baby boy now two weeks old.

CHARLTON FARMERS SELL TOBACCO. Hansel Carter was a visitor in the tobacco market Tuesday. He just went up to make them a present of part of his crop. Hansel is another one of those who have lost faith in the weed. Tip Kennison was one of the suckers who took a load of tobacco. It averaged him about six cents a pound.

August 8, 1930

\$80.00--REWARD FOR CAPTURE IN ACT THE STEALING OF CHICKENS--\$80.00
Constant pilfering of poultry roosts by night-prowlers having become a menace to the developing of the industry, the businessmen of Folkston authorize the Herald to give the above reward for the capture in the act, with proof, anyone stealing chickens in this community, whether your own or your neighbor's. The thing wanted is CATCH THEM WITH THE POULTRY IN THE ACT. The way of catching them is your business.

Evidence upon conviction will get one-half of this reward. The Herald, representing the businessmen of Folkston guarantees the payment of the reward. Be alert. Be careful. Be sure you are right, then get him!

DR. WILLIAMS IS ON CAMPAIGN TRAIL. Friends of Dr. Williams have arranged to have him speak in Homerville Tuesday evening at the courthouse, on the issues of the congressional campaign.

MONIAC SCHOOL PLANS. The trustees of the Moniac School District were in Folkston this week consulting with Supt. Harris about the new school building. The site chosen is near Moniac enabling them to have only children from south of Moniac conveyed to the school.

UNION SUNDAY SCHOOL AT UPTONVILLE. Dear Editor, Please allow us space in your paper to announce organization of a Sunday School at Uptonville. We are having a Union Sunday School at the Uptonville school house every Sunday afternoon. 42 were in attendance last Sunday.

G.H. JACOBS REVIVAL ENDS. The most spiritual revival ever held in Folkston came to a successful finish last Sunday evening with twenty immersions at the Baptist Church, where sixteen were baptized into the Baptist Church and four into the Methodist. The two pastors worked in union, Rev. J.D. Poindexter preaching and Rev. C.L. Nease conducting the singing. It was proper that all of the converts due to be baptized were taken in on this wind-up occasion, Rev. Poindexter and Rev. Nease baptizing their respective candidates. Those joining the Baptist Church by baptism were: V.A.

Quarterman, R.E. Player, Edwin Stokes, A.E. Robinson, J.M. Barnes, Jr., Windell Powell, Gertrude Hodges, Jewell Russell, Carlie Mae Stokes, Warren Braddock, Eula and Ruby Robinson, Doris Nazworth, Valentine Altman, Cleo Quarterman and J.A. Hathaway. By letter, Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Barnes, Mrs. V.A. Quarterman, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Braddock, W.H. Howard, Woodrow and Hazel Braddock and Julian Crews. Also Mr. and Mrs. J.F. Robinson of Racepond. Baptized into the Methodist Church were Joyce and Jewell Howard, Catherine Spell and Louie Passieu. Members received on profession of faith in the Methodist Church were Kathryn Raynor, Hilton Shoemaker, Fermon Vickery, Estelle Russell, Eugene Williams, Hazel Player, Kenneth and Walter Mills. By certificate were J.P. Russell, Mrs. J.P. Russell, Rufus Russell and Miss Prentice Davidson. There has been splendid attendance throughout the revival, to the point of overflowing the church on more than one occasion, the last service seating over one hundred outside near the building so the sermon could be heard.

CHICKEN THIEVES ROB AGAIN. After a lull the chicken thieves got busy again last Sunday night, entering and robbing J.D. Roddenberry of some 50 head leaving him some 20 in the coop.

CRAWFORD BABY DIED. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crawford will sympathize with them in the loss of the beautiful baby which was born to them August 4th but died. Mrs. Crawford is quite ill but hopes are held out for her recovery.

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WEEKLY FOLKSTON PROGRESS DISCONTINUED. With its last issue, August 8th, the publication of the Folkston Progress was discontinued, arrangements having been completed to move the plant in the next few days to Callahan, where a new weekly newspaper will be established. It was published for three years. Col. McQueen, Editor of the Progress states he will remain a citizen of Folkston.

THOMAS CHILD INJURED. Wilbur Thomas, four year old son of W.L. Thomas, was kicked by a jinney last week on his cheek, cutting a gash about an inch long. He was attempting to drive the jinney which, it seemed, it resented. Dr. McCoy rendered first aid by sewing up the cut.

TYSON HAS CLOSE CALL. While pulling up the store awning last Saturday evening J.S. Tyson, Sr. had a narrow escape from being run over. A young man from Camden, driving a truck minus brakes, let his truck get a start on him and it ran up on the sidewalk where Mr. Tyson was drawing up the awning. He had just stepped inside the entrance when the truck ran by, close up to the building, narrowly missing him. Two seconds sooner would have knocked him down.

MARRIAGES FOR JULY:

Clyde Nelson and Dissie Horn, both of St. George, on July 1st by Rev. C. Dunston.

Dexter Todd and Lula Walker, both of Uptonville on July 6th by the Ordinary.

Nep Edwards and Mary Jane Parker, both of Folkston, on July 8th by Rev. O.H. Hodges.

Oscar Williams and Bertha Hanon, both of Folkston on July 31 by Rev. J.H. Boyd.

GROOVER INFANT DIED. A baby born to Mr. and Mrs. D.D. Groover last Saturday died after birth and was buried Sunday. Mrs. Groover, who was a very sick woman, is improving nicely.

REWARD INCREASED. The reward for the chicken thieves has been increased to \$90.00.

JUANITA DOUGAL DIED. Juanita Dougal died Monday and was buried Tuesday near Folkston.

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HOME ECONOMICS TEACHER. At a school conference last week the Supt. was authorized to employ a home economics teacher, the work to be county-wide in the schools and homes.

SWAMP SCHOOL ROUTE. School Board chairman Wrench and J.V. Gowen surveyed the school route from Screven Ridge and it was agreed to start the route from Hopkins' Camp on the Canal, where fourteen children live, taking the Folkston road out by Reese Rider's and on to a point east of the Joe Holt place, then to the public road by Tom Petty's, then south to Demp Snowden's. Here the bus turns and comes straight to Folkston. Total trip is 14 miles. Time allowed for trip one and one-half hour.

CHICKEN THIEF. Herbert Lloyd who lives on the M.G. White place near Coleraine was disturbed last Friday night by a prowler around their chicken place. He managed to get a shot at the intruder, who yelped but escaped. Better luck next time, Herbie. Think of the \$90.00 when you shoot, and aim better.

SENATOR RIVERS SPEAKS HERE. Senator Ed Rivers addressed an audience of 100 people at the courthouse here Wednesday morning. Considering the rain this was a good turnout. Dr. Williams introduced him. At the conclusion of the address he was given the glad hand and a warm reception. He left at noon for Douglas.

ST. GEORGE EXPRESS AGENT. R.A. Carver, former railroad agent, has moved back to St. George and works at the express office there. He, his wife and son arrived this week with their household goods.

SIDEWALK FINISHED. The school sidewalk has been completed. Contractor Shivar has also put down one at the J.C. Littlefield home.

UPTONVILLE SCHOOL. The Uptonville School is having their two schoolhouses combined for convenience. E.L. Martin has been doing the moving this week.

WEDDING. S.J. Davis, son of W.W. Davis and Miss Helen McDonald of Traders Hill were married Saturday by Judge Gibson. The license was issued in May but the marriage was delayed on account of the youthfulness of the bride.

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NEW PRINTING PRESS FOR HERALD. Editor Wrench, Otis Nobles, G.J. Stewart and Ralph Wrench went down to Green Cove Springs where the editor purchased the Babcock Printing Press formerly used by the Clay County Times.

TEACHERS AND BUS DRIVERS FOR NEW SCHOOL YEAR. The following is a list of teachers to be employed by the county school system for the new year: County High School: Mrs. J.D. Roddenberry, principal; Miss Ruby Brightwell, Miss Velma Kemp. Folkston Consolidated Unit: Miss Mayme Askew, Principal; Miss Emily Gary,

Miss Annette Turner, Miss Mary Jane Littlefield, Miss Chloris Stapleton, Miss Marion Pearce, Mrs. J.H. Wrench, Miss Mary Stokes. St. George Consolidated Unit: Miss Eleanor Cockrell, Principal; Miss Eunice Chute, Miss Irene Armstrong, Mrs. Leslie Norman, Miss Dillian Norman. Uptonville Consolidated Unit: Mrs. B.B. Gowen, principal; Mrs. R.L. Kight, Miss Mabel Smith and Miss Hazel Player. Moniac Consolidated Unit: Miss Marie Boyd, Principal; Miss Ena Gibson, Miss Gertye Knabb. Winokur Unit: Miss

Nettie Keene, Miss Gussie Carter. Sardis Unit: Miss Annie Gowen, Mrs. F.D. Mills, Jr.. Racepond Unit: Mrs. Thyra McDuffie. Those driving school buses are Thomas Wrench, Jr., James Mills, Joe Hardin, Bert Harden, Fred Askew, Claude Prescott, William Dixon, Lee Dixon, Aaron Thrift, T.E. Leckie, William Crews, M.J. Chancey and Jack Warren. CEMETERY CLEANING. A few men met at the St. George Cemetery Tuesday morning, by arrangement, and hoed around the lot on both sides of the fence as protection against fires. Among those working were Fred Osterman, John A. Barker, Charles Divan H.C. Parham and John Allyn King.

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NO MORE THURSDAY AFTERNOONS OFF. With the end of August the Thursday afternoon closing period is brought to a close. The stores will continue their closing at 8:00 o'clock in the evening, but the half-day holiday so popular with the clerks has ended.

WEDDING. A telegram from Miss Virginia Cassell bears the news that she was married on August 31st at Holyoke, Mass. to Mr. Ernest Borck, a businessman of that city.

TURPENTINE PLANT BURNED. The turpentine plant at Moniac owned by L. Knabb burned Thursday morning, being a total loss. It is understood that a considerable store of naval goods as well as the plant was destroyed.

BARBER SHOP AD. Hard times are affecting us. This is the way we meet it - by reducing the price of haircuts to twenty-five cents and shaves to fifteen cents.

LAYTON'S BARBER SHOP. Phone No. 35.

September 12, 1930

HOMELAND PARK. One of the most important announcements in civic development is the statement given out by the Homeland city fathers, that they voted to deed the beautiful wooded tract known as the Homeland Park to the 4-H Club and Forestry Department for park purposes. This is 65 acres lying east of Homeland and immediately north of Folkston on the Folkston-Nahunta highway. It is covered with pines and hardwood growth, a mass of tangled vines and underbrush that can be trimmed and beautified. The 4-H clubs will construct camps and the Forestry Dept. will assume control of the timber. The branch that flows through the property will be used in constructing a lake.

MYSTERIOUS FLOOD. One of the mysteries of rainfalls happened Sunday afternoon between Dyal and Callahan when the clouds opened and the floodgates were turned loose. The A.C.L. tracks were submerged and road supervisor Hodges was called to the scene and after an all-night task succeeded in maintaining service. Folkston had only a slight sprinkle and just beyond Callahan they enjoyed the same slight shower. Mr. Hodges said the roadbed was covered several inches and it looked like a real flood. Everything was ready for business on Monday and this little stretch of track came out with flying colors of a flood that was all its own.

BIG RATTLER KILLED. Oscar Raynor, tired of chasing foxes this week, ran up on a five foot rattlesnake at the Aviation Field, right under the airplane, and dispatched him with a

big stick.

DR. MCCOY BUYS STRICKLER HOME. Dr. W.R. McCoy has proved himself a good citizen by buying the Strickler home on West Main Street and will move some time this month. [M.G. White homeplace, corner of Magnolia & West Main.]

CONGRESSMAN LANKFORD WINS. In the election this week Congressman Lankford defeated Dr. A.D. Williams. All of the other congressmen seeking re-election were also elected. Dr. Williams received 544 votes in Charlton to Lankford's 105 votes.

SCHOOL STARTS. A total of 877 students are enrolled in Charlton's schools. This is 55 less than the total for last year.

EDITORIAL COMMENT. By way of a reminder, we would say that Folkston is the best town in Georgia, the best state in the Union. What else would you expect us to say after living our life within its gates?

BROCKMAN FARM. Miss Helen Brockman has taken charge of managing the pecan grove. The Brockman grove is one of the largest places of its kind in Charlton and is now beginning to bring in good returns.

NEW CAR FOR MR. HOPKINS. Mr. W.C. Hopkins is driving a new Buick car. Says he woke up one morning and found it in the garage.

September 19, 1930

BOND ELECTION FOR WATER SYSTEM. A Waterworks Bond Election has been called for on September 29th in Folkston for the purpose of voting \$18,000.00 worth of bonds to put down a water system in the most populated section. The six inch main has aroused some opposition. The need of the system has not been questioned but it seems that the amount of money needed will take up too much of our credit to consider it at this time.

NEW BRIDGE ON CASON BRANCH. The road to the Paxton Place was closed most of this week on account of Lee Lloyd building the bridges on the Cason Branch. This is one of the most used by-roads near Folkston and blocking the road has been a great inconvenience.

KNABB REBUILDS STILL. L. Knabb of Moniac, who had the misfortune to lose his still, is now all set ready to turn out naval stores again. J.B. Baker, a man who knows how to build turpentine stills, has just returned and reports the work done in short order and that the Knabb forces are busy catching up. The low price of turpentine does not seem to keep Mr. Knabb from making spirits.

REV. DEAN MISSED MORNING SERVICE. Rev. E.F. Dean was prevented from reaching St. George by something of a traffic jam on the highway. He arrived during the day and held services Sunday evening.

WEDDING. Miss Verena Monroe of Waycross and Mr. J. Dean Gowen were married September 14th by Rev. J.T. Ponder at the Central Presbyterian manse in Waycross. Mr. Gowen is manager of the City Service Station. They will live in the Gowen residence on Main Street.

SPELLING BEE FRIDAY NIGHT. There will be a Spelling Bee at the Masonic Hall Friday night sponsored by the members of the Sunday School classes of the Baptist Church. Admittance fee of ten cents will be charged, proceeds to go to the church building fund. A popular speller will be used, the "Old Blue Back Speller" being discarded.

CROSS TIES SHIPPED. Six carloads of cross ties were shipped last Saturday from

Folkston.

WEDDINGS. Two couples were married last Saturday by Judge Gibson at the courthouse. Corbert Lambert and Susie Lee Williams, both local parties, and Powell Vick of Boulogne led Ethel Mae Williams of Traders Hill to the altar.

September 26, 1930

GRAND JURORS for Fall Term of Superior Court: T.E. Sikes, C.J. Passieu, H.D. Thomas, W.D. Thompson, S.M. Howard, J.M. Canaday, S.C. Stokes, John D. Mizell, E.H. Johnson, Ben Prescott, A.L. Thrift, G.B. Carpenter, J.K. Hopkins, Richard C. Taylor, O.E. Raynor, J.W. Dinkins, G.A. Dean, L. Knabb, Festus N. Stokes, E.N. Grooms, W.J. Jones, L.M. Reynolds, L.T. Wasdin, E.F. Dean, Jr., H.P. Bryant, J. Dean Gowen, Ernie Bell, Lewis E. Stokes, William Mizell, Jr. and Jack Woodard.

TRAVERSE JURORS for Fall Term of Superior Court: Raiford Carter, Fred Kottman, Ben T. Chesser, O.M. Prescott, A.L. Thrift, Charles H. Gibson, Jasper L. Stokes, J.H. Barnes, H.C. Page, Ben Bryant, Thomas Johns, G.C. Crawford, R.A. Bryant, Jesse P. Mizell, Justin Cockrell, J.O. Sikes, O.K. Prevatt, J. Floyd Larkins, W.E. Renshaw, Noah Stokes, E.F. Allen, J.W. Johnson, Ira Rogers, J.F. Mizell, T.W. Wrench, Jack W. Crews, W.O. Raulerson, Milton Brock, V.A. Hodges, Dr. A. Fleming and Owen Prescott.

WATER SYSTEM BOND ELECTION. The City Fathers at their called meeting last week delayed the water bond election until a later date. The development of opposition caused them to conclude that a better understanding of the situation was called for before voting on this.

UPTONVILLE SCHOOL. The repair work that has been going on at the Uptonville Consolidated School has been completed. After the older building had been moved back a hallway was built, uniting the two buildings. A front porch was added, the rooms ceiled and arranged so two of the rooms could be thrown together and used as an auditorium seating about 200 people. The work was done under the supervision of Mr. Conner with E.L. Martin doing the work.

NEARLY SERIOUS ACCIDENT. Conductor J.F. Carter of the local freight ACL train happened to an almost serious accident here Tuesday while placing a car at the turpentine platform which had been made as a flying switch. He was trying to put on brakes to set it when the car going faster than he thought, ran the car by the shed, the corner hitting him on the head, knocking him to the ground and hurting his shoulder. The shed cut a scalp wound, which bled profusely. Conductor Carter had a quid of tobacco in his mouth, the lick causing him to swallow it. The result was profuse vomiting, making many think he was internally hurt. Dr. Williams dressed his wounds and although he was quite sore, he was back on his run Wednesday.

MED. FRUIT FLY QUARANTINE. Mr. T.B. Swilly has returned to St. George where he is again on duty at Toledo. He is a member of the Mediterranean Fly quarantine force.

CANADAY CHILD DIED. Knuten Canaday, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Canaday, was stricken ill Tuesday of last week and died Wednesday Sept. 17th. Interment was at North Prong Cemetery.

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FOLKSTON TO BUY TRACT ADJACENT TO HOMELAND PARK. At the Chamber of Commerce meeting the commendation of Homeland's liberality in donating the 65 acres to the 4-H boys and girls was given. An adjacent tract of 29 acres needed to square off the park and vital to the success of a lake proposal was offered at a low figure. It was voted upon motion that Folkston buy and donate this tract. The Chamber of Commerce voted to underwrite the purchase.

DEAN HARDWARE CO. TO OPEN. With G.A. Dean at its head Dean Hardware Co. will within the next day or so open its doors next to the Citizens Bank. It will also have an entrance next door to the post office, the large room of the Dean & Gowen store being subdivided into new store rooms. Doors are being cut and windows arranged for the new business.

ANNUAL MEETING AT SARDIS. The usual large number of people attended the yearly meeting at Sardis Sunday and much pleasure was given the folks by the meeting and coming in contact with their old friends. Cars were lined up so close that it was a hard matter to place them. These yearly meetings are the most agreeable of the old time habits as we always meet the old-timers on these occasions and most always a thousand people are present.

CAR ACCIDENT KILLS ONE. A Chrysler car driven by Mrs. Frank Smathers ran off the curb and turned a triple tumblesault four miles north of Folkston just before noon Thursday. The Waycross bus coming on behind them conveyed them to Folkston with all possible speed. Miss Lura Smathers, age 14, died shortly after reaching Dr. Fleming's office. Another grown daughter, Virginia Smathers, was dangerously hurt. Mrs. Smathers is the wife of Col. Frank Smathers, a prominent attorney of Miami. The injured ones were taken to a Jacksonville hospital.

WILLIAM BROWN TO SERVE IN HAWAII. William M. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. E.F. Dean, is now at Fort McDowell, California, awaiting his departure on a U.S. Army transport sailing from Fort Mason in San Francisco for the Hawaiian Islands. He expects to be stationed there for the next two years.

SPELLING BEE IS SUCCESS. The Sunday School classes of Mrs. W.E. Banks and Mrs. W.R. Wainwright gave the Spelling Bee at the Masonic Temple which proved to be very interesting to about fifty people present. Dr. Williams acted as "teacher" and Mrs. Banks and G.A. Dean were the best spellers. Total receipts were \$8.00. A good time was had by all so it was announced that another one is to be had on Friday week.

FREE ICE TO THE SICK. Realizing that quite often ice is needed in the sick room, and the patient is unable to purchase this, the Ga. Power & Light Co., operating the Crystal Ice Plant in our city, has made available to the physicians and health workers prescription blanks which will authorize free ice to the patients.

DICK BURGINS MURDERER KILLS AGAIN. Monday's Times Union contains an account of the killing of Mrs. Hazel Stokes in Jacksonville, by her husband who was an escaped convict. He also shot and killed Edward Barnett who was sitting on the porch talking to Mrs. Stokes. Fred Stokes was convicted several years ago for the killing of Dick Burgin, at Grand Crossing. It was stated that Mrs. Stokes had quit visiting Mr. Stokes at the camp and that he had threatened her life. With three shots from a pistol he ended her life, then pursued Barnett who ran from the scene. Rewards are offered for him. Mrs. Stokes was reared near Hilliard and is a cousin of Mrs. C.J. Passieu.

NEW PSALM. One of our friends handed in this, which appealed to him, so we reprint it:

Hoover is my shepherd, I am in want.
He maketh me lie down on park benches.
He leadeth me beside great need.
He restoreth my doubt in the Republican party.
He leadeth me in the paths of destruction for his party's sake.
Yea though I walk through the valley of the shadow of destruction
I do fear evil for thou are against me.
Thy politicians and profiteers, they frighten me.
Thou preparest a reduction in my salary before me in the presence of mine enemies.
Thou annointest my income with taxes.
My expenses runneth over my income.
Surely unemployment and poverty will follow me all the days of the Republican
administration
And I will dwell in a rented house forever.

MURRAY HOT DOG STAND. Roney Murray is running a hot dog stand in the City Service Station. He seems to be filling the hungry.

NEW BABY. Smiling and happy is our iceman. The cause is a full weight bouncing boy that came Saturday so O.K. Prevatt has discovered there is no short weight about this new iceman.

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NEW FURNITURE STORE. Sterchi Brothers, one of the largest furniture houses in the south, with a warehouse in Jacksonville that covers five acres, will locate a branch here in the store room of the Masonic Temple next to the post office.

COOKING WITH ELECTRICITY. Mrs. Eva Lewis, a Westinghouse home economist, and Miss Flood, home economist of the Ga. Power & Light Co., had charge of a demonstration on electric cooking last week in the Scott building. Electric cooking is coming and we believe nothing in the way of cooking can compare with the cleanliness of it.

DR. PRESCOTT DIED. A pall of gloom was cast over St. George Sunday afternoon when it became known that Dr. E.W. Prescott had died suddenly. He had been ill for several weeks and under treatment for his eyes. He was much inclined to despondency despite the efforts of his family to be cheerful. Shortly after dinner Sunday he evaded members of his family and shot himself through the head, dying a short time later. The body was taken to Valdosta for the funeral. He was buried in Statenville. Echols Wesley Prescott was born in Echols County, April 18, 1874. He was a practicing physician until his eye condition became so serious. He married Miss Levie Green at Valdosta in 1896. He reared a large family, all of whom lived to survive him.

ST. GEORGE PICNIC. Members of the high school glee club of St. George enjoyed a Sundown-Moonrise picnic on the river bank Friday evening.

THE CITIZENS BANK. Statement of condition of the Citizens Bank of Folkston at close of business September 24, 1930: Resources, \$423,373.53.

McCOY CHILD POISONED. Master Billy McCoy, two-year old youngest of Dr. W.R. McCoy, got hold of a piece of bread prepared for roaches and was made very ill. The poison had arsenic in it and for a while the parents were very uneasy. However, he got all right overnight much to the delight of his many friends.

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NEW COUNTY ROAD. The county road gang under Supt. White has completed the road from the Winokur Road to the highway at Conner's Mill. It is so satisfactory that the people from Winokur are using it to come to Folkston, the Nahunta-Folkston road still being rough.

CONFEDERATE VETERAN CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY. Uncle John Vickery passed another milestone on October 10, making it his 91st birthday. He passed it quietly at the old homeplace where he was born, and has lived ever since, with his companion-in-arms, Uncle Jesse Grooms, who only a few months ago celebrated his 87th birthday. Birthdays spent on the old homeplace where one has lived for 91 years is something uncommon. Mr. Vickery's father located on the place just 99 years ago, coming here from Glynn County where he spent only a few months having left a vessel loading in the Brunswick harbor as a mere youth. He began to farm and kept it up all these years. LECTURES AT WINOKUR. Last Sunday the Evangelist Club from Waycross visited Winokur at the schoolhouse and gave four beautiful lectures on spiritual work. The house could not accommodate the people. Two hundred were there.

MR. J.B. IVEY DIED. St. George was very much saddened over the death of Mr. J.B. Ivey, which occurred at his home last Wednesday morning at 4:30. He had not been well for several months but had not been confined to bed. The end came suddenly as he was peacefully sleeping, caused by a heart attack. He was 75 years old and a native of N.C., coming to Georgia as a young man. He located at St. George in 1922. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Ivey, and seven children: Owen Ivey, Walter Ivey, Henry Ivey, Mrs. Mabel Smith, Mrs. Pauline Parham, Mrs. Clayton Richards and Miss Lola Ivey.

STEWART MOVES TO TEXAS. George J. Stewart, one of Folkston's mechanics, left last week for Beaumont, Texas where he has an offer from a firm he formerly worked with. Robert Bell accompanied him.

H.H. TYSON KILLED. H.H. Tyson, former citizen of Charlton, was shot accidentally and died last week on a deer hunt in a swamp. He was married to Miss Kathleen Pickren fourteen years ago. They had six children: Harold, Eloise, Marguerite, Elizabeth, Caroline and Stella. The funeral was held at Reidsville, S.C.

MRS. DEAN VERY SICK. The serious illness of Mrs. E.F. Dean is causing much uneasiness. Nurses came Thursday to attend her. Reports indicate she is in much danger.

SUNDAY SCHOOL OUTING. The boys in George White's Sunday School class spent Friday night out at Coleraine. A good time was enjoyed in the hay barn where the boys slept. Those that were there were John and Harold White, Louie Passieu, Jean Stewart, Marvin Roddenberry, Kenneth Mills, Fermon Vickery, John L. Jackson, Bill McQueen, Junior Stapleton and Dudley Jones.

RAT FLEAS CAUSE ILLNESS. Sammy Altman is up and about and getting strong from his recent attack of fever. He said he could not afford to stay sick. From a test of his blood the doctor said he contracted the fever from a flea bite brought in the house by a rat. Just for that he poisoned them. He said several had fleas on them. The moral of this story is get rid of rats.

MRS. ROBERT PRESCOTT VERY SICK. The condition of Mrs. Robert Prescott, having become so serious, she has been brought to Folkston and is at the Mattox apartment house where she can get medical attention promptly. Three doctors tended to her yesterday and she has been unconscious.

IT'S VOTING TIME. After the general election on November 4th, we will still have the city election in December and the school trustees election in every school district in the county, so everybody should be fed up on voting during the next sixty days.

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MRS. E.F. DEAN, SR. DIED. We were saddened last Thursday by the death of Mrs. E.F. Dean, Sr., wife of Rev. E.F. Dean. Up until Saturday before her death she was enjoying very good health but was taken ill that day. She was taken to the home of her daughter, Mrs. J.V. Gowen. The funeral was from the Gowen home to Prospect Church where services were conducted by Rev. J.D. Poindexter, Rev. C.L. Nease and Rev. G.H. Jacobs. Burial was in the church yard grounds close by. She was born in Port Royal, S.C. in 1855. Her parents were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Godley. They moved to Camden County and settled there when she was three years old. She married Rev. Dean July 4, 1877. She was 75 years old. Surviving her are her husband and six children: Mrs. J.V. Gowen, Mrs. C.W. Jacobs, Mrs. N.M. Gibson, T.L. Dean, E.F. Dean, Jr. and G.A. Dean; also several brothers and sisters.

MR. LEWIS BATTEN KILLED. Mr. Lewis Batten of St. George was stabbed Saturday and died Monday in Jacksonville. He was at a frolic at the Allen place when a disagreement arose. He was reared near St. George and lived there nearly all his life. He left a wife and five children. He was buried at Emmaus Cemetery.

NEW STATISTICS ON CHARLTON. In statistics just given out concerning Charlton County, it shows there were 122 marriages in 1929 and 110 in 1928. In 1929 there were four divorces and in 1928 there were three.

LITTLE WESLEY JOHNSON DIED. Wesley, the small child of Mr. Guy Johnson, died Wednesday in a Jacksonville hospital and was brought to Folkston for burial at Sardis. C.L. Nease read the burial service.

NEW TEACHER IN FOLKSTON SCHOOL. The Folkston school has a new teacher taking the place of Miss Ruby Brightwell. It is Miss Sara Willey Dickson of Adel.

NEW BABY. Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Tucker announce the birth of a baby daughter on October 14. She has been named Stella.

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The community was shocked Sunday when it became known that Milton Brock was dead, the result of an accidental discharge of a shotgun in his own hands. Milton, with some other boys, were at the old McClain place and some had been shooting crows that had been destroying peanuts. Milton, who was left-handed took the gun to show his younger brother how to unload it when one of the shells hung and the hammer struck it, shooting him in his side. Shep Gowen rushed him to Folkston for treatment but he died soon after reaching Dr. Fleming's office. He was the oldest son of Mrs. F.E. Brock, age 25, and chief support of his mother and her younger children. The funeral was at Traders Hill cemetery. He is survived by his mother; sisters: Mrs. Hugh McClain and Mrs. Eustace Mizell and Miss Nellie Brock; four brothers, Thomas Brock, Vernon Brock, Bennie Brock and George Brock all of Traders Hill.

RUSSELL JOHNSON IN WAYCROSS HOSPITAL. Russell Johnson, who lost the sight in one of his eyes a few years ago, has been suffering so much with it that a specialist said it would be best to take the eye out. He is in the Waycross hospital now.

MALLARD HOUSE TO BE MOVED. E.L. Martin and Otto Martin have been given the contract to move the Mallard bungalow from its present site to the lot southward near

the Methodist Church where it will front the highway. This has forced the occupants, Mr. and Mrs. Mallard and Mr. and Mrs. Wrench to seek new homes. They are moving out this week. The Standard Oil people will shortly begin a new service station.

DRUG STORE WEDDING. F.L. Garrett and Mrs. Bertha Hysler of Jacksonville were united in marriage Thursday by Judge W.E. Banks. The ceremony took place in Stapleton's Pharmacy where they found the judge. After the ceremony the happy couple returned to Jacksonville.

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS. The senior class held a meeting to elect officers for this school term under the supervision of Mr. Harris. The following were elected: Lucy Belle Bass, president; M.L. Kight, vice president; Margaret Brewster, treasurer and Woodrow Braddock, secretary.

WEDDING. Mr. and Mrs. J.S. Mizell announce the marriage of their daughter, Joanna, to John D. Woltz on October 18th in Dade City, Fla.

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DR. McCOY INJURED. Dr. W.R. McCoy is carrying his arm in a splint. He had some fine young puppies and shortly after feeding them he heard one yelp and rushed to the rescue. In the dark he fell over some lumber which caused him to fall in such a way as to badly sprain his arm.

NEW BUILDING FOR DR. WILLIAMS. Dr. A.D. Williams has purchased the former Herald office building and will revamp it so we learn. As this is convenient to the residence of the doctor no doubt he will renovate it and make it an office.

ROOM TO BE MADE FOR BUSINESS CLASS. At the Board of Education meeting last week Supt. Harris was authorized to rearrange the spare room on the north side of the school building for the typewriter class and install a stove. Double doors were ordered cut so the connection to the superintendent's office would supply heat.

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MRS. MARY ELIZABETH THOMAS CREWS DIED. The death of Mrs. Hamp Crews occurred Wednesday afternoon at their home at Uptonville. She had been ailing for some time and was thought to be improving. She was 46 and a daughter of Mr. Ban Thomas of Brantley County. She was an estimable lady and the mother of eleven living children. Beside her husband, Mr. Hamp Crews, she leaves Mrs. A.M. Hayes, Mrs. Thomas Thornton, D.E. Crews, Mrs. A.J. Cason, and Ward, Birdie May, Bernice, Velma, Walter, Elvin and Fulton. The burial took place at Sardis with W.O. Gibson officiating.

PAPER MADE FROM PINE TREES. As a result of the interest created by Dr. Charles Herty of New York in Atlanta and Savannah in pulpwood production for paper in Georgia, a number of inquiries have come to state forester B.M. Lufburrow asking if all kinds of second growth pine will make white paper. In reply he said all species of pine are being used to make brown paper and it's reasonable to suppose that it will make white paper as well as the slash pine.

FLY QUARANTINE RESTRICTIONS TO BE LIFTED. All federal quarantine regulations regarding the Mediterranean fruit fly from Fla. will be lifted next Saturday. The situation

will revert to what it was before April 29th when the first fly was discovered.

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LOCAL PRODUCTS PUSHED BY MAIL. C.W. Waughtel has had printed slip-ins advertising the pecan industry which he produces quite a few of yearly. He also advertises his Japanese persimmons, Satsuma oranges and kumquats to be sent by mail. Mr. Eli Waughtel is seeking his old Christmas customers and is sending mail advertising his cigar business. This is a mail order business that gives two or three persons employment and is one good plan of bringing in outside money. We have just printed order blanks for him.

LAWRENCE ALLEN VISITS. Lawrence Allen was a visitor to Folkston last weekend, coming from Statesboro where he is operating a bolling alley.

MARRIAGES:

...Joseph C. Johnson and Miss Lessie Mae Johns, both of Winokur on November 15th, by Ordinary.

...Cecil M. Wasdin and Miss Kizzie Crews, both of Winokur on November 17th, by Ordinary.

...Lee Roy Birch of Traders Hill and Miss Margaret Alexander of Jacksonville on November 12th, by Ordinary.

VICTOR CARAVAN VISITS FOLKSTON. Folkston was given a free concert Tuesday when the Victor Caravan was here. With its victrola tuned up it played some of the latest records, among them being "Amos & Andy". Pickren's Service Station has the agency for these records, and also their radio.

A.J. HOWARD DIED. Mr. Allen J. Howard, one of the Charlton's well-known citizens, is dead. He was stricken with paralysis two weeks ago and died Tuesday morning at his home at Burnt Fort. He was 60 years of age and had spent most of his life in this county and at times was engaged in teaching school, farming and sawmilling. He served in two sessions of the General Assembly and for a number of years was a member of the Board of Tax Equalizers. He was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church. His first wife was Miss Henritta Rowe, daughter of Mr. I.G. Rowe, St. George, by whom were born to them three sons: Charles, Earl and Lawrence; and two daughters, Lucille and May. His second wife was Miss Mollie Prescott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Prescott. Besides these he left four brothers: Moses, Christopher, Benjamin and Corbett; one sister, Mrs. Martha Fulford. He was buried at Corinth and the funeral was conducted by Elders W.O. Gibson and L.M. McDonald.

MRS. JANE GAY DIED. Mrs. Jane Gay, sister of Mrs. J.H. Johnson, died at Harrietts Bluff last Sunday night after an illness of several weeks. Funeral services were in the Traders Hill Cemetery at the grave by Rev. E.F. Dean. She was a former citizen of Charlton County and was married some 38 years ago to Mr. John Gay, who survives her. Other survivors are three daughters: Mrs. Bessie Braswell, Mrs. Rose Reddick, Mrs. Grethel Stratton; two sons: Dan and Warren, all of Camden County; two brothers: John and Tom Gay; a sister, Mrs. J.H. Johnson.

MALLARD HOUSE COMPLETELY MOVED. The moving of the Mallard bungalow has been accomplished. The brick work is now being done and before another ten days is gone, the house will be ready for occupancy. The Martins, by careful handling of the house have had good luck and it has moved smoothly to its new location. It faces east on the highway. Bricks are being unloaded on the old site for the new Standard service

station which will be started as soon as the regular Standard crew turns up. They build their own stations.

STORES TO CLOSE ON THANKSGIVING. Next Thursday is Thanksgiving. The Citizens Bank and Post Office will observe the day and the stores will also close, we understand. There is an understanding among the merchants that the stores will close at 10:00 o'clock on Thanksgiving Day. Let everyone do their shopping the day before or early Thursday morning so that the holiday can be enjoyed.

COTTON FROM THE BEND. Wilbur Johnson of St. George was in Folkston Thursday, but then that has been a daily trip for him for the past week as he has been bringing cotton here for Lewis Ganey, H.S. Hodges, Spencer Rowell and Grover Hodges, each one sending almost enough for a bale each. We are always glad to see the farmers coming in with something.

WEDDING. Miss Lessie Johns and Mr. J.E. Johnson of Winokur were married Saturday at Folkston. Mrs. Johnson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.D. Johns, there being only two children and she is the oldest. Mr. Johnson is employed by the A.C.L. as operator and is from Baxley.

TWO NEW TEACHERS. Charlton County High School has two new teachers, Miss Myrtle Godley from Albany and Miss Dunbar from Arkansas.

MRS. AGNES SHIVAR VERY SICK. The condition of Mrs. Agnes Shivar is reported at noon as being serious with no possible chance for her recovery. She suffered a stroke of paralysis about a week ago and since that time she has been growing worse. She is at the home of her son E.W. Shivar.

GAME WARDENS. Wilbur Johnson is the deputy game warden for the St. George district. Lee Lloyd has been appointed deputy game warden to serve in the Folkston district.

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MRS. URSULIA SHIVAR DIED. The death of Mrs. Ursulia Shivar, age 73 years and 4 months, died at the home of her son, E.W. Shivar Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock. She was stricken with paralysis ten days ago at her country home near town. She spends the weekends with Ed. The evening she returned she retired and a stroke came on her that night, she steadily grew worse until death claimed her. She was buried at Sardis, the funeral taking place at Philadelphia Church where she was a member. She leaves two sons, Edward W. Shivar and James Samuel Shivar; one daughter, Mrs. J.D. Mizell. She had lived in Charlton County for 24 years, coming here from North Carolina.

FARMERS MAKING SYRUP. Charlton County is literally smeared with the sweet stuff as the aroma arising from almost every neighborhood shows the farmers making syrup. On every hand we hear the young folks tell of the "cane bilins" they take in. This week we have heard of syrup making on the farms of Gibson, Murray, Mizell, Taylor and Johns. Everyone seems to enjoy it.

WILD DUCKS ARE FED IN THE SWAMP. The Herald learns that the owners of the Okfenokee Swamp have been sending feed down to fatten the wild ducks in the swamp. Six hundred bushels of corn was the estimate that it would take to make them keep this place as their winter home and it has been supplied. Mr. Hebard has his own private reserve for hunting for himself and friends. Two men are retained to see that the ducks are fed and no one is allowed to hunt in it. No hunting is done by outsiders. The method of feeding is to put five or six bushels of corn in the shallow lakes, the ducks

cleaning it up in a few days.

CITY ELECTION. On Tuesday the annual election for the officers of the city of Folkston takes place. No announcements have been made although the Herald understands all of the incumbents are in a receptive mood except for Alderman James Purdom who declines to serve. Mayor Thompson advises the Herald that while he is not a candidate, he has consented to serve provided there is no opposition. The present Board of Aldermen consists of V.A. Hodges, C.J. Passieu, G.R. Gowen, James Purdom and O.E. Raynor. Owen Wilson is city clerk, W.H. Robinson is treasurer and Sam Mills is tax assessor. The marshal and city attorney are elected by the council.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR. The Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church will hold their annual Christmas Bazaar Friday at which time desirable gifts will be on display.

Prices of each article will be consistent with the prevailing financial depression.

NEW CLOTHES FASTENER. Sliding metal fasteners that ensure complete protection from wind, rain or snow are an important feature of new suits for children now. The locking type of metal fastener is also used on the sides of some clothing.

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INDUSTRIAL WORK PLANNED FOR COLORED SCHOOL. The Board of Education at their meeting this week agreed to aid the colored school of Folkston in their endeavor to put on a program of Industrial Work. To meet requirements the school must have 15 more pupils, for a total of 60. In other matters, the decline of attendance of the students of the county system was reported, the chilly weather and homework were given as the excuses.

BUCHANAN MARKETS MORE TIES. Mr. Clarence Buchanan, who is looking after his father's interests in Folkston has put on a new Ford truck between Folkston and Jacksonville to transport ties, finding that by picking them up and taking them right on to market saves money. They can haul them as fast as his crew cuts them, keeping the trucks busy. Passieu Motor Co. sold Mr. Buchanan the truck and a trailer which also hauls 50 ties at a load.

HUMAN SKELETON FOUND. Another mystery has been uncovered in the finding of human bones and a skull in the woods between St. George and Moniac. The Canaday boys, riding the woods corralling hogs, found the human scarecrow near the old tram road and right away wired for Sheriff Mizell. Nearby was an old hat, piece of a coat, a German silver spoon and the bones partly submerged in water. It had been there a year or more. The skeleton is in the sheriff's office for inspection.

MRS. G.H.JACOBS DIED. Just as we go to press we learn that Mrs. Jacobs died at 2:00 and the funeral will be tomorrow afternoon. This splendid woman has not taken nourishment for the last ten days and has been growing steadily weaker.

NEW CITY OFFICERS FOR FOLKSTON. Those who will serve us for the coming year for the city are Mayor, W.D. Thompson; Aldermen, V.A. Hodges, C.J. Passieu, O.E. Raynor, G.R. Gowen and O.C. Mizell. Treasurer is B.G. McDonald, Assessor is J.S. Tyson, Jr. and Clerk is O.F. Wilson. One commendable thing that we liked about the old council is that a year ago they started out to work the streets and have been doing the

same the past two weeks, a case of working a- coming and a-going.

CLASSIFIED AD. One tan horse and one black mule came to my place Thanksgiving morning. Owner can have same by paying for this ad. E.D. Wainwright, Route Two.

MRS. EVELYN ALTMAN KILLED. Mrs. Evelyn Altman, former Folkston woman and divorced wife of E.C. Altman, was instantly killed by policeman, John Skipper of Fernandina Tuesday. The Times-Union reported Mrs. Altman and her sister, May Hickox, called at the Skipper home. Miss Hickox started in the home when Skipper fired a shot, striking Mrs. Altman. The body was brought to Folkston and laid to rest beside some of the Hickox family buried there.

WEDDING. Quite a surprise to their many friends was the marriage last week of W.E. Gibson to Miss Lena Mae Raynor of Linden, N.C. Mr. Gibson left Folkston accompanied by O.E. Raynor, presumably on a deer hunt and it turned out to be just that. She was a valuable employee of the Penney Co. When it became known that they were to lose Miss Lena Mae, they insisted that the wedding be on Thanksgiving day in their store, with the clerks as guests, and they promised them decorated frills, but the bride preferred a quiet wedding. They were united in wedlock at the courthouse by the judge. Mr. Gibson, known to everyone as Elvie, is one of our most successful merchants and is a Charlton County reared boy.

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NINETY-FOOT PILING TO BE SHIPPED. J.C. Littlefield received an order that speaks well for the length of the timber from Charlton County. The order was for six piling to be ninety feet in length and eight inches dimension at the top. The butts were required to be not less than seventeen inches. After these poles were secured it turned out that they were twenty-four inches average. They will be rafted to Brunswick to the creosote plant and properly coated for their duty in north Georgia. Poles of these kind bring forty cents per foot and it gives an idea of what trees are worth. It will require three cars length to carry these piling from the plant to their interior destination.

WORK HAS BEGUN ON NEW PARK. Forestry expert K.A. Trowbridge, accompanied by Mr. Hursey who assisted in the work of marking all trees to be thinned out, has been supervising the thinning of excess trees and underbrush this week at the park. Mr. Wunderlich is in charge of that work. While here he made plans for improving our 100 acres. A site was chosen for the camp hut to be built and a contract let to Mr. Brusckhe to cut beams for it and to notch them for placing. This camp cottage is to be 40x60 feet, three rooms will be cut out of space to be a kitchen and two bunk rooms. The main club room will be 40x45 feet. This is the first step toward making Charlton's playground useful. Pine trees are to be planted in a systematic manner to prove that planting pine trees are profitable. It is planned that a lake is to be constructed on a portion of the land that Folkston added to the park as it is more adaptable for that purpose.

NEW HEATER AT METHODIST CHURCH. The Sunday School of the Methodist Church placed a new heater in the church several weeks ago. One day's collection was given toward paying for it. However there is still some lacking toward meeting the amount so the Sunday School announces that the collection next Sunday will be used for that purpose. The heater cost over \$70.00 wholesale. About half the amount has been paid. Members who can't attend Sunday can make their donation to Miss Helen Mizell or leave it with James Wrench at the Citizens Bank.

PREVENT SPREAD OF WHOOPING COUGH. The Herald has been advised by Dr.

Fleming that whooping cough is in our midst and that children so affected should be kept at home. Fatalities can not help but happen in the event the disease should become general. If your child is affected, keep it out of school. Beware of danger and save trouble.

CRISIS IN GEORGIA GOVERNMENT. The head of schools in Georgia went to Governor-elect Russell to interview him on trying to remedy the present appalling situation in which schools find themselves. Leaders of state government went with him to discuss the proposed plan to bridge over the embarrassing situation that the schools are in at present. Gov. Hardman has come to the conclusion that it is necessary to reconvene the legislature. The asylum situation has reached the point that there has got to be something done or that institution will close. Payments of bills since May has not been made. The crisis in the affairs of this institution and the schools has been reached.

RANGE CATTLE SOLD. Three hundred head of range cattle now at Silver Hill were transferred to Edward and Ollie Gross last week by the Ga.-Fla. Investment Co. Papers recorded show that the cattle are to have pasturage at Silver Hill for five years. The Grosses will no doubt have proper care taken of them in the way of improving the breed. While the price was not given, we learn that cattle, including calves and cows, averaged \$10.00 per head.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES ELECTION. The annual election of trustees of the various local schools will be held December 18th at the schoolhouses in all districts. Polls are to be opened from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and any registered voter is entitled to vote. The terms of the following expire this year: Folkston Consolidated District: E.B. Stapleton, Mrs. N.R. Mizell, Mrs. Sidney Brown. St. George Consolidated District: S.T. Cockrell. Uptonville Consolidated District: J. Henry Johnson. Winokur District: Eddie Crews, B. A. Crews and B.C. Crews. Sardis District: J.P. Mizell, H.H. Crews. Racepond District: Eaton Crews.

MRS. ANNIE WRIGHT HONORED. Mrs. Annie Wright has just passed another milestone and some of her friends have been congratulating her and some extending sympathy because lately she has suffered a light stroke of paralysis. Wednesday she was given a luncheon by Mrs. Rosa M. Toy at Banks Restaurant with her friends Mrs. Lizzie Roddenberry and Mrs. A.D. Welker present besides Mrs. Toy and Mrs. Wright. It was a very pleasant hour.

KINGSLAND LIT UP. The latest news of interest is the information sent out of Kingsland yesterday that Mayor Emmet McElreath had pressed the button turning the electric current on, electrifying Kingsland. The power plant has been completed and in the future they will be supplied power by the Ga. Power Co.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD ELECTION. The Woodmen of the World at their meeting this week elected officers as follows: Louis Askew, Consul Commander. B.A. Altman, Advisor Lieutenant. Eli Waughtel, Banker. Rufus Russell, Watchman. Sam Russell, Escort. C.S. Bethel, Clerk and Financial Secretary. J.A. Prevatt, J.S. Russell and W.L. Huling, Auditors. A public installation will be held at the Town Hall in Homeland.

FLORIDA IS SHIPPING FRUIT. The editor lives on the highway two miles out and coming down Tuesday we passed eight truckloads of oranges, giving you an idea of just how much Florida's fruit is going northward since the fly quarantine is off. One apple truck passed him going south.

HIGH QUALITY SYRUP. Our friend Reese Rider was in to see us this week having syrup labels printed, and brought along a sample of syrup he wanted to label and you

can take our word for it -- that there is quality.

NEW BABY. Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Littlefield announce the birth of a son, J.C. III, the date of arrival being Monday evening at the home of the parents. Mrs. Littlefield is doing fine and already the boy is raising sand because they won't let him go hunting.

FRESH PORK FOR THE EDITOR. J.B. Baker has been killing hogs and as proof of it we have enjoyed the finest mess of backbones of the season. He often remembers us with something good to eat.

MRS. G.H. JACOBS DIED. The final summons calling Mrs. G.H. Jacobs home to rest came December 4th just as the Herald was going to press. Funeral services were held at the home Friday, Rev. E.F. Dean leading the burial service. The burial took place at Sardis cemetery. All members of the family were present except V.T. Jacobs, who had only recently spent several weeks with his mother, and having gone to Virginia, was unable to reach here.

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A CORRECTION. In last week's issue of the Herald a publication came out that I had suffered a stroke of paralysis. I am very thankful I have never had a stroke and I take this method to let my friends here and elsewhere know that this is a gross mistake. --

MRS. ANNIE WRIGHT

WEDDINGS. Records in the Ordinary's office show the following marriage records: L.T. Hamilton and Mary Lee Brown, both of Winokur, by Eddie Crews, on November 20th. Washington Stafford and Eulabelle Chapman, both of Folkston, by Rev. Sam Council, on November 23rd. Arthur Mitchell and Julie Robinson, both of Uptonville, on November 22. Arthur Ware of Toledo and Irene Daniels of Lem Turner, Fla. on November 27th by Rev. Jacob Dobbins.

MISS KATE DENMARK DIED. The death Sunday of Miss Kate Denmark, age 92 years, marks the passing of Charlton County's eldest woman resident. This splendid woman has been a citizen of Charlton for many years and has been living with her two sisters at Traders Hill for the past several years. Her health has not been so good, yet her death was not expected. She is survived by two sisters, Miss Mattie Denmark and Mrs. L.P. Gowen. Her nieces, Mrs. W.N. Casey and Mrs. H.B. Kirkpatrick came for the funeral service which took place Monday at Traders Hill. A large number of friends paid their last respects to this good woman. Rev. E.F. Dean, Rev. H.C. Griffin and Rev. G.H. Jacobs participated in the last sad rites.

EDITORIAL COMMENT. Our merchants try to supply us with fruit, pay a yearly license tax to help support the town government, yet orange trucks have this week been taking their stands on the street and selling their fruit at 65 cents per hundred and bananas at 15 cents per dozen. Do we buy from them? We do, yet it seems rather hard that fruit for our trade has been purchased by the merchants and it lies rotting in their windows while they pay for protection.

WRIGHT MOTOR CO. SOLD. While the final passing of the business to the new owners was not done today the stock taking is going on and it is definitely announced that the business being conducted by the Wright Motor Co. has been closed out. Mizell Finance & Mortgage Co. is backing the new move and O.C. Mizell will manage the new business with R.A. Boyd as assistant. Mr. Wright will be manager of the wholesale business of the Standard Oil Co.

ANOTHER WEDDING SOON. T.N. Tanner, 86 years old, was granted a divorce the past week and announced "Yep, I've got her picked out," but failed to tell who she was in

stating that he would marry again shortly.

STANDARD OIL SERVICE BEGINS IN JANUARY. The rushing of the new Standard Station on the old Mallard corner has been with the purpose of opening up the new service station on January 1st. The concrete walk is down and the building is almost complete. It is of red pressed brick and will be a neat arrangement to dispense gas and oil.

HEARING ON DELINQUENT ROAD TAXES. The county commissioners will meet Saturday to have a delinquent road tax hearing. Quite a number are delinquent and unless paid beforehand will have to make good excuses.

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