

Woman's College,

..... JOYNER, James Yarkin, 1862- North Carolina born.  
 Cut from : Univ. No. Car., Ph.B., 1881. A teacher 34 years,  
 glossy : public school to Univ. of No. Car. County and city  
 print of : school supt. Appointed State Supt. Public Instruction,  
 favorite : 1902; and elected four consecutive terms, 1904, 1908,  
 photo. : 1912, 1916. Ag. and ed. his chief interests. Active in  
 ..... aid of farm and ed. organizations and cooperatives.  
 President of Tobacco Growers Assoc., 1922. Pres. Nat. Ed. Assoc., 1909;  
 and of Southern ed. associations. Trustee of several colleges. Cam-  
 paigned for ag. ed. in schools. With other Southern Supts., studied  
 systems of ag. ed. on the spot in several Midwestern states. One re-  
 sult: No. Car. Farm Life School Law, 1911. Promoted comprehensive pro-  
 gram of voc. ed. Requested Legislature to match Federal funds, 1917.  
 On first State Bd. Voc. Ed. Advocated rural school consolidation,  
 longer terms, better salaries, and school libraries. Constitutional  
 amendment extending required term from 4 to 6 months voted during his adm.  
 adm. In 1943, urged General Assembly to pass State-supported 9-month  
 term. Respected. Honored. Loved. A courageous leader whose vision  
 and industry did so much in the early years of this century to lay the  
 foundations for a great educational advance.  
 -- Clyde A. Erwin, No. Car. State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

No. Car.

Joyner, J. Y.

