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LET'S VOTE FOR A BIGGER AND BETTER ROXBORO

SHALL THE TOWN LIMITS BE EXTENDED

Mayor Burns Gives Some Worth-While Reasons For Extending. Read Them

Editor Roxboro Courier, Roxboro, N. C.
Dear Mr. Editor:-

As the time is rapidly approaching for the election on the question of whether or not the city limits of Roxboro shall be extended, it occurs to me that possibly our people have not been fully informed as to the merits of this question. This question means so much to the well-being of our citizenship and to the future growth of our town that I am here attempting to give some of the facts in regard to this measure which cause our present Board of Town Commissioners so earnestly to advocate the including in the town limits of the proposed new territory.

It is believed that the great majority of our people are in favor of this measure, but the thing that is especially feared is that our people will not go out to vote on next Tuesday. This would be a calamity indeed, because this is a vote against the books and every registered person who does not vote casts his vote against extension. Will not our people in favor of this act remember this and come to the polls on the 29th of their own accord, without solicitation, and cast their vote for further progress and improvement?

I trust that they will and that this much civic pride and duty may be manifest in our splendid little town on that day. Let neither the men nor the ladies forget that they are voters and that it is their duty to come to the polls and vote.

There are two classes affected by this proposed extension, those within the present town limits and those within the territory proposed to be incorporated. I can imagine no reason for any citizen living within the present limits voting against this measure unless it would be because of a conscientious feeling that it was unjust to those living in and owning property in the territory to be incorporated. For them it means a much lower tax rate, 30 per cent at least, we think, it means a larger and greater municipality, and it means that territory not now good for residential development due to the lack of municipal improvements will be opened up for homes or manufacturing enterprises. What can this class of affected persons lose by voting for this measure of progress for Roxboro?

Now as to the class of affected citizens, namely those living or owning land within the territory proposed to be incorporated. It will cost them something in the way of taxes to be sure. If they gain more than their taxes amount to however what have they lost? Have they not gained instead? As long as they remain outside of town they cannot hope to enjoy those municipal facilities of which the town boasts. If they should include themselves in the town there would be extended to them as rapidly as possible those benefits and facilities which make city life the envy of his country neighbor and friend such as water facilities, streets and lights, and all such things. He could expect his property to take on a greater value, it would be more desirable for residential sites, it would cost him less to have these facilities than if installed privately. It seems to me that both of these classes of affected citizens would be the great gainers if city extension carries.

For this reason and for the greater development of Roxboro I hope no citizen will forget to vote on next Tuesday and that the great majority of them will vote the right way.

Yours very respectfully,
R. P. BURNS,
Mayor of Roxboro.

OPENING OF SCHOOL

Stories Creek school will open on Monday, Sept. 28th, 1925. All children in this district are urged to be present on the opening date.
MISS DOROTHY YOUNGER,
Teacher.

SOUTH-EASTERN UNDER-Writers ASSOCIATION

ATLANTA, GEORGIA

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT
A. M. SCHOEN, Chief Engineer

Mr. S. P. Satterfield, Agent, Satterfield Insurance Agency, Roxboro, N. C.

Dear Sir:-

Your letters of August 12th and 14th addressed to Mr. Paul B. Hulfish, Manager, were duly referred to this office for attention. These were received prior to receiving our engineer's report, but we are now in receipt of our engineer's report of the test of the automobile pumper.

From your letters we gather that you wish recommendations for second classification and we wish to advise that recommendations for second classification were supplied Mr. O. B. Crowell, Gen. Supt., on December 31st, 1924, one of the recommendations was for the installation of a 750 gallon per minute triple combination automobile car.

As soon as the other recommendations have been complied with and we have been notified by the City Manager we will of course have a resurvey and grading made for the new classification.

As our information is that Mr. W. W. Wood is now city manager and probably is in possession of our recommendations, we respectfully refer you to him for further information in reference to compliance with the recommendations.

Yours very truly,
A. M. SCHOEN,
Chief Engineer.

Dictated by-

W. D. Cates-RM
CC-W. W. Wood, City Mgr.
Mr. Paul B. Hulfish, Manager.

NOTICE

To The Tobacco Growers of Person and Adjoining Counties

For about twenty years I have been selling your tobacco at the Hycow Warehouse, and I am taking this opportunity to inform you that I will be with the Winstead Warehouse, Roxboro, N. C., this season and believe I can be of greater service to you in getting you the highest dollar for your tobacco than ever before.

I cordially invite all of my friends and every one who wants the last dollar for his tobacco to come to see me at the Winstead Warehouse. I truly appreciate your liberal patronage given me in the past, and I hope to serve you again at the Winstead Warehouse.

Yours to serve,
R. H. OAKLEY.

W. F. Long, R. H. Oakley, T. D. Winstead and J. D. Perkins, Proprietors of the Winstead Warehouse.

NEWS FROM ROUTE THREE

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rogers of Rougemont, Route 3, spent last Thursday night with Mr. J. N. Lunsford.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Tapp of Durham visited Mrs. Jenny Tapp last week.

Miss Vera Lunsford and Mr. P. W. Wicker motored to Crystal Lake last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Herbert McClanahan of Penhook, Va., was a Route 5 visitor Sunday.

Miss Vera and Careue Lunsford and Messrs. Willie and Al Gray, and P. W. Wicker attended the Mebane Fair Thursday night.

Miss Vera Lunsford was a Durham visitor last Wednesday.

Mrs. H. C. Tapp is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. J. F. Reams.

Mrs. J. N. Lunsford and children visited Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rogers of Timberlake, Route 2 Sunday P. M.

Miss Vera Lunsford visited Mrs. T. O. Pender of Mebane and Miss Evelyn Oakley of Burlington last week.

Mr. Linwood Williams of Ringold, Va., was a Route 5 visitor last week.

Miss Helen Pearce of Timberlake, visited Misses Lula and Sarah Moore Sunday afternoon.

AT THE ROXBORO BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, 8:00 p. m., Sept. 27th, the Roxboro B. Y. P. U. will give a special program; all members are urged to be present. The public is cordially invited to attend this ser-

TO CORRECT AN ERROR

CREAM SHIPPING EFFORTS GOING GOOD

Miss Daniel Corrects An Error As To Payment For Cream

When Mr. Mendenhall, manager of the North State Creamery, of Burlington, was in Roxboro looking over the situation in regard to establishing a cream-shipping station, I understood him to say that his company would pay cash on delivery of cream and made this statement in an article appearing in the next issue of The Courier. Mr. Mendenhall did not say that. It was simply a misunderstanding on my part.

The fact of the matter is that it is impossible for any creamery to pay cash for butterfat until the cream has been put through the Babcock tester, a very intricate process which determines accurately the quality of butterfat in your particular can of cream. The creamery sends your checks promptly on the 10th of the month following delivery.

While there is no big money to be made in selling cream, it is a sideline that should have a strong appeal to Person County farmers. When Dr. Miller was vaccinating cattle here last year, the number ran somewhere between 7000 and 9000. That shows up pretty well for a county of 19000 population. But these cows are not bringing in as much money as they should.

These cows ought to bring in enough cream checks to aid farmers in keeping away from time prices. This business of paying "time prices" is simply economic slavery, and the sooner we look that fact squarely in the face, the better it will be for us.

I suggest that each family start out with this in view. That you carry earnestly to deliver enough cream each week for your cream checks to pay your grocery bill. Or, suppose you set a definite amount to work for. Would you like to have even \$1.00 a week extra? Then deliver 2-2 lbs. butterfat each week.

As I stated before, this is no venture in high finance. It is intended primarily to open a market for whatever surplus cream there is in the County. Its best feature is that it will afford a STEADY income, something you can count on every week in the year. The creamery will be glad to take every gallon of cream we can possibly get in Person County. The North State Creamery has its main office in High Point. Recently this company took over the creamery in Burlington and they are now in position to handle all the cream they can get in surrounding territory.

"Opportunity comes down Successful Street
And the lazy man waits to meet it;
But the man who will win
Goes out with a grin
And holds out both hands to greet it!"

B. H. DANIEL.

THE JOHNSON WAREHOUSE

Mr. S. M. Watkins of the Johnson Warehouse, Oxford, has a message in The Courier this week. It is not necessary to ask you to read it, for you can hardly turn the pages without being attracted by his advertisement. Oxford has long had an enviable reputation as a tobacco market and Mr. Watkins has had much to do in building up this reputation. He cordially invites every farmer in the good County of Person to try him with a load, and especially wants you to come with a load on the opening day, October 1st.

ROXBORO BOOK AND STATIONERY STORE

The Newells are just about completing the addition to their store room on Depot Street in which the Roxboro Book and Stationery Store will be located. The book department will be up stairs and they will carry a line of goods as is usually found in such stores. In addition to the book and stationery line they will carry a large line of gift goods where you will always find something to suit for any gift occasion. Watch for their opening announcement.

ROXBORO GROWING BY LEAPS AND BOUNDS

Evidenced by 719 Children Enrolled First Week in Graded Schools

The Graded schools opened last week and Supt. Stalvey furnished us with the following statement as to enrollment:
High School 152.
Elementary School 321.
East Roxboro School 69.
Total in white schools 542.
Total in colored school 177.
Grand total in all the schools 719.

LAWN PARTY AND BOX PARTY

Longhurst Methodist church is to have a lawn party on Friday night of this week. The boys are to manage all "stunts," girls to act as salesmen of refreshments, and other events promised to make it an enjoyable occasion. All finances will be appreciated because the party is for church purposes.

On Saturday night a box party and cake sale will be held in front of Grace church at East Roxboro. This is for church purposes. All cooperation will be appreciated. Every member of these churches is urged to be liberal and aid in clearing off offerings. The Pastor does want to report every thing paid in full this year.
Come to the parties and be ready to help financially.

THE PASTOR

Jalon, N. C., Sept. 21, 1925.

JURORS FOR OCT.

TERM OF COURT

The following names have been drawn for the jury list for the October term of court, beginning October 19, 1925.

M. W. Satterfield, G. E. Harris, C. T. Pool, C. A. Monk, A. R. Davis, J. E. Poushee, L. D. Allen, L. M. Rogers, Joe Moore, C. R. Holeman, A. J. Hill, D. L. Davis, W. W. Connally, A. L. Moore, H. W. Rogers, E. B. Stephens, R. A. Ballock, C. T. Blalock, Feb. Whitfield, R. L. Carter, Joe Burch, W. R. Hawkins, D. J. Oliver, Eugene Laws, G. G. Woody, J. E. Kirby, W. B. Carmichael, J. R. Welsh, Sam Fulcher, W. A. Moore, J. A. Malone, L. A. Bradsher, O. C. Crowell, S. E. Peed, W. J. Edwards, J. E. Hester.

A REMINDER

Don't forget the meeting of the leaders of the churches of Beulah Association. Roxboro church will be looking for us. Let us be there on time Sept. 28, 10 a. m.

If you want to spend next Saturday evening with pleasure and profit come to Mill Creek church at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Perry Morgan will address a joint meeting of Mill Creek and Bethel Hill B. Y. P. U. Our neighboring B. Y. P. U. are invited to be with us. Don't miss the above meeting.

N. J. TODD.

DEATH OF MISS ANNIE PEARL WHITE

Miss Annie Pearl White died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. White, in East Roxboro on Friday morning at 3:05. Miss White was 16 years of age, and was a member of Clayton Baptist church. She was confined to her bed for only a few days, death resulting from meningitis. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. N. J. Todd, assisted by Rev. M. C. Ellerbe, after which the body was laid to rest in the town cemetery.

SOME FINE TOBACCO IN THIS SECTION

Mr. W. T. Pass was exhibiting some fine grades of tobacco on Monday. The samples were from the crops of Mess. Jesse Brooks and Bethel Earnwell of the Prospect Hill section. The samples from the barn of Mr. Brooks were exceptionally good, but these represented some of the pick leaves from this curing, while the samples from Mr. Earnwell's represented several barns.

BACHELORS ENTERTAIN THE TEACHERS

The Bachelor Club of Hotel Jones entertained the teachers of the Roxboro Graded School at a banquet in Hotel Jones' dining room last Friday evening. Plates were laid for forty and toasts and speech making were the order of the evening.



The Wednesday Bridge Club had a lovely meeting with Mrs. Charlie Harris Wednesday morning. Two tables were placed in the living room. The hostess assisted by her sister Mrs. Clark served a delicious salad course with ice tea.

Mrs. Russell Newell entertained Thursday afternoon to the members of The Thursday Afternoon Bridge Club. The room where the tables were placed was attractive with bright fall flowers. The high score prize was won by Miss Polly Walker, the booty by Miss Marion deVlaming. A delightful salad course with punch was served the following: Misses Polly Walker, Marion deVlaming, Louise Wilburn, Eva Newton, Rebecca Duncan, Elizabeth Featherstone, Elizabeth Masten, and Mrs. Martin Michie.

ROXBORO TOBACCO MARKET

Will Open Thursday October 1st For This Season

The Roxboro tobacco market will open for first sale on Thursday, October 1st. Everything is in good shape for the opening and the Tobacco Board of Trade cordially invites every farmer in Person and adjoining counties to bring their tobacco to Roxboro, pledging their best efforts in doing everything possible to secure for them the very best price obtainable. The warehouses all join with us in this invitation.
Roxboro Board Of Trade.

BILL UMSTEAD AT

PLANTERS WAREHOUSE

The attention of the farmers of this and adjoining counties is called to the advertisement of Bill Umstead, proprietor of the Planters Warehouse, Roxboro, N. C. Bill Umstead is an old warehouseman, having had years of experience and few men are better qualified to sell your tobacco than Bill. Read his ad and then bring him your first load of tobacco on October 1st, and go home with your face covered with smiles.

CELEBRATED SECOND BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Winstead celebrated the second birthday of their little daughter, Mary Edna, Sept. 14th. It was quite an enjoyable occasion for all who were present. Among the guests were four grandmothers. The little ones had games in the yard; after which cake and cream was served.

FOUND IN THE FILES

"Dear Sir:- I got your dune what I owe you. Now be pachunt. I ain't forgot you, please wate. When some other fools pay me I pay you. If this wuz judgment day and you wuz no more prepared as I am for this account you sure would go to hell. Hoping you will do this, I remain yours very truly."—Ex.

SERVICES AT BAPTIST CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY

On next Sunday Rev. E. C. Dean of Burlington will conduct services, preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. in the Roxboro Baptist church. Mr. Dean is one of the leading pastors in the Mt. Zion Association and you will enjoy these services. The public is cordially invited.

W. O. W. LOG ROLLING

The Log Rolling by the W. O. W. last Saturday was a great success from every point. The W. O. W.'s paraded the streets, after which they gathered at Woodland Heights where speech making was the order for a short while, after which dinner was served.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School at 9:45, H. L. Crowell, Supt. Preaching at 11 a. m. by the Pastor.
Sunday School at Mitchell's Chapel at 2 p. m.
Preaching at Bushy Fork school house at 7:30 p. m. Every one welcome at all services.

WHITE STAR LAUNDRY Will open for business Monday morning, Sept. 28th. Let our wagon call for your work.

FIRST OF IMPROVED FORDS ARRIVE HERE

Cars Most Attractive, with Longer, Lower Bodies - Many Other Refinements, Better Brakes

First of the improved Ford cars to arrive in Roxboro went on display in the show rooms of The Crowell Auto Co., local authorized Ford dealer, and immediately attracted the attention of everyone.

To say that people who saw the cars were surprised at their appearance would be putting it rather mildly. The new types exceed all expectations in improved appearance and more comfort and convenience. For the most part the bodies have been completely redesigned and conform in every respect to the most advanced features of body construction.

Not only have bodies been built lower, but they are set on a lower chassis frame and with larger, low hanging fenders impart to the complete car a striking suggestion of riding and driving ease.

While the Crowell Auto Co. have been able so far only to show the touring car, other types will be shown as quickly as they can be obtained from the Ford Motor Company branch where because of their popularity demands on production are somewhat delaying immediate delivery of all types of cars.

TEACHERS MEETING

The first teachers' meeting of the year will be held Saturday September 26, 1925, at 10 o'clock in the new Roxboro High School Building. Some general matters and plans for the coming year are to be discussed.
B. I. SATTERFIELD

PRAYER MEETING AT BAPTIST CHURCH THIS EVENING

Rev. J. C. McGregor, pastor of North Roxboro Baptist Church, will conduct prayer services this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Roxboro Baptist Church. The public is cordially invited to attend this service.

ATTENTION LADIES

I want to call the attention of the ladies to the fact that I am especially prepared to do satisfactory work in their line. You will find my barbers polite, attentive and anxious to serve you. Favor us with a call, shop in the old National Bank building.
J. R. DOARES, Proprietor.

BEST DANCE OF THE SEASON

Mr. George L. Cunningham requests us to announce that the best dance of the season will be at Hotel Jones Friday night, Sept. 25th, 9 to 1 o'clock. Admission \$1.00. A good orchestra will furnish music.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECTS

On August 6, 1925, the soul of Mrs. Annie Pullen McGregor passed to its rest and its reward.

Sister McGregor, a woman of exceptionally fine qualities of both mind and heart, had been with us only a short time, but we felt the loss of a faithful worker and a cultured Christian.

Therefore, be it resolved:
First, that we the members of Berry's Grove Baptist Church, extend to her husband and to her father's family our deepest sympathy.

Second, that we commend them to our Heavenly Father's loving care, asking Him to help them bear their sorrow with the abiding faith that was her comfort always.

Third, that we send a copy of these resolutions to Brother McGregor and a copy to the Biblical Recorder for publication.

While fighting in arbor in midday of life,

The Master in mercy then ended earth's strife

She said, in much wonder, I've only began;

He smiled back in answer, "Come, faithful, well done;

She looked for white harvest, the sheaves yet unbound;

She reached forth to gather, He gave her a crown.

MRS. W. P. BERRY.

MRS. J. J. BARNETT.

MARY E. HALL.

Plow under all cotton stalks after the last picking, and do this before frost if possible, advise extension workers at State College. This will greatly aid in boll weevil control next year.