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RAZOR FLASHER WAS NABBED BY CHIEF

Gentleman Of Color Demonstrates Fancy Work With Razor

ALSO PACKS MEAN GAT

Occasionally one of our Southern negroes will leave the South and go up North and get just enough money on hand to make him feel so rich that he thinks he can come back down South and flash his pistol and wild his razor with perfect freedom, but Kenly Holeman a negro returned from up North found out different Tuesday afternoon when he made his appearance on Main street carrying on his person a well loaded gun and keen edge razor, however he did not proceed far until Chief Oliver had him under arrest and safely landed in jail. Fellows, you had just as well cut this rough stuff out, in Roxboro and Person county, for you can't get by with it very long.

Baptist Bazaar

Note Change in Place—Court St. The ladies of the Baptist Church will hold their annual bazaar on Saturday, Dec. 4th, 1926, in the store room of Mr. Preston Satterfield on Court Street, next door to Farmers Hardware Co. Remember the place. Your especial attention is called to the line of fancy work which the ladies will offer for your Christmas presents. This sale will open at 11 o'clock.

The following menu will be served: Oysters, stewed or fried, chicken salad course, sandwiches, cream and cake, coffee. They are expecting all business and professional men in Roxboro and all farmer friends who are in town on that day to take dinner with them.

Liquor Raids Becoming Popular

A few days ago Sheriff Brooks and deputy Gentry went down in the Sals section and located a complete thirty gallon still snugly hidden away in an open field. The still was brought to Roxboro and stored away for safe keeping.

As a testimony of the real value of our county officers Deputy Gentry had information that a blockade was in operation down in the Allensville section, so Deputy Gentry went down by himself and located a complete thirty gallon still and brought it to town for safety first.

Moriah News

Bethany Missionary Baptist Church called their same Pastor, Rev. Mr. Shacklett of Durham, for another year.

The members of Bethany pounded their Pastor last meeting, which was second Sunday in November.

Mrs. Sarah Ann Clayton, widow of E. C. Clayton, died at her granddaughter's Mrs. Hubbard Williams, Tuesday, Nov. 16th, and was buried at the family grave yard at her home place. She leaves one son, Neil Williford, and eight of her daughter's children. Her children were by her first marriage to Mr. Lewis Williford.—C.

Flag Raising

American patriotism was very much in evidence last Sunday evening in the village of Longhurst, when the J. O. U. A. M. council No. 170 of Longhurst presented the school with a beautiful flag which was raised while the band played the soul stirring "Star Spangled Banner." The flag was presented by C. W. Stallings, of Durham, Dept. District organizer and was received for the school by L. M. Carlton. Both addresses were fine and listened to by a good crowd of American patriots.

A Musical Comedy Plot in Herman Lewis and his LAUGHTERLAND REVUE playing at Palace Theatre, Thursday, Friday and Saturday this week.

My Little Town

Anne Blackwell Payne
My little town, that has not yet attained
The height and breadth of cities, oh stay small!
What profit is the vastness they have gained.
Their strength of stone and steel: when, growing tall
They lose the singing quality of leaves;
And growing wide, they have no room for grass;
No rose-vines reaching for contented eaves,
No space to watch the seasons as they pass.
No lure have cities to entice a thrush,
No yards for children, carpeted and sweet;
With all their pride and gaiety and rush.
They bear the burden of a million feet.
You have your gardens, friendliness, and trees—
My little town, be satisfied with these.

Roxboro Market Still Among The Leaders

CLEMENCY IS GRANTED TO SEVEN PRISONERS

Governor Issues Two Pardons And Five Paroles To State and County Prisoners

LONGEST TERMER 5 YRS.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 30.—Governor Angus W. McLean today pardoned two state prisoners and paroled five prisoners serving time on county roads.

The state prisoners were Ludlow Lee and Ronie B. Lee, who were convicted in a recent term of Harnett superior court on charges of secret assault, and sentenced to serve five years in the state prison.

The county prisoners were: A. N. Holmes, convicted in the June term of Pasquotank superior court of violation of the prostitution law and sentenced to serve 8 months. Holmes has served six months of his sentence.

Charlie Lowery, convicted in the November 1925 term of Robeson superior court of violation of the prohibition law, and sentenced to serve 12 months.

J. R. McLamb, convicted in the August term of Sampson superior court on violation of the prohibition law and sentenced to serve six months. James H. Horner, convicted in June 1925 term of Alamance superior court of aiding and abetting in larceny and assault with a deadly weapon, and sentenced to serve 7 months.

Herbert Powell, convicted in the June term of Halifax superior court of violation of the prohibition law, and sentenced to serve 15 months.

Store Robbed

Some time during the night Monday, robbers entered the mercantile store of Mr. J. A. Whitfield of the Hurdle Mills section and applied to their own pockets, the neat sum of two hundred and four dollars. Upon discovery of the robbery Mr. Whitfield notified Sheriff Brooks and he and Deputy Gentry went out and had very little trouble in locating and capturing the guilty men, Lex Rean and a Bradsher negro, who were found with the entire amount stolen. The two negroes were brought to town and safely landed in jail.

Lacy Allen leaves Home

On Sunday morning Lacy Allen, 14 years old son of Mr. J. J. Allen who lives about 4 miles southeast of Roxboro, left home and has not been heard from since. Lacy left home to look after his rabbit boxes, and hopped an automobile headed towards Durham. When he left home he wore overalls, a shirt and a cap which was his usual dress for work on the farm. Lacy was in a good humor when he left his home. His father could give no reason for the boy's wanting to leave his birthplace, unless it was for the love of adventure.

First Baptist Church

Sunday School 10:15 A. M., R. L. Wilburn, Supt.

Preaching 11 A. M. Subjects: "The Expulsive Power of A New Affection." 7:30 P. M. Subject: "Last." B. Y. P. U.: Junior 6 P. M. Intermediate and Senior, 6:30 P. M. "Be not overcome of evil, but overcome evil with good." Rom. 12:21.

A cordial welcome is extended to all.

W. F. WEST, Pastor.

Glorious Girls, Gorgeously Gowned with Herman Lewis and his "LAUGHTERLAND REVUE" playing at Palace Theatre, Thursday, Friday and Saturday this week.

With Only Three Days Sold Last Week the Market Sold Nearly 400,000 lbs.

AVE. BETTER THAN \$30.

Sales were good on the market last week, and while there were only three sale days nearly 400,000 pounds were sold. The buyers used the holidays to clean up all stock on hand and with the opening of the market Monday were ready and anxious to again fill their factories.

Prices continue satisfactory, the average being above the \$30.00 mark, and the farmers are rushing it in. For all appearances there will be a very small per cent, possibly less than twenty-five per cent, left in the hands of the farmers after the Christmas holidays.

The slogan this year by the Roxboro and Person County Boosters Club is "Ten Million Pounds," and from appearances they are not going to miss their expectations very far.

Bring the remainder of your crop to Roxboro and let's get that ten million.

Hog and Mominy At Home

There is absolutely no use in arguing that real hogs cannot be raised in Person county, when such hogs are being killed this winter is good evidence that we can raise our meat much cheaper and a more satisfactory grade, than we can buy from the Western markets. We want to urge, especially the young boys and girls to buy a pig and make him grow into a record breaker by next killing time. It is an easy, sure way to guarantee yourself some nice spending money by next Christmas. The best one we have heard of this year was killed by a resident of Jalong, N. C., last week, weighing 598 lbs. but we failed to learn the name of the owner.

Midnight Smash-Up

Quite an exciting smash up occurred on Main street in the early hours of last Sunday morning when a Ford car driven by Thomas Terrell became unruly and ran head on into another car parked in front of the Post office, knocking the car across the side walk into the big front window of the Post office. Luckily Deputy Gentry was on the scene and took charge of affairs and Terrell was given a preliminary hearing in Mayor Burns' court Monday morning and bound over to court on charge of reckless driving while under influence of liquor.

Personals from Route 1

Mess. Jack Hester and Ivey King have gone to New York, to enter school.

Misses Mae Cheek and Alice Radd of Burlington, N. C., spent Thanksgiving with Miss Jennie Lee VanHook.

Miss Nell Cobb of Danville, Va., spent the week end as the guest of Miss Nita Crumpton.

Miss Jennie Lee VanHook spent the week end in Burlington visiting friends.

Miss Estelle Kip spent Thanksgiving as the guest of Miss Fannie Bell Woody.

Mess. Willie VanHook and Phil Baynes of Elon College spent the week end at home.

Misses Mabel Bradsher and Marie Hester have returned to Louisburg College after spending Thanksgiving at home.—Cor.

Bazaar

The ladies of Edgar Long Memorial Church will hold their annual bazaar in the basement of the church on Saturday, Dec. 11th, 1926, opening at 11 o'clock, A. M. Come and play your Christmas presents and take dinner with the ladies who will serve the following menu: Brunswick stew, chicken salad course, ice cream, cake and coffee.

Senator? Small



Frank L. Smith, altho elected to the senate from Illinois, may not be seated. It is claimed he literally bought his election. Should the senate refuse to admit him—Len Small (above), now governor, looks as the man to fill Smith's chair in Washington. Gov. Small will resign. Fred Sterling, lieutenant governor, then becomes governor and will name Mr. Small as senator.

Tough Luck For Liquor Peddlers

Last Friday evening word reached Sheriff Brooks that a load of liquor was headed towards Roxboro by way of the Hillsboro road, so Sheriff Brooks and deputy Gentry proceeded down in the reported section and had not gone far until the suspicious car was sighted. A Chevrolet roadster occupied by William Fawn and Neal Gravitt was halted but the occupants undertook to out run the officers but it would require a high powered car to do this, so both men, car and liquor, was brought to town, the car and liquor was stored and the men bound over to court.

Pony Injures Howard Duncan

Howard Duncan, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Duncan received a severe blow from the hoof of a pony, when the latter slipped and tumbled Howard to the hard surface road, on North Main street.

The accident occurred, it is said, when the boy was riding a pony, and when a dog made a jump at the boy's noble steed, the wet street caused the pony to spill Howard into the street, which ended the pleasant ride. The pony however, gave Howard a severe blow on the foot, while scrambling to place his four foot on terra firma. It will probably be a week before the boy will be able to use his foot with the usual ease, with which he is accustomed.

Small Load, Big Check

Mr. B. L. Evans was at the Hyco yesterday with a small load, only four rooms, but he received a goodly sized check, \$342.00 for the small load.

New Battery Service

Mess. Puryear and Lunsford have opened a new battery service station here with Mr. Lunsford in charge. They will be found at the Central Service Station and will be glad to have you call on them for anything in their line. See their ad in another column.

Allensville H. S. To Give Plays

The plays, "The Parson's Perversity," and "All the World Loves a Lover," will be given at Allensville High School on Dec. 4th, 1926, by the Allensville Sunday School. Admission 15 and 25 cents. Everybody come and join in the fun.

Diversified Farming

Miss Bessie Heath Daniel, who has been preaching diversified farming so long, and well, was on the market Monday with a load of tobacco, which she sold for an average of \$42.00 per best pile bringing \$78.00.

DICKINSON SAYS FARM BILL WILL BE PASSED

Declares Revised McNary-Haugen Measure To Be Known as Farm Equality

OBJECTION OVERCOME

Chicago, Nov. 30.—The revised McNary-Haugen bill, henceforth to be known as the farm equality bill, will be enacted into law before the end of the seventieth congress, Congressman L. J. Dickinson, Republican, Iowa, leader of the House Farm bloc, told the National association of secretaries of agriculture today.

Detailing the modifications in the measure since it was defeated in the sixty ninth congress, he asserted that objection of cotton growers to the measure had been overcome and that the bill had support enough to insure its passage.

Even at the short session of congress beginning Monday it would be introduced, said Dickinson, although action upon it in the remaining days of the present congress is in doubt.

Widely divergent views upon the proper course of farm relief legislation were aired today before the agricultural executive of Representatives Elbert Bingham, Republican Vermont, and F. W. Fort, Republican, New Jersey, picked flaws in the measure Dickinson favors.

The National association of marketing officials, two of whose sessions today were held jointly with the secretaries of agriculture elected L. N. Rhodes of Jacksonville, Fla., president; H. D. Phillips, Albany, N. Y., vice president and Paul L. Miller, Ames, La., secretary and treasurer.

Successful Liquor Raid In Olive Hill Section

Some time during the day last Saturday word reached Sheriff Brooks that a blockade still was in operation over in Olive Hill township, so without loss of time Deputies Gentry and Bradsher went out to investigate matters. Pretty soon the plant was discovered but not until after one successful run had been made. Suspicious tracks, paths, etc., led the officers around the corner to the home of Plunk Barnett, where quite a bit of liquor was stored away. The liquor was seized and Barnett arrested and brought to town and given a preliminary trial and bound over to court.

Notice — Basketball

The Bushy Fork Tigers vs Croedmoore, Friday night, Dec. 3rd, 8 o'clock, at the Winstead Warehouse. First game of the season, and one that promises to be a good one. Admission 15 and 35 cents.

Womans' Club

The Womans' Club will meet Monday Dec. 6th, 1926, at 3 o'clock P. M. After the business meeting the Civic Club will put on a short program. Every member is urged to be present.

Notice

There will be a pie party at Moriah school Friday night, Dec. 3rd. The proceeds will go the benefit of the school. Everybody come and enjoy the evening.

Herman Lewis with his LAUGHTERLAND REVUE 16—People—16, Playing at Palace Theatre, Thursday—Friday—Saturday—this week.

Do Your Christmas Shopping Early and avoid the rush