

EDENTON FIGHTERS TAKE MATCH FROM ROCKY MOUNT HIGH

The Edenton High School boxing team turned back the fighters from Rocky Mount High School last Thursday night in the Edenton Armory when out of a card of six bouts two resulted in draws, Edenton won three and lost one. A large crowd of fight fans were on hand to witness the fights, which provided many thrills.

In the opener, Tom Wilder, 99, and Holmes, 98, fought to a draw in a match which lacked the action usually displayed by this class of boxers.

The second bout also resulted in a draw with Pete Everett, 119, opposing Perry, 115. In this fight also both fighters lost right much time sparring, seeking an opening, but mixed things right much in the last round.

The first decision came in the third fight of the evening when William Cayton, 121, easily outclassed D. Brake, 119. Cayton had the better of the argument in all three rounds, getting in punches almost at will and displaying a good brand of foot work.

Bill Harrell, 130, scored the only knock-out of the evening when Farmer, 129, ace of the Rocky Mount team went down for the count in the first round. Harrell at the start of the fight sent a series of hard blows to the face and body that sent his opponent to the floor. After remaining down for the count of nine he resumed fighting, but very shortly went down the second time, and before the round ended he fell to the floor with an injured shoulder and was counted out.

The only victory for Rocky Mount was the semi-final fight when Lance Bufflap, 137, forfeited to J. Brake, 135. Bufflap, who hadn't fully recovered from an attack of flu, had the better of the first round, but weakened in the second and was forced to use what energy remained to protect himself. Coach House refused to allow him to continue the fight under the circumstances, thereby giving Brake the decision.

Richard Rogerson, 163, gained a decision over Council, 162, in the final fight of the evening. The fighters were evenly matched, but Rogerson appeared to have a shade the better of the argument, using his left hook to the body to very good advantage.

SHERIFF GOES TO PROVIDENCE

Sheriff C. A. Boyce left Edenton by bus Tuesday afternoon for Providence, Rhode Island, where he took Virginia Parker to be entered in the State Hospital of Rhode Island. The sheriff expects to return home Saturday or Sunday.

Birth Certificates Reach Washington

Fully 20,000 little buff-colored cards each representing the birth of a baby in North Carolina during the past year, had arrived in Washington properly filled in by as many parents by Saturday night.

This number is estimated, based on receipt by Tuesday night of last week of 10,200, and slightly more than 15,000 that had reached the Bureau of the Census by Thursday night. This is a splendid record, according to Willard C. Smith, assistant chief statistician, and H. R. Green, special agent, of the Bureau of the Census, who arrived in Raleigh last week and have been traveling over the State assisting in organizing field forces to see that all "Register Your Baby" campaign cards are returned.

North Carolina has made a splendid start and is expected to take its place among the leaders in percentage of cards returned, properly filled out, Mr. Smith and Mr. Green stated. They urge that every parent of every child born within the last year fill in and mail these cards, in order to make the State record as complete as possible. The local postoffice will supply any parents who, for any reason, failed to get these cards last week.

The State Board of Health, the Census Bureau and the State Emergency Relief Administration are co-operating in this campaign to make it possible that every child born in the State the past year and from now on may be able to secure a birth certificate—described the "baby's citizenship papers."

Demand Jury Trial In Connection With Raid

J. J. Copeland, A. J. Hugo, George C. Chappell and Clifton Lane, who were arrested in connection with a raid on a still in the Chappell Hill section of Chowan County Friday by Sheriff C. A. Boyce, demanded a trial by jury when their case came before Judge J. N. Pruden in Recorder's Court last Friday. The case will be heard Friday morning.

The jury appointed is as follows: Willie White, Herbert L. White, T. J. Wilder, R. B. Hollowell, C. N. Griffin, C. D. Webb, W. R. White, T. B. Smith, W. T. Eason, J. E. Brabble, F. W. Curran and J. G. Campen, Jr.

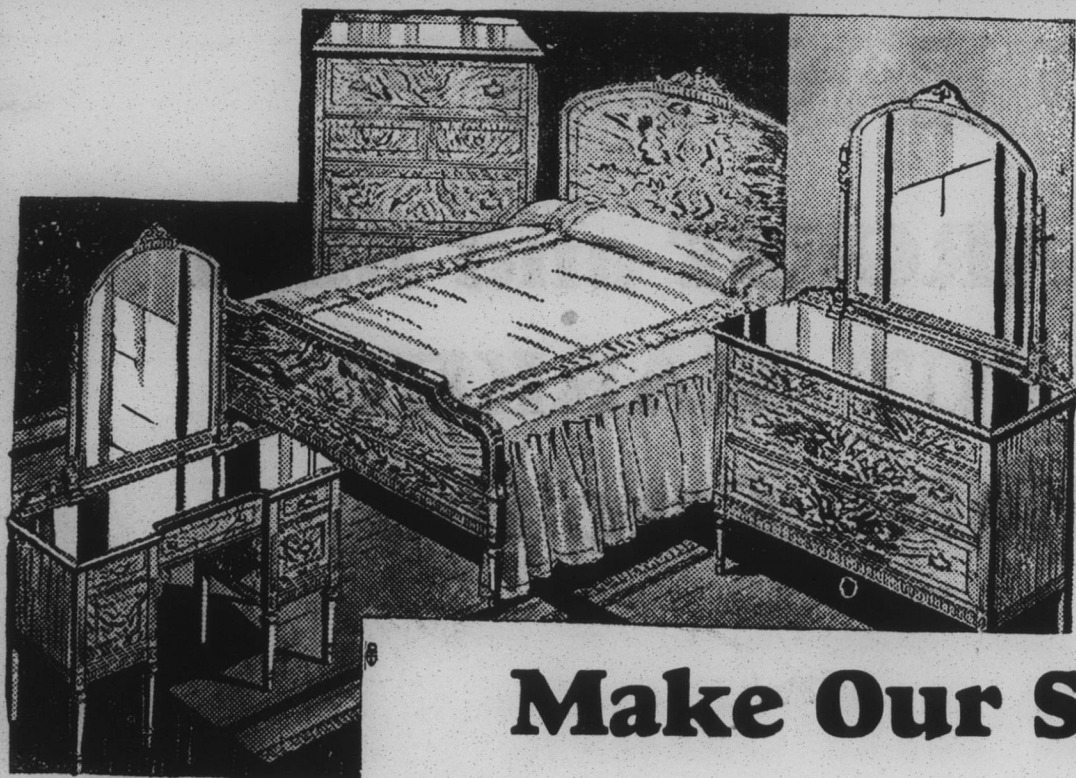
A mule and cart, as well as a quantity of sugar, meat and flour was confiscated by Sheriff Boyce in the raid. Assisting the sheriff were Chief of Police G. A. Helms, Deputy Sheriff S. W. Moore, C. A. Boyce, Jr., and Wayland Moore.

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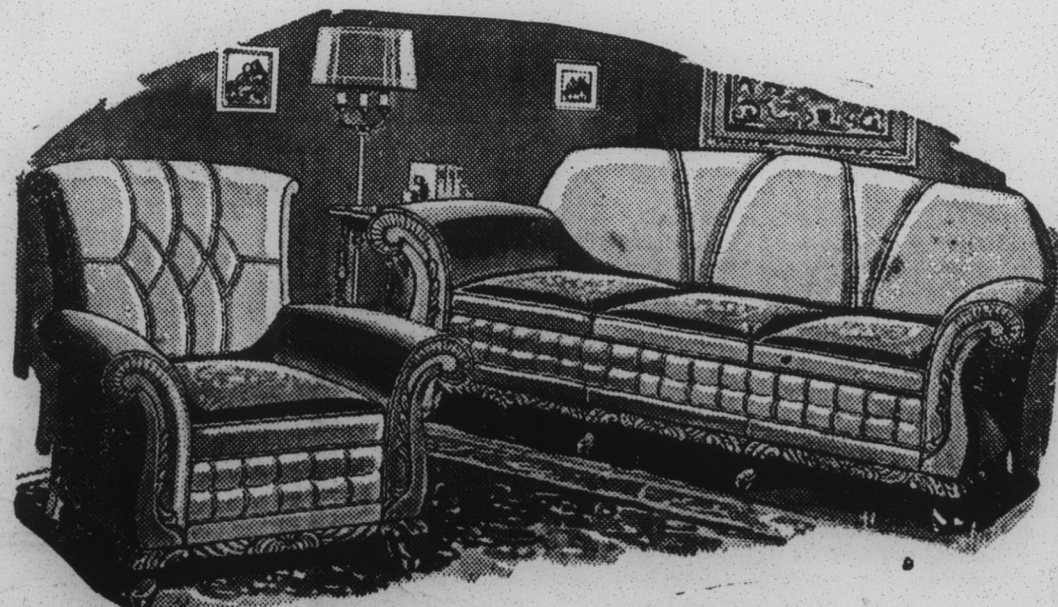
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