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## NAMES OF THE WINNERS OF THE GOLD PIECES ARE PUBLISHED TODAY

More Special Prizes to be Given Away--\$10 in Gold for First Prize in Each District--\$5 in Gold for Second Prize in Each District--Subscriptions are What Count--It is Never Too Late to Nominate a Baby.

The contest manager wishes to announce that on the 24th of February he will give \$10 in gold to the baby in District No. 1 turning in the largest number of yearly subscriptions between now and that date. To the baby turning in the second highest number we will give \$5 in gold. Also to the baby in district No. 2 turning in the largest number of yearly subscriptions we will give \$10 in gold and to the baby turning in the second highest number we will give \$5 in gold.

It is well to turn in subscriptions as soon as you get them so that the papers may be started to the subscribers at once. It is not necessary to have all your votes published in the paper. We will give you a special coupon ballot which you may hold until the last week of the contest if you wish. It is very important that you send in the subscriptions as soon as you get them.

It is not too late to send in your baby's picture. If we receive it this week we still have time to reproduce it in the paper. It is not too late to nominate your baby, but it is advisable to get the name in as soon as possible.

If you imagine that you can maintain a place in this contest for your favorite by confining your efforts to the gathering of coupons, you are going to be disappointed. Your baby will be left far in the rear and quickly. It is subscriptions that count in this race. How long will it take you to save a thousand votes clipped from The Robesonian? Quite a long time, will it not? We will give you that many votes for one four-month's subscription to The Robesonian, and if you show any activity at all you ought to be able to get such a subscription in a very short time. It will be those who see the wisdom of this who will be in the race.

We are willing to give away \$500 in gold, in return for which we want new subscriptions. And we are going to get them, for the people in this vicinity have confidence in The Robesonian, they know it to be a good paper, one that is safe to take into their households and put into the hands of the young innocents of the family, a paper that stands for all that is good and clean, the foe of all that is bad and unclean. Summon all your courage and see if you cannot be the winner of the \$10 in gold these next two weeks. If you worked hard for those five dollar gold pieces, work just twice as hard for this prize, and make up your mind that you will be a winner at all hazards.

DISTRICT NO. 1. Includes all territory within one and one-half miles from the court house in Lumberton.

Emma Frances McNeill	22,600
Mary Lawrence	1,650
Mary Julia Jones	16,550
Alice McLean	1,000
Thelma Meares	12,700
Francis Jennings	1,400
Marie Townsend	21,875
Ruth Neil Bullock	12,125
Evelyn McNeill	19,600
Hoyle Dougherty	18,400
Woodberry Thompson	21,200
John Coble McNeill	2,850
Sara Hamilton	1,150
Emma Earl Baggett	12,450
Anna Holtz Freeman	2,475
Julia Elizabeth Huggins	1,000
Lambert Holloway	1,000
William Parmelee	1,000
James Poole	1,000
Fred B. Singletary, Jr.	1,400
Frank McLeod, Jr.	1,000
Hugh McAllister, Jr.	1,000
Elizabeth Peace	1,000
Louise Kinlaw	12,200
Agnes Wetmore Welch	20,850
G. Thomas Cox, Jr.	1,000
Elizabeth Proctor	1,000
Clan Evans, Jr.	1,000
Frances Thomas	1,000
Lilly Varner	1,000
Neal Archie Thompson	1,000
William Carlyle, Jr.	1,000
Addie Emily Jones	1,000
Richard Norment	1,000
Berry Godwin French	1,000
Woodward T. send	1,000
Elizabeth Shaw	1,000
Hinton McLeod	1,000
Roberta Nash	2,000

Henry P. Allen	1,000
Margaret Biggs	1,000
Annie Laurie Caraway	1,000
Bruce M'White	1,650
Mildred Weinstein	1,000
Daniel Neil Collum	17,700
Carey Hedgpeh	21,750
Agnes Delia Pedneau	4,200
Edward Dula Beverly	1,900
Oleson Davis	1,925
Gilchrist Crump	1,000
Pearl Lamb	21,350

DISTRICT NO. 2. All territory exceeding one and one-half miles from the court house including all rural routes and towns in Robeson and adjoining counties.

Lumberton, N. C., R. F. D.	
Miss Clyde Pope, route 4	3,300
Forest Townsend, route 6	4,150
Kathryn Singletary, route 3	21,100
Elmer Kermit Stevens, route 4	19,900
Bladenboro, N. C.	
Lorena Hester	1,000
Carrie Love Bridgers	1,000
Margaret Elizabeth Freeman	1,000
Hester Freeman	1,000
William Hester	1,000
Herbert Jordan	1,000
Craven Pait	1,100
James Edward Pait	1,000
Carrie Powell	1,008
Gladys Wilson	1,000
Katie Williamson	1,050
Baxter Haymour, Jr.	1,000

St. Paul, N. C.	
John Chas. Rozier	17,950
Gladice Leggett	12,375
John Alex. Bynum	1,550
Ruh Blanchard	1,000
Emma Bryan	1,000
Addie Lee Brock	1,000
Ethel Beard	1,000
Lester Clark	1,000
Cary Caudell	1,000
Ethel Fisher	1,000
Chas. Hester	1,000
Theodore Northrop	1,000
Mary Lois McGougan	1,000
David McInnis	1,000
Elizabeth McGeachy	1,000
Earnest Odum	1,000
Robert Redfern	1,000
Windle Thagard	1,000
Rosa Lee Townsend	1,000
Mildred Townsend	1,000
Pearle Townsend	1,000
Leon Weston	1,000
Vera Deaton	1,750
Robert Wright	1,000

Laurinburg, N. C.	
Dorothy E. Hammond	1,000
Rowland, N. C.	
Paul Stuart, route 2	20,025
Buie, N. C.	
Rudolph Townsend, route 1	1,000
Annie N. Townsend, route 1	20,300
Flora Lee Prevatt, route 1	14,300
Maxton, N. C.	

Pansy Wren	1,000
Alice McQueen	22,000
Frank Stead	1,000
Donald McQueen	1,000
Maude Croom	1,000
Randolph Kirkpatrick	1,000
Sylvester McLean, Jr.	1,000
J. C. McCaskill, Jr.	1,000
Lenwood Smith	1,000
John Sumpter McRae	1,000
Francis Gibson	1,000
Laura Wall Everett	1,000
Murphy McKinnon	1,000
Elizabeth Currie	1,000
Kathryn McKinnon	1,000
Elizabeth McKinnon	1,000
James Hawley McKinnon	1,000
Arthur Cottingham	1,000
Chas. May Burns	1,000
Robert D. Croom	1,000
Carlton Evans	1,000

Marietta, N. C.	
Thelma Lewis	11,000
Red Springs, N. C.	

Margaret Graham	1,000
William McLean	1,000
George Fulton Spell	1,000
Mary Snoddy	1,000
Francis Gibson	1,000
Harriet Ella McPhail	19,275
Mary Watkins Bullock	20,050
Baby Singleton	1,000
Billy Hall	1,000
Maryline Brewer	1,000
Liza McEachern	1,000
Mary Cook	1,000
Preston Covington	1,000
Love Twins	1,000
Baby Lee	1,000
Baby Kay	1,000
Mary Roberts	1,000
Morgan Branch	1,000
Virginia Gaston, R. F. D.	1,000

Clarkton, N. C.	
Edward Douglas Heustess	1,000
Boyce McKinnon Phiffer	1,000
Daphne Clark	1,000
Isabella Cox	1,000
Ida Withers Currie	1,000
Elkton, N. C.	
Louise Blue	1,000
Fairmont, N. C.	
Gerald Jones	10,375
Fannie Belle Lewis	1,000
Dosie Selars	1,000
Hope Mills, N. C.	
Wesley Clement Carner	1,000
Margaret Barber	1,000
Kathleen McDaniel	1,000
Pauline Smith	1,000
Esther Parker	1,000
Ernest Williams,	1,000

## SUPERIOR COURT.

Carson Strickland Murder Case. Today--Murder Case Against Jim Jenkins Not Prossed--Other Cases. Snow practically blocked superior court proceedings this morning. Judge R. B. Peebles convened court at 11 o'clock, Solicitor Sinclair being present to represent the State, but many of the special venire of 100 who had been summoned in the case of Carson Strickland, charged with the murder of Jack Morris in a drunken row near Marietta on the night of November 3 last, set for trial this morning, were delayed on account of the lateness of the train from Marietta, so after a short session court adjourned to meet at 1:45 this afternoon, when the selection of the jury in this case was to begin. Disposition has been made of the following cases:

Jno. Purcell, retailing; plead guilty; 6 months on roads. Catherine Purcell, retailing; plead guilty; 6 months in jail. Swain Bell, Josephus McNair, larceny; plead guilty; judgment suspended by consent during good behavior.

Foyd Whitted, housebreaking; plead guilty; 3 years on roads. Luther Davis, Jasper Roan, a. d. w.; Roan not guilty; Davis guilty; \$25 and costs. Jno. Clark, gambling; plead guilty; judgment suspended during good behavior on payment of costs. Wm. Moseley, same. Hardy Bell, a. d. w.; guilty; 12 months on roads. Walter McRae, larceny; guilty; 6 months on roads. F. P. Gray and Sam Webb, a. d. w.; plead guilty; Webb \$10 and half costs; Gray half costs and judgment suspended during good behavior.

Roscoe McKay, larceny; guilty; 2 years on roads. Floyd Whitted, housebreaking; former judgment of 3 years on roads suspended during good behavior by consent. H. B. Stephens, false pretense; not guilty. French Maynor, larceny; plea of guilty of forcible trespass accepted by solicitor; judgment suspended during good behavior on payment of costs. Dempie McNeill, a. d. w.; guilty; 12 months on roads. Simp Johnson, gambling; plead guilty; judgment suspended during good behavior on payment of costs.

Dock Bell, assault; plead guilty; 6 months on roads. Jas. Gilchrist, retailing; Jas. Jenkins, retailing; mistrial ordered on account of sickness of a juror. John Johnson, larceny; guilty; 12 months on roads. Jim Jenkins, murder; not guilty. Charged with killing Oscar Suggs in Lumberton on the night of December 23 last. Jenkins, Suggs and other negroes were caught gambling in a house in a negro settlement of town by officers and during the confusion when the officers entered the room a shot was fired which inflicted a wound from which Suggs died. After putting on the stand a few witnesses for the State Solicitor Sinclair decided to not pros the case as it was evident there was not enough evidence to fasten the guilt upon Jenkins.

Jas. Gilchrist, retailing; plead guilty; judgment suspended during good behavior on payment of costs. Jas. Jenkins, gambling; plead guilty; judgment suspended on payment of costs. Nol pros has been entered in the following cases: Babe Ferrell, retailing; Litch Robeson, larceny. The following cases have been continued: Troy Graham, murder; Sam McDougald, false pretense.

Hearing Postponed. The Back and Jacob swamps drainage district hearing which was to have been held on the 16th inst. has been continued until the 29th inst. Exceptions have been filed to the final report of the board of viewers and owing to the fact that court will be in session on the 16th Clerk of the Court Skipper will not have time to hold the hearing then.

Woman loves a clear, rosy complexion. Burdock Blood Bitters purifies the blood, clears the skin, restores ruddy, sound health.

How Cold Affects the Kidneys. Avoid taking cold if your kidneys are sensitive. Cold congests the kidneys, throws too much work upon them, and weakens their action. Serious kidney trouble and even Bright's disease may result. Strengthen your kidneys, get rid of the pain and soreness, build them up by the timely use of Foley Kidney Pills. Tonic in action, quick in results. J. D. McMillan & Son.

Old Colored Man Found Dead on Roadside. Isaac Purcell, colored, was found dead yesterday morning on the road near his home at Alfordville. He had been cooking for Mr. Wash Walker at a sawmill plant in Cumberlnd county. He was on his way home Saturday night, having had to walk 3 miles from where he got off the train, and it is thought that he froze to death. Deceased was between 65 and 70 years old. During the Civil War he was cook for Messrs. A. A. and Dixon McLean, fathers of Messrs. A. W. and J. Dixon McLean, of Lumberton, respectively.

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## Supt. Sentelle's Sister Married in Asheville.

Supt. R. E. Sentelle, of the Lumberton graded school, was surprised last week to read in the Waynesville Courier and the Waynesville Enterprise of the marriage the other day in Asheville of his sister Miss Jennie to Mr. J. K. Boone. Both are of Waynesville, the bride being a daughter of Rev. R. A. Sentelle, superintendent of public instruction of Haywood county. Mrs. Boone is a student at Meredith College, Raleigh, and was on her way back to Raleigh from a visit to the home of her parents when the groom met her in Asheville. It was intended to keep the marriage a secret, according to The Courier, the bride returning to college and the groom returning to his home in Waynesville, but the secret leaked out.

Silver Tea to be Given by the Daughters of the Confederacy. As stated in Thursday's Robesonian, the Robeson Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, will give a silver tea at the home of Mrs. S. McIntyre, Walnut and Sixth streets, Friday evening of this week. The public is cordially invited. A silver offering will be taken up at the door.

This bids fair to be a delightful occasion--it could not be otherwise with the Daughters in charge. Refreshments will be served and there will be music by Lumberton's well-known orchestra and quartette. All who avail themselves of the opportunity of being present on this occasion will not only be given a treat but will be helping a worthy cause.

Mrs. Eliza Bass, who is nearing her 79th birthday, has stored in a barn at her home on the north-eastern edge of town the coffin in which she wants to be buried. She does not want to be buried in a store-bought machine-manufactured coffin, so some time ago she gave Mr. A. A. Ivey, who works at the Kingsdale lumber mill, an order for a coffin to be made according to her own ideas. The coffin was delivered last week and it will be kept against the day when it shall be needed--which her friends hope will be many years yet.

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Camp Willis H. Pope Will Meet in Lumberton Washington's Birthday. By order of Commander J. A. McAllister, Adjutant M. G. McKenzie announces that Camp Willis H. Pope, Confederate veterans, will hold a meeting in the court house in Lumberton on the 22d inst., Washington's birthday, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m. All veterans are earnestly requested to be present. Definite arrangements for the day will be announced later.

Will Relieve the Boys. To the Editor of The Robesonian: This morning I killed a turkey on Back Swamp, near Elrod, that weighed 19 1/2 pounds. Hope this will relieve the boys some, as they have lost a good deal of time hunting it.

Aaron Lowrie. Elrod, N. C., R. 1, Feb. 10, 1912.

Some class--Yes?--No?--to a "Keep-off-the grass" sign stuck into a four-foot pile of snow on a cement pavement in the court-house yard. When the snow melts the sign will be placed back on the border, where it belongs, of course.

Mr. George McNeill, who has been day engineer at the Lumberton electric power plant for nearly a year, has resigned his position, effective the first of next month, to accept a similar position at the Lumberton cotton mills. Mr. McNeill will be succeeded at the power plant by Mr. J. C. Maxwell, who for some time has been working at the plant.

Sedentary habits, lack of outdoor exercise, insufficient mastication of food, constipation, a torpid liver, worry and anxiety, are the most common causes of stomach troubles. Correct your habits and take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and you will soon be well again. For sale by all dealers.

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The Jno. T. Biggs Co. has been advertising that at its store today and tomorrow representatives of tailoring houses will wait on the trade. Mrs. Eleanor P. Sturtevant, representing the Thornton Tailoring Co. of Cincinnati, will take orders for made-to-your-measure ladies' man-tailored suits, dresses, jackets and skirts. Mr. Sturtevant does the same thing for the men at the same time and place--that is, he does not measure them for dresses and skirts and things but for the kind of garments men delight to disport themselves in in the spring-time and in the "good old summer time."

## LOCAL BRIEFS

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