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RAID ON LIQUOR DEALERS

At Request of Church Officers Northampton and Bertie Officers Make Arrest

Liquor dealers have been quite active of late, especially at and in the vicinity of the colored churches where protracted meetings are being held. Even before the Volstead days protracted meetings held by the colored people were favorite places for the bootlegger to ply his trade. So many colored people will not do anything to stop the liquor traffic, but encourage it, that the venders seem to think at their churches they are safe in selling liquor. Last week the dealers made a miscalculation. They undertook to carry on their trade at Sandy Branch church, between Rich Square and Roxobel on the county line. The pastor, Rev. Paul A. Bishop, and church deacons decided they would stand for it no longer. They employed Lawyer E. R. Tyler of Roxobel to assist in the prosecution of all cases they might cause to be brought up. William P. Moore, formerly of Rich Square, and R. C. Biggs of Kelford, two prosperous, well-to-do farmers of the Kelford vicinity, are two of the deacons. We regret we failed to secure the names of all the church officers to publish in connection with this.

Last Friday the officers at Roxobel and Rich Square were appealed to for protection of the church from the liquor dealers who were said to be on the ground. Officers A. J. Vick of Roxobel and Talmadge Bolton of Rich Square responded, the latter deputizing W. O. Harrell to assist him. Reaching the church ground they were informed that a white man was in a coupe on the ground who was directing the buyers where to go, that a colored man was down on the run of the creek (the county line) measuring out the liquor, operating a part of the time on both sides of the county line, the run of the creek being very narrow. They went to the car and arrested a white man who gave his name as Frank Prunier, and Aulander as his home. He had two pistols, so the charge of carrying concealed weapons was also lodged against him. The colored man down on the creek made his escape but his name is known and a warrant is out for him.

Prunier, who is said to be from Pennsylvania but has lived in Bertie for about four years, was taken before Justice B. F. Burkett of Roxobel for a hearing. Probable cause was found and his bond was fixed at \$200 for his appearance at Bertie Superior Court. He failed to get bond in Aulander, but secured it in Lewiston.

Court is in session at Windsor this week, presided over by Judge Calvert. When his case was called Monday Prunier failed to answer. Judge Calvert gave notice that if he failed to appear Tuesday judgment would be given against his bond.

OPENING AT CHOWAN

Chowan College will open its doors for fall session on Wednesday morning, September 8th. This day has been set apart as registration day. All local students will be registered on Tuesday, September 7th. And classes will begin on Thursday, September 9th. A splendid faculty has been secured and prospects for a good year are very bright.

CHOWAN COLLEGE,
W. B. Edwards, President.

ROXOBEL NEWS

Miss Madge Gillikin has returned from summer school at Greenville.

Mrs. L. C. Watson has returned from a visit to relatives in Raleigh.

Mrs. Roland Lassiter and family were visitors last week in the home of Mrs. Edward Castelloe.

Miss Louise Norfleet, Norfolk, Va., and Miss Katherine Norfleet of Washington, D. C., are guests this week of Mrs. G. B. Spivey.

Miss Jessie Flythe has returned from Greenville summer school.

Mrs. H. R. Paschal is visiting Mrs. Spoolman, Windsor.

Miss Fay Peele is at home after having spent several weeks at Hendersonville.

Mr. Carl Livermon spent a few days in Suffolk last week.

Mrs. Alford has returned to her home, Raleigh, after having spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Fannie Spence.

Miss Linda Wilkins has returned from Greenville summer school.

Mr. C. T. Peele went on a business trip last week to Baltimore.

Mrs. Esten Jenkins is visiting relatives near Wilson.

The Roxobel - Kelford High School will present a play "Seventeen" in the new school building next Thursday night.

Friends of Mr. Russell Lane will be glad to know that he has received his license to practice law.

Mrs. Edward Castelloe is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lee Brewer, Windsor.

Miss Reba Shields, Scotland Neck, is guest this week of Miss Annie Norfleet.

Mr. O. L. Goforth, Norfolk, Va., was a visitor in town last week.

Mrs. Jarvis Burkett and children are spending some time with relatives in Norfolk, Va.

REHOBOTH WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS

Rehoboth Woman's Club held its regular monthly meeting on August 27th in the school building at eight o'clock.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. W. A. Boone. The secretary then called the roll and there were fifteen present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Some new business was then discussed and Mrs. W. R. Hedspech appointed a committee to help clean up a vacant room at the school house, which the club decided to name the "Community Room."

This room may be used as the community sees fit.

She set the date at Sept. 15th for clean up day. All the members are especially invited to come out and help us on this day.

Our agent, Miss Wigley, then took charge of the meeting and gave us a very helpful and interesting lesson on windows and mantels.

The members of the club have enjoyed the work so much this year under the direction of Miss Wigley and regret so much to see her leave us, that we, to her surprise and in her honor, then served refreshments; which consisted of home-made candy, sandwiches and iced tea.

We hope for her as great a success with her school work as she has had with her work here among us. She came to us from another State but we love her just the same.

We then adjourned to meet with Mrs. E. F. White in September. We all went home feeling that it was good to be there.

MRS. W. R. HEDSPETH.

SEABOARD NEWS

School to Have Large Attendance-- Revival Services--Social Events --Personal Items

Mr. Raymond Rogers, Littleton, was a Sunday caller in the home of Mr. R. W. Edwards.

Miss Sarah Thomas, Morven, returned home Tuesday after spending two weeks here with her friend, Miss Virdell Matthews.

Mrs. T. J. Bass and son Luther left Friday for Durham to visit her daughter, Mrs. G. C. West.

Mr. John Maddrey Jr., Norfolk, arrived Saturday and is the guest of his friend, Mr. Henry Russell Harris.

Mr. W. L. Harris spent a few days at Buffalo Lithia Springs the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Maddrey and son Wayland were Sunday guests of Mr. Maddrey's mother, Mrs. R. M. Maddrey.

Mr. Douglas Pruden, Washington, D. C., arrived the past week and is spending his vacation here with his brother, Mr. Leary Pruden, and other relatives.

Mrs. L. L. Lassiter and children, Louise and Billy, Osceola, Fla., arrived Saturday and are guests of her sister, Mrs. H. C. Maddrey.

Miss Rebecca Peebles, Jackson, was the week-end guest of her cousin, Miss Marion Harris.

Mrs. Lewis Warlick and two sons, Durham, and Dr. Spright Barbee, wife and children, Zebulon, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Barbee this week.

Miss Alice Kelly Harris left Tuesday for Elkin where she will be a member of the high school faculty.

Mr. Ernest Stephenson, Suffolk, was the week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stephenson.

Misses Hazel and Katharine Worrell, Portsmouth, are guests of Mrs. W. T. Norvell this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Futrell, Conway, were Sunday guests of his sister, Mrs. Nettie D. Crocker.

Prof. and Mrs. H. M. Lynch spent the week-end at Ocean View.

Miss Bettie Long left Tuesday for Severn where she will again be a member of the high school faculty.

Mrs. E. F. Story and son, Portsmouth, were Sunday guests of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard L. Crocker and sons, Raleigh, were week-end guests of his mother, Mrs. Nettie D. Crocker.

Mr. Alexander Davis, a student of U. N. C., Chapel Hill, arrived Saturday and will spend his vacation here with his sister, Mrs. F. C. Weaver.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Duffee, Portsmouth, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Duffee.

Mr. Crocker Maddrey returned home Friday after spending twelve weeks at Wake Forest attending summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Crocker left Tuesday for Reidsville to visit Mrs. Crocker's father, Mr. Jones, and other relatives.

Mrs. J. P. Harrell, Portsmouth, arrived the past week and will spend several days here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Stephenson and son Rodney, Baltimore, arrived Tuesday and are guests of his sister, Mrs. Willie Barnes. They will also visit other relatives before returning home.

Miss Elizabeth Brown, Kitty (Continued on page eight)

Gov. McLean Coming To Northampton

Gov. McLean will deliver an address to the Kirby Farmers Club at the Conway School building, Conway, Tuesday, September 7, at 3 o'clock. He will also present the Loving Cup to the winning contestant at this time. Everybody is invited. Hope you will attend.

KIRBY FARMERS CLUB,
B. D. Stephenson, Sec.

Diphtheria Toxin-Antitoxin Dispensaries

There will be free inoculations of Toxin-Antitoxin against Diphtheria at the following school houses on the following dates for children between the ages of 6 months and 10 years. Eighty-five per cent of the cases of Diphtheria occur during these years.

Parents are urged to bring their children and obtain this protection for them if they have not already done so.

Three injections are necessary to establish an immunity, given at weekly intervals. The first will be given as follows:

Seaboard, Tuesday, Sept. 7, 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.

Margarettsville, Tuesday, Sept. 7, 11 to 12 A. M.

Severn, Tuesday, Sept. 7, 1 to 2 P. M.

Pendleton, Tuesday, Sept. 7, 2:30 to 3:30 P. M.

Conway, Wednesday, Sept. 8, 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.

Milwaukee, Wednesday, Sept. 8, 11 to 12 A. M.

Holly Grove, Wednesday, Sept. 8, 1 to 2 P. M.

Potecasi, Wednesday, Sept. 8, 2:30 to 3:30 P. M.

Woodland, Thursday, Sept. 9, 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.

Rich Square, Thursday, Sept. 9, 11 to 12 A. M.

Lasker, Thursday, Sept. 9, 1 to 2 P. M.

Creeksville, Thursday, Sept. 9, 2:30 to 3:30 P. M.

Jackson, Friday, Sept. 10, 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.

Garysburg, Friday, Sept. 10, 11 to 12 A. M.

W. E. FUTRELL,
County Physician.

Kill Kare Klub Entertained

Conway, N. C., Aug. 30.—Mrs. Howard Outland delightfully entertained the Kill Kare Klub in her home last Thursday from four to six o'clock.

The subject for the meeting was "Facts About North Carolina." Mrs. Will Lassiter read a short history of Northampton County taken from Wheeler's History. "North Carolina Firsts" was given by Mrs. Outland. Mrs. C. S. DeLoatch read an interesting paper on "Facts About North Carolina." We found our state was really wonderful, but as Miss Ruth Outland told us, not so wonderful that we may sit and be self satisfied, because other states are forging ahead and may pass us by.

After the program, Progressive Hearts was played, and Mrs. Will Lassiter was presented with a beautiful handworked towel, while Mrs. R. Jennings White received a lovely linen handkerchief as consolation.

Refreshments consisting of sandwiches, Pineapple salad, cakes and ice tea were served.

The guests of the club were Miss Ruth Outland of Woodland and Mrs. W. W. Joyner of this place.

POTECASI LOCALS

Mrs. Henry Gilbert and Mrs. M. P. Maynard returned to their home in Raleigh Tuesday after spending a week with Mr. J. R. Baugham and Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Gilbert.

Mrs. L. M. Parker and Miss Mary Beale Parker have returned home from visiting relatives in Reinert, N. C., and Mullins, S. C. Mrs. Parker's grandfather and Mr. Junius Brown came back with her and is spending some time here.

Mr. J. J. Beale and mother spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Draper in Edenton.

Miss Jessie Marie Parker left Sunday for Hobbsville, where she will teach in the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gray and daughter Frances spent the week end with her father, Mr. J. R. Baugham, returning to their home in La Grange Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lassiter and children are spending a week with Dr. and Mrs. P. G. Parker of Erwin, N. C. While gone they will spend some time at White Lake.

Mrs. W. H. Beale and children spent last week with her parents in Gumberry.

Mr. E. C. Parker spent Friday and Saturday with his mother, who is in a Richmond Hospital.

Mrs. C. G. Brown went to St. Vincent Hospital Wednesday for an operation. She was operated on Saturday and is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gray and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Jenkins, Mrs. Henry Gilbert, Mrs. M. B. Maynard and Mr. J. R. Baugham spent last Monday in Norfolk and Ocean View.

Masters Cola and A. J. Harrell spent the week with their grandfather in Severn.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Edwards of Henderson spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Joyner.

Mr. Douglas Pruden of Washington, D. C., was a caller in the home of Mr. W. C. Beale Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Davis spent the week-end in Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Beale, Garland and Mary Beale and Mr. W. H. Beale spent Sunday in Norfolk.

Mr. J. J. Beale spent the week end in Hollister, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Lassiter spent Sunday in Norfolk.

Miss Olivia Bridgers returned from Chapel Hill summer school.

Mrs. R. M. Bun is visiting relatives in and near here.

The Crops

In about two thirds of the area of Northampton the crops are fine, having had plenty of rain, or nearly enough. In the other third, in the vicinity of Rich Square, crops have been cut short by the drouth that extended from the last of June to the 24th of August when enough rain fell to do the crops much good, but not enough to run into the ditches or streams.

Cotton, corn and hay crops have been cut short. It remains to be seen the effect on peanuts. Perhaps cotton shedded to a greater extent than known before, due to the use of larger amounts of high grade fertilizer.

People who planted corn early are in luck. It is good.

NEWS FROM KELFORD

Work on New County Highway Begun --Kelford Woman Member of University Faculty

Mr. Nello L. Teer, contractor for the building of the County Highway from the Northampton county line to Lewiston, commenced the work the first of this week.

Mr. George Doughty, a prominent farmer living near Kelford, brought to town last Saturday a watermelon of the famous Tom Watson variety, that measured 26 inches long and 34 inches around and weighed 57½ lbs. This beats Mr. E. E. Tynes's melon, reported last week, by ten pounds.

Mrs. E. R. Tyler will present a most charming play at the Roxobel Kelford School building on Thursday evening, Sept. 2nd. The characters of this delightful entertainment are pretty young girls and handsome young men of Roxobel and Kelford, and all who attend are assured a lovely time. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the school. Don't fail to come.

Mrs. H. M. Ballard and two daughters of Washington, D. C., are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Tyler, Mrs. Ballard is a sister of Mrs. Tyler and was reared in Bertie county and her home people are always glad to have her visits.

Miss Coralie Parker, of Columbia University, New York City, spent a few days this week with her people in Kelford. She was on her way to the University of North Carolina where she will be a member of the faculty in the Department of Social Science.

Miss Parker took her A. B. Degree at Meredith College, in the class of 1921, taught school two years and entered Columbia University in the Fall of 1923, and graduated there with the degree of Master of Arts in the class of 1924, after which she studied in the University of Oxford, England, and University of Paris and spent several months in Western Europe, visiting Rome, Venice and various cities in Germany, Belgium, Holland and Switzerland. She has completed her studies at Columbia for her degree of Doctor of Philosophy which she hopes to have conferred before she is thirty years old. She was a member of the Editorial Staff of the Encyclopedia Britannica this summer, editing the American issue of that publication after which she spent her vacation with friends in Vermont and Massachusetts. She took up her work at the University of North Carolina on Sept. the first and will remain there for a year.

A special train over the A. C. L. Railroad will arrive in Kelford from Raleigh on Sept. 22nd at 2:20 P. M. bearing a hundred or more business men of the State Capital on a "Good Will Tour" through Eastern North Carolina. They will make five minute stops at Kelford, Aulander and Ahoskie and hope to have a hearty hand-shake with every man, woman and child in the Roanoke-Chowan section. The people along the route are planning to give them a good time.

A man in a hospital for the insane sat dangling a stick with a piece of string attached over a flower bed. A visitor approached, and, wishing to be affable, remarked: "How many have you caught?" "You are the ninth," was the reply.