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New Presbyterian Minister Advocates One-Day Grouch

Gaddy Issue In Second Stage

Dunn Board To Reconsider Resignation. Former Roxboro Man Involved.

Dunn, June 9.—The County Board of Education has unanimously passed a motion that members of the Dunn School Board, who have tendered their resignations, be requested to reconsider their actions and continue to serve the remainder of their terms.

Dr. C. L. Corbett, chairman of the local board, who with other four members of the board resigned on May 30, was reappointed this year to a three-year term. Henry Tyler's T. Profit, acting superintendent of Harnett County schools and secretary to the county board of education. Whether the local board members will act individual or as a body on the request was not known.

Mr. Gaddy, it developed was accused of not being a good disciplinarian. For two years he was district Superintendent in Roxboro, but resigned.

term of office expires in 1948. J. H. Hodges and Worth Stewart will be up for reappointment in 1947, and L. A. Tart in 1946. The resignation of the local board as a collective unit was prompted by a controversy over the principalship of the Dunn high school, of which has been headed by H. C. Gady, formerly of Roxboro.

Letters requesting the board to reconsider were mailed to each individual member and signed by G.

Brother Of Local Resident Killed

After more than two and a half years, the Navy Department has advised the family of Claude Hubert Breedlove, fireman second class, that he was killed in action off Sazo Island on Nov. 14, 1942.

He was a brother of E. E. Breedlove, of Roxboro.

The parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Breedlove, of Middleburg, have received a citation from the late President Roosevelt, which states that the young seaman lost his life in the sinking of the U. S. S. Barton. He has been awarded the Purple Heart posthumously.

Breedlove joined the Navy in September, 1940, after attending Middleburg High School, and received his training at Norfolk, later being transferred to the west coast and from there to active sea duty in the Pacific.

E. E. Breedlove, of Lamar street said yesterday that Claude Hubert Breedlove was his youngest brother. Another brother, also in service, met this brother just the day before G. H. Breedlove was reported killed.

Robert E. Hamlin First Lieutenant In California

The promotion of Lieut. Robert E. Hamlin, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Hamlin, Roxboro, to the rank of first lieutenant was announced this week by Col. Earl C. Robbins, commanding officer of the Victorville Army Air Field, Victorville, Calif., where he is actively engaged in the highly intensified training program there.

Lieut. Hamlin enlisted in the Air Corps in March 1942 and was commissioned as a bombardier following graduation from the Midland Army Air Field, Midland, Texas, in Sept. 1943. Prior to his transfer to Victorville, he was a bombardier and navigation instructor. His brother, Capt. Edwin J. Hamlin, is stationed at Army Air Force Headquarters, Winston-Salem.

A graduate of the Roxboro High School, Lieut. Hamlin was a tobacco buyer for the Dixie Leaf Tobacco Co., Kinston, before he enlisted.

The Victorville Army Air Field, a station in the Western Flying Training Command, is located in the Mojave Desert approximately 100 miles from Los Angeles, Calif.

Requirements for textile bags are up 20 per cent from 1944 and allocations of textiles for bags are down 5 per cent.

No Rate Yet

Person County commissioners, still in session at noon today in special gathering to consider budget matters and appropriations, have not yet fixed new tax rate for the fiscal year, it was reported by Auditor T. C. Brooks, in whose office the officials are in session.

Church Related Colleges Have War Bond Plan

Plan Worked Out For War Bonds As Gifts To Colleges.

Davidson, June 11.—Rapidly mounting interest in the War Loan Drive of the North Carolina Council of Church-Related Colleges is reported by Dr. P. H. Gwynn, Jr., Director of the State-wide Campaign. The purpose of the Drive is to promote the purchase of war bonds in order to bring the struggle with Japan to a swift and successful conclusion. Those who buy bonds are urged to donate them to the colleges participating in the Drive to be used for the building of Christian character in the days of peace.

Prominent citizens throughout the State by letter and personal comment are giving their enthusiastic endorsement to this unique idea, with its combination of patriotic and educational values. Dr. Zeno Wall, great North Carolina Baptist leader, says: "Your appeal for war bonds for our colleges is a timely and wise one."

Dr. Julian Miller writes in an editorial appearing in the Charlotte Observer: "We not only, therefore, commend this movement of the 23 church-maintained colleges in North Carolina, but urge our people across the State to give serious concern to the appeal which they are unitedly making and to support this good cause to the full limit of their financial abilities."

Colleges united in this combined (Continued on page six)

Ray Parrish To Leave City

On Leave From Plant E. He Goes To Thomasville Broom Company.

V. Ray Parrish, of the Chub Lake road, for twelve years a Roxboro resident, connected with Collins and Aikman, Plant E, and a civic leader here, will leave Friday for Thomasville, where he has half-interest in Thomasville Broom Company. He has leave of absence from Collins and Aikman and it is expected that he will remain with the Thomasville company.

With him will go Mrs. Parrish and members of his family. The residence here is to be sold, according to Mr. Parrish, who is a native of Randolph county and a graduate of Guilford college.

Mr. Parrish is at present foreman of the drawing room, Plant E, but was for two and a half years assistant director of personnel. He is a member of Roxboro Rotary club and of Edgar Long Memorial Methodist church, being secretary both for the club and for the church board of stewards.

Pvt. C. G. Allen Describes Battle

Pvt. Charlie G. Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Allen, of Route 1, Roxboro, who was wounded on April 8, in Germany, says in a letter to his parents that his injury was received on a Sunday morning when the men in his company were making an attack at dawn, near Stein. Participating were three tanks, one of which was quickly knocked out. The two that were left had to turn around, leaving the infantry unit to which Allen was attached.

Second Man

Probably the second Person soldier to be released under the point system is Tech 5 Rainey Carver, Pacific veteran with 39 months of overseas service. Carver, now at home has 109 points. He does not know what he will do in civilian life he was a truck driver. In New Caledonia he was with a number of Roxboro men, among them Arthur Davis, Jr., who is now in California.

Closest scare Carver had in service was when he was near cases of dynamite when a bomb fell close by.

Scouts Leave For Cherokee Week

Some sixty Person and Roxboro Boy Scouts left here yesterday afternoon to spend a week, the opening week for the season, at Camp Cherokee, the official Scout Camp for Cherokee Council, near Wentworth, according to C. A. Harris, who said this morning that about forty boys went on a truck. Others went in private cars.

Assistant leaders from here in the group include Jimmy Street and Joe Featherston. Also in the group are Dr. Robert E. Long, scoutmaster of Troop 9, and David Gray Moore, of Bushy Fork, assistant for Tribe Four.

The majority of the boys will remain one week, although some will stay for a longer period. The group met at Person court house, included were boys from Troops in the city and Ca-Vel, Brookdale and East Roxboro, as well as Busy Fork. Regular meeting of the Person District council will be held as usual this month, the date being Tuesday, June 19, at 7:30 in the Chamber of Commerce office.

Planned also for that night will be a meeting at eight o'clock at Person County Training school for the Negro division. Time will be eight-thirty.

Special Honors To Be Given Swansons

Closer Home



WILLIAM SPENCER

Cpl. Bill Spencer, shown above, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Spencer, who has for many months been in the Army Air Forces Ground crew, gave his mother an expensive moment Wednesday night when he called her long distance from Porto Rico, but Mrs. Spencer did not mind, since Porto Rico is much closer home than France and England, where Cpl. Spencer has been for about two years. Now in Roxboro is A. J. Pleasant, Jr., of Bushy Fork and the Army, who has recently seen the Spencer soldier. Pleasant is with the ferry command.

Mac Clarke, Of Durham, Guest Speaker At Club

Mac Clarke, of Durham, district governor for Eastern Carolina of the National Exchange Club, spoke before the Roxboro Exchange Club Wednesday night at their regular meeting at Hotel Roxboro, where a general outline of the working of the Exchange Clubs throughout the state and some of the many civic improvements accomplished was the topic of his address.

Crippled children's benefit, a part of every Exchange Club aim, was discussed by Clarke, who explained fully how the work of caring for the children was carried on.

Other guests of the club were Albert Weeks, president of the Durham Exchange Club, John Riley, state treasurer, Durham, and Frank Hester of the Durham club. President Joel Lewis presided. Next regular meeting will be at Hotel Roxboro this Wednesday.

Nearly 10,000 pedestrians are killed in traffic accidents in the United States every year.

Along The Way

Marvin (Doc) Carver former citizen of this city but now a resident of his home town, Rougemont, is gradually recovering from the effects of playing a baseball game about a week ago. It seems as tho Doc went to see Rougemont play a game and when he arrived at the scene of the game Rougemont did not have all the players that were needed. Some of the Rougemont players remembered that Doc played ball for Trinity College about 1924 and 25 and so they asked him if he would help out the team on this day. Of course Mr. Carver could not let the boys down so he got a glove and went forth to battle. He played the entire game and we think that it was the first game that he had played in about fifteen years. How well he played we do not know but we understand that he was so stiff and sore the next day that he spent the day on the bed or dragging around the house.

There must be a moral to this.... Let the old and tried remain that way.... Why try to stage a comeback? P. S. I do not expect to be in the office when Doc comes to see me the next time.

War Bonds Slow

The Seventh War Bond sale here is lagging, according to District Chairman Gordon C. Hunter, who said this morning that figures are still close to those of last week — \$154,000 in E Bonds and \$260,000 for general bonds—for comfort. Much must be done between now and June 30, of Person's quota is to be met, says Mr. Hunter. He and David S. Brooks are to go to Durham tonight for a district conference on the G. I. Bill.

Another Person Slaughterer To Face Charges

Slaughterers Given Federal Court Restraining Orders On Meat Violations.

Raleigh, June 8.—U. S. District Judge Johnson J. Hayes has signed two temporary restraining orders prohibiting two meat slaughterers from further violation of OPA near control regulations following complaints filed by the Raleigh District Office of Price Administration. District Director Theodore S. Johnson said today that Dee Andrew Clay, of South End Grocery, Roxboro; and the Piedmont Packing Company, of Hillsboro, have been ordered by Judge Hayes to refrain from future violation and supply records as required by OPA regulations.

OPA charged that Clay failed to keep records of purchases of live animals and of his slaughtering activities.

The Piedmont Packing Company was charged with paying above the average maximum ceiling price for live animals in the amount of \$495.24 during the accounting period which presented purchases of 119,488 pounds of meat which had an overall ceiling price of \$12,981.78 and net \$13,477.82 as paid by the company.

Both cases are returnable before Judge Hayes at Greensboro on June 18 at 2 o'clock.

Johnson said that the orders grew out of OPA's program to get compliance with the current meat control program.

Veterans Already Here Says West

Former Roxboro Minister Praises City And Its Citizens.

The Rev. W. F. West, now of Hartwell, Ga., formerly of Roxboro, guest speaker Thursday night at Roxboro Rotary club, of which he was a member, reassured the members of the high quality of the local club, asserted that he "felt at home in Roxboro," although he does enjoy both the club and the friends with whom he is associated in Hartwell, former home-town of his wife.

Also guests at the Roxboro club meeting were Mrs. W. F. West and the Rev. Leon Russell, who has just completed services at Edgar Long Memorial Methodist church, Rev. J. Boyce Brooks and Ronald Hill.

Getting into a more serious vein, the Rev. Mr. West discussed at some length the present aspects of the war with Japan and mentioned peace problems, including the matter of readjustment of returning service men, many of whom are already returned.

Program for this Thursday will be the annual "Father and Son" night.

Billy Williams Reported Killed

Billy Williams, son of Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Williams of Hillsville, Va., was killed on Okinawa on April 24, his aunt, Mrs. Bess Shipp of Durham, was notified Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. Williams formerly lived in Roxboro. Billy Williams was a brother of Mrs. Wade, of Roxboro.

To Thomasville, Ga.

Lt. Dwight L. Gentry, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Gentry, who has been visiting them for several days, has returned to Finney Hospital, Thomasville, Ga., where he is receiving treatment for wounds received in overseas service in the European theatre.

C. H. Reeves of Madison County reports a profit of \$452 from 0.7 of an acre of onions, according to the Virgil L. Holloway, assistant county agent of the State College Extension Service.

Hold Rites Today Mrs. C. M. Winstead Gold Star Mother

Prominent Person Woman Dies Saturday Night At Home.

Funeral for Mrs. C. M. Winstead, 75, the former Miss Dora Wagstaff, whose death occurred Saturday night at 10:15 o'clock at her home in the Concord church community, will be held Monday afternoon at four o'clock at Concord Methodist church, of which she was a life-long member. Interment will be in the church cemetery. Officiating ministers will be her pastor, the Rev. Daniel Lane, and the Rev. J. H. Shore, a former pastor, both of Roxboro.

Mrs. Winstead died after an illness lasting four months. She suffered a stroke of paralysis six weeks ago and had been seriously ill for the past two weeks.

Wife of the late C. M. Winstead, to whom she was married in 1891, she was a native of Person, a daughter of the late C. M. G. and Sarah Taylor Wagstaff and a sister of Dr. H. M. Wagstaff, of Chapel Hill, who died two weeks ago. Her husband died about seven years ago.

She was a Gold Star mother of World War I, a son Lt. Guy Winstead, having been killed in action. Another son died in infancy and a daughter, Miss Beth Winstead, died about twenty years.

Surviving sons are, Victor L. of Red Lion, Penn., and James L., of the home. Surviving daughters are, Mrs. Maurice J. Daniel, Mrs. B. W. Gardner and Mrs. Robert L. Hester, all of Roxboro. Also surviving are two sisters, Mrs. John D. Winstead, Sr., and Mrs. Fannie Morton, both of Roxboro, and one brother, Roscoe M. Wagstaff, of Portsmouth, Va., and nine grandchildren.

Baptist Young People To Have Week's Program

Baptist young people of Roxboro, including members of the Roxboro First Baptist church, will have a "Youth Crusade for Christ" week, from June 17, through June 22, according to announcement made today by the pastor, the Rev. J. Boyce Brooks, who says that the program is especially designed for young people of high school and college age and that four out of town leaders from colleges are to be present. The four leaders will include two men and two women, their names to be announced later.

The daily schedule of activities, all to be at Roxboro First Baptist church, will be as follows:

10:00 A. M., Morning Worship; 3:00-5:30, Visitation; 7:30 P. M. Discussion Groups, (Boy Meets Girl); 8:30 P. M., Evening Worship; and 9:20 P. M. Friendship Circle.

Ice-Cream Long And Brother, Stephen, Home

The Martin Longs, of Person County, who have four sons in military service, have been very happy for over a week. The reason, as it might be guessed, is that two of the boys, Stephen Long, and Harvey Long, are both at home. Sgt. Harvey (Ice Cream) Long, came in Thursday night from England, while Stephen Long, who has for about two years been a prisoner of war in Germany, arrived seven days ahead of his brother.

Sgt. Harvey Long, with many months of service to his credit may be released under the point system, although he has not yet decided what choice he will make. While in England he was for long a cook and he gained fame as the boy who hooked up a jeep to an ice cream freezer and produced plenty of dessert for the G. I.'s. He says that many of the English people whom he met were both friendly and courteous and considerate.

Two other brothers are still overseas.

Employment Office In New Location

The United States Employment Service office, effective today, will be located in the office of T. Fitz Davis, on the second floor over the Roxboro Building and Loan office, according to announcement made Saturday by Claude Luquire, director of the U. S. Employment service in Roxboro. The office for the past several months has been in the basement at Person County Court house.

Symphony Men Visit City Today

Person Chairman For Orchestra Fund To Be Chosen.

R. L. McMillan, prominent Raleigh attorney, who is active Chairman of the North Carolina Symphony Fund for the expansion of the activities and usefulness of the State of North Carolina Symphony Orchestra, and Dr. J. O. Batey of the University at Chapel Hill, Director for the Fund, will arrive today to begin the local campaign.

As ex-officio chairman of the Board of Directors of the Symphony Society, Governor R. Gregg Cherry has approved the plan of the Society to embark upon an expansion program for this purpose to seek contributions from music lovers and other public spirited citizens of the State with which to establish a substantial Symphony Fund. Person chairman has not yet been named.

As Honorary Chairman for the Fund, Governor Cherry is appointing active District Chairmen to work for the Fund in each of 12 districts into which the State has been divided. Former Governors, Cameron Morrison, O. Max Gardner, J. C. B. Ehringhaus, Clyde R. Hoey, and Melville Broughton, and Major General John Marston, Commanding Officer of Camp Lejeune, are acting as Honorary Directors for the Symphony Fund.

The North Carolina Symphony Orchestra, after playing more than 200 concerts in the communities of North Carolina, was recognized as the official State Orchestra by the 1943 Legislature, which took it under the patronage and control of the State and provided that the Governor should be ex-officio Chairman of the Board of Directors, that the State Superintendent of Public Instruction should be a member of the Board, and that four other members of the 16-man Board should be appointed by the Governor. The 1943 Legislature also appropriated \$2000 toward the support of the Orchestra.

G. D. Burch, Of City, Has Award

Corporal Technician Glenn D. Burch, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. H. Burch, Route 3, Roxboro, has been awarded the Philippines Liberation Medal by the Commonwealth Government for his role in the fighting on Leyte and Luzon.

The award was announced by Major General William H. Gill, commander of the veteran 32nd "Red Arrow" Division, in which Burch serves.

Corporal Burch, member of Headquarters Battery of Division Artillery, came overseas in February fighting in the precipitous Caraballo mountains in Northern Luzon. He also is entitled to wear the American Defense ribbon, the Army Good Conduct Medal and the Asiatic Pacific Theater ribbon with three battle stars.

Burch attended High School in Hurdle Mills. He was formerly employed by the G. W. Thomas Hardware Company in Roxboro.

Linwood Jones Reported Wounded

Mrs. Linwood Jones has received word that her husband, Pfc. Linwood C. Jones, has been wounded while serving on Okinawa with the 77th Liberty Division. Pfc. Jones has been with the armed forces since December 1942, and has been overseas 14 months.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jule Jones of Hurdle Mills, Route 2, and has one other brother in service, S. Sgt. Curtis H. Jones, stationed in Florida.

Mrs. Linwood Jones, the former Miss Julia Grinstead, and little daughter now live with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Grinstead on Roxboro Route No. 3.

To Have Operation

Mrs. J. J. Hamlin will enter Community Hospital this afternoon for an operation. The Hamlin's live on the Leasburg Road.