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SCHOOL BUILDING PROGRAM DISCUSSED

Bumpass, Cates Enter 'Are They Real?' Little Boy Asked Commissioner Contest About Easter Eggs For Good Friday

business man of Roxboro, resigned of Elections Saturday to become Clarence Holeman of Roxboro. the sixth candidate for County

ing for all candidates entering the shaping up between Rep. John Fol- rooms. Democratic primary.

former Lt. Gov. R. L. Harris, who is J. J. Harris of Winston-Salem. State House of Representatives, and held Saturday, May 25. Registration Mrs. Mary B. Buchanan. Dr. A. F. Nichols, coroner

contest for commissioner assured May 18 as challenge Gay. Polling Easter rabbitt poster in one of the a six-man race for the three posts places will remain open from 9 a. windows, the colored posters depictwhich are to be filled by the voters. m. to sunset on these days. Last week, Roy Cates, Roxboro surveyor, became the fifth candidate caused by Mr. Bumpass' resigna- one corner. and the flower arrangeto file for the office.

R. Jones of Mt. Tirzah, and James ton. T. Burch of Paynes Tavern com-

are three candidates, A. M. Burns, county on the primary date will be them. Jr., incumbent, Alex Bass of Rox- mailed absentee ballots upon reboro, and Lewis T. Wagstaff of quest,

Program Explained

For sheriff, M. T. Clayton, in- boy wanted to know as he came into Ministerial association, will be held dially invited. Persons wishing to will meet teams from Littleton at as secretary of the County Board cumbent, is being opposed by the Person County Public Library at the Roxboro First Laptist church hear only part of the three-hour Henderhon Tuesday at 3:30 in pre-In the Fifth Congressional Dis- chickens, the green grass, and the trsit. which includes Person and five colored eggs arranged so realistically Saturday was the last day for fii- other counties, a major contest is on a table in one of the reading ministerial group.

J. W. NOELL, EDITOR

ger, incumbent, and Thurmond He was looking at the handiwork library staff, who was assisted in is seeking a legislature seat in the The Democratic primary will be the decorating of the building by

of new voters will take place on The little boy liked not only the Entrance of Mr. Bumpass into the April 27, May 4, and May 11, with chickens and eggs, but also the large ing Passion Week scenes from the The Board of Elections vacancy life of Christ, the lighted cross in

Previous filers for County Com- Board of Elections. Other members Miss Dorothy Wightman, trimissioners were: W. H. Gentry and of the County Board are W. H. Har-county librarian, answered the lad's John B. Hester, incumbents, John ris, III, chairman and O. Y. Clay- question by inviting him to come closer and examine the eggs for County ballots will be sent to the himself. He did so, and was so deprinter immediately. Soldiers and lighted with the realistic decorations For clerk of Superior court, there other voters who will be out of the that he spent some time looking a

> Mrs. Howard and other members of the staff invite the public to drop in and see how the rooms have been dressed up for Easter. They think

The colored panel posters depict Palm Sunday, the crucifixion, the sealed tomb, and other scenes. Flower decorations consist of Easter lilies, tulips, dogwood blossoms, and oth-

An impressive section of the library is the memorial shelf, containing time. books given in honor of deceased recently been rearranged by Mrs.

Requirements for veteran's farmer training are the same as for the job training Helena PTA Meet Slated Tuesday

The program, Whitten said, is for World War II who have been discharged, not dishonorably, after 90 or more days of active service in any branch of the U.S. armed forces since Sept. 15, 1940.

Service Officer Bob Whitten said today after receiving detailed infor-

mation on the program.

To apply for training and other GI Bill of Rights benefits, the yeteran must fill out form 1950, which the association, the Helena High Saturday night at his home at Leasis obtainable at the local service School Glee Club, assisted by the burg. office, and mail it to the regional Second Grade Toy Band, will predicted Monday afternoon at 2:30 of short lengths of small pipe, and the Leasburg Methodist using two nozzles the farmers are applicant eligible for training, he will be mailed a certificate of eligibility which will entitle him to enter upon a training program

singl emen is \$65 monthly, and for March by Schubert. married men and others with parental dependents it is \$90 monthly, Whitten explained. The time limit is one year, except where a longer period is necessary to complete the course satisfactorily.

There are two types of training. The first is the employer-trainer program, in which the veteran receives instruction from the employer. He must also receive instruction from a vocational agriculture teacher, the minimum being 200 hours tion during the year: and he must visit the veteran for a minimum of 48 hour sduring the year, not less than one visit occuring each month.

The second type of training is self-proprietorship. In this case the veteran must operate a farm as owner, tenant or manager. The vo-ag teacher must visit him for 96 hours during the year, or not less than one two hour visit per month. The veteran must also receive 150 hours of classroom instrucction during the year; and he must

There are two qualified white vo-ag instructors in Person County: James Wilburn of Bethel Hill and L. C. Liles of Timberlake. For Negroes, A. W. Jones of Person County granting of a taxicab permit to Ev-Training School is qualified to give

Form 1950 and also another form which is available at the regional taxicab applications presented in VA office in Winston-Salem.

The Helena Parent-Teachers association will hold its April meeting on Tuesday night, April 16th at at 8:00 p. m in the Helena High at 8:00 p. m. in the Helena High School auditorium.

Prior to the business meeting of Jerry Warren Dixon, Sr., 69, died

The Toy Band, with Bobby Wilfollowing selections: Minuet by Mo- in the Leasburg Cemetery. zart; Soldier's Chorus by Verdi; Cir-The subsistence allowance for the South by Straus; and Military

> The High School Glee Club with boro. Bobby Wilson and Frances Jones as accompanists, will sing the following selections; Panis Angilus by to the Lambs by Dett; There Is A Tavern in the Town, an American College Song; Smoke Gets In Your Eyes by Kern; Night and Day by Porter; Just a Little Fond Affection by Bon, Con, and Ilda; Some Sunday Morning by Jerome; Easter Parade by Berlin; and When Day Theresa Revival Is Done by Katscher.

All parents and friends of the school are cordially invited to at-

Mayor Named Club Trustee; Veteran **Gets Taxi Permit**

Mayor S. G. Winstead was elected keep strict business records of farm by the City Commissioners last night as a member of the board of trustees of the Roxboro Country Club, succeeding the late Percy Bloxam. formet city manager.

> The Town Board also approved the No action was taken on four other

erett Thomas, returned negro veteran who operated a taxi here prior to Disabled feterans must fill out this entry into military service.

- Along The Way -

Ihave heard a story that could not be true yet it was told to me for the truth and I am passing it along to my reader, or readers, both of

them, for what it is worth, Clyde Bowen has a car and for this car he has a garage that is located around the rear of his home in Reams Town. He suddenly decided that this garage needed painting and so he hired a man to do the work—But, he told the painter to only paint the part of the garage that showed from the main street that went by his home. There was no need to paint anything that did not show. And that is what was done.

I would like to hire Clyde to be the efficiency expert in my office.

and his eye caught sight of the

tion will be filled by the State ments throughout the building.

you will like what you see.

Vets' Farm Training

Jerry W. Dixon

from the Leasburg Methodist using two nozzles, the farmers are E. Lee Hotel Winston-Salem,

ibirbin by Pestalozzo; Roses From Warren Dixon, Jr., and James An- already spraying their tobacco plants in the national contest in Washingderson Dixon, both of Leasburg; and twice each week. one sister, Mrs. R. C. Hester of Rox-

Mr. Dixon was born in Person County January 5, 1877, son of the late J. W. Dixon and Aniva Brad-Franck; Confidant by Hewitt; Listen sher Dixon. He was educated in Leasburg school sand at the Burl-ington Academy He was a retired Thursday Night ington Academy. He was a retired merchant and farmer, and was married in 1906 to Mary Evelyn Newman. He was a member of Long Memorial Church, Roxboro.

Now In Progress

Timberlake doing the preaching, re- Supper. vival services at Theresa Baptist

Sanford Long is leading the singing, and Mrs. Hovis is playing the

The public is cordially invited to night. attend the services, which will con-

Whiskey Found

tinue for several days.

by Sheriff M. T. Clayton and dep- vited to attend. uties late Thursday afternoon in woods near the Orange County line in the Bushy Fork township. No other equipment was found and no men were caught. The sheriff said TONIGHT that the still obviously had been moved before the officers arrived.

Out Of Navy

Jessie E. Parham, Jr., F 1-c, U. S Naval Reserve, son of Mr. and Mrs. received his Navy discharge at the ice Center. Charleston, S. C., Naval Air Station, THURSDAY He entered the Navy August 1, 1944, and served overseas for several

Services Planned Roxboro Debaters Officials Give Views

sponsored by the Person County service, to which the public is cor-Friday, April 19, from 12 to 3 p. m., service are also invited to come in liminary rounds of the State high it was announced today by the Rev. at any time, and feel free to leave school debating contest.

George Heaton, president of the whenever they desire to do so.

The subject will be, "Resolved, ministerial group.

The subject will be, "Resolved, That every able-bodied male citizen

Plans for the service were made the services are: E. C. Maness, J. of the United States should have by the ministers in their April Boyce Brooks, J. H. Shore, George one year of full-time military train-Only unopposed candidates are Chatham of Elkin. Also in the race of Mrs. Margaret L. Howard of the meeting which was held at 10 a. m. W. Heaton Clyde McCarver, Daniel ing before attaining the age of 24. Lane, Ben Houston, and B. B.

Bushy Fork Boy Wins Spelling Bee

With blue mold reported as close by as Wake County, and with weather conditions here ideal for the detheir tobacco beds with fermate.

No blue mold has yet been reported in Person, Mr. Sanders said, but Eighth grade, Josephine Blalock with damp, chilly weather on hand, of Roxboro, and Bobby Wilson of the disease may start here at any Helena

During the past week the County persons. Memorial decorations have Agent has visited nine men in various parts of the county helping them Bobby Burns of Roxboro, and Doris to set up sprayers to be used in applying fermate. Some of the men have bought wheel-barrow sprayers, one has a regular orchard sprayer, sack sprayer, and the other men are using horse-drawn sprayers which

of hornworms from the wheels and power is supplied by a hand lever. By providing ceive an award, probably a diction-Church, with the Rev. W. G. Bur- able to rig up this sprayer so that it 12:30 on April 27, and the State gin officiating, assisted by the Rev. does an excellent job of applying finals will take place in the Reynolds son, as accompanist, will render the F. A. Lupton. Interment was to be fermate spray to tobacco plants. The sprayers have all been checked and on the same afternoon. Surviving are two sons, Jerry tested and some of the farmers are

Communion Service Journal-Sentinel papers. At First Baptist

The Roxboro First Baptist Church will hold a Communion service at 7:30 next Thursday night. April 18, men have received their discharges Branch Banking and Trust Comaccording to announcement by the and returned home. pastor, the Rev. J. Boyce Brooks.

Special music is being arranged, of Allensville, has been discharged and candles will be used during the from the Army, in which he served Thursday night of Passion Week With the Rev. R. W. Hovis of that Jesus instituted the Lord's Panama and on Saipan.

Church are attracting a great deal stating that the service would be

Because of the Thursday night service. no prayer meeting will be held on the preceding Wednesday

Easter Program

An Easter program will be given ate economies which will mean life County are: at Brookland Methodist Church on to countless thousands of persons Nine and a half gallon of whiskey, Easter Sunday morning at 9:30 otherwise doomed to death, Claude ish with meat, poultry and egg dishin half-gallon fruit jars, were found o'clock. The public ic cordially in- T. Hall, County manager of the es.

6:15 Kiwanis, Hotel Roxboro TUESDAY 7:30 Person Scout Council Cham-

ber of Commerce offices.

8:00 Helena PTA.

WEDNESDAY 6:45 Exchange, Recreation Center. 8:00 Joint meeting of School make the saving of food his or her 6. Bake single instead of double-E. Parham, Sr., of Roxboro, has Masters club and local NCEA, Serv- personal responsibility, The food will crust pies.

> 6:30 Rotary, Hotel Roxboro 8:00 Easter pageant, "The Passion Play." Roxboro high school.

Harvey Clayton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Clayton and an eighth 2

grade student at Bushy Fork school, won the county-wide grammar grade spelling bee held at Roxboro Central school Friday afternoon. He will represent Person County in the State contest to be held in Winston-Salem on Saturday, April 27.

Grade winners were: Seventh, velopment of this plantbed disease, Nelle Mooney of Helena; sixth, Marfarmers today were again urged by garet Lane of Cavel, who was run-County Agent H. K. Sanders to spray nerup in the county contest; fifth, Mary Emily Satterfield of Helena. Other students participating were:

> being of Bushy Fork. Sixth grade, Rosette Caldwell of

Longhurst, Lillie Chambers of Bushy Fork, Frances Davis of Roxboro,

they use during the summer months Cavel, Patricia Wilborn of Long- over by vice-president Dan Lane. for applying material for the control hurst, Leonard Allen of Bushy Fork, These sprayers are disconnected Patsy Jackson of Roxboro Central. Edward Y. Speed, Anne Long of Roxboro Central, and As county winner, Harvey will re-

auditorium in that city at 3 o'clock

The State winner will participate ton, D. C., at a later date. Sponsor of the State or regional contest is the Winston-Salem

Gentry, Jordan **Out Of Service**

Two more Person County service-

Ed. Gentry, son of Mrs. Ed Gentry for two and a half years He was a corporal and was stationed in

James Kelly Jordan, RM 2/C, U. The pastor urged attendance, S. Naval Reserve, was in the service

with the cooperation of their cus-

tomers, can put into effect immedi-

adopt to save food needed abroad.

endorsed by President Truman's

life-or-death crisis," leaders of the

famine emergency committee.

Meet Littleton At Henderson Tues.

John Robert Hester and W. D. Fisher, Jr., will represent the affirmative for Roxboro, while the negative will be composed of Bobby L. Moore and Johnny Horton. Alternate will be Bob Houston.

Coach of the Roxboro teams Mrs. A. F. Nichols.

Teams winning in the preliminaries will be entitled to compete in the district contest at Meredith College, Raleigh, on April 25. Finals will be held at Chapel Hill on May. By Library Staff

Rotarians Elect New Officers

At a regular weekly meeting held in the dining room of Hotel Roxboro Thursday evening the Roxboro Roary club elected new officers for the years 1946-47, as follows:

President, John Mangum; vicepresident, Bill Harris; secretary, Sid years. Chairman of the event in 2. Renovation of Roxboro Central Marsh; treasurer, Alvin Warren; di-Seventh grade, Alice Robertson of rectors, David Brooks and George

An order was issued directing the treasurer to pay the sum of \$100 to the incoming president as part payment of his expenses in attending the coming meeting of Rotary Interone is using a small 21/2-gallon knap- Janet Latta of Roxboro Central, and national, which meets in Atlantic

In the absence of president John Fifth grade, Harold Buchanan of Fitzgerald the meeting was presided

Edward Young Speed, son of the late Dr. Edward A. and Virginia Noell Speed of Person County, died Sunday morning in a Kinston hos-Kinston, at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Speed went to Kinston in

1902 and was first associated with the Export Leaf Tobacco Company. Later he was associated with other tobacco companies, and in 1925 became first president of the Kinston Tobacco Board of Trade.

At the time of his death he was with the trust department of the

Candor Man Here

Robert Fitzgerald of Candor has crowds are attending the services Easter pageant there on the same York. He is the son of Jim Jordan He is a second cousin of Dr. John D. Good Friday The public is cordially public will become thoroughly fa-

On Proposed Projects

Sunrise Service

A special Easter morning sun rise service will be held at Long Memorial Methodist Church at 7 a. m. next Sunday, it was announced today The public is cordially invited to attend.

Flower Show Planned For May

show, spnsored by the Person Cou- imum building needs at the present nty Library, will be held early in time. May, it was decided Friday by the Library Board of Trustees in their

Definate date for the show has not been set, but it will probably be in a special bond election. held on the Friday or Saturday preceding Mother's Day, which is on

1944 and 1945 was Mrs. Margaret School, with the removal of suf-L. Howard of the Library staff, and ficient pupils to provide adequate she will have charge again this year. lunchroom space within this build-

Both individuals and home demsponsored Hill. onstration clubs have entries in the past, and it is expected that they will do so again this year. Persons having helpful ideas concerning the flower show are asked to contact Mrs. Howard, to make the event even more interest-

Mrs. Howard pointed out that the library has six or more books on flowers which are of interest to flower growers and lovers.

Scouts Of Senior Troop Hold Meet

Further plans for a future pro- do so. gram of activities were made by Construction conts are now about pital after a brief illness. Funeral the Senior Scout troop of Roxboro 50 per cent higher than usual; howservices will be held at the resi- in its meeting last week. The meet- ever, bonds can now be financed residence, 301 West Lenoir Avenue, ing was held at the home of M. C.

> A new meeting place was decided upon, and plans were made to visit another troop which has been in process of organization for some time. The question of dues was also discussed and settled.

Presiding was Squadron Leader.

Revival Services At Lea's Chapel

The Rev. Daniel Lane, pastor, anarrived in Roxboro to spend several nounces pre-Easter evangelistic sermonths as an interne at Community vices this week at Lea's Chapel with time would not be as much higher Hospital. He expects to be here unfor three years, in the Atlantic and til August, at which time he plans as the preacher. Services will conof interest, the pastor, the Rev. B. completed in ample time for memMediterranean areas. He received to return to the University of Marytinue each night through Holy Week B. Knight, reported today. Large bers to get to the high school for the his discharge at Long Island, New land to complete his medical course. at 8 o'clock with a day service on Board, Supt. Griffin said, that the

Cafe Food-Saving Measures Suggested

1. Drop the use of toast as a garn-

national emergency food program, 2. Cut out the practice of putting said today in announcing a series of baskets of bread or rons in dining specific actions which restaurants, room tables. A single roll or slice of hotels, and other eating places may bread should be served with more

The food-saving measures advopatron. cated for public places have been 3. Where possible, use the openface sandwich in place of the twobread-slice sandwich. "If we as a peiple are to be of the

forthcoming only on request of the

4. Don't trim toast or sandwich greatest help to the world in this crusts. 5. Use potatoes instead of wheat

program said, "each of us must or rice. not create itself. Our farmers pro- 7. Substitute corn and buckwheat

duce it, but all of us as consumers cakes for wheat cakes. must take in immediate interest in | 8. Instead of products made from seeing that as much of our abund- wheat, serve oatmeal bread, cakes ance as possible is shared with those and cookies.

Recommendations placed before bread.

for pastries and cakes.

and cheeses. 12. Discontinue the 13. Use boiled-instead of oil-few years. dressings on salads.

alternates. 15. In the kitchen, practice the Hester, and Clyde T. Satterfie

and salvage greases saving the bread ends now wasted. public at large through the 17. Boil or broil-not fry-wish to Forum of the Courier-Tim

18. Don't serve extra dressing of ced jointly by the count

salads already prepared with oil or dressing.

19. On every possible occasion, induce the customer to order only what he needs. Customers should be encouraged to ask only for those side dishes they really want to eat.

(See SCHOOLS Pass

R. B. Griffin, superintendent of schools, today made public for the first time the detailed views of the County Board of Education and of himself in regard to construction of and improvement in school buildings in Person County.

Listing nine proposed building projects, estimated cost of which in Mr. Griffin's opinion is roughly \$600,000, the superintendent stressed the fact that the low interest rate now obtainable on bonds would largely offset the increased building costs of the present period.

Authority of the County Commissioners to issue bonds is limited by constitutional amendment to twothirds of the net debt reduction of the previous year. In Person, the average annual reduction is about \$30,000; therefore the average annual amount of bonds which may be issued is roughly \$20,000-far less Roxboro's third annual flower of Education believes, for even minthan would be required, the Board

> Issuance of bonds in excess of the two-thirds limit can be done only after such step has been approved by the voters of the county

The minimum building needs, as set forth by the Board of Education in its October meeting, are. 1. Grammar school for Roxboro. The flower shows have attracted to include about 12 classrooms, much interest during the past two auditorium, library and lunchroom.

3. High school building at Bethel

4. Building for Negroes, probably a high school in Roxboro 5. Two classrooms, lunchroom, and

library at Mt. Tirzah. 6. Two classrooms, lunchroom and library at Hurdle Mills. 7. Agriculture building, lunchroom

and library at Allensville. 8. Lunchrooms for all large schools that do not now have them.

9. Gymnasium at Roxboro High School. The Board of Education, Mr. Griffin said, believes that the above building program represents the minimum which should be accomplished as soon as it is possible to

more cheaply than ever before in the history of the county, the Superintendent pointed out. Previous bond issues have been made at an interest rate of 41/2 to 6 per cent. Today, the interest rate is 2 per cent or less.

At 5 percent, it would take \$30. 000 annually to finance \$600,000 worth of bonds. At 2 per cent, it would take only \$12,000 annually to finance the same amount of bonds. The saving in interest, therefore, would be \$18,000 per year at the present rate. Taking into consideration these

facts, Mr. Griffin pointed out, it can readily be seen that overall construction costs at the present

miliar with the facts, think them over ,and suggest changes, if any, which should be made. The program cannot be carried out unless all citizens become familiar with it and

Board of Education members bethe restaurant owners of Person 10. Use fruits and gelatin desesrts lieve the building program they have outlined is as fair as possible to 11. Serve fewer crackers with soups all sections of the County, and represents the minimum amount of baking of money which must be put into three-layer cakes for the duration. school buildings during the next

Members of the County Board are: 14. Instead of wheat cereals, use E. E. Bradsher, chairman, Dr. J. D. Fitzgerald, C. T. Hall, R. I re-use of food fats where possible Citizens are urged to express these views, either to members of the 16. Think up and use methods of board, to Supt. Griffin, or to the

North Carolina schools are fi