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# Folger, In Speech Here, Asserts **Chatham Not A True Democrat**

### Congressman Says His Opponent Fought Roosevelt Plans, Policies

ing for reelection to Congress from of approval on these convictions, the Fifth North Carolina District, and endorse such votes? spoke in the Person county courthouse Tuesday night before a crowd to the wealthy and the poor alike, of more than 300 persons. Others but I confess that as heretofore my on the program included Mayor S. watchful eye will be looking out G. Winstead, who introduced the for the farmer, the small business speaker, and P. W. Glidewell, man, and the man, whether with a Reidsville attorney.

In his speech Folger lashed out works for a living. at "the very patent plan to pick and Tories among the Democrats all I make my pledge." (or professed Democrats- to carry us back to the days of Special Priv-

em blanket manufacturer, as a dis-

"It has been urged," the Representative declared, 'that one has experience as a member of the destroy all New Dealers and Roosethe right to vote his convictions. North Carolina legislature, where velt followers.

**Woods To Attend** 

**Chapel Hill Meet** 

W. Wallace Woods, executive sec-

Commerce and a director of the

leader for the group. The local of-

fice has prepared 250 copies of

song sheets to be used at the in-

stitute. Lester Rose, secretary of

the Raleigh office, will be accom-

A number of experts in Chamber

of Commerce work from all over

the South will conduct first-year

and advanced courses and deliver

Dr. Walter L. Johnson, pastor of

the First Baptist church, Philadel-

phia, Mississippi, will be the vslit-

ing preacher at Clement Baptist

church for revival services begin-

ning on the fifth Sunday. June 30.

Services will be held at 8 o'clock

A Bible class will be held for all

each evening throughout the week.

young people for one hour preced-

ing the revival service'

Dr. Johnson To

**Hold Clement** 

**Revival Series** 

general lectures.

retary of the Roxboro Chamber of tary of the new organizatiin.

Mr. Woods will serve as song churches in the county.

**June 23 To 29** 

Rep. John H. Folger, campaign- He has, but shall we put the stamp

"I propose and purpose to be fair white collar or in overalls, who

"I am a Democrat, spelled with a out enough reactionary Republicans capital D and small d. To these all he said, admits voting for Landon

rupt elections and attempts to buy because of the war. "In other ilege. leaving the average man to or coerce voters. "One who seeks words, it took a World War to get to produce such fear. or to practice Chatham is first vice president of such by the offering of monetary ticket." Glidewell said. "Do the Thurmond Chatham, Winston-Sal- inducements, is a danger and an people of Person county want to enemy to our democratic form of turn the Democratic party of the senter from the Democratic party government, God pity the man who Fifth District over to a Liberty who supported the Liberty League knows no better than to threaten Leaguer? in its fight against the plans and or attempt to coerce any man to policies of President Franklin D. vote other than the way he sees fit," he told a cheering audience.

Allied Church League Unit

Formed To Fight Whiskey

**Boyce Brooks** 

Named Leader

An Allied Church League in Per-

for the purpose of fighting both legal and illegal whiskey in the Monday Night

son county was formed last night

legal and illegal whiskey in the

County, it was announced today by

the Rev. Auburn C. Hayes, secre-

Mr. Hayes said:

Dr. Johnson is well known as a lied Church League in Nroth Caro-

out alcohol in any form.

upon them and into their faces."

fight to promote the public school program. He also related part of his efforts toward education as a member of the State School Com-

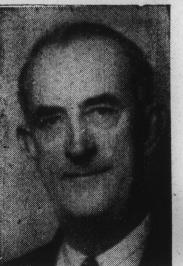
The Reidsville attorney, Glidewell, who described himself as "a Roosevelt Democrat," s t r e s s e d Chatham's connection with the Liberty League and said, "John Folger is the only Democrat candidate running for Congress in the Fifth District—so let's nominate

Glidewell quoted a statement to the effect that "the only dishonest thing Chatham never did was to pose as a Democrat." Chatham Folger also warne dagainst cor- says he voted for Roosevelt in 1944

The attorney also soid that Chatham is first vic epresident of The candidate also related his facturers. "who vowed they would

**Kiwanians Have** 

**Music Program** 





CONTESTANTS IN RUN-OFF PRIMARY-Above are the two oppon ents in the run-off primary which will be held Saturday. They are left. John H. Folger of Mount Airy, and right, Thurmand Chatham of Winston-Salem, both of whom are seeking the Democratic nomination to the Fifth District seat in Congress. Polls will be open Saturday from

# RECREATION PLAN HEARD BY BOARD

Request for \$1,000 to employ the 1 The commissioners, accordi Roxboro high school, and Mrs. H. M. Beam, president of the Roxboro commissioners by letter yesterday high Parent-Teacher association. was for \$600 for the district health Mr. Griffin spoke also for the Rev. department which failed by \$600 J. Boyce Brooks, chairman of the to get the increased county appro-Person County Council of Social priation which it had requested

mer recreational facilities and der advisement. equipment. They also asked that the City set up a department of again next Wednesday for considrecreation as a part of the munic- eration of the budget for the new

Roxboro high school coach as a reports, responded very favorably summer recreational director in Roxboro was presented before the gation. Hiwever, some commissioners raised the question as to City commissioners in their June where the money is to come from. meeting yesterday afternoon. The and also desired to know whether Urges Dealers delegation included R. B. Griffin, the public really wants such a pro superintendent of schools, Jerry L. gram. No action was taken on th Hester, supervising principal of requests in the meeting yesterday. Another request presented to the

Agencies, who was out of town. At present the City pays \$210 per The group requested \$600 as sal- year as part of the rent on the ary for the coach during the sum- health department offices. The mer. and \$400 for purchase of sum- request for the \$600 was taken un-

The commissioners will smee fiscal year which begins July 1.

# National Leaders Inspect Project

Numbers played included the al- day afternoon in Person county in- ant agricultural agent, Seaboard is limited to purchasers agreeing The Rev. J. Boyce Brooks, pas- legro movement from a concerto specting the soil conservation "show Airline railway. Savannah, Ga.; to furnish seed as conservation mator of Roxboro First Baptist church by Handel, "The Gypsy," Ah. | window" project on U. S. Highway Dr. T. S. Buie, regional conserva- | terial under the AAA purchase orwas named president of the Lea- Sweet Mystery of Life," and "Ava 501 between Roxboro and the Vir- tor. Soil Conservation Service, der plan or to sell seed at a rate ginia line.

Miss Bickford is spending about Soil Conservation Service. Wash- burg; R. Y. Bailey, chief, regional The total approximate cost to two weeks here with her aunt, ington. Carl Hamilton. assistant Agronomy Division, Spartanburg; North Carolina dealers for top-Two Kiwanians, J. W. Bolick Administration, Washington; and conservation in North Carolina, shipped in minimum carload lots "This overflowing crowd met and and L. R. Wilson have returned William A. Minor, assistant to the Raleigh; Lyman Carrier State di- of 60,000 pounds is \$5.44 per bag. expressed their desire to stand be- from Atlantic City. N. J'. where secretary, U. S. Department of rector in Virginia, Richmond; and Since the demand for these seed hind their pastors and laymen in they attended the convention of Agriculture, Washington, were A. N. Hudson, assistant to the Vir- greatly exceed the supply Mr. Hall offering their support to fight leg-al or illegal liquor in Person coun-accompanied by Mrs. Bolick and came here.

Agriculture, Washington, among the agricultural leaders who ginia director. Richmond.

their support in fighting the peti- About 315 Kiwanians from the Dr. F. W. Parker, assistant chief, servationist of the Dan River unit. tact the Person county AAA office tion for ABC stores in the County, Carolinas attended the convention. Bureau of Plant Industry, Soils Reidsville; J. R. Adair, C. A. Neal, for detailed information. The Roxboro club received an Washington; William C. LaRue, as- county office of the Dan River dis- indicated their desire to seed 24,achievement award for 1946 mem- sociate editor, Progressive Farmer trict; Gordon C. Hunter, executive 000 pounds of Austrian winter peas "It was inspiring to see the ov-bership. A North Carolinian, Dr. sociate editor, Progressive Failed, Golden of the Peoples Bank; this fall. erflowing attendance. Many of Charles Armstrong of Salisbury, Mann. southern manager. Ameri- W. Wallace Woods, secretary of the them drove many miles through was elected vice president of the can Potash institute, Atlanta, Ga.; Roxbiro Chamber of Commerce; the rain last night to help prevent international organization. He is Harold Severson, associate editor, and Bill Humphries of the Courierand protect the youth of our countheat husband of the former Mabel Southern Agriculturist magazine,

making a five-day tour of North gle, National Fertilizer assiciation, tire stockpile of 36,0000,000 pounds Carolina and Virginia, spent Tues- Washington; J. C. Epting, assist- for sale to seed dealers. This offer Spartanburg, S. C.; Leon Sisk, in- not to exceed the fair price of \$6.50 A. E' Jones, chief of operations, formation specialist, SCS, Spartan- per hundred pounds. administrator, Rural Electrification E B. Garrett, State director of grade peas, in 100-pound bags,

Also included in the group were: cally were J. M. Parks, district con- winter peas in this manner to cona n d Agricultural Engineering, and Bill Bland, all of the Persin Farmers in Person county have

# Gl Insurance Bill

with the Roxboro office.

study with experts from the Veter- respondence will bog down other Main street business district, about ence to be held in the early fall. at 11 o'clock, Sunday morning June ans Administration, veterans or work. The Veterans Administra- 4 a. m. Wednesday. ganizations, and private insurance tion will give out full information Fire Chief Henry E. O'Briant escompanies, the House of Represen- as soon after passage as possible, timated the damage at \$8,000 to tatives recently approved and sent Veterans will be informed by ra- \$10,000, and other sources indicated to the Senate, a bill which if passed dio and the press when and if the it might run even higher. The will make GI Insurance an even bill is passed and becomes a law. stock of merchandise, damaged by better investment, according to Meanwhile, Mr. Smith said, here's smoke, water, and heat, was vir-Wilbur A. Smith, VA contact man the best thing veterans can do: tually a total loss. The intense

Although the House of Repre- When this bil lis passed there will the store. sentatives has passed the insurance be important changes that will af- A. L. Watson, policeman on bill it will now take some time for fect every policy holder. If you night duty, turned in the alarm, the Senate to study the provisions keep your insurance pad up. you and the City fire department ansand get it ready for passage. When will be able to take advantage of wered the call and subdued the Whitman will relinquish his duties Meanwhile, the Courier-Times the Senate passes the measure, it the new law. Those provisions will blaze in about 30 minutes. The then goes to the President for his make your GI insurance an even Cavel fire department also answer-

Administration to know what the Veterans Administration. located came to the scene. new changes will be. Nor can the at 117 1-2 Abbitt Avenue, Roxboro, The firm carried insurance. Veterans Administration tell how is prepared to answer questions relong it will be until the final bill lating to re-instatement, conver-

sion, change in beneficiary desig- co results in the loss of about 179 to Goldsboro, he asked yesterday few days to cossider the offer beneficiary desig- nation, and other matters relating pounds per acre, says the Tobacco that he be released effective today. The Veterans administration re- to U. S. Government and National Branch Experiment Station at Ox- Veterans Administration about the Service Life insurance.

The Veterans Administration re- to U. S. Government and National Branch Experiment Station at Ox- resided at Hotel Roxboro during leave Roxboro Priday. quests veterans not to write the to U. S. Government and National Branch Experiment Station at Ox-Veterans Administratiin about the Service Life insurance.

# **County Tax Rate Remains Same Despite Increased School Needs**

#### Commissioners Retain \$1.30 Figure By Cutting Other County Funds

the new fiscal year at \$1.30, the without an increase in the overall sistant home demonstration agent spite of the fact that capital school Amount for the school debt ser- clerk for the farm extension prooutlays will call for \$42,800 in vice is being reduced from 13.5 gram; and had increased the sal-1946-47 as compared with \$24,097 cents to 12, and for the remainder aries of the home agent and of

Of the \$1.30, schools will take 54 ing made. curity will take 14 as compared Negro schools.

Person county commissioners, in Thus county operating expenses Previously, the commissioners ession Monday afternoon, tenta- and social security money are be- had increased the public health aptively set the county tax rate for ing reduced in order that increased propriation from \$4,200 to \$5,400: capital school outlays may be made appropriated \$900 to employ an as-

> of the county debt service, a re- the Negro farm and home agent. duction from 36 to 30 cents is be- County Auditor T. C. Brooks

with the present figure of 17.5. The public library appropriation their next meeting July 1.

Chatham, Folger Are In Run-Off

A comparatively light vote is ex-

pected in Person county Saturday

in the run-off primary for Congress

Thurmond Chatham. Elections

Board Chairman W. H. Harris III.

said today.

shortly thereafter.

Folger 1.345.

John H. Folger. In the first pri-

mary. Chatham received 21,282

the Fifth District. In Person coun-

Long Memorial

Church To Hear

Dr. H. C. Smith

year. There are 46 pastoral charges

munity hospital appropriation at \$1,000. The welfare appropriation was increased from \$8,260 to \$8,306. The Veterans Service office will continue to get \$2.500.

and \$540 to employ an additional

said that \$13,000,000 valuation of cents as compared with 41.5 cents | The increase in school money was property in the county was used as last year; county operating expen- necessitated by many repairs the basis for the budget figures. ses will take 62 cents as compared throughout the county and by the He said all figures given are tenwith 71 at present; and social se- buying of sites for both white and tative and are subject to final approval by the commissioners at

# Light Vote Expected Here For Primary On Saturday

# To Place Orders

at a rate not to exceel the fair May 25 price were urged today by Claude T. Hall, AAA chairman, to place

A discount of 20 cents per hundred pounds will be made on orders placed, requesting delivery not later than June 30, he said.

preventing the current crop of peas becoming available in time for fall panding their use as a soil builder, State and national farm leaders, Nashville, Tenn.; Robert H. En- the Government is offering its en- phone returns in calling 2924 in cated at the Court House and sign

urges all Person County dealers Those who joined the party lo-interested in purchasing Austrian

### **Grocery Concern Suffers Fire Loss**

Fire which is believed to have year. originated from an electric water heater or motor in the meat mar- preacher and leader and is wellket department caused heavy dam- known in Roxboro. There will be lain, will preach in the absence of age to Clayton and Stewart Groc- no quarterly conference held at this the pastor, the Rev. J. N. Bow-After thorough discussion and new provisions as unnecessary cor- ery company in the heart of the time, the fourth quarterly confer- man, at Providence Baptist church

The public is cordially invited "Keep that GI insurance in force. heat cracked the front windows of

better investment than it is now!" ed the summons. Many residents It is impossible for the Veterans The local contact office of the if Roxboro, awaekned by the alarm.

## **Applications For AAA** Payments between Rep. John H. Folger and Thurmond Chatham Florings

Only 95 percent of Person Coun-The official predicted that the ty's farm operators have signed apsiring to furnish Austrian winter vote would not greatly exceed 2,000. plications that will entitle them to pea seed to farmers as conservation or about 50 per cent of the more receive payments that they have material under the AAA purchase than 4,100 ballots cast in the Coun-earned by carrying out approved order contract plan or to sell peas ty during the first primary on conservation practices under the 1945 Agricultural Conservation pro-Polls will be open from 6:30 a. gram, Claude T. Hall, chairman m. to 6:30 p, m. at the 17 polling Person County AAA committee, said places throughout the County. Mr. here today.

Harris urged that precinct officials "The Person County AAA Comget their returns in to the court- mittee is most anxious for every hiuse as promptly as possible after farmer in the county who earned a the polls close and the votes are payment through the program last year to receive his payment at the Returns will be made, as on May earliest possible date," Hall said in 25, to the main auditorium of the urging the 68 who have not yet seeding and the great need for ex- courthouse. Where possible, pre- signed their application to call by cinct officials are urged to tele- the Person County AAA office lo-

the judge's room of the courthouse, at once. Elections officials hope that all returns will be in by 9 p. m. or sed as rapidly as possible after signatures have been affixed," he There are no local contests in stated, "and approximately 100 per Person county in the run-off pri- cent of the farmers who have signmary. It is solely a contest between ed their applications have already Thurmond Chatham and Rep. received their checks,"

### votes and Folger received 21,223 in 'Marfield' To Be ty, Chatham received 2,603 and Ice Cream Name

Name selected for Elko Dairy ice cream is "Marfield," combining the names of the owners. L. Jack Martin and Jack D. Crutchfield. The dairy had offered \$25 for the best name submitted. However, five persons turned in the name "Marfield," and the owners liked it so Dr. Harry C. Smith, district su- well that they are paying each of perintendent of the Durham dis- the five persons \$25, or a total of trict, will preach next Sunday \$125.

morning at 11 o'clock at the Long "Marfield" was submitted by Memorial Methodist church. This Mrs. J. J. Woody, Mrs. Chester F. is the first appearance of Dr. Smith Vogler, Mrs. V. R. DeGrasse, Heath in Roxboro during this conference L. Cooley, and Mrs. E. D. Paylor.

#### in the district, and the district superintendent pays from two to four Martin To Speak visits to each charge during the At Providence Dr. Smith is an outstanding

The Rev. Al Martin, former chap-

## Whitmans Leaving Roxboro Friday

Completing almost two years as their stay here, expect to visit Alcity manager of Roxboro, Guy abama during the next few days. at City hall at the close of business learned that the post of Roxbo

Mr. Whitman, who came here offered to one applicant. His na August 6, 1944, submitted his resig- was not released but he is fr nation last February. to take effect out of town, and he was not in at the end of the fiscal year, June cluded in the previously pub 30. However, since he desires to list of applicants. When take a vacation before returning the post this week he rec

city manager has definitely be

# Clock's 13-Year Silence Is Broken

"Aunt" Mutchey Mary Owens, one time since 1933, and which had colored woman who lives near not been worked on at all, sud-Brooksdale Methodist church, denly alarmed. Eight or ten mindoesn't expect everyone to believe utes, it began running, and has conthe tale; but she came into the tinued to run all right ever since. Courier-Times office this week and The sudden and unexpected declared that the following story alarm, after 13 years of silence,

her a small alarm clock, which she door neighbor advised the owner brought home and used until 1933, to get the clock out of her house when it stopped running. Aunt and put it in the yard. Mutchey simply left it on the man-

About 7:45 Monday night, the a noisy alarm clock to let her know clock which had not ticked eventhat her time has come.

frightened Aunt Mutchey and other

In New York in 1930, a friend gave members of the family. A next-

Aunt Mutchey's comment was tel in the dining room, and it re- that if the Lord is going to call mained there, motionless and sil- her to judgment, she wishes he would use some other method than

tained Monday night with a program of music rendered by Miss The League, which now has 67 Anne Bickford of Narberth, Pa., units in North Carolina, was or- who is a student at the Curtis Inretaries association, will attend the ganized at a meeting at the Roxthird annual Southeastern institute boro First Baptist church which was attended by ministers and selected representatives from various wanian Robert Edgar Long.

gue. H. K. Sanders was elected Maria. vice president, W. Wallace Woods treasurer, and Mr. Haves secretary.

In commenting on the meeting, Mrs. J. A. Long, Sr.

ty. The group not only promised Mrs. Wilson.

but to support any move to stamp Total attendance was about 9250. ty from having liquor stores cast Harris. daughter of Mr. W. H. Harris of Roxboro.

Guest speaker at the meeting The new international prseident was the Rev. R. M. Hause of Shel- is J. N. Emerso nof Pullman,

by, educational director of the Al- Washington. Baxter Hobgood of Murfreesboro, forceful and attractive speaker. lina. The audience included six representatives of the High Plains attend the services, according to Indian community in Person Points.

Baxter Hobgood of Murfreesboro, Tenn., formerly of Roxboro, attended the Atlantic City convenattend the services, according to Indian community in Person countion, and came by Roxboro on his way home. He was present at the meeting of the local club Monday night, and made a few remarks.

## COMING UP ...

First day of summer, longest day of year. 2:00 Beulah Baptist association young people meet, Roxbiro First

Baptist church. 6:30 a. m. to 6:30 p. m. Polls

Folger for Congress. 8:15 a. m. Curb market opens,

open for run-off primary between

Thurmond Chatham and John H.

6:15 Kiwanis, Hotel Roxboro.

Marking potato chips last year called for 650,000 pounds of potatoes