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DIED LIKE A NORTH CAROLINIAN

It is definitely known now that Postal Clerk O. S. Woody, a brother of Mr. J. M. Woody, chief clerk in the Southern Railway depot here, was one of the number lost in the Titanic disaster. The Washington Star has this story relating to the death of Mr. Woody:

James M. Woody, of Roxboro, N. C. reached here Saturday afternoon to make enquiry about the death of his brother, Oscar S. Woody, mail clerk, who was among the victims of the Titanic disaster. Mrs. Woody, widow of the mail clerk, is staying at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Harry Warren, 29 Q street northwest. She came from her home at Clifton, Va., several days ago. Her husband lived at Clifton, but he had spent much of his time here in the seventeen years he was in the railway mail service. For nearly fifteen years he was on the run between this city and Greensboro, N. C., having been transferred to the ocean service about two years ago.

The Titanic disaster occurred on Mr. Woody's forty-fourth birthday.

The Postmaster General has been informed that Woody and his two assistants labored to the end to save the valuable mail material on the Titanic, carrying the mail to the upper deck.

Mr. Woody had many friends in this city. He was popular with the mail service employes and in Masonic circles. He was a son of the late John F. Woody, of Roxboro, where his mother and brother reside. For a number of years he was a member of Clifton Lodge, A. F. A. M., and more recently he was taken into Kallipolis Grotto, Veiled Prophets, by William T. Burdine.

About eighteen months ago he and Miss Lelia Bullard, of Dallas, Texas, were married. John T. Woody, a brother, was killed by a train at Coaldate, W. Va., about two years ago. Mrs. Woody is ill from the strain of the past week, and the mail clerk's mother is in a similar condition at her home in Roxboro.

Board of Education.

The Board of Education will meet in call session on the first Monday of this month to hear the petition of the voters of the Bethel Hill School District. Parties interested are requested to attend.

By order of the Chairman Board of Education.

G. F. Holloway,
County Supt.

Roxboro, N. C.,
May 1st, 1912,

For Sale:—On Monday May 14th, 1912, at the court house door in Roxboro, we will sell for cash, one good young milk cow. Sale at 12 o'clock.

J. A. Hamlin.

Cunningham and Woodburn News.

I am authorized to state that Rev. H. B. Cunningham will be present and preach at Cunningham Chapel on the second Sabbath in May at 11 o'clock. Let all his friends come out at that time and give him a good welcome and a full house. We met at the home of Col. Cunningham at Durham a few weeks since, and his mind and body was full of the splendid work he is doing for the poor unfortunates at the convict farm. The Lord is greatly blessing his labors there and he is doing a fine work. It has been a great surprise to me that the Methodist or the Baptist have never had a missionary there to proclaim the glad tidings to these unfortunate prisoners.

And Person County is honored with a hero who went down with the Titanic. Messrs. Editors can you give us a cut of this noble young hero who went down to a watery grave, bravely at his post of duty, in The Courier? We would love to look upon his face and breathe a prayer for his mother and wife in their great sorrow and affliction. From what we can gather from the Senatorial investigation the White Star Line in wholly responsible for this great calamity and loss of life. They were warned several time by passing vessels of much ice and icebergs ahead of them, but they did not slacken their speed but held up to 23 knots an hour until it was too late and they crashed into the iceberg. I consider that it was nothing more than gross carelessness on the company and officers. Two women on that boat deserve monuments of marble. Mrs. Isador Straus, of New York, and another that I can't recall had gotten into the boats and they asked if their husbands were not to be allowed to come and when told no, came out and said they would perish with them. Oh! what a noble spirit of true devotion and sacrifice, and there are thousands of noble women who would have done like wise.

Some farmers are planting corn and many are not yet through breaking land. Tobacco plants are plentiful and are now growing nicely and will be ready as soon as the farms are to put them out. Our farmers are planting more corn generally in our section.

Rev. S. F. Nicks, of the Milton charge, has returned from the hospital at Danville to his home at Milton, without an operation and was getting on very well at our last account from him. Mr. Nicks is making a fine impression upon the people of the whole charge and is deservedly popular. He was sick nearly a week at Bro. J. C. Bray's home, and he and his wife took the best possible care of him.

Send in your favorite's name and then vote for your candidate as for Congress or the Senate, only vote oftener. It is entirely safe. Stuff the ballot box like a crooked politician, and stuff good. Perfectly legitimate. No prison term staring you in the face for this, and besides suppose there was, who would not be willing to do a couple of years in jail for one of our Tarheel beauties—God bless 'em.

Do not wait until later on in the contest but—Get acquainted with the ballot box now. Your help may be all that is needed to encourage your favorite to put forth the effort which will place her at the top of the list. Do it now.

SAVE THE COUPONS.

Have your friends clip out and save the coupon printed each

75,000 EXTRA VOTES FOR EVERY CLUB OF FIVE SUBSCRIBERS.

Every Club sent in by Tuesday, May 9th at 9 p. m. will secure 75,000 extra votes—See the standing of contestants published today.

The friends of the Contestants Scan the Published Standing Eagerly. Ready to Help if Their Help is Likely to be Effective and Appreciated—it is up to the contestants to Work Harder than ever, and Warrant this confidence, and incidently, the congratulations That will be passed around When the Judges announce the Winners—Opportunity Week May Mean a Prize for You—Why Not Try It?

The Contest Manager will be found at the Courier office every Tuesday and Saturday from 1 p. m. to 9 p. m. Come in and get acquainted.

THE PRIZES

Ford Touring Car,
A High Grade Piano,
Four Gold Watches.

(By Harold A. Dickinson.)

INTEREST INTENSE.

Interest in the Contest is intense. Everybody is watching the paper to see how the candidates stand from day to day. All are apparently willing to help one or another of the candidates with their subscriptions if their favorite candidates were to request assistance.

Candidates will find it an easy matter to secure subscriptions and thousand of votes this week if they will go around and see their friends and acquaintances and ask them to help them with subscriptions. The friends of the candidates realize what they can do by subscribing for The Courier. In consequence they are more than willing to give what assistance they can.

PAY NO ATTENTION TO RUMORS.

If one contestant does get a few thousand votes ahead in the paper it must not be taken for granted that the race is won. Perhaps the candidates who are reposing quietly at the bottom of the list will be the very ones to come up unawares and carry off the prizes. Such a thing has been done, and many a race has been lost by over-confidence. Don't let rumors influence you one way or the other.

These rumors are usually false, as no one can know how many votes you have others than those who published the paper, and the report is therefore started in the hope that other candidates will become discouraged and stop their efforts. Such reports should only urge one to greater efforts.

VOTE EARLY AND OFTEN.

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Have your friends clip out and save the coupon printed each

week in The Courier. Tell your friends that it is not advisable for them to send the coupons either to you or to The Courier office until they have secured a number of them. This in order to avoid an unnecessary expense of postage.

When vote ballots are issued on subscriptions they are not published until the contestant to whom they are issued returns them to The Courier office, thereby implying a request that they be published.

NAMES OF CONTESTANTS.

Roxboro.	
M. S. Whitted	110,400
Henry Fields	94,500
J. Lester Clayton	79,400
Willie Carver	49,600
Roxboro R. F. D. No. 1.	
Miss Grace Winstead	64,200
" Nellie Hester	12,200
" Carrie Russell	8,600
" Ina Allen	16,200
" Lillian Crumpton	72,600
Roxboro, No. 2.	
W. A. Dunn	48,600
Mrs. Ralph Cole	14,400
Jule Perkins	45,700
Roxboro, No. 3.	
Miss Mary Wagstaff	47,200
Miss Ola Long	8,400
" Lillian Farley	16,200
Roxboro, No. 6.	
Miss Nannie Lou Malone	96,300
" Eula Hester	106,700
" Maude Whitfield	17,200
" Cora Broach	33,600
" Corrinna Newton	4,700
Alton, Va.	
Miss Lucy Green	14,500
Baskerville, Va.	
Gen. T. E. Gordan	6,200
Bear Creek, N. C.	
Miss Mary S. Tally	32,600
Berea.	
Miss Annie Currin	9,400
Bethel Hill.	
" Irene Woody	12,200
Bushy Fork.	
Miss Mamie Hester	49,600
Cedar Grove.	
Miss Maude Rogers	9,700
" Doll Stewart	22,600
" Bessie Corbett	17,200
" Ema Warren	14,200
Luther Corbett	8,400
Cuningham, N. C.	
Mrs. Geo. L. Cunningham	121,900
Danripple, Va.	
Miss Sadie Adams	14,700
Hillsboro.	
Miss Olga Wright	77,500
" Bessie Gordan	1,000
Hurdle Mills.	
Mrs. Corinna Hester	17,100

Miss Annie Coleman	8,600
" Mary Moore	14,100
" Bessie Baynes	15,700
Leasburg.	
" Evelyn Clark	19,200
Miss Emma Newman	4,200
" Mattie Pulliam	4,700
" Bessie Thompson	27,900
Milton.	
Miss Evelyn Flemming	36,700
" Margaret Pittman	47,900
" Susie Hines	22,300
Prospect Hill.	
Miss Odell Cheek	4,200
" Mary Warren	43,200
" Hessie Satterfield	17,200
Dr. R. F. Warren	4,700
Ridgeville.	
" Katie May Crumpton	32,400
Lewis Burton	5,400
Miss Lula Barnwell	29,700
Rougemont.	
" Mamie Flinton	3,600
Dr. W. A. Strowd	28,500
Miss Mary K. Clark	53,700
" Ruth McDade	4,700
" Julia Carver	32,700
Semora.	
T. T. Adams	5,700
Miss Nannie Landsdell	37,600
" Mabel Yarborough	1,000
South Boston, Va.	
Miss Marie Easley	47,100
" Janie Lawson	34,700
Timberlake.	
Miss Louise Noell	122,100
Ethel Rogers	32,500

Woodsdale.	
Miss Frances Bass	115,000
Mrs. R. P. Brooks	5,200
Miss Nannie Bet Hall	17,800
" Sallie Brooks	24,900
Woodsdale, No. 1.	
Miss Ethel Crowder	41,200
Eya Long	38,400
Miss Texie Davis	42,400
" Mamie Monday	6,200
Woodsdale, No. 2.	
Miss Addie Jones	38,200
" Bessie Pulliam	33,900
Yanceyville.	
Miss Carrie Slade	27,400
" Mary Brown	38,200
Virgilina, Va.	
Mrs. W. D. Amis	58,200
Miss Jewel Turk	42,500
" Julia Chandler	75,900

I have a few Canna bulbs for sale at 40 cents per dozen. Call early.

Mrs. Jno. A. Noell.

Wanted.

250 cords of dog wood timber. Dimensions, not less than 5 inches at little end. From 2 to 8 feet long. Will pay \$8 a cord delivered at Roxboro and Picks. Clear of Knots. J. A. Rosemond.

The Silent Trumpeter.

The stationery on which you write is the silent trumpeter of your taste.

It pays to have good stationery so that you will be rated right.

Get it at

Whitted's Drug Store.

Roxboro, N. C.

STANDARDS OF QUALITY

Among the many other good makes of merchandise found in our stock are the following brands:

FOR LADIES

Thomson's Glove Fitting Corsets,
Ziegler's Shoes,
Godman's Shoes,
Onyx, Holeproof and American Hosiery,
West End Kid Gloves.

FO MEN

Strouse's "High Art" Clothing,
Walk-Over Shoes,
Emery Shirts,
Peter Hill and B. V. D. Underwear.

These brands represent Standards of Quality; the best to be had at their prices. With the exception of the underwear we control all these brands in Roxboro. So if you want the best—standards of Quality—for your money, come to us.

Harris & Burns

Nominate a Candidate.

NOMINATION BLANK—Good for 1,000 Votes.

The Courier Automobile and Prize ontest.

Nominate _____

Address _____

igned _____

ddress _____

Only the FIRST nomination blank cast for each candidate will count as 1,000 votes.