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SUPERIOR COURT IN SESSION.

Judge Devin, of Oxford Presiding - Criminal Docket Completed Tuesday Morning.

Superior Court for Person County convened Monday morning at ten o'clock with Judge W. A. Devin presiding and solicitor S. M. Gattis prosecuting.

The criminal cases tried were as follows: State vs. Lonard Long for assault with deadly weapon. This case was tried before Justice Villines at Jalong and each of the parties interested, Long and Walker were fined \$2.50 each and cost. Later Walker had a warrant sworn out against Long to appear in the Superior court. The jury found the defendant guilty and the Judge imposed a fine of \$25 and cost.

State vs Robert Whitfield col. for retaining. The defendant was found guilty and fined \$25 and cost.

State vs Meadows and Clayton, an affray. Found guilty and fined \$10 and cost each.

State vs Simon Hester for retaining. Defendant found guilty and a fine of \$50 with cost was imposed.

State vs Albert Mitchell, col. for larceny. The defendant was found guilty of stealing a watch etc. from Ed. Brooks. He was given two months on the county roads.

A number of the criminal cases were continued over to the February term of court. The criminal docket was completed at ten thirty Tuesday morning.

The remainder of the week will be spent cleaning up the civil docket and court probably will be in session until Saturday afternoon. Messrs. W. W. Kitchin, V. S. Bryant, and W. B. Guthrie, are the visiting attorneys at this term of court.

Small Boys Go Skating.

Duluth, Minn., Oct. 20.—Overflowed city drinking hydrants produced 'sliding' ice for numerous small boys this morning, the first ice of the season. Weather reports on the Vermilion range indicate low temperatures with snowfall at Tower, Ely, Winton and reaching to Fairbanks. This is the first snow of the season.

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DEATH OF MR. R. B. BASS.

Died At his Home Near Cuninghams Friday Evening—Heart Trouble the Cause.

Mr. R. B. Bass, a well known farmer of this county, died last Friday evening at his home near Cuninghams at 6:30 o'clock of heart failure. He was 77 years of age. Mr. Bass had not complained at any time of late and was in comparatively good health and his sudden death came as a great shock to his family and friends.

Mr. Bass leaves to mourn his death a wife and ten children, Mrs. R. B. Bass, Mesdames Wade, of Danville, Va., Wilkins of Virginia, Swan, of Semora, H. S. Morton, of Roxboro, Armstrong, of Gastonia and Miss Louis of Cuninghams, and Messrs. Joe Bass, of Ohio, Palmer, of West Virginia, and Alex. of Cuninghams.

Mr. Bass was one of Person County's largest farmers, owning a large farm consisting of over a thousand acres.

The bereaved family have the sympathy of the entire community in the death of their beloved one.

Society News.

One of the most delightful social events of the early Autumn season, was that of last Friday afternoon, when Mrs. A. M. Burns was hostess to the Pleasure Club. In the course of the afternoon a beautifully appointed collation in two courses was served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Clara Wilson.

The Research Club met with Mrs. John Winstead at the attractive home on Main Street last Wednesday morning—after the well rendered program led by Mrs. E. P. Dunlap, the hostess, and tempting refreshments.

The young ladies of the Pleasure Club were the guests of Miss Myrtle Barnette Saturday afternoon. After the popular game of bridge, the hostess served delightful refreshments.

WHY IT'S SPREADING.

Mrs. Bacon—I see the English language is spreading faster than any other.

Mr. Bacon—Go on talking, ladies; keep it up.

CAN YOU FIGURE OUT WHO IS WHO?

A Chance to Secure Cash Prizes by Studying the Advertisements of Firms on Eighth Page of To-day's Edition of The Courier.

An interesting puzzle is presented on the eighth page of The Courier, today, in the "Who is Who?" puzzle advertisement.

This is an opportunity for you to secure a cash reward of either five or three dollars—find out Who is Who.

There are fifteen advertisements, business men of Roxboro, none being represented. No names are mentioned in any of the advertisements, but in each one will be found suggestions that will aid one in seeking whether individual firm or corporation.

There are two cash rewards.

To the person furnishing the most complete and correct list of names, a cash prize of five dollars will be paid.

For the second best list three dollars will be paid.

In the event that two or more are tied for first prize, the second prize will be awarded, and the total \$8.00 will be divided equally among the tying contestants.

Each advertisement is numbered. The contestant should set down the number of the advertisement, following that with the name of the firm of which he or she believes it implies.

The awards will be made by judges whose names will be announced later. An official list of the names of the advertisers of the "Who is Who?" has been handed out and will be used by the judges.

Only one side of the paper will make the list as legible and neat as possible. Lists may be submitted to this office by mail or otherwise, until noon October 25th. One has equally as good chance in submitting list in the first hour as in the first.

The awards will be announced and the correct names of the advertisers and their business will be revealed in the ads and will be published in The Courier October 29th. All lists should be addressed to "Who is Who?" Contest Manager of The Courier, P. O. Box 100, Roxboro, N. C. Present to this office. The puzzle is open to everybody except newspaper men. Get busy at once and land Who is Who.

Watson Case is Thrown Out Court.

Augusta, Ga., Oct. 21.—Holding that the indictment charging Thomas E. Watson, editor, author and former presidential candidate, with sending obscene matter through the mails, was illegal, Federal Judge, Rufus E. Foster today ordered the case thrown out of court.

In sustaining the motion of the defense, made yesterday asking that the indictment be quashed, Judge Foster brought the trial to an abrupt close. The largest audience ever assembled in the Federal court room here attended today's session, and when the judge announced his ruling dismissing the charges against the Georgia editor the spectators broke into thunderous cheering. Judge Foster paid no attention to this demonstration, which quickly subsided.

It was solely upon the contention raised by Watson himself that under the Federal statute the entire alleged obscene article, and not portions of it, must be included in the indictment, that the court ordered the case dismissed.

Person County has the Best Tobacco.

Mr. E. W. Crampton, a poor sowing farmer of this county received \$92.00 in premiums for his tobacco at the Danville Fair last week. The following are the premiums he received:

For Best Semi-Bright Filers—Prize, \$5; R. W. Crampton, Roxboro.

For Second Best Semi-Bright Filers—Prize, \$10; R. W. Crampton, Roxboro.

For Best Bright Orange Wrappers—Prize, \$25; R. W. Crampton, Roxboro.

For Best Export Leaf—Prize, \$25; R. W. Crampton, Roxboro.

For Second Best Export Leaf—Prize, \$5; R. W. Crampton, Roxboro.

Mr. W. A. Wren of this section also received \$15.00 in premiums for the second best bright orange wrappers. Mr. I. G. Stephens received \$15.00 for the best dark filers.

HOOKWORM CAMPAIGN.

During the few recent years that hookworm campaigns have been conducted in North Carolina 268,000 have been examined, more than 100,000 of whom were found to be infected. These examinations were made in the ninety counties in which dispensaries for the eradication of this disease have been conducted. Victims to this malady have been found at all ages, most are found among children. The disease is easily recognized and easily cured by three doses of medicine.

A campaign is just beginning in Person County, a few examinations have already been made—sixteen persons were treated Wednesday and seven were found to be infected. There are many people in Person County who are in poor health because of the hookworms they harbour. Every parent should require any child of his over two years old to be tested. The chief sign is palor; the chief symptoms are weakness and a general feeling of poor health.

Ask your doctor about yourself or your child. Remember that the State hookworm physicians will not remain in your county later than Nov. 15th. Don't fail to visit the dispensary most convenient for you. H. L. Sloan, Director.

Earliest Snow Fall In Memory Oldest Citizen.

Tennessee, North Carolina, Northern Alabama, Georgia and South Carolina Monday experienced the earliest snow fall in the recollection of the oldest citizen. After a week of comparatively warm weather, the temperature began to drop Sunday and continued to fall during the early morning hours Monday. As far south as Atlanta the snow began to fall shortly before 2 o'clock Monday morning. The precipitation continued intermittently until after day light at which time it had been noticed as far south as Birmingham, Ala. and Athens, Ga.

That the states mentioned above were generally blanketed by the snow clouds is indicated from the reports from different sections. In South Carolina snow was noted at Greenville Union and Laurens.

In Ala. the precipitation was evident at Huntsville and Birmingham. Snow fell in several Georgia cities and towns including Atlanta, Augusta and Athens. Reports from Chattanooga and Nashville, Tenn., and Asheville, N. C., indicate that the snow flurry was heavier in that section than in the more southern states.—News and Observer.

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Jury Convicted the Wrong Man.

Atlanta, Ga.—Ira W. Fisher, whose story concerning the killing of Mary Phagan puzzled Birmingham and local police, Monday was taken into custody by city detectives. No formal charges had been made against Fisher at a late hour.

Fisher Monday night reiterated his accusation that Mary Phagan was killed by a well known Atlanta merchant, and not by Leo M. Frank, who has been convicted and sentenced to death for the murder.

Local police, as well as counsel Leo Frank, who had Fisher in charge for more than twenty-four hours, apparently are of the opinion that Fisher is laboring under an hallucination.

Private detectives brought Fisher to Atlanta Sunday from Birmingham after he had told his story to the police there. Fisher claims that on April 26, the day Mary Phagan, the little factory girl was murdered, he drove a well known Atlanta man

to the pencil factory where the murder occurred. This man according to Fisher, said he had an appointment with Mary Phagan. The man left the building hurriedly half an hour later saying 'something awful has happened,' according to Fisher. He supplied Fisher with funds and told him to leave town, Fisher says.

Woman is Killed on Street In Greenville.

Greenville, Oct. 20.—Wind, at times reaching almost proportions of a gale, swept Greenville today with a big drop in temperature. Many awnings and signs were damaged by the gale while a large bill board was blown down on Ann's Donaldson, a negro woman, so badly injured her that death resulted in a short time. The bill board had been erected near the sidewalk and fell on her as she was passing along the street.

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Cunningham & Long

General Insurance, Rentals and Bonds.

Office over Garrett, Stanfield Company.

No Guess Work

About This

But an Absolute Certainty

What take it one day with another our store is the busiest place in Roxboro. Another certainty and no guess work is that there are many good reasons for this but the best is that we have the goods the people want, sell them at reasonable prices and give the best service we possibly can.

If it is something to wear or furnish your home it will pay you as well as us for you to inspect our offerings before you buy. It means that we will do business. We are anxious for your trade and always pleased to serve you.

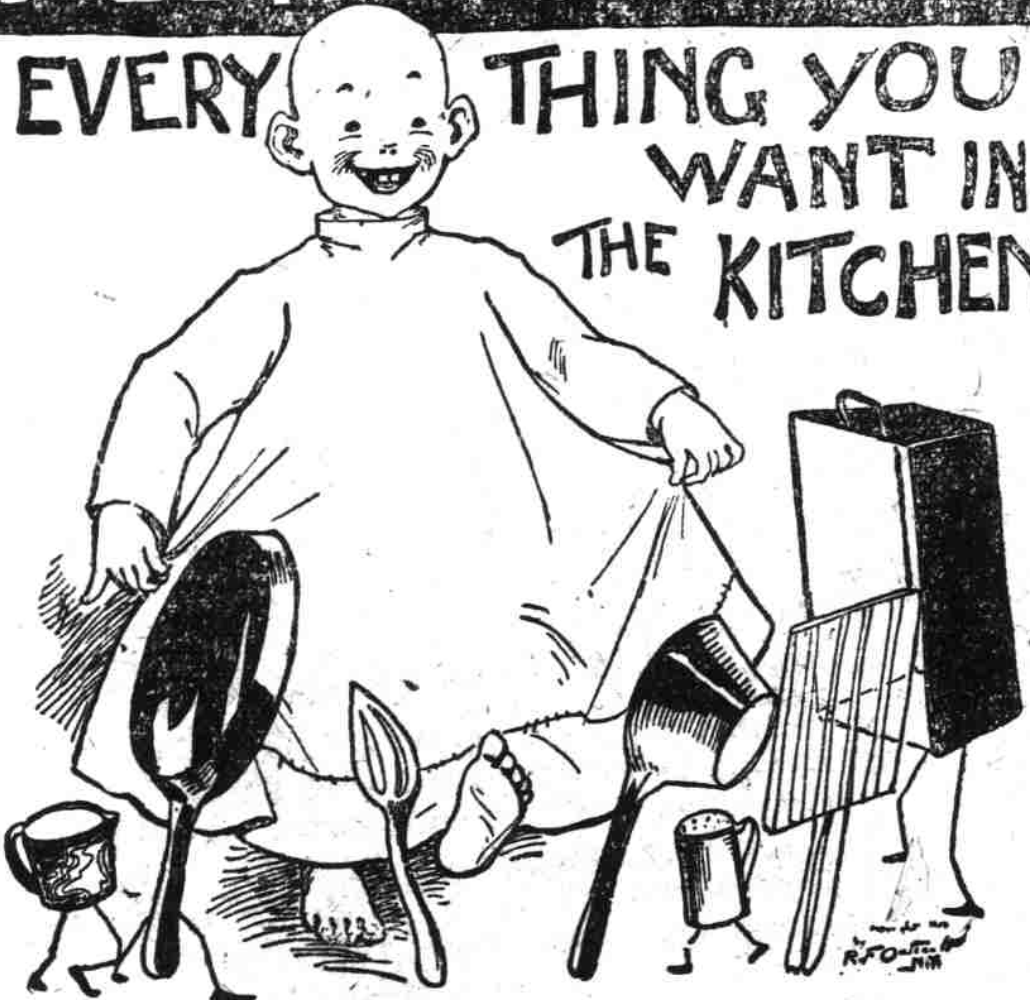
Harris & Burns

Roxboro's Best Store.

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ALL HANDS ROUND

EVERY THING YOU WANT IN THE KITCHEN.



UNLESS YOU BUY HIGH GRADE KITCHEN THINGS, THEY ACT BADLY AND ARE SOON WORN OUT. IN WHATEVER YOU BUY, IT PAYS TO BUY ONLY THE BEST. OUR KITCHEN HARDWARE, AND HARDWARE FOR ALL KINDS OF USE, IS THE VERY BEST. WE DO NOT SELL GOODS FOR LESS THAN THEY COST US.

LONG, BRADSHAW & CO.