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Death of Joseph P. Peed.

Joseph P. Peed was born April 11th 1832 and died December 17th, 1914, making his stay on earth 82 years and 8 months. Heart trouble and blood poison was the cause of his death. He was a good and kind neighbor, always ready and willing to help his neighbors. He was greatly loved by all who knew him. He leaves to mourn his death, a widow, 14 children and a host of relatives and friends.

His funeral was preached by J. W. Peed. The burial taking place at the family grave yard. The many kindnesses shown by the friends will always be remembered by the family.—Essie Peed.

F. D. Long of Route No. 3 spent Sunday in Roxboro.

Justice's of The Peace

For Person County.

Roxboro Township—W. J. Winstead.

Woodsdale Township—R. L. Hall, G. B. Williams, E. J. Robertson.

Flat River Township—S. A. R. Morton.

Bushy Fork Township—A. M. Long, W. C. Warren, N. D. Harris.

Allensville Township—J. W. Yancey, Wm. T. Whitt, D. C. Moore, J. J. Dixon.

Mt. Tirzah Township—L. J. Meadows.

Cunningham Township—J. M. Jones, L. B. Scott, Robt. A. Clay, Geo. L. Cunningham.

Holloways Township—J. B. Barnett, G. E. Woody, W. T. Humphries.

Olive Hill Township—F. D. Long, W. R. Wilkerson.

Circulation Campaign

The Greatest Ever Conducted in this Section Starts Today

The Roxboro Courier will Give Away Absolutely Free a Fortune in Prizes. First Grand Prize a Handsome \$300.00 Upright Grand Piano. Second Prize \$75 in Gold. Third Prize \$25 in Gold—Other prizes yet to be Announced.

No Losers In This Contest—Every Bonafide Contestant a Winner—Ten Per cent of All Money Turned In for Subscriptions Will Be Paid to Non-Winning Contestants.

It costs nothing to enter this campaign. Send in your name or the name of a friend or relative today. Now is the time to enter to win the Handsome Piano. Send in your name to the Contest Manager of The Roxboro Courier.

This wonderful offer is made by THE ROXBORO COURIER for the people who will get out and work and will avail themselves of the opportunity to win one of the valuable prizes. Read the full details of the campaign.

Who would not like to have a beautiful Upright Piano in their home? Where is a man, woman, boy or girl who would not devote a little of their time to pleasant and congenial work if they were to receive for their efforts so valuable and desirable a prize as this Handsome \$300.00 Upright Grand Piano or one of the Cash prizes offered and to know also that you will be paid for the work that you do anyway, even though you do not win a prize.

This astonishing offer made by The Roxboro Courier will come as surprise to the public. How can it be done? This is the question many people will ponder over. It is easy to solve when it is recalled that the people in general are loyal friends of THE COURIER and always willing to give the paper their support.

Never before have the people had such an opportunity to win such handsome prizes. The Grand Prize of course is the big inducement, but there are others, well worth working for and that will be appreciated by those winning them—and there can be no losers. If you don't win one of the prizes and are a bonafide contestant you will receive 10 per cent of the money that you turn in for subscriptions during the Contest.

HOW TO ENTER THE CONTEST.

Fill out the nomination blank and send same to the Campaign Manager care of The Roxboro Courier. Each contestant is entitled to one nomination ballot good for 1000 votes FREE and also entitled to 9000 extra votes when the first dollar is turned in for subscription to The Courier. Contestants may nominate themselves—they do not have to be subscribers of the paper. It costs nothing to win one of the prizes and no obligations are involved by entering and winning. Send in your name TODAY or that of a friend.

SEVERAL HANDSOME PRIZES TO BE GIVEN AWAY.

As announced in full page advertisement elsewhere in this issue, several handsome prizes are to be given away to contestants securing the largest number of votes through subscriptions to this paper. We repeat again, it will cost you nothing to enter this friendly struggle, and it will cost you nothing to stay in and win. You will enjoy the work. It

will be recreation for you, and it will do you good to get out and solicit subscriptions from your friends relatives or acquaintances. They will not refuse you. Don't let them. Give them to understand that you are after the prize that you have set your heart on and they will be glad to help you in your work. The prizes are worth many times the amount that you could earn in similar space of time by other means. All prizes will be on display within a short while so that all may see the value and beauty of each.

HOW TO WIN A PRIZE.

The object of this campaign is to secure subscriptions. The contestant securing the largest number of votes will receive the prizes. The way to secure votes is to get your neighbors and friends to pay for a subscription to this paper. A coupon will be published, until further notice, in every issue of this paper and when neatly trimmed cut out and filled in and sent to the Campaign Manager, will count as votes for the contestant whose name appears thereon. Candidates can secure subscriptions anywhere and they will not be restricted to any one district. Write your friends, telephone them, no matter where they live, tell them that you want their subscription, and don't hesitate to ask for it.

WHO MAY ENTER

No employee or person connected with The Courier will be allowed to enter or vote in this campaign; but any white person, male or female, of good repute may enter the campaign. This will be free and fair for all and you will always regret it if you allow these opening days to slip by without getting in this race and work for one of the prizes.

WE WILL SEND REPRESENTATIVES.

Cut out the nomination blank and send to the Campaign Manager and he will be glad to call personally and explain all about the campaign and tell how easily you can be winner of one of the best prizes offered by THE ROXBORO COURIER. If you decide to enter he will supply you with a receipt book and give all necessary information. But a better way is to come to the office of The Courier and ask for the Campaign Manager, who will be glad to have a talk with you. If you don't want to enter yourself, come in the interest of a friend and get them entered in the Contest.

THE TIME WILL PASS QUICKLY.

The few weeks of the contest will pass quickly, and if you want to be sure of the prize that you have set your heart on, an early start is advisable, for it will be "easy pickin'" for the "early birds". Those out in the field early will have the better opportunities. People are not going to come around and hand you money for subscriptions, but they will subscribe and you can get their subscriptions by going after them. Get the support of everyone that you can. Get an organization of your friends together and make it work for you. Start an endless

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APRIL SNOW

The Biggest Ever, Twenty Four Inches Deep.

This section was visited by the deepest snow storm we ever remember to have seen, though there be a few who insist that the snow in February 1909, was deeper than this. However, we are one of the doubting Thomases.

On Friday night a few minutes past eight snow began falling and if it ceased for a minute no one knows it, but fell continuously until Saturday evening. When it began snowing the ground was wet and it was some time before it made much of a show, but when it was measured by several the next day it was found to be 24 inches deep on a level. All traffic was suspended, there being very few who were willing to face a trip through such snow.

Fortunately there was no wind of consequence, and little damage was done save to the telephone system. True, some of the roofs showed signs of weakening and the owners of the buildings took time by the forelock and placed props underneath the roof. Only one building, an old guano warehouse belonging to Mr. J. A. Long, near the depot, collapsed.

Two Blockaders Captured

Last Wednesday Deputy R. W. Morris and Mr. R. H. Gates captured a still and two blockaders over in the Cunningham section. They were right on their jobs, that is until the appearance of the officers when they made a dash, but the officers were too close and took them in. The men in charge of the outfit were Dan and Shanks Reagan. Deputy Morris took them to Durham where they were given a preliminary hearing and bound over to Court.

Mr. J. S. Noell Co. Tax Assessor

The Corporation Commission has appointed Mr. J. J. Noell as County Tax Assessor. This was a wise appointment for we doubt if there is a man in the County more capable of this job than Mr. Noell.

Willard Win Belt by Knock-out After 26 Furious Rounds

Havana, Cuba, April 5.—Jack Johnson, exile from his own country, today lost his claim to fistic fame as the heavy-weight champion of the world. The title was wrested from him by Jess Willard, the Kansas cowboy, the biggest man who ever entered the prize ring and a "white hope" who has at last made good.

The day after tomorrow Johnson, his wife and a little group of friends will sail for Martinique, there to await passage back to France where Johnson proposes to lead the life of a farmer. There is no doubt he is through with the ring.

Willard is going back to the United States to win the fortune denied him today, when Johnson got \$30,000 before the fight started. Willard took only a small share of the gate receipts. Just what his share was is not known.

Today's fight probably has no parallel in the history of ring battles. For 20 rounds Johnson punched and pounded Willard at will; his blows grew perceptibly less powerful though as the fight progressed until at last he seemed unable or unwilling to go on.

Johnson stopped leading and for three or four rounds the battle was little more than a series of plastic poses of white and black gladiators.

Ceffo Honor Roll.

First Grade—Katherine Winstead and James Evans.
Second Grade—Mamie Zimmerman.
Fifth Grade—Owen Evans.
Seventh Grade—Lena Evans.
Prizes for most headmarks were awarded to: Franklin Winstead, Tristram Evans and Lena Evans.

Notice to List Takers

The List Takers for the various Townships of the County are hereby requested to meet me in Roxboro on the First Monday in May. Kindly remember this and meet me on the day above mentioned.—J. S. Noell, Co. Tax Assessor.

New Store Post Office Building

Prices on ail coat suits reduced this week. When we say reduced, we mean it. We are going to sell them. Just a few left.

QUALITY RIGHT, STYLE RIGHT

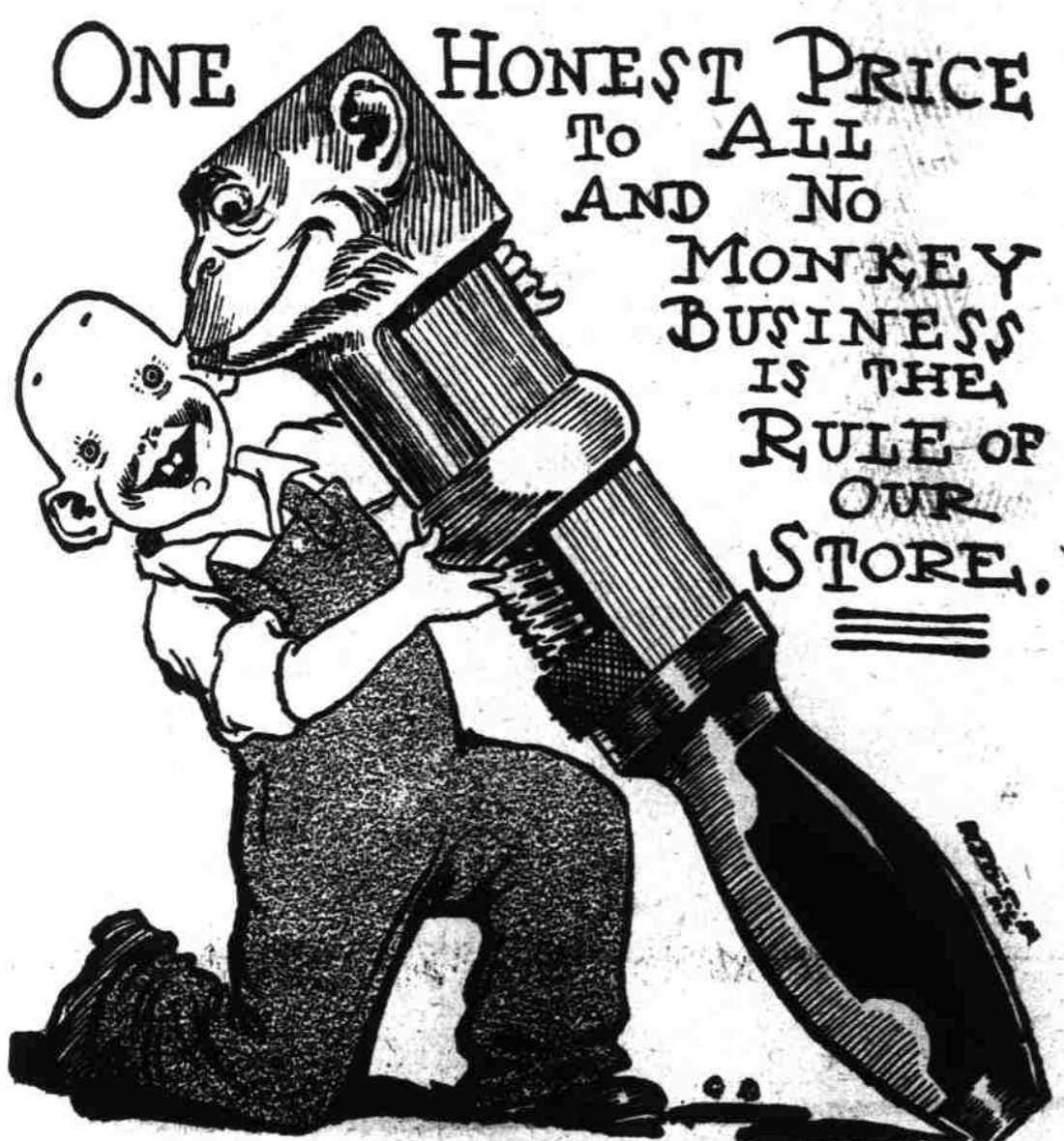
A part shipment of snappy and high-class slippers for ladies will arrive this week. WATCH OUR WINDOWS.

Saving money is easier than making money. It will pay you to see our stock before you buy.

Special prices on Gents' Furnishings

Morton & Satterfields

Special Cash Sale Tobacco Planters and Axes



Beginning Monday April the 5th

WE WILL SELL MASTERS TOBACCO PLANTERS AT \$3.20 EACH. WE WILL SELL BLUE GRASS AXES AT 65C EACH.

THESE AXES ARE BARGAINS. THE SAME QUALITY YOU HAVE BEEN PYYING .85C FOR. BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS ONLY, WE CAN OFFER YOU PLANTERS AT THE ABOVE PRICE, AND THESE PRICES APPLY ONLY TO THE STOCK OF PLANTERS AND AXES WE NOW HAVE IN STOCK.

DON'T YOU WANT TO DO BUSINESS WITH THIS SORT OF A PROPOSITION? IF SO ACT QUICK.

Long, Bradsher & Co.

PEEP AT OUR NEW HATS

WHEN YOU MEET ANYBODY THE FIRST THING HE SEES IS YOUR HAT. NO MAN CAN AFFORD NOT TO WEAR A CLEAN, NEW HAT. WE'VE GOT JUST THE HAT YOU NEED' COME, GET IT.

A MAN SHOULD ALSO BE ON GOOD TERMS WITH HIMSELF. NOTHING GIVES A MAN MORE SELF-CONFIDENCE THAN WEARING GOOD CLOTHES NEXT TO HIMSELF. COME IN AND LET US SHOW YOU SOME NEW UNDERWEAR, SHIRTS AND HOSE. THIS MEANS WE WILL SELL THEM TO YOU.

Harris & Burns
ROXBORO'S BEST STORE.