

The Roxboro Courier.

Noell Bros., Proprietors

Home First Abroad Next

\$1.00 Per Year in Advance

VOL. XXXII

ROXBORO, NORTH CAROLINA, Wednesday Evening December 8, 1915

Number 49

Rev. N. C. Yearby Is Moved to Mt. Gilead.

Rev. N. C. Yearby has been sent to Mt. Gilead, and he and his most estimable family will leave soon for this new field. Few men have served this field with more signal success than did Mr. Yearby and his departure will bring grief to many of his members. He was the first pastor to give all of his time to this church, but he has shown the wisdom of making the change and we doubt if any of his members would consider for a moment going back to the old mode of preaching twice a month. Not only will Mr. Yearby be missed, but his splendid wife, who was an active co-laborer with him, will be sadly missed by all of the congregation. When he goes to his new field they will carry with them a "God bless you," from all of his friends, regardless of whether they be Methodists, Baptists or Presbyterians.

His successor, Rev. O. W. Dowd, is from Gibson, and will receive a warm welcome to the community. Roxboro Methodist Church is a strong church and has the reputation of giving the pastor the best at all times.

Box Party at Parham School House.

There will be a box party at the Parham School house Wednesday night December 15th, at 8 o'clock. Young people cordially invited to attend.

The "Daddy" Still Captured

On last Friday evening a party composed of Deputy Marshal R. W. Morris, Collectors J. F. Liffsey, and Messrs. Cash, Gates and Clay went out on a raid and succeeded in capturing the largest still ever captured in these parts. The still was 180 gallons capacity, and they found and destroyed 4800 gallons of beer and 30 gallons of whiskey. The entire outfit was new and had only been in operation a few days, this probably being the first mash they had made. The still was located about three miles north west of Moriah.

They did not succeed in capturing any of the men, owing to the fact that a man was stationed some distance on top of the hill as a guard, and when he saw the posse approaching he fired his gun seven times and then broke and ran, and likewise the three men operating the still did the same. It is thought this is the same crowd who have been operating along the border of Person and Orange counties, first located in one county and then the other, never staying at one place long at a time. They got away from Bob this time, but just let them keep up the business and he will land them—as he has invariably done when they persist in the nefarious business.

Cabbage plants for sale—10c a hundred, \$1.00 a thousand. Geo. Harris.

Roxboro Tobacco Market.

The market during the past week has been pretty lively, most everyone wanting to make a few sales before the Holidays in order to make their Christmas purchases. The prices have ruled well, the average for the entire week including trash and all, was \$12.80. These figures are authentic, as they are taken from the books of the various warehouses.

Compare the averages which are being made on this market each week with averages on other markets and then decide where the best prices are ruling. An honest comparison and you will bring your next load to Roxboro.

The date as to when the warehouses will close for Xmas has not yet been decided, but will be published in next week's issue.

Pentecost—Nelson.

The following invitation has been received at this office:

Mrs. L. B. Mitchell invites you to be present at the marriage of her sister Ida Belle Nelson to Aubrey Ray Pentecost Wednesday evening, December the twenty-second, nineteen hundred and fifteen, at half past one o'clock Nelson Baptist Church Nelson, Virginia At home after January 10th, 1916, Roxboro, N. C.

Farmers' Union.

The Person County Farmers Educational and Cooperative Union of America held a very interesting meeting here last Monday. Many important questions were discussed, and plans laid for next year's operations. This was a well attended meeting and much interest manifested.

Officers for next year are as follows: C. B. Brooks, pres.; W. H. Moore, vice-pres.; J. H. Foushee, secretary; T. H. Street, Chap.; S. T. Slaughter, Con.; R. S. Long, D. K.; W. T. Swanson, T. A.; Dr. E. J. Tucker, G. B. Williams, W. T. Whitt, ex-com.—J. H. Foushee.

Engagement Announced.

It is with great interest that the people of Roxboro read the announcement of the engagement of Miss Marvel Carter to Mr. Joseph David Campbell of Winston Salem, N. C. The wedding will take place the latter part of this month. Miss Carter is a former resident of this place, having made her home with her kins-people, Dr. and Mrs. O. P. Schaub. She was also a member of the faculty of the Roxboro Graded school for two years.

Joined Methodist Conference.

Rev. M. F. Hodges, who formerly served as pastor of several Baptist churches in this and Caswell county has joined the Eastern North Carolina Methodist Conference and has been sent to serve the Columbia circuit in the Elizabeth City District.

School Notes.

The Teachers Association meets Saturday week. Allensville Township meeting convenes at O'Brian's School next Friday. Flat River Township meeting Thursday Dec. 16th. Topics to be discussed.—J. A. Beam.

There should be music in every home on Xmas, get a Victrola from A. Lipschitz, he'll sell you one on easy terms.

Community Day.

On last Friday Community Day was observed at Brooklyn Church. It was an ideal day and the people of that community had made all preparations for a large crowd. However, the crowd was not as large as the occasion was worthy of, though it was a pleasant occasion and much good will came from the coming together.

From 9:30 until 11:30 the exercises were in charge of Miss Annie Howard, the teacher of the Brooklyn school, and they were of great credit to both the teacher and the scholars. We enjoyed these exercises immensely, as did all present. After the exercises by the children dinner was announced, and of course this was enjoyed by all. Brunswick stew, cakes, pickles, etc., was plentiful in fact more than enough to have fed twice the number present.

There was much speech making and of a high order generally. Rev. J. A. Beam spoke on Moonlight Schools, Mr. S. P. Jones on what a rural community should be, Mr. Brown on Home and Farm improvements, Mr. W. T. Swanson on Rural credits, J. W. Noell on Time prices, and Rural economy by Mr. W. D. Merritt. We wish that every farmer in the County could have heard this speech, it was fine and would have done credit to anyone. We do not remember having heard a speech with more good, sound common horse sense in many years, and no one could have heard it without resolving that in many respects he was going to improve on his way of farming.

Altogether, it was a good day and we greatly enjoyed being with the good people of the Brooklyn district.

Mr. Bradsher Issues Challenge.

Last year several of our readers published the fact that they had killed some hogs which had gained more than a pound a day. Mr. Stephen Bradsher just reports the killing of three pigs which were 8 months and 28 days old, just two days less than nine months and they averaged 330 pounds. He says if there is any one in the County who can beat this he would like for them to tell The Courier about it. Be exact, don't say about nine months old, but give exact days and exact weight. We are of the opinion that Mr. Bradsher will carry the honors this season. However, he says if you want to raise pigs of this kind buy your pigs from Ed Gentry.

Public Debate.

The meeting of the Person County Business Mens Association last Friday night was turned into a public debate. The subject debated was Woman Suffrage. The speakers entered into the debate with earnestness and did themselves proud in their efforts, but the Jiggles lost out, the judges decided that the ladies had won.

Some of the ladies say they did not have a fair showing and want the President and Secretary of the club to arrange for another debate and let the ladies handle their side of the question. We rather like the suggestion, and while the men might object to taking part under such circumstances, why not arrange for a debate by the ladies on the same subject. What say you, Mr. President?

Where Are You Going?

If to Durham remember Will L. Umstead, Sim Meadows and R. A. Allen can sell your tobacco for as much money as any men in North Carolina. Don't be deceived but stop at Planters Warehouse, Durham, N. C.

Conference Appointments.

The following are the Conference appointments for the Durham District:

J. C. Wooten, presiding elder; East Burlington, R. E. Atkinson; Burlington, D. H. Tuttle; Burlington circuit, W. F. Galloway; Chapel Hill, Walter Patton; Durham-Branson, O. I. Hinson; Carr, G. B. Starling; Lakewood, D. E. Earnhardt, supply; Mangum St., C. J. Harrell; Memorial, H. M. North; Trinity, A. McCullen; West Durham, J. A. Daily; Durham Circuit, W. C. Martig; Graham, H. E. Meyers; Hillsboro circuit, T. M. Grant; Leasburg circuit, J. A. Martin; Mebane circuit, R. G. L. Edwards; Milton circuit, J. E. Blalock; Mt. Tirzah circuit, J. J. Boone; Orange and Carrboro, W. P. Shellan, supply; Pelham circuit, H. C. Smith; Pearl Mill circuit, F. M. Hall, supply; Person circuit, C. R. Ross; Rougemont, B. F. Boone; Roxboro, O. W. Dowd; South Alamance, N. B. Strickland; Yanceyville circuit, S. F. Nicks; Professor of Biblical Literature in Trinity College and Headmaster Trinity Park School, W. W. Peele; Secretary Y. M. C. A. in China, Conference Evangelist E. C. Glenn.

Rev. N. C. Yearby, who has so faithfully served this field will go to Mt. Gilead.

Dolls, dolls at Harris & Burns.

Revs. J. J. Boone and C. R. Ross Are Returned.

As will be seen from the report published elsewhere Rev. J. J. Boone and Rev. C. R. Ross have been returned to their circuits here. This will be highly appreciated by the members of these circuits for both of them are exceedingly popular and have done a great work in this County. These two Godly men are true to their convictions and have always been outspoken as to vice whenever or wherever they have met it. May they live long and prosper and may their tribe increase.

New Firm

We beg to announce to the public generally that we have bought the stock of goods belonging to the Roxboro 5 and 10 Cent Store and will open up with a full and new lot of Christmas goods. We will be better prepared than ever to serve our friends and ask you to come in and look before buying your Christmas things, for we promise to save you something on every purchase. Come to see us for anything in the 5 and 10 cent line. Respectfully, Burch & Co.

Bazaar

There will be a doll Bazaar given December 18th, in the store-room of Mr. E. D. Cheek, under the auspices of the Philathea Class of the Baptist Church.

SAVE IT!



Saving money is easier than making money. We are saving it for others, let us save it for you. We will sell you Coats and Coat Suits for less money than they can be bought wholesale—prices from \$7.50 to \$20. All this fall's styles. Special prices made on Gents and Boys furnishings. Men's \$16.50 suits for \$12.50. Men's pants from \$1 to \$5. Boys Suits and Overcoats from \$1.75 to \$7.50. SHOES for the whole family shoes that give service, any price you want. We will save you money on that bill today.

MORION & SATTERFIELDS

New Stores in Post Office Building

To Select Your Christmas Gifts come to Our Hardware Store

For this year you should give something useful.

We have a nice line of Carvers, a full stock of 1847 Rogers Silver ware, Roasters and Aluminum ware. Any of these will be appreciated by the women and for the men and boys, pocket knives, Razors, Razor Straps, Guns and shells. Come to us and make your gift worth while. For this year they will be appreciated.

Long, Bradsher & Co.

Do Your Christmas Shopping Now

Our stock is on display and we are now ready to supply you with Christmas goods. Besides the many staple and useful articles usually carried by us we have a nice line of novelties in Toilet, Manicure and Traveling Sets, Hand Bags, Fancy China, Community Silverware, Stamped Embroidery Pieces, Hankerchiefs, Gloves, Pictures, Rugs, Card Tables and Dolls.

Coat Suits and Coats

We have the best stock of Coat Suits and Coats in Roxboro and no matter if others are advertising reduced prices, we will save you money on every purchase. We are not price cutters but nobody can undersell us. Our name is "Underbuy" and that is the reason why we UNDERSELL and make money.

Special

Prices on Druggets

We have several nice Druggets which we are anxious to clear out and will sell at remarkably low prices. You will have to see these to appreciate the great bargains we are offering. Trade with us. It will pay you as well as us. You will find what you want here and we are always pleased to serve you.

Harris & Burns
ROXBORO'S BEST STORE.