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NOTHING FINER IN THE STATE

T. W. PASS & SON'S FURNITURE STORE.

Roxboro is noted for its beautiful stores, but Pass' is par excellence.

Every citizen of Roxboro is proud of the many handsome stores in Roxboro, it is a subject of remark to every visitor here. You will find few small cities, and no town the size of Roxboro which can boast of so many handsome buildings and such magnificent stocks of goods in all lines, especially in the department store lines, but there is no more handsome store building, or more complete line of furniture to be found in any city or town in North Carolina than that of Mess. T. W. Pass & Son, on North Main Street.

The building is sixty feet front, with a depth of one hundred feet, two stories and basement. The front is pressed brick, with granite trimmings, the building being a most handsome structure. The three floors, basement, show room and second floor, where the surplus stock is carried, are filled to overflowing with furniture which would do credit to any stock carried in the State. Honestly, we doubt if there is a furniture store in the Carolina's which can show you a more select line than you will find here.

And Roxboro is proud of her merchants.

CO-OPS WIN SUITS.

Judge W. A. Devin, holding a regular term of court in Person County last week, ruled in favor of the Association in all the cases brought before him.

The cases of Byrd Drumwright, John Drumwright, Tom Drumwright, Elia Bewes, W. T. Ramsey, and Tom Goodes were returnable the 15th day of October, and judgments were entered in favor of the Association in all of the above cases, except the case against Byrd Drumwright. This case was continued to be heard before Judge Devin in Durham. In the meantime the defendant is restrained from disposing of any of his tobacco to any person or persons other than the Association. In the case of Samly Bradsher, the Judge issued a restraining order preventing him from disposing of any tobacco to any person other than the Association. Any of the defendants violating the order of the court will find that it is a very serious matter.

In the two cases returnable here from Granville County and heard before Judge Devin, the Judge signed the restraining order directing the two defendants not to dispose of any tobacco to any persons other than the Tobacco Growers Association but in one of the cases where there were four or five different mortgages, and the attorney representing the Association stated to the Judge that he thought the mortgages were bona fides, this case was retained upon the docket for further orders, Judge intimating that he might appoint a receiver to take charge of the tobacco in order to do justice to the Association and lien holders. This proceeding is very expensive to both the lien holder and the grower.

New suits have been brought against E. W. Tuck, Henry Holt, Jim Ramsey, William Jones, Walter Harris, Willis Harris, Will Crumpton and his wife, Mrs. Ruth Crumpton and the Association brought suit against Will Crumpton and his wife for conspiracy and ask that the deed from Will Crumpton to his wife be set aside. These cases are to be argued in Durham the week beginning the 29th.

BOX PARTY.

There will be a box party at Providence school on next Friday night at 6:30 o'clock. Proceeds will go to benefit of the school. Everybody is invited.

NO SERVICES AT MT. HARMONY SUNDAY.

There will be no preaching at Mt. Harmony on Sunday next.
Joe B. Curvin, Pastor.

BAPTIST APPOINTMENTS.

Schedule of Appointments and Speakers for the Beulah Association.

At a conference of the pastors of the Beulah Association held in Roxboro last week the following schedule of appointments and speakers was arranged for the special effort which is now being made to secure the payment of pledges to the great five year program of Southern Baptists.

The amount now due on the pledges of the churches is more than \$24,000.00 and it is of the utmost importance that each church adopt some definite plan to secure this amount in cash between now and the end of November as every department of our missionary work is in serious need of funds to meet over due obligations.

A director has been appointed in each church and it is earnestly requested that he shall arrange to give notice of the appointment and urge the people to attend:

October 28th, 11 A. M. Bethel, J. W. Noell. Providence (Caswell) Rev. J. A. Beam. Semora, Rev. H. L. Nichols. Yanceyville, Rev. R. E. Hite. North Roxboro, Rev. L. V. Coggins. Roxboro, Rev. R. W. Prevost.

October 28th, 7 P. M. North Roxboro, Rev. R. W. Prevost.
November 4th, 11 A. M. Ephesus, Rev. R. W. Prevost. Mill Creek, Rev. L. V. Coggins. Trinity, Rev. N. J. Todd. Milton, Rev. R. E. White.

November 4th, 3 P. M. Providence (Person) Mr. L. M. Carlton. Thompsonville, Rev. N. J. Todd. Clement, Mr. J. W. Noell.

November 4th, 7 P. M. Lamberth Memorial, Rev. R. W. Prevost. North Roxboro, Mr. Robert P. Burns.

November 11th, 11 A. M. Antioch, Rev. L. V. Coggins. Baynes Chapel, Rev. J. A. Beam. Lamberth Memorial, Rev. H. L. Nichols. Shiloh, Rev. N. J. Todd.

November 18th, 11 A. M. Kays Chapel, Rev. H. L. Nichols. Blanches, Rev. J. A. Beam. Clement, Rev. R. W. Prevost. Providence (Person) Rev. R. E. White.

November 18th, 3 P. M. Lea Bethel, Rev. R. W. Prevost.

November 18th, 7 P. M. Yanceyville, Rev. L. V. Coggins.
November 30th, 11 A. M. Bethel, Rev. R. E. White. Ephesus, Mr. A. C. Gentry. Mill Creek, M. O. B. Crowell. Clement, Mr. H. F. Avers. Antioch, Mr. J. W. Noell.

It is earnestly hoped that large congregations will greet all these speakers.

DAVIS-WOOD ANNOUNCEMENT.

The following announcement has been received at this office:

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fox Wood announce the marriage of their daughter

Elizabeth Marshall

to

Mr. Edward Mann Davis

Monday, October the Fifteenth Nineteen hundred and Twenty-three At home after November the first Roxboro, North Carolina.

Mrs. Davis, as Miss Wood, was a member of the faculty of the Durham high school last session, having been instructor in the Latin department for two years. Mrs. Davis is a member of the well-known Marshall family of Virginia.

Mr. Davis is the proprietor of the Davis Dairy Company and is one of the town's most popular and successful business men.

FIRST SNOW MONDAY NIGHT.

We did not see it but we are reliably informed that the first snow of the season fell here Monday night. This is early for snow in this section, but as we have not had the opportunity to consult our weather prophet, we can not say what the prospect for snows this winter are.

HALLOWEEN PARTY.

Wilkinson school house at seven o'clock Wednesday evening, October 31st, 1923, the Mt. Zion Aid Society invites you to attend a Halloween party. Bring a penny for each year of your age, or a dollar if you won't tell your age. Come, come every one and join our "stunts" and "fun."

NOTICE.

Seed rye for sale at a good close price, buy it while it lasts.
R. H. Gates.

BIG AVERAGES IN ADVANCE PAYMENTS

CO-OP ADVANCES HIGHLY SATISFACTORY

Mr. J. H. Shotwell Received Advances Amounting to \$94.14 for Load.

The members of the Co-op association have been very much pleased with the advances which are being made at the delivery point here. During the past week many highly satisfactory advances have been reported, the advance averaging in many instances very close to the sales on the open market.

Mr. J. H. Shotwell delivered 634 pounds and received for the load \$94.14, averaging \$14.20.

Mr. J. T. Horton delivered 490 pounds and received an average of \$18.34.

Mr. J. D. Oliver delivered 562, averaged \$17.00.

Mess. J. R. Smith and J. A. Danny delivered 946 at an average of \$18.14.

Mess. W. A. Warren and Ivey S. Jordan delivered 656 at an average of \$17.20.

Mr. B. J. Long 812 pounds, averaged \$18.00.

Mr. W. B. Tate 512 pounds, averaged \$17.70.

W. W. Wrenn 376 pounds, averaged \$18.00.

Mess. David Long and R. L. Walker 798 pounds, averaged \$18.00.

Mr. R. L. Newman 406 pounds, averaged \$18.00.

Mr. L. A. Bradsher 286 pounds, averaged \$21.66.

"APPLES OF GOLD."

Dr. J. A. Burrow, editor of the Methodist Advocate, put on his best wisdom cap a little while ago and wrote the following which is all apples of gold in pictures of silver:

"Quarreling never gets anybody anywhere, except into trouble. Quarreling with a congregation is about the poorest sort of preaching. Generally it hardens folks and makes them more inclined to go on and do the things the preacher is trying to keep them from doing. Quarreling with official members is in the same category. An employer who quarrels with his employees is missing the mark. A lawyer who quarrels with a court or with a jury is doing his client a great injustice. The house-keeper who quarrels with a servant does not help matters except in the rarest cases. But a quarreling preacher in the pulpit is the limit. He is expected to be a man of grace. He is expected to be religious—that is, sweet spirited and under restraint. This does not mean that he is to submit to everything; but quarreling is the poorest possible way to accomplish the thing he wants to accomplish."

A MAGNIFICENT ADDRESS.

Dr. Chas. E. Maddy delivered one of the most inspiring and interesting addresses we have ever listened to in the Baptist church on last Thursday night. Dr. Maddy spent several months in the East during the past summer and he gave his audience some of the things which impressed him while visiting that country. Of course, his subject was "Missions," but it was not the kind which is usually loaded down with statistics. He made it plain that if ever the affairs of this war-ridden country was ever straightened out it would be through the churches of this country. We wish every person within the radius of the county could have heard this great address.

TO THE READERS OF THE COURIER:

The Helena Aid Society gives you a welcome hearty
To come to your own birthday party. Bring as many pennies as years old. Or more, if you don't want your age told.
On October the twenty seventh at exactly eight.
In the high school auditorium we will wait.
Remember the date, remember the hour,
We know you will come in starlight or shower.
To entertain you we will have good eats
And a play that none beats.—10-17-23

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Judgment Suspended On Payment of Costs Often Heard.

The following cases were disposed of during the Court last week:

State vs P. S. Hicks, liquor. Pleads guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs Frank Browning, liquor. Pleads guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs Frank Browning, driving auto while drunk. Guilty, \$50.00 and cost.

State vs Pete Ward, assault. Pleads guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs W. G. Hargis, liquor. Pleads guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs William Brown, Jr., liquor. Pleads guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs C. R. Russell, liquor. Nolo contendere, fine \$100.00 and cost.

State vs Arthur Russell, liquor. Nolo contendere, fine \$100.00 and cost.

State vs Ollie Barnett, liquor. Pleads guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs O. H. Tingen, liquor. Pleads guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs Frank Browning, liquor. Pleads guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs Young Vinstead, liquor. Pleads guilty, fine \$50.00 and cost.

State vs Jim Smith, Green Clayton and Alfred Day, affray. Clayton not guilty, Smith fine of \$30.00 and one half cost, and one half cost as to Day.

Sidney Wade, not stopping at rail road crossing. Pleads guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs Arthur Chavis, not stopping at rail road crossing. Pleads guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs John Sears, liquor. Guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs Claiborn Ferrell, driving auto while drunk. Pleas guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs Jim Lowery, bigamy. Guilty, 2 to 5 years in penitentiary.

State vs Thomas Vinstead, not stopping at rail road crossing. Pleads guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs J. A. Lunsford, liquor. Pleads guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs B. R. Robbins, embezzlement. Guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs D. C. Clayton, driving auto while drunk. Guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs Bud Wilson, larceny. Guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs Eugene Pickens, assault with deadly weapon. Guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs Richard Swanson, liquor. Guilty, fine \$100.00 and cost.

State vs Norman Bowling and Presley Montague. Guilty. To appear before the Court and show good conduct for 2 years.

State vs Eugene Watkins, larceny. Guilty, 4 years on Durham county roads.

The civil docket was taken up Wednesday, but there was nothing of interest to the general public, save possibly the six cases which were brought by the Co-op Tobacco Growers Association against members for failure to deliver their crops. Judgment in favor of Co-ops in each case.

LOOK AT YOUR LABEL.

We make it a rule never to use our space "dunning" subscribers who are in arrears, and we are not going to depart from the rule, but we merely want to call your attention to the fact that during the summer, when the farmer usually has very little money, some of you have allowed your subscription to fall behind. Kindly look at the label on your paper and see how you stand. On November first we will begin sending out statements, and as each statement will cost in time, labor and stamps at least five cents each you can see what a saving it will be to us in dollars and cents, to say nothing of the time, if you will settle before these statements are sent out. Look at your label.

ROXBORO MARKET MUCH IMPROVED

SEVERAL PILES BRING MORE THAN SEVENTY DOLLARS

Nearly One Hundred Fifty Thousand Pounds Sold At An Average of Twenty Dollars.

We are glad to note the advance in the prices which were paid here last week. True, the tobacco showed up better, more of the desirable grades being offered, but there was a decided upward tendency of the market along all lines, and the farmers were greatly pleased with the sales. All three houses report good sales' each day, especially was this true as to Monday's sale.

At the Independent Warehouse Company they report two sales which are especially good. Mess. Thomas and Walker sold 162 lbs. at 29, 136 at 46, 140 at 73, 166 at 40 and 28 at 16.50, making a total of 632 pounds for \$292.76, averaging \$46.00 for the entire load.

Thomas and Royster sold 156 at 24.50, 120 at 40, 210 at 67, 200 at 39 and 100 at 26, making a total of 786 pounds for \$330.92, averaging \$42.00. At the Hyco Mr. B. L. Evans sold a load for \$471.32.

J. T. McCulloch sold 474 pounds for average of \$40.20, best grade bringing \$66.00.

Charles Norris averaged \$36.38. H. S. Morton sold a load, his best grade bringing \$73.00.

C. E. Oakley sold a load which brought him \$250.00, his best grade bringing \$70.00.

The Planters report the best sale of the season on last Monday, in fact prices have ruled unusually good during the entire past week at this house.

You see from the above that prices are very much better getting close up to the hundred dollar notch. While there is little of this grade coming in, there will be seen plenty which goes well above fifty dollars. Just as we stated some time since, when you want the very HIGHEST price bring your tobacco to Roxboro, for if it is selling well anywhere you will find it selling just a little mite better in Roxboro. This is true because Person County tobacco is noted for its extra quality and the manufacturers all look this way when they want the best.

FULMER-TIMBERLAKE.

Miss Myrtle Mae Timberlake and Furman F. Fulmer were married Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock at the home of the bride's brother, J. E. Timberlake, 201 Waterlee ave., Wales Gardens. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mark L. Carlisle, D. D., in the presence of a few intimate friends and the members of both families.

Palms, white burning tapers, autumn foliage and flowers adorned the room where the ceremony was performed. The bride was gowned in exquisite brown satin crepe with accordin plait trimming the skirt. She wore accessories to match and carried a shower bouquet of bride roses.

Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Fulmer left on an automobile trip and on their return will make their home in Columbia.

The bride is originally from Timberlake, N. C., but has lived in Columbia for four years and has won many friends during her stay here.

Mr. Fulmer is a Columbian, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fulmer of Assembly street and is connected with the McCreery-Pressley Co., real estate.—Columbia State.

HURDLE MILLS HALLOWEEN.

We want the fat, we want the lean, To be with us on Halloween. We'll have the spookiest party out With lots of bats and ghosts about. Don't bring beyond a dime And don't forget to be on time At Hurdle Mills School, Oct. 26th, at 7 o'clock.

County Agent W. Kerr Scott of Alamance County reports that 175 cotton farmers recently joined the Cooperative Cotton Association.

Society

Mrs. A. M. Burns delightfully entertained the Book club and additional guests Friday afternoon. The home was elaborately decorated with beautiful roses and baskets of handsome dahlias. After playing many progressions of Boston rook a tempting salad course, with coffee and mints, was served by the hostess and Mrs. deVlaming to the following guests: Mesdames W. D. Merritt, H. W. Winstead, J. J. Winstead, W. T. Long, Geo. W. Kane, W. C. Watkins, N. Lunsford, H. S. Morton, L. C. Bradsher, Frank Wilson, W. T. Pass, T. W. Henderson, Hugh Woods, M. E. Long, W. F. Long, W. C. Bullock, J. W. Noell, Sallie Morris, T. E. Austin, R. J. Teague, A. S. deVlaming, Bates, R. L. Harris, and Edwin Eberman.

Mrs. A. M. Burns was again hostess Saturday afternoon to the members of the faculty of the graded school and other guests. Rook was played at seven tables, and at the close of the game an ice course and mints were served to the following: Mesdames Bruce Newell, E. P. Dunlap, E. G. Long, Wheeler Newell, Preston Satterfield, C. C. Cheek of Sanford, J. D. K. Richmond, D. W. Bradsher, I. O. Wilkerson, B. G. Clayton, Ruth Stephens, T. B. Woody and Misses Mary Harris, McCausland, Christine Walker, Sue and Edna Bradsher, Helen White, Maude and Annie Laurie Barnett, Carrie Sue Vernon, Sue Merritt, Galloway, Margaret Whitten, Lucile Pearce, Poole, Collins and Ethel Newton.

A very delightful affair of the week was a Rook party given by Miss Louise Thompson Saturday evening in honor of Miss Christine Walker, who is to be married Nov. 1st to Edward Weatherly of Elizabeth City. Eight tables were arranged in the living rooms for rook and when the cards had been put aside a dainty course of refreshments were served. The guests were: Misses Christine Walker, Isabelle deVlaming, May Wilson, Lucile Pearce, Pool, Helen White, Helen Huxley, Claire Harris, Margaret Whitten, Mary Harris, McCausland, Polly Walker, Annie Laurie Barnett, Mary Lee Crowell, Bessie Sample, Laura Newton, Louise Stalvey and Mess. Edward Weatherly, Bill Newman, Dr. Hughes, Crech, Bates, Chas. Harris, Clyde Crowell, Ed Hill, Agnes Wayne Burch, Bobby Sutherland, Clyde Bowen, Walter Woody, R. P. Burns, and O. B. Crowell.

Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Edgar Boatwright was hostess to the members of the Bridge club and several guests. The attractive new home was lovely with decorations of varied colored fall flowers. Concluding the games a delightful salad course, coffee and home-made candies, was served. Mrs. Bates of Brookneal was presented a dainty handmailed handkerchief and holder. Those present were Mesdames M. R. Long, Thos. B. Woody, G. W. Kane, Edwin Eberman, A. M. Burns, A. S. deVlaming, Bates, L. M. Carlton, W. T. Long, E. G. Long, J. W. Noell and Miss Mary Harris.

FAMILY REUNION.

A very enjoyable family reunion was held last week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Boyd. On Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Orman Carter and two children from Princess Anne, Maryland arrived to visit Mr. Carter's mother, Mrs. A. L. Boyd, and on Saturday the other children of the Boyd family came home for the reunion, these being Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Boyd of Danville, Va., Miss Inez Boyd, who is a member of the faculty of Red Oak Farm Life school and Miss Esther Boyd, teacher of music in the school at Hookerton.

The entire family went to Lamberth Memorial church on Sunday to hear Rev. L. V. Coggins. After dinner some kodak pictures were taken of the entire family. On Wednesday the family circle was again broken, the girls going back to their respective work, Clarence to Danville, while the Maryland family left in their car for their home, planning to take in Richmond, Fredericksburg, Washington, Mt. Vernon and Baltimore before reaching home.