

PROHIBITION GREAT SUCCESS

SO SAYS JUDGE GARY AND OTHER LEADING BUSINESS MEN

The Manufacturers Record Devotes Twenty Pages To The Prohibition Question. Strong Boost For Prohibition

(Special to The Courier.)

Baltimore, July 29.—The Manufacturers Record of this week will publish from Judge Gary, President Edgerton of the National Association of Manufacturers, and many other leading business men throughout the country their views in regard to Prohibition covering nearly twenty pages of that paper. These letters are in reply to a questionnaire from the Manufacturers Record as to whether these men, who three years ago had written in favor of Prohibition, had seen any reason for changing their views by reason of the lawlessness existing throughout the country. Out of considerably more than 100 letters so far received, only three express any change of views on the Prohibition question both from the moral and economic standpoint.

It is claimed by these letters that there has been a vast improvement in condition of the laboring classes; that men are now saving money which they formerly spent in the saloons that the women and the children are better clothed, better housed and better fed than ever before by reason of the men taking their weekly pay home instead of spending it for drink on the way home. This is the almost universal testimony of manufacturers from all parts of the country and of leading physicians and bankers.

Specific cases are given by bankers showing how saloons have been supplanted by savings banks, and how real estate formerly used for saloons has greatly improved in value under present conditions. Many of these letters criticize sharply the disposition of men of affairs, and of social leaders to violate the Prohibition law without regard to the influence which this has upon the development of that spirit of law violation among all other classes.

With the exception of these "higher ups," to which many references are made as law violators, it is claimed by many of the writers that Prohibition is in no way whatever responsible for the criminality of the day, but that, on the contrary, this is a world condition and is largely an aftermath of the World War. Emphasis is laid upon the fact that with the enormous number of automobiles on all the streets and highways of the country life would be far more endangered than it now is if the open saloons were in existence; indeed, it is claimed that the automobile industry and the open saloon business practically could not exist at the same time.

MR. WINSTEAD DIED SUDDENLY

Mr. B. S. Winstead, who lived near Leasburg, died suddenly yesterday morning in the office of Dr. A. F. Nichols. Mr. Winstead was taken sick Monday night about 2 o'clock and came in to see his physician. Soon after reaching the Dr.'s office he complained of feeling very bad and the Dr. told him to lay down. In a few moments he was dead, death resulting from acute indigestion. His death was very sad, doubly so for the fact that his wife was in a hospital for treatment.

Mr. Winstead was very popular with his neighbors and will be greatly missed in his community.

LOST - LOST - LOST

A perfectly obedient Ford has lost its Papa. On last Saturday morning Sheriff Brooks in company with Deputy Gentry while on the Cates Hill and Helena road tried to apprehend the driver of a Ford roadster. The chase got too hot for the driver and he decided to leave Lizzie, and she leaves her parked in the deep woods all by her self, and now she wants to find her Papa. If the owner wishes to get her, apply at Sheriff's office and get same.

N. V. BROOKS, Sheriff

NORWOOD DECLINES TO HELP WADE'S SUIT

President of Association Emphatically States How He Stands

When Robert C. Wade, a young lawyer living near Danville, Virginia, wrote a letter to George A. Norwood prominent Goldsboro banker who is president of the Tobacco Growers Cooperative Association and asked Mr. Norwood to state his position with regard to the suit which Wade has instituted in Federal court asking for the appointment of a receiver he had his letter published in the newspapers.

Mr. Norwood, in replying to Wade's request for resources with which to prosecute the suit, decided to make his reply public also in view of the fact that Wade asked, according to newspaper accounts, that the Goldsboro man get "on one side or the other."

Here is what Mr. Norwood wrote: "I cannot, of course, join you in your attack in the courts upon the association. You have brought charges of a serious nature against men of character, men of good standing and men with responsible positions. You have never submitted to me or to the executive committee of the board of directors one particle of evidence to support your charges. Your suit appears to me to be designed to injure the cause of cooperative marketing rather than to 'purge the association' of the leadership to which you, a non-member, seem so vigorously to object.

"I desire in this connection to say very frankly to you that I have had the opportunity to observe your activities against the association prior to the institution of this suit. I cannot convince myself that you are acting for the benefit of the association. I can only conclude that you are desirous of destroying it. You have stated to the executive committee of the association, in my presence, that you were not a member of the association although you were eligible to membership. I cannot comprehend how a man who has refused to join this association and who has, since its organization, sold his tobacco at auction can be the 'disinterested friend' you claim to be.

"With these things in mind, Mr. Wade, I cannot believe that the motives which actuate you now are different from the motives which actuated you then. I, therefore, cannot advise the board to lend you any assistance as a friend of this association.

"As a member of the executive committee of the board, I approved the action taken in 1923 in connection with re-drying. I regarded it then as proper and helpful and I so regard it now."

CHURCH SERVICES AT LONGHURST AND GRACE

Note the change in the hour for Church services. Sunday School at Longhurst at 9:45, Brother O. J. Blue. Sunday School at Grace 11 a. m., Brother J. W. Johnson. Church service at Longhurst 11 a. m. by the Pastor. Church service at Grace at 4 p. m., by Pastor. The change of hour will be for next Sunday only.

The Pastor is very grateful for all the kindnesses being shown him by the two churches and by other people. Such deeds are very acceptable, and he takes this as one opportunity of thanking the people.

M. C. ELLERBE,
Jalong, N. C.

CARD OF THANKS

I desire to take this method of thanking the citizens of Mebane for the many courtesies extended to us, and all others who attended the Association last week. In all of our years we have never seen a people more thoughtful and more kind than the good people of Mebane. I wish I could have personally seen each one to thank them.

A. P. CLAYTON.

VISITING ASHEVILLE

Rev. and Mrs. B. F. Hurley and family left the first of the week for Asheville where they will visit Mrs. Hurley's brother, Mr. L. S. Franklin. They are making the trip in their car.

ROTARIANS ENJOY OUTING

MET LAST THURSDAY NIGHT AT OLIVE HILL HIGH SCHOOL

One of the Most Enjoyable Meetings Held in The Country

Last Thursday evening the Roxboro Rotary Club met at Olive Hill High School and were the guests of the Concord section. To one who is at all familiar with this section it is not necessary to say more, for these good people are noted for their hospitality far and wide, but on this occasion we honestly believe they outdid themselves. A more beautiful or sumptuous dinner we seldom see. It was served on the lawn, and every Rotarian did ample justice—as they always do on these occasions.

After supper the party was invited into the school auditorium and was welcomed by a timely address by Mr. J. Burton Satterfield, which was responded to by President Jim Long. Mrs. Emery Winstead delighted the audience with an instrumental solo, which was followed by a reading by Miss Stephens, then a most beautiful solo was sung by Miss Shore of Fayetteville. These exercises were greatly enjoyed, for they were of a very high order.

After these came the regular business meeting of the Rotary Club. President Jim called for the roll call, and about twenty members responded. Prof. Archie Stalvey was the speaker for the meeting and he told about the great things in store educationally for Roxboro and Person County by the new school building, which is almost nearing completion. The club was under obligations to Jim Broadhead for several selections, both instrumental and vocal. Jim is a whole show in himself and the Club always hears him with delight.

There was only one drawback, that being through some mistake it was noised abroad the ladies were not expected to attend this meeting. Consequently only about half a dozen were present. The ladies had made provision for the wives of the members and it was regretted by every one that the mistake had been made.

Next Thursday the Club will meet with the Allensville people at the high school, and the ladies are expected to be present.

NEGRO MAN BURNED IN BUILDING

Last Thursday morning there was a small fire in the north western part of town. A small frame building was destroyed and a negro man, who was in the building was burned to death. The building was only a shell of a house, and was used by Mr. F. R. Sharp as a cooking place for some men who were working for him on some construction work he is doing here. It is hard to conceive of any one losing his life in such a fire, but the negro had been sick and was laying around the house. Only this particular morning he had reported that he was feeling better and would get up soon. When the fire was discovered it is said by some that he came to the window and was told to jump, but for some cause he turned and went back. The negro's name was Robert Neal, and was from Fredell county, and had been working with Mr. Sharp for about two years.

The building was the property of Mr. W. C. Bullock, whose loss was slight, as he had purposed to tear it down and erect a good house, but the loss of Mr. Sharp is estimated to be about \$500 on goods he had stored in the building.

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STUDEBAKER CUTS PRICES

Important Reductions on All Models

South Bend, Ind. Aug. 1.—Studebaker today announces reduced prices on all models. Reductions range from \$50 to \$405. The new prices include all regular equipment on Standard Six, Special Six and Big Six models, except that bumpers, extra tire, cover and motometer are no longer furnished on Big Sixes.

Commenting upon the price reduction, an official of The Studebaker Corporation of America said: "Studebaker's one-profit manufacturing system is the direct reason for this reduction in prices. Under this system we manufacture all vital parts for Studebaker cars in our own plants. This saves the extra profits which many manufacturers have to pay to outside parts and body makers. We give purchasers the full benefit of these savings in manufacture."

"Only two automobiles in America are made on this one-profit basis—the Studebaker in the fine car field and the Ford in the low-price field. Only in these two cases does one company in its own plants and with its own centralized organization make all bodies, all engines, all clutches, steering gears, differentials, springs, gear sets, gray-iron castings and drop forgings.

"With only one manufacturing profit instead of many included in the purchase price, Studebaker is able to build a better car and to offer it at a much lower price. The public appreciates this fact. Studebaker sales are today rising to a new high week instead of declining as is usual during the summer.

"The cars on which these new prices are announced are the identical cars which have given Studebaker tremendous sales volume. The sacrifice in quality of materials or workmanship. We have brought out no new yearly models to sell at new prices. It is Studebaker policy to keep our entire line of cars constantly up-to-date without the announcement of 'yearly models.'"

"The new prices are a striking tribute to Studebaker's one-profit production system. Savings made possible by this system enabled us to announce new low prices on January 8th of this year. Now we are able to make further reductions. As a result Studebaker one-profit cars today offer greater values than ever before.

Those not having City license tags for automobiles by Monday, Aug. 10, will be prosecuted.

R. P. BURNS, Mayor.

IRWIN - RUDD

A pretty marriage was celebrated Saturday night at eight thirty o'clock when Miss Annie Irwin became the bride of Mr. Guy Rudd. The ceremony was solemnized at the residence of Rev. G. Clyde Holland on North Main Street.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. W. A. Clayton of Roxboro, N. C. The groom has a large acquaintance who hold him in high esteem and has a position with the Southern Railway. They were accompanied by Misses Mabel and Geneva Burks and Mess. Charlie Crowder and Johnnie Haygood. Mr. and Mrs. Rudd will reside in Danville.—E.

ST. MARK'S CHAPEL SERVICES

Notice of services for Sunday, August 9th at Roxboro: Sunday School 10:00 a. m., Mr. John Eberman, Superintendent. Service and sermon 11:00 a. m., by the Rector. Union service at the Methodist church 7:45 p. m. At Goshen: Service and sermon 3:00 p. m., by the Rector. W. A. LILLYCROP, Rector.

Roxboro, N. C.,
August 1, 1925

The Courier:

I want to say "it pays to advertise." My little girl's bicycle was stolen and a little twenty-five cent want ad did the trick. Last Friday a gentleman who saw the little ad brought the machine in, and now little Margaret Hannah, the owner of the bicycle, is happy, and twenty five cents turned the trick.

Respectfully,

C. C. CRITCHER.

PALACE THEATRE

Monday and Tuesday, Aug. 10-11, "The Warrens of Virginia."

This Production reveals great drama of Civil War with realism, Robt. E. Lee and U. S. Grant as the central figures—unlike most war Dramas, it touches lightly on actual battle scenes and dwells long on the romance of the war, Brother against brother—sweethearts torn apart—bitterness—hatred—patriotism—The Days when America tottered on the brink of Disaster: An all American play for all American people. EXTRA ADDED ATTRACTION The Screen novelty of the age Stereopics comedy "LUNACY" You cannot see this picture without glasses which will be given as you enter.

Monday and Tuesday August 10-11th. Matinee at 3:00 P. M. Evenings 7:30-9:00 P. M.

TO LEARN THE LAUNDRY BUSINESS

Mr. Charlie P. Day left the first of the week for Norfolk where he will study the laundry business, preparatory to the opening of the White Star Laundry here on September first. He will be with the largest laundry in that city and will learn the business from bottom to top, and when he returns he will be prepared to give you the very best service known in the laundry business.

DEATH OF MRS. MCGREGOR

Mrs. J. C. McGregor, wife of Rev. J. C. McGregor, died at their home in Jalong yesterday afternoon. She was taken sick at about 8 o'clock and died about 1 o'clock with acute indigestion. Mrs. McGregor was a faithful church worker, a great help to her husband in his work, and was greatly loved by every one who knew her. The body was carried to Louisville where the funeral services will be conducted tomorrow.

DISTURBANCE AT JALONG

Last Sunday night three men, W. A. Hicks, Phillip Watts and Cyrus Hicks, all of Virginia, stopped at Jalong and proceeded to raise a rumpus, but they were soon quieted and taken in custody. W. A. Hicks was found guilty of driving an automobile while drunk and was bound over to court. The other two were found guilty of disorderly conduct and were fined.

UNION SERVICES LAST SUNDAY NIGHT

Union services were held in the Presbyterian Church last Sunday night, Rev. P. Cary Adams preaching the sermon. There was a large congregation and they had the pleasure of hearing an unusually strong sermon from the text, Mat. 6:33: "But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness: and all these things shall be added unto you."

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Prayer Meeting 8:00 P. M., Subject, "James, the brother of Jesus." Come and bring some one.

Sunday, August 9th: Preaching at 11:00 A. M. Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.

Sunday School at Michels Chapel at 2:30 P. M. Preaching at 3:30 P. M. Everyone welcome.

P. CARY ADAMS, Pastor.

MEETING OF THE RED CROSS CHAPTER

There will be a called meeting of the Red Cross Chapter Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock, in the ladies parlor of the Baptist church, for the purpose of electing officers. All members are urged to be present. MRS. A. S. deVLAMING, Chairman.

SPENDING THE WEEK AT VIRGINIA BEACH

Mrs. J. D. Morris, Miss Elizabeth Morris and Mr. J. D. Morris left yesterday morning for Virginia Beach where they will spend the week. They made the trip in Mr. Morris' car.

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Society

Mrs. E. V. Boatwright, on Wednesday morning delightfully entertained the members of the Bridge Club from ten-thirty until one o'clock. The flowers arranged in pretty bowls and baskets made a pretty setting for the two tables arranged for the game. After several rounds of Bridge, the hostess served a menu of stuffed tomatoes, ham, cream cheese, sandwiches, hot biscuit, pickles and iced tea.

On Friday morning, Mrs. W. T. Long entertained at five tables of Boston Rook. The tables attractively placed, with bowls and vases of flowers, furnished interesting progressions for several rounds, after which the hostess served delicious ice cream and cake. Coming as a surprise to the guests, after their arrival, was the announcement that the occasion was the birthday of the hostess.

Miss Mattie Rogers Smith, of Martinsville, V., was the honoree on Saturday morning at a Bridge party given by her sister, Mrs. E. V. Boatwright, whose guest she is. The guests were members of the Young Girls Bridge Club, who enjoyed three tables of Bridge. The appointments and menu were characterized by the usual charm and arrangement of the hostess. Concluding the game, ice cream, cake and mints were served.

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DR LYNCH AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY

Dr. J. W. Lynch of Wake Forest will preach at the Baptist Church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Dr. Lynch is decidedly one of the strongest preachers of this denomination in the State and you will miss something worth while if you fail to hear him. Everybody invited.

ANNUAL OUTDOOR MEETING

The Mary Hambrick Auxiliary, will hold its business meeting at Franklin Springs, Aug. 10th 3:30 P. M. This is our annual outdoor meeting, and is given in honor of Miss Mary Nichols, and her friend. We want every member to go and carry lunch for two.

MRS. MAMIE MERRITT.

MOTERING THROUGH WESTERN CAROLINA

Mrs. J. W. Noell, Mrs. W. C. Clary, Jr., and Miss Elizabeth Noell left the first of the week for a trip through western Carolina, with Bryson City as their objective. They were joined in Durham by Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Markham.

COL. BURCH INVITED TO RE-UNION

Col. J. H. Burch left yesterday morning for Tarboro where he goes as an special invited guest to attend the Edgecombe County Confederate Reunion.

LARGE HAWK KILLED

Mr. Jule Smith, on route one, near Mr. T. D. Winstead's place, was exhibiting one of the largest hawks we have ever seen. It measured 49 inches from the tip of the wings, and stood 20 inches high.

SUPERIOR COURT NEXT WEEK

Superior Court will be in session here next week, Judge Calvert will preside. So far as we know, nothing much aside from liquor cases will occupy the time of the Court.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank everyone for the many kind expressions of sympathy during the illness and death of our little daughter and sister, Dorothy Louise Long. Also for the beautiful flowers, they will ever have a dear place in our hearts, and may God's richest blessings ever abide with them as our heart-felt prayer.

THE FAMILY.