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This Beautiful Cantata Was Given At The Methodist Church Sunday Night

MRS. J. A. LONG, DIRECTOR

The Cantata, "Chimes of the Holy Night," which was given at the Edgar Long Memorial Methodist Church last Sunday night was one of the most beautiful ever given here, and the interest manifested by the large congregation was evidence that the people of Roxboro enjoy good music. Too much praise can not be given Mrs. J. A. Long, who so successfully directed the cantata, especially when it is remembered that almost all of her male voices, says Dr. George Deade of Durham, did not know one note from another. In the absence of the Pastor, Rev. F. M. Shamburger, Rev. W. F. West, Pastor of the First Baptist Church was in charge of the devotional exercises.

Roxboro is deeply indebted to Mrs. Long, who has made this an annual event, and we sincerely hope she will continue it.

William Henry Hawkins

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Otho C. Hawkins, of Hurdle Mills, N. C., will extend their sympathy in the loss of their little three year old son, William Henry Hawkins, who died last Wednesday from pneumonia. The little fellow was born and had never been perfect in the care of his dear mother and loved ones but we want to offer this consolation to the grieved parents, that little William has been transplanted in that better land where all his physical ailments will be changed and that he will be waiting there for mother and father, transformed into a bright and beautiful little angel.

New show. New faces. New Bills. THE HOT SPOTS OF 1927" playing at Palace Theatre, Thursday, Friday and Saturday this week.

Accident At Jalong

A rather unusual accident occurred down at Jalong Sunday morning when a young man named Lesford took into his system just a little too much liquor and gets into his hands a shall blank title, and points it toward Hugo Moore, a good long year old boy and fired it. As a result a very painful powder burn was sustained by the little boy. Officer Dixon arrested Lanford and brought him to town where he was tried and given a small fine for his carelessness.

Small Blaze Near Town

Sunday afternoon an emergency call for help came from the home of Mr. J. D. Winstead who lives a few miles out of town on the Leasburg and Dixie Hill road when it was discovered that his home was on fire. The city firemen went out with the truck and together with the neighbors succeeded in getting the fire under control before it started. The main part of his residence, however, suffered considerable loss as his kitchen, smoke house and wood house was completely destroyed.

Season's Greeting

Believing that the joy of human relationship constitutes the greatest satisfaction in business, this message is sent to you as an expression of appreciation for your friendly patronage, and with the hope that yours was a joyous Christmas and the New Year will be filled with happiness.

Ruiff's Dept. Store,
Roxboro, N. C.

Nancy Bullock Taken To Hospital

Little Miss Nancy Bullock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bullock, was taken sick last Friday. Her condition continued to grow worse and Saturday evening became critical, when she was rushed to Watts Hospital for treatment. While her condition is still critical, we are glad to know she is somewhat better.

Woman's Club

The Woman's Club will hold its regular meeting on Monday, Jan. 3, at 3 p. m. in the club rooms. All members are urged to be present.

Earl Williams with "THE HOT SPOTS OF 1927". 15 People 15 Playing at Palace Theatre Thursday, Friday, and Saturday this week.

Painful Powder Burn

Little Guy Gardner, eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gardner, sustained a rather painful powder burn Christmas day when his blank cartridge pistol prematurely discharged while unofficially K. running very painful burn in one of his hands. Drs. Nichols and Love attended him and report that he is getting along nicely at this writing.

Christmas Exercises

Owing to the fact that night service was given away so that the congregation of the First Baptist Church might attend the service at the Edgar Long Memorial Methodist Church, Christmas exercises were held Saturday night. Rev. W. F. West, Pastor, gave a song and praise service on "The Life Of Christ," with pictures suitable to the occasion.

Change In Bus Schedule

The following will be the schedule in the Durham-Roxboro Bus Line effective Jan. 10th, 1927: Bus will leave Roxboro 10:15 a. m. and 8:15 P. M., making direct connection with Raleigh-Greensboro busses, also all other busses leading out of Durham.

L. D. Hamlin, Manager.

Marriage Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Tillman of Roxboro, route 3, announces the marriage of their daughter, Alma Pearl, to Mr. Kelly Otis Brewer of Roxboro route 3. The marriage took place in South Boston, Va., November 28, 1926, and was publicly announced at the home of the bride December 25, 1926, as they left for Richmond, Va., to spend a few days with relatives and friends.

Not Much of a Farmer, But—

Mr. W. B. Hughes, one of Person's practical business men, says he is not much of a farmer, doing a little farming and merchandising, but he killed two pigs which weighed 500 and 550 pounds, and raised so much corn that his crib would not hold it. Pretty good for a poor farmer, don't you think.

Painful Accident

One day last week Mr. Joe Burch, one of our good farmers who lives out on route 5, was painfully hurt in an accident, through which he lost his hand. He was feeding a large feed cutter when the rogs caught his hand. He was carried to the hospital in Durham, where it was thought best to cut off the hand at the wrist joint.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank all of our friends and neighbors who administered so freely of our needs during the sickness and death of our little son, William Henry. We want to assure each of you that we appreciated more than we can express all of this kindness.

Otho C. Hawkins and family,
Hurdle Mills, N. C.

An American Chorus of Twenty Girls with Earl Williams "THE HOT SPOTS OF 1927" playing at Palace Theatre, Thursday, Friday and Saturday this week.

Episcopal Service

Services at the Episcopal Church Sunday next at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. H. C. Mazycke. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Notice, Meeting Of Stock Holders

The Annual meeting of the Stockholders of The Peoples Bank will be held at the offices of the Bank on January, 15th, 1927, at 11:30 A. M.

By E. G. Long,
Vice President.

Painful Accident

The many friends of Mrs. Bradley Brooks of Timberlake, N. C., will regret to learn of a very painful accident sustained when she fell while walking along a path near her home fracturing her hip bone.

Mr. Bowles Honored

Mr. L. T. Bowles, who represents one of the leading tailoring firms of the country, was honored by having won a bonus for three months during the fall for leading in sales. This is quite a compliment, and a substantial one, as it was a cash bonus each time.

We'll Be Sweet

We beg to return our best thanks to Moss, Hambrick, Austin & Thomas for a box of Christmas bonbons, hoping that these sweets will keep us sweet for a long time.

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still of eighty gallon capacity, and
the remarkable thing about it was,
this big still was carried away on
the back of a horse. The still was
captured and brought to town.

Presbyterian Church

Sunday School at 9:45, H. L. Cre-well, Supt. Morning Service at 11 A. M. Sermon by the Pastor. Evening Service at 7:30.

Sunday School at Mitchel Chapel at 2 P. M.

Preaching Service at Warren Grove at 3 P. M.

May the happiness of Christmas last clear through at the New Year, though you use it every day.

REV. P. CARY ADAMS.

In Loving Memory

I will try to write a few lines in loving memory of my dear father, Abner A. Harris, who departed this life, Oct. 3, 1926, age 80 years. He had been in declining health for several years, but stayed up most of the time until last May, when he took his bed, and was never able to get up much more. He bore his suffering with great patience, and always tried to be cheerful. He leaves to mourn a wife, 6 children, 18 grandchildren and 1 greatgrandchildren, a host of relatives and friends. The funeral services was conducted at his home by Elder J. J. Hall, his pastor, with a large crowd of kindred and friends to pay their last respects. We miss him sadly, but in our hearts we feel to say, God loved him and called him to His arms. "The Lord giveth, and the Lord taketh away, blessed be His name."—Henrietta.

Basketball

Oxford Orphanage vs Bushy Fork Friday night at 7:30, Winstead Warehouse. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

Special Midnight show New Years Eve Friday December 31st, at 12:00 P. M. Make your reservation early. At Palace Theatre.

MICKIE SAYS—

NICE HEIFER CALVES for sale. Good stock and worth your attention. Price reasonable. Elko Raley Farm, Roxboro, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Talmage Reams and children of Ayden, are spending the week with Mrs. Reams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Bitterfield.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Featherston of Chapel Hill, spent Sunday and Monday with parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Featherston.

Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Carter of Paces, Va., visited friends and relatives in Roxboro Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Long and children of Durham, spent several of the Christmas holidays in Person county visiting relatives.

Mr. Chas. L. Ball of Baltimore is spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Harvey and his little son, Chas. Jr.

Mr. D. R. Taylor, our most efficient and popular floor man, is spending the holidays with the home folks in Robersonville, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Arch Jones and daughter Noell Jones, spent the week end in Greensboro visiting Mrs. Jones' sister, Mrs. B. R. Long.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Clayton spent Sunday visiting friends in Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. Isom Chambers and children of Stem, N. C., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Day.

Misses Carrie Duncan and Lizzie Newton are visiting in the home of Mr. Jasper Burch this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Clayton of North Wilkesboro, spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

Miss Meredith McNeal of Gibson, N. C., is visiting relatives in Roxboro this week.

Mrs. J. A. Naylor of Winston-Salem was a Roxboro visitor during the holidays.

Mess. Edgar Masten and Mercer Cameron spent the week end in Mullins, S. C.

A. W. McNeal spent last Friday in Tatum, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Warren spent Saturday in Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Strum spent Sunday in Durham, visiting friends.

Mr. C. G. Hall of Rocky Mount spent the week end with home folks.

T. M. Phillips and family are spending a few days with home folks.