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Big Poultry Meeting At Court House

Saturday, March 10th 2 P. M. Allen G. Oliver, Specialist, Will Be Main Speaker

SIXTH SPECIAL MEETINGS

Mr. Allen G. Oliver, Specialist in Poultry, State College, will be the main speaker of the day at the special poultry meeting of all interested in this phase of farming at the court house Saturday, March 10th, at 2 P. M. This is the sixth special meeting held recently in interest of different farm projects, and as poultry is kept on practically every farm in the county, there should be a large gathering to hear Mr. Oliver discuss the important subject on how to get the most from our farm and commercial flocks.

All of the ladies are specially invited, in fact, we expect to have the court house at least half full of the ladies who are interested in their farm flocks. All of the poultry club members are urged to attend this meeting as they will be able to get many pointers from the splendid lecture that Mr. Oliver will give. To get the most good from the meeting, the ladies are urged to bring their husbands to the meeting so as to enlist their cooperation for more and better poultry on every farm in Person County. Too many people think too lightly of poultry and just regard them as something that belong to the ladies, and fail to give the cooperation necessary to get the most from the farm flocks. With better stock, better houses and better systems of properly feeding, the income from poultry will mean much to many farm homes already poultry in the U. S. stands as one of the highest sources of income when compared to other farm products. When given a chance, the hen will pull her part of the load in helping to defray part of the necessary family expenses.

Death of Prominent Caswell Citizen

After a lingering illness of about six months, John F. Walters, a prominent and well known citizen of Caswell County died at his home near Blinck, N. C., Sunday, afternoon at 1:30. At the time of his death he was 78 years old and had lived in Caswell County practically all his life. He had held a number of prominent positions in the county, he having represented his county in the State Legislature, a member of the County Board of Commissioners, and during the World War he was a member of the Exemption Board for his county. Mr. Walters leaves a family of three sons and three daughters, J. F. Walters of Orange, Va.; J. M. and C. S. Walters of Blinck; Mrs. F. S. James of Danville, Va., who was living with him at the time of his death; Mrs. F. S. Whidden of Barlow, Fla., and Mrs. A. C. Gentry of Roxboro, also three brothers and one sister, Stephen Walters of Texas; G. S. of Greensboro; J. M. and Mrs. Kate Allen of Blinck. Funeral services were conducted from the home by Rev. W. S. Tillman, assisted by Rev. W. F. West of Milton, and Rev. W. F. West of Roxboro. Interment was in the New Hope cemetery near Blinck.

Luncheon Honoring Mrs. Thomas Lee

Mrs. A. H. Worth delightfully entertained a few friends at a luncheon Saturday at the Home Valley Country Club honoring Mrs. Thomas Lee of Roxboro. The guests included Mrs. Lee, honor guest Mrs. J. E. Carson of Charlotte; Mrs. Luther Carlton of Roxboro; Mrs. David Connor; Mrs. Edgar Rogers; Mrs. S. D. McPherson; Mrs. A. M. Worth; Mrs. T. C. Worth; and Mrs. A. H. Worth, hostess, Durham, N. C.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to take this method to return our sincere thanks to the many friends who so kindly remembered us during the long sickness and death of our husband and father. Their many acts of kindness and their deep sympathy will always be remembered by each of us. Mrs. E. B. Foushee and Family.

The Event of the Season, Jay Mason with his FASHION FLIRTS Co. lovely dancing Ladies at Palace Theatre, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, this week.

Gasless Motor Inventor



Lester J. Hendershot of Pittsburg who has just invented a "fuelless" motor, a free energy generator which is claimed to get its running power from the air.

Democratic Convention Sat. June 12

Large Crowd Overruns Hall Of Lower House - There Is No Speech-Making

WILL MEET AT RALEIGH

Raleigh, March 6.—North Carolina's Democratic convention was called tonight to meet in Raleigh, June 12. The county conventions were set for Saturday, June 9, and the precinct meetings for 3 o'clock, May 28.

This was a grand peace preserved in a session that ran exactly 17 minutes with the greatest committee assembly ever seen here. Chairman Dennis G. Brummitt, presiding, stepped down from the speaker's stand in the house of representatives where the interested were gathered, and circularly proclaimed it a great meeting. If the state democracy cannot accept whomever a candidate the good Lord sends it, it shall not be the sin of the hosts tonight; for ex-congressman John D. Bellamy, never absent in the making of peace, sent a soulful appeal to the committee to prepare a way for a show of tolerance in the state. And there had not been a word about Al Smith.

Not a Wordy Affair. Fact is, there had been no word about anybody. The meeting tonight was not of words. The Smith delegates had come here to resist the state chairman's proposal to hold the precinct meeting on the day of the state-wide primary. They yielded that point when they found the opponents of this plan willing to fix another date. The state primary is June 2. It was deemed best not to clutter that occasion up with any precinct rows. And the Smith men won. The delegates decided to oppose a post primary convention but while the regulars ate at the outside tables the dates. It was a victory for everybody. The committee eating with the governor at the mansion convened more than half an hour late, but the year was well employed in diplomacy. Most of the fight was taken from the committee when the whole organization agreed on a June date for the convention and decided to have a great peace.

The dinner delegates arrived at 8:00 and at 8:07 Chairman Brummitt checked by the desk for order. R. O. Self was named to assist Secretary Oughenour in keeping the records.

King-Bradsher Announcement

Mr. Wm. S. King announces the marriage of his daughter, Estelle, to Mr. James Edward Bradsher on Tuesday the sixth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, Roxboro, North Carolina.

Wanted

You to know that we are prepared to give you prompt and satisfactory services in any and all kinds of sewing at the Singer Shop, second floor, from post office, Hotel Jones building, The Singer Shop.

Big Damage Done By Fire Sun. Morning

Stock Of Merchandise Belonging To Cantor's Dept. Store Virtually Destroyed STORE BADLY DAMAGED

Sunday morning at 12:15 the fire alarm was sounded and the fire was found to be in the building occupied by H. Cantor and The Featherston Company. It started in the roof, between the roof and the ceiling, and, of course, was hard for the firemen to get at, but the fire-boys fought it with their usual energy. At one time it appeared that there might be need for assistance and Durham was called, and as usual responded promptly, though the fire was under control before they arrived. Roxboro is deeply grateful to the Durham fire company for their splendid response, always coming when called, and coming promptly.

The building belongs to Mrs. Mamie Merritt, and was considerably damaged. The stock of merchandise, belonging to H. Cantor was virtually destroyed. He carried a large stock and his loss will be heavy, though he was covered by insurance. Also the stock belonging to The Featherston Company was badly damaged, though not to the extent of the former, and was covered by insurance. The stock of goods belonging to S. & J. G. G. friend was slightly damaged by water. There is an adage that where there is one fire there will be three before it is over, and as this is the third disastrous fire here within the past few months we trust there will be a cessation, and we will not be aroused from our slumbers again soon by the fierce note of the siren.

Sunday School Convention at Allensville

The district Sunday School convention met with the Allensville Church last Sunday. There was a large attendance and the program was thoroughly enjoyed. The addresses were of a high order. Mr. D. H. Crumpton of Bahama, who is in charge of this work, is doing much for the interest of the Sunday School cause, and we are glad to know he is having the cooperation of the Sunday School workers.

String Music At H. M. High School

On Friday evening, March 16th, about 7:30, some of the excellent musicians of Person County will render a program of string music. Charlie Slaughter, some of the O'Brian brothers and one or both of the Tingen twins will be present. To name these musicians is to guarantee a good program. The public is urged to attend. After paying the musicians the proceeds will be used for the benefit of the school. Prices 15 and 25 cents.

Basket Ball Game For Friday Night

The White Flash boys and girls will play Hillsboro Friday night in the Pioneer Warehouse. The two teams have won one game each. The last game was won by Hillsboro 13-12. This game is expected to be one of the best of the year, and a large crowd is expected to see the game. The teams sure appreciate the loyalty of the Roxboro people. Thanks. B. B. Knight.

Orthopedic Clinic To Open Here Monday, March 19

Rotary Club Clinic For Cripples Will Be Opened In Roxboro

On Monday, March 19, 1928, the Rotary Club clinic for cripples will hold its first meeting in Royal Hotel. Many examples of Person, Caswell and Orange Counties will be provided with an opportunity to secure treatment by an orthopedic specialist that will remove a part if not all of the physical handicaps of many. This clinic is in charge of Dr. Walter Cole, Orthopedic Specialist and is conducted under the supervision of the N. C. Board for the Rehabilitation of cripples. It is made possible by the Rotary Club of Roxboro which is supporting it financially. All indigent cripples

BIG SALESMANSHIP CLUB NEARS END

LEVINE ARRIVES SAFE IN HAVANA

Havana, March 6.—The American monoplane Columbia, carrying Charles A. Levine, Wilmer A. Stultz and Miss Mabel Boll arrived here today from New York at 1:32 p. m.

Arrival of the transatlantic monoplane—Columbia in Havana marked the first non-stop flight from New York to the Cuban capital, a distance of approximately 1,400 miles. Miss Boll, sometimes called "the queen of diamonds" last summer, was refused to have offered as much as \$50,000 to be piloted across the Atlantic. The party, with Stultz acting as pilot, took off from Mitchell field at 11:30 o'clock last night, making the trip in 13 hours and 56 minutes.

Death of Prominent Roxboro Citizen

After an illness lasting for more than a year Mr. E. B. Foushee, a prominent and popular citizen of Roxboro, died at his home Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. During his long illness he made several trips to John Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore, but the noted physicians were unable to give him relief. Mr. Foushee was 61 years old, and had been a resident of Roxboro for many years, being a native of the County.

Mr. Foushee is survived by his widow, Mrs. Ada Foushee, one son, Edwin Foushee, one daughter, Miss Elizabeth Foushee, six sisters, Mrs. Furman Clayton, Mrs. Susie Tillman, Mrs. Ed. Vrenn, Mrs. Berta Jacobs, Mrs. Nancy McQueen and Mrs. Robert Jackson, and five brothers, Joe, George, Bob, Hugh and James.

The funeral services were conducted from the Methodist Church, of which he had long been a faithful member, by his pastor, Rev. T. A. Siga, assisted by Rev. W. F. West, of the First Baptist Church of Roxboro. An evidence of the popularity of Mr. Foushee the church was filled to overflowing, many being unable to get seats in the large auditorium.

The pallbearers were as follows: W. A. Clayton, R. B. Smith, T. B. Woody, Moe Goodman, Charles Holman and Albert Warren. Honorary pallbearers: W. H. Harris, D. S. Hooks, S. E. Davis, W. D. Merritt, G. M. Carlin, and E. M. Davis.

The floral-bearers were as follows: Mrs. V. Mitchell, Mrs. R. M. Spencer, Misses Mary Vrenn, Maude Foushee, Julia Yancy, Elizabeth Masten, Thelma Clayton, Roxanna Yancy, Annie Clayton, Bera Webster, Etta Vrenn, Omega Foushee and Ida Slaughter.

Regular Meeting of County Commissioners

The Board of County Commissioners met in regular session Monday, owing to the unavoidable absence of the chairman, Mr. A. C. Gentry, only two members were present, and no business other than the usual routine affairs were attended to.

To My Friends

This is the last week of The Courier Salesmanship Contest. If the friends I have not been able to see wish to help me, I shall appreciate it very much. If you have supported me and desire to add to that, it will be gratefully received. Mildred D. Satterfield.

Judges And Closing Rules Are Announced—Members Making Last Few Hours Of Campaign Count Most—Big Circulation Campaign Comes To Definite End Saturday Night At Nine O'Clock.

Judges For The Big Count

The following named gentlemen have consented to act as judges in the counting of votes cast in the Big "Salesmanship Club" and the awarding of the prizes to the successful members. The Roxboro Courier compliments itself and the Club members in having such representative citizens officiate at the close and assure each and every one a fair and impartial count.

THE JUDGES: MR. TOM WOODY, MR. J. H. WHITE, MR. GEORGE CUSHWA

Rushing through the last hours of a furious race for supremacy while time is ticking off the precious minutes, members of the Salesmanship Club in which a \$2,000 prize hat will be distributed after Saturday night, will shortly wind up the greatest newspaper campaign in the history of this section of North Carolina. Into every home of this section has spread the news that the "golden harp of plenty" is about to be tipped over and the burry and scramble to come under its beneficence is precipitating a veritable storm of votes.

Topping the list of hat sales is a wonderful Pontiac, two-door, each valued at \$350.00, and as second prize a Chevrolet Coach valued at \$250.00 is offered. These cars have won the admiration of thousands of people. Surprises in vote gains are being sprung by members all over the field. Already the mails are swelling with the volume of votes and subscriptions that are being sent in on the final report, but the height of this remarkable battle will be attained Saturday night, ending in one grand spurt when the call of "time" is shouted.

Candidates Are Working "Work without rest" is the portion the members have picked out for themselves during the last few days, for the extreme uncertainty of just how many votes each member may

Notice

We take this method of informing you of our new home. We have moved our plant in the laundry building next to Hotel Jones. We now have a nice up-to-date sanitary bottling plant that stands open six days a week for your inspection, you are welcome at all times to come and look us over. This invitation is especially extended to the ladies and housewives. Lime Cola Bottling Company.

Hotel Changes Hands

The Jones Hotel, which has been under the management of Mr. E. C. Byrd for several years, changed hands last Thursday, Mr. W. G. Miller, becoming the manager on that date. Mr. Miller is one of our very best citizens and the fact that he is to have charge of the hotel insures the public generally that Roxboro will have a hotel which every one will be proud of, and the traveling public will find a hotel where they will be glad to turn in for the night, week or month.

Leap Year Babies

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sam E. Barnett, a girl, on Wednesday, February 29th, 11:45 p. m. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Mandy Clayton a son, on Wednesday, Feb. 29th, 9:30 p. m.

B. Y. P. U. Study Course

The B. Y. P. U. study course will begin Monday night. We are expecting a good crowd to take the course. Roxboro is invited to have the State meeting here next month. B. B. KNIGHT, General Director.

The Meeting of all Musical Societies Jay Mason with THE FASHION FLIRTS Co. 15 People - 15 at Palace Theatre, Thursday, Friday, Saturday this week.

Building And Loan Asso. Met Saturday

More Than Sixty Homes Have Been Built Through The Association

GREAT HELP TO ROXBORO

The 7th annual meeting of the Roxboro Building & Loan Association met last Saturday in the office of the Secretary. The report showed the association to be in most excellent condition, having earned the past year a little more than 7 per cent. This is a fine showing, as only four other associations in the state have a better record for earning than the Roxboro association. At no time during its existence has it earned less than 7 per cent, and one year earned better than 8 per cent. The total assets of the association today, of rather of Dec. 31st, 1927, was \$435,883.21, and the number of shares outstanding on that date was 2503.

After hearing the report a vote of thanks was tendered the Secretary, Mr. J. S. Walker, for the very efficient manner in which he has handled the business since its organization.

Roxboro People Hurt In Auto Accident

Information was received here yesterday of an automobile accident which came very near having fatal results. Robert A. Jackson, who is now living in Durham, and his two sisters, Mrs. M. P. Satterfield and Mrs. Mabel Moore were all more or less seriously injured when the coupe in which they were going from Durham to High Point got out of control on the hills near the new Haw River, and upset and turned over several times. The accident occurred about 6:30 Tuesday morning.

It is understood that Mr. Jackson suffered broken ribs and possibly other injuries. He was the most seriously injured. The other two occupants of the coupe escaped with various cuts and bruises. The party was enroute to High Point on a business trip. Mr. Jackson's and attribute the smash-up to some failure of the steering gear. The car was practically demolished.

First Baptist Church

"Do right and thou has naught to fear." Right hath a power that makes thee strong. The night is dark, but light is near. The grief is short, the joy is long. T. C. Upham.

Bible School 10:00 - a. m., R. L. Wilburn, Supt.

Preaching 11:00 a. m. Subject: "The Contary Currents of Life." Preaching 7:30 p. m. Subject: "The Disaster of Obedience." B. Y. P. U.'s 8:30 p. m. Prof. B. B. Knight, general director.

Assault Charge Alleged

On last Friday afternoon Sheriff Eppoks received word that an assault had been made on a young girl, Axie Clayton, near Loch Lily. He and his deputies were soon at the scene where the assault was alleged to have been made, but failed to find any clue. Blood hounds from Durham were brought to the scene but they failed to track the guilty one. The girl, who is about 16 years of age, stated that she was recovering from an attack of mumps and had gone out for a walk when she was accosted, blindfolded and forced into a patch of woods nearby. She stated she could not say whether the man was white or black, or give any description of any nature, consequently there was no clue, and though the Sheriff and his deputies made a thorough search they were unable to find the whereabouts of the man. She stated in any way he connected with the deplorable affair.

Mr. Masten Seriously Ill

The friends of Mr. H. H. Masten will regret to know that he is seriously ill at his home on Oak Street. His condition this morning was reported as slightly better, but still very serious.

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