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Flying Achievements Of Wright Brothers At First Created Only Disbelief

But In Five Years They Con-
vinced World That Flying
Was An Actuality

FIRST FLIGHT 25 YEARS AGO

Now the Twenty-fifth birthday of flying is at hand and scientists and teachers everywhere are reviewing the astounding progress of aviation in the quarter century since its birth.

The Wright brothers conquered the air on December 17, 1903. They could not, however, conquer public opinion for some time after that. The story of their air-exploit was regarded as "wildcat stuff" even by intelligent editors and scientists.

These young bicycle makers of Dayton became interested in the idea of airplane after studying the life of Lilienthal, who had made several attempts to fly. The brothers spent months and months developing their first plane, and finally on December 17, 1903, Orville Wright flew 120 feet in 12 seconds at Kitty Hawk, North Carolina—the birthplace of modern aviation.

In 1906 the Wright brothers made public demonstrations which convinced even the most skeptical that flying was an accomplished attainment of man.

Just think of the progress of the airplane since Orville Wright's "record flight" of 120 feet.

Such achievements as Lindbergh's trans-Atlantic flight, and other long-distance feats; such improvements and inventions as those by Glenn Curtiss, have brought the airplane to its present high stage of development where it is a safe and comfortable passenger vehicle and a rapid and efficient carrier of mail.

Dr. H. E. Satterfield
Passes Away At Home

The host of friends and admirers of Dr. H. E. Satterfield in this and other sections of North Carolina will regret to learn of his death which occurred Saturday, November 22nd, at his home near Prospect Hill. Dr. Satterfield had been in declining health for several months and his death was no surprise to those in close attendance. He practiced his profession for several years in Roxboro and his congenial spirit and strong personality won for him many friends here. He leaves a wife and one son and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services were conducted from Prospect Hill Primitive Baptist church, of which he was a member and interment followed in the family cemetery Sunday afternoon attended by a large crowd.

Mrs. Eliza Perkins
Passes To Reward

Mrs. Eliza Jane Perkins, age 71, died last Thursday at the home of her son, Mr. J. A. Perkins. She had been in declining health for some time prior to death, which was caused by heart trouble. Mrs. Perkins was greatly loved by all of her neighbors, in fact by all who knew her and will be sadly missed in her community. Funeral services were conducted from Lambeth Memorial Baptist Church, Rev. L. V. Owens, Pastor, in charge of the ceremonies.

Thanksgiving Services

Thanksgiving services will be held here tomorrow morning in the Baptist church at 7:30, and in the Methodist church at 10:00. All are cordially invited to attend either or both of these services, and to remember the orphans.

Masonic Club Rooms

The younger members of the Masonic Lodge here have arranged a club room for the benefit of all members of that order. They have installed furniture, including a radio set, and have everything in fine shape for the boys to have a place to spend a pleasant evening. Mr. J. J. Woody sponsored the movement and deserves the thanks of his brother members.

Stores Will Close

Nearly all the stores will be closed in Roxboro for Thanksgiving Day. This is a fine spirit and we are proud of the merchant who feels like he can suspend business for one day in the year and give thanks.

Social Thanksgiving Program at Palace Theatre Thursday, Nov. 29th. Zane Grey's AVALANCHE with Jack Holt. Matinee and night.

Noted Leader Of Baptists Is Dead

Dr. E. Y. Mullins Victim Of Paralytic Stroke; Was Internationally Known Church Leader

Louisville, Nov. 23.—The Rev. Dr. E. Y. Mullins, internationally known Baptist leader, died at his home here at noon today following a stroke of paralysis on the morning of November 10. He was nearly 60 years old and for the last 29 years had been president of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary here.

His death was a signal for cessation of activities on the school campus, where students will hold a memorial service tomorrow morning. His wife and three sisters were at his bedside.

On Sunday the body will be taken to the Broadway Baptist Church, of which Dr. Mullins was long a member, to lie in state with an honor guard of students standing watch. Public funeral services will be held at the church Sunday afternoon, with interment at the Cave Hill Cemetery. In the seminary lot the body will be laid to rest beside those of other presidents of the school and leaders of the Southern Baptist denomination.

New Bus Line To To Serve Roxboro

Franchise for the operation of a bus line between Durham and Danville, Va., by way of Roxboro, Prospect Hill and Yanceyville, was awarded yesterday to L. D. Hamlin, of Durham, and a regular schedule will be placed in operation Saturday morning, it was announced last night.

The line will supplant the route which is now operated between Durham and Danville by way of Hillsboro. The Hillsboro line will be discontinued. Three round trips will be made daily over the new route, it was stated by Mr. Hamlin last night. The first bus will leave at 8 o'clock in the morning, arriving in Danville at 10:30 o'clock. The second and third cars will leave at 2 o'clock and 5 o'clock in the afternoon. The first bus leaves Danville at 9 o'clock in the morning and the second and third cars at 1 and 5 o'clock, respectively in the afternoon. The trip each way is 75 miles and the time two hours and a half.

Public Meeting Of The Jr. O. U. A. M.

There will be held a public meeting of the Jr. O. U. A. M. in the court house auditorium at Roxboro, N. C., Dec. 6th, at 7:30 p. m. This meeting will be held under the auspices of Roxboro and Jalone councils of the Order. All Juniors are expected to bring their families. The entire public is cordially invited.

Our State Councilor, D. W. Sorrell of Durham, N. C., will be the main speaker of the evening. Other prominent speakers of the Order will be present. Band music will be furnished by Jalone Council. Songs and quartettes will be given by Roxboro Council. Don't forget the time and date—Thursday, Dec. 6th, at 7:30 p. m. S. F. Nicka, Dis. Dep.

A Correction

In our last issue Mr. Hugh Woods had a small notice offering a good farm for sale, at least that is the way the advertisement appeared. The mistake was made in this office and it should have read "Farm For Rent." Mr. Woods said he had no idea so many people wanted to buy a farm, but what he wanted was a good man to rent his farm, as he did not care to sell. The corrected notice appears in another column, but it is just another sure indication that it "pays to advertise." If you doubt it, and have something you would like to sell try our "Want Column."

Hunters Notice

There will be an extra force of deputy wardens in the field Thanksgiving Day to see that the game laws are enforced. Have your license, do not kill any birds or turkeys. All game laws are in Dec. 1st. Errol D. Merton, County Warden.

Fred Nible's Production THE MYSTERIOUS LADY with Greeta Gabro and Conrad Nagel playing Palace Theatre Monday & Tuesday, Dec. 3-4th. Matinee Monday 3:00 P. M.

Broadcasts Farm News



FARMERS CAN GET NOON HOUR NEWS

200 Radio Stations Sends Market, Weather and General Agricultural News

5 DAYS A WEEK PROGRAM

Secretary W. M. Jardine is an advocate of the use of radio for the dissemination of information. The Department of Agriculture, which he heads, cooperates with more than 200 stations in sending weather, market and general agricultural information through the air.

"We have 6,000,000 farms in this country," says Jardine, "in the main operated independently. There is no board of directors to act for them. Our problem is to get facts to these 6,000,000 as quickly as possible. For this, radio affords invaluable service."

There is now a special 5-day-a-week noon hour broadcast for farmers, occupying three-fourths of an hour each day. The first third of the time the program comes from Montgomery, Ward and Company in Chicago. Then the scene shifts to Washington, where the National Broadcasting Company sends from its studio the latest information, reports, etc., supplied by the Department of Agriculture. Back again to Chicago for the last third.

This three-quarter hour program for farmers is replete with valuable farm information plus entertainment features. "The 14 radio stations cooperating in this noon hour program are KDKA, KYW, WCCO, WOG, WHO, WOW, WDAF, KWK, KVOO, WOAI, WBAS, WSM, WSB, KOA."

Roxboro Wins Fast Game From Hillsboro

In another rough and tumble affair on the local court the "White Flashes" barely nosed out Hillsboro's fast-stepping sextet by a two-point margin. The final count being 24 to 22 in favor of the locals.

At the sound of the first whistle the visitors sent into the lead by a three-point margin. In the second quarter Roxboro came back to take on the long end of the count. Hillsboro came up and tied the score, 14 all. The game then saw a small lead over the visitors Roxboro succeeded in holding her own during the remainder of the contest. It was a thrilling game from the very start. A crowd of about 300 fans were on hand to cheer the "Flashes" on to victory.

Edgar Long Memorial

There will be a Thanksgiving service held in this church at 10 o'clock Thursday morning. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Rev. J. C. Wooten, Presiding Elder, will preach Sunday morning and hold the first quarterly conference. All other services will be held at the regular hours.

Only 21 More Shopping Days Until Christmas



ROXBORO MARKET SOLD HALF MILLION POUNDS LAST WEEK

Average For The Week Was \$24.31 For Everything On The Floor.

TOTAL SALES 3,151,290 LBS.

Everything was lively around the warehouses and on the streets of Roxboro last week, and the farmers were generally well pleased with their sales. The sales for the week amounted to 506,506 pounds, and made an average of \$24.31 for everything on the floors. This, when it is remembered the large amount of very poor stuff which is being marketed is really a good price, and the farmers realize it fully.

The total sales for the market up to the close of business on last Friday were 3,151,290 pounds, but from appearances most of the tobacco will be sold by the closing of the market for the Christmas holidays, and the market will not sell as much as it did last year. The crop is short and will be sold earlier this year than usual.

On account of Thanksgiving Day the market will close with Wednesday's sale and will not open until Monday, December 3rd.

THE DEATH OF WILLIAM HUGHES

Found Dead In Bed Monday,
Death Being The Result Of
Heart Attack

Mr. William Henry Hughes, age 53, was found dead in his bed early Monday morning. A physician was summoned immediately, who pronounced heart trouble as the cause of his death.

Mr. Hughes was a merchant, doing a nice business, and was well known in the community in which he had lived for a number of years. His home was in the Eastern part of the County, North of Allensville. He had a large number of relatives and friends living in Roxboro, who were grieved to hear of his sudden passing. He is survived by his widow and several children, two sisters, Mrs. E. B. Foushee and Mrs. J. H. Masten, and one half sister, Mrs. J. M. Pass, all of Roxboro, and one brother, Mr. J. T. Hughes of Greensboro.

Funeral services were conducted from Burrellwood cemetery yesterday afternoon, conducted by Rev. J. B. Curran.

Even The Work Shop

We had an occasion Friday to want to speak with Mr. H. L. Crowell, manager of the Crowell Auto Company, and when we applied at the office we were told that we would find him back in the shop. Now, every one passing in front of this place remarks on how neat everything is kept, but like all other garages we have ever been in, the "back" we expected to find telling another story. Imagine our surprise when we found the shop looking just about as neat, and certainly as orderly as the front. Candidly, we would suggest to every garage in this section that they visit the Crowell garage and see just how clean a place can be kept.

Mr. Crowell has just installed a system, and it is truly a system, where everything is kept in its place, and everything has a place, and it is wonderful how neat, clean and inviting it is. If a garage shop, with all of its grease and dirt, can be made attractive, why do not all of us make our places inviting?

Oxford Singing Class

It is with pleasure we announce the coming of the Oxford Singing Class, of the Oxford Orphanage. They will be here on Wednesday night, Dec. 30th, 7:30, at the grammar grade auditorium. As usual, we expect to see the auditorium packed to its limit, and we assure you that it will be an evening well spent.

Will Serve Supper

The ladies of Helena Methodist church will serve supper Saturday evening, Dec. 1st, at Mr. T. H. Clay's store, Helena. There will be oysters, Brunswick stew, coffee and desserts. Come for a nice hot supper and help the ladies in their work. Will be glad to see you.

Chinaman Marries Negress In Danville

Danville, Va., Nov. 26.—Lim Ark Moon, a Chinaman from Greensboro, was married here this afternoon to Bertha Valentine, a Negress, by Rev. J. C. Melton, Negro Baptist Minister. Moon two weeks ago was denied a license temporarily here pending an inquiry to see if such a union would be countenanced. The laws of Virginia and North Carolina failed to reveal a legal bar and he secured the license today. Moon was born in Canton and is a laundryman.

MAY ASK HOOVER TO SETTLE ROW ON FARM RELIEF

Republican Leaders In Congress Have Many Different Opinions

INVOLVE TARIFF REVISION

Washington, Nov. 27.—Herbert Hoover may be called upon by some Congressional leaders to take a hand in the controversy raging at the capitol as to whether farm relief shall be disposed of at this approaching short session or await the leisure of the extra session promised by the President-elect if action is not now forthcoming.

Returning from his South American cruise probably in January, it appears likely that Mr. Hoover will find himself in this unique, if not embarrassing, position while Calvin Coolidge is still at the helm.

Coolidge Can't Decide

From the White House word came today that Mr. Coolidge had been unable to decide what the majority opinion of the wrangling Congressional leaders appeared to be on this question. He feels that agreement on a farm bill by members of Congress and others interested in the legislation is the first prerequisite to immediate action.

And this is what is worrying Congressional leaders. They feel that Hoover should indicate his views on the modified agriculture committee before any serious attempt is made to capture time in the short session for consideration of this subject.

Involved in the question of an extra session and farm relief is the problem of tariff revision. There seems to be general unanimity that there should be tariff revision—and that this revision constitutes a part of any farm relief program—but there are those who want an emergency tariff act passed at the short session, others feel it should be taken up in an extra session of the new Congress next Spring. Some, however, say that an extra session for this question early next Fall would be soon enough and still others feel tariff revision can take place at the next regular session a year hence.

Roxboro Beats Chapel Hill With 25-13 Score

Last Friday the Roxboro boys invaded Chapel Hill territory and brought back with them the big end of a 25-13 score. A part of the game proved to be the most thrilling football that spectators have seen the locals offer. After several exchanges of punts and Roxboro then in possession of the pig skin on her own 40-yard line, Walker went around end for 60 yards and Roxboro's first score. The following quarter Roxboro was playing on her own 15-yard line, when the flashy little Tiny Long went through the line and the entire backfield for a beautiful run of 83 yards, and the second score. Gentry then kicked goal.

Chapel Hill then took advantage of the breaks and soon had the score 13-13 at the end of the half.

The second half started with Roxboro receiving and soon the ball was in scoring distance. Long gains were made by passes by Sikes to J. Long. Twice J. Long was thrown within several feet of the goal. Gentry and Perkins played their usual game, which was good.

It is very probably that the following have played their last game. Captain Dolan Long, Herbert O'Brian, Bill Moore, Talmage Long, Claude Sikes, Henry Walker and Guthrie Gentry. They have all played good football all the season and will be missed very much when next season opens.

Thursday (Thanksgiving) November 29th, Zane Grey's Famous Novel, "AVALANCHE" with Jack Holt. Matinee at 2:30-4:00 P. M. Palace Theatre.

MOUNTAIN PARK ACT IS FULLY UPHELD BY STATE'S HIGH COURT

All Issues Raised In Suit Are Covered By The Supreme Court In Its Ruling

SEVERAL OPINIONS GIVEN

Raleigh, Nov. 21.—Constitutionality of the act creating the Great Smoky mountains national park and providing a bond issue of two million dollars by the state of North Carolina was upheld in every particular by the supreme court in an opinion handed down here today.

"It is subject to grave doubt whether damage is done in the sense of taking property by arresting the destruction of primitive forests until the defendant can decide whether it will undertake to appropriate the land covered by such forests," Justice Adams said in regard to the argument of W. H. Yarborough, the plaintiff, that the proposed condemnation of mountain lands was in violation of the "due process of law" provisions of the federal and state constitutions.

One by one Justice Adams took up the objections raised by the plaintiff in a test case brought against the North Carolina park commission, until he reached the climax with the assertion that even if the purpose of the proposed park "is primarily aesthetic," still it is within the power of the legislature to establish it.

Indeed, the question of what constitutes a "public purpose" has become largely theoretical in this day when parks, playgrounds and recreation centers are maintained by cities," said Justice Adams.

Frankly, a test case for the purpose of securing an opinion of the state supreme court on the constitutionality of the park act, the opinion covers the ground fully. Before the superior court in Richmond county now is pending a case in which a western North Carolina lumber company is seeking to delay the laying out of certain park boundaries. As declarations of the state supreme court as to the state constitution are conclusive as to the superior court, the opinion today was regarded by lawyers as knocking out the last leg objectors have to stand on.

First Baptist Church

Bible School 10:00 a. m. R. L. Wilburn, Supt.
Preaching 11:00 a. m. Subject: "Worthy Objectives."
Preaching 7:30 p. m. Subject: "Expect."
B. Y. P. U.'s 6:15 p. m. Miss Mabel James, Gen. Director.
Thanksgiving service Thursday morning at 7:30.

"They tell me thou art rich, my country. Gold in glittering flood, has poured into thy chest. Thy fields and harvest increase; Thy barns are replete. With harvest, and thy stores can hardly hold Thy merchandise. Unending trains rolled Along the net-work of thy rails, East and West. Thy factories and forges never rest. Thou art enriched in all things bought and sold. Eut, dost thou prosper? Better news I crave. O dearest country, Is it well with thee Indeed; and is thy soul in health? A nobler people, hearts more sweetly brave And thoughts that lift men up and make them free? These are prosperity and vital wealth."

—Henry Van Dyke.
A cordial welcome is extended to all.

BASKETBALL

Roxboro plays Cobb Memorial and Oak Hill here Wednesday night at 7 o'clock. There will be three games. Roxboro made a good start Friday night defeating Hillsboro. Mary Woody, Mary Gentry, Foy Oliver, Eliza Newton, Cornelia Newton and Dorothy Winstead put up a wonderful game. Roxboro is proud of its title team. The fast game ended 24 to 22 in favor of the White Flash team.

The boys and girls will play this Wednesday night. Come out and see Guthrie Gentry, Walker brothers, Harris, Warren, Long and the other boys start off. They will only have two chances to practice—but they will be in there. We are expecting a large crowd and a good time.

Thanks,
B. B. KNIGHT.