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"LIGHTHOUSE NAN" AT H. S. AUDITORIUM FRIDAY NIGHT, 8 P. M.

Interesting Play To Be Presented By The Junior Baraca Class

A PLAY FULL OF COMEDY

On Friday night of this week the Junior Baraca Class of the Roxboro Baptist Church will present an enjoyable comedy, "Lighthouse Nan", at the High School auditorium at 8 o'clock.

The scene of the play is laid on the coast of North Carolina and the play opens with a scene at an old lighthouse. Here lives Nan—the little roustabout—with her grandfather, Ichabod Buzzer, and "the gentle antelope", Moll Buzzer—and January! We couldn't forget old mule January, who "gets more skittish every day of his life." Here Ned Blake spends the summer and falls in love with Nan; here Injun Jim, the bad man, tries to steal from Moll and is arrested; here Mr. Enlow and his daughter, Hortense, with her "stuck up airs and bossy manners", come on a visit and Hortense's pride is "taken down a peg or two" by Injun Jim. With Mr. Enlow are, also, Sir Arthur Chokey, "a real live speckled tater" and his sister, Sarah, who must have a "room with a bath." But come and see the play. It will be worth 50c to see Coy Day as Ichabod and his antics with January—to see Nan and Sir Arthur "bapsousing" a hen; to see Injun Jim. And there will be the added attraction of a "beauty chorus" of sixteen and a six-piece orchestra.

The cast of characters is as follows: Enlow, Pres. of the Coastal Banking Co., Mr. Billy Montague; Ned Blake, his private secretary, Mr. Dick Woody; Ichabod Buzzer, the keeper of the old lighthouse, Mr. Coy Day; Sir Arthur Chokey, an English nobleman, Mr. Clyde Hall; Injun Jim, a bad man, Mr. Dolan Long; Lighthouse Nan, Mrs. Bill Minor; Moll Buzzer, the gentle antelope, Miss Mabel Montague; Sarah Chumley Chokey, Sir Arthur's sister, Miss Mary Riley; Hortense Enlow, a city belle, Miss Neva Lunsford. The chorus is composed of Frances Allen, Jane Carver, Helen Morton, Kathrine Nicks, Bernice Rhuff, Suzanne Winstead, Frances Wood, Rose Ellen Woods, Bill Moore, Spencer Woody, Barksdale Smith, Elmer Walker, Henry Walker, Ben Davis, Malcolm Warren and Howard Duncan. An orchestra consisting of Miss Bivins Winstead, Mr. Jerry Dixon, Mr. Edgar Masten, Mr. Alvin Warren, Mr. Harold Lee Perkins and Mr. Clyde Hall will furnish the music for the evening.

Miss Marthens Bivins is director of the play and Mrs. R. B. Dawes is directing the chorus. Admission 25 and 50 cents. Don't miss "Lighthouse Nan"!

P. T. A. Meeting

The March meeting of the P. T. A. was held in the Graded School building on Friday night with Mrs. B. G. Clayton presiding. A large number of parents and teachers were present, and Miss Moore's room again won the prize for having the greatest number of parents in attendance. The treasurer reported \$175.40 as proceeds from the play recently given.

A short but interesting program was given by some young people from the grammar grades. Mary Miller recited the poem "It Takes A Lot Of Loving." Robert Walker sang "Old Uncle Ned" and Buddie Allgood gave a recitation "A Good Little Boy."—Sec.

Death Of Mrs. Woody

Mrs. Sue Woody, age 55 years, died Saturday evening at 6:30 o'clock at Watts hospital, where she had been for the past two weeks. Death followed an operation. Mrs. Woody was born near Bethel Hill, and numbered her friends by her acquaintances. She is survived by her husband; four sons, Walter Woody, of La Crosse, Va.; Claude, John and Ben Woody of Bethel Hill, and one daughter, Mrs. S. J. Amis, of Sandy Ridge.

Funeral services were conducted from Bethel Baptist church yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. N. J. Todd, officiating. The pallbearers were Bernice Wilburn, William Wilburn, E. Y. Jones, Will Humphries, J. B. Barswell and B. W. Gentry.

Jno. VanArman's Minstrels, all new, all white, bigger, better, brighter than ever, playing Palace Theatre one night only, Thursday, March 21st. Reserved seats now on sale at Miles Pharmacy.

Pastures are being planted in Alamance County at the rate of 40 acres a day when weather permits.

BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION HELD MEETING LAST SAT.

Report Shows More Than Four Thousand Shares Of Stock Now Outstanding

A USEFUL INSTITUTION

Few people in Roxboro or the County, appreciate the size of the Roxboro Building & Loan Association, or the great good it has done, and is doing for the town and County. The annual meeting was held in the office of the Secretary, last Saturday morning, and his report showed there were more than four thousand shares of stock outstanding, with more than a quarter of a million dollars of assets.

The first series will mature some time this summer, and many thousands of dollars will be turned loose, besides clearing many homes of the mortgages which were made when the home was built. In fact, there will be many home owners here who would probably never have had a home but for the B. & L. Association. The Association has been in existence for six years, and during this time the Association has never lost a dollar. We doubt if there is another business in town which can claim such a record.

After the meeting of the Association the board of directors met and re-elected Mr. F. O. Carver, president; Mr. A. M. Burns, vice-president, and Mr. L. M. Carlton, attorney. Of course Mr. J. S. Walker, who has been the capable and efficient secretary since its organization, was re-elected.

A new series will open April 1st, and we can conscientiously advise any one to take some stock, for it is one of the safest and best paying saving institutions to be found.

Roxboro Hi School Baseball Team Report For Training

Another Addition

At the Rotary meeting last Thursday night Mr. Feight of the Collins-Aikman Corporation, was a visitor and gave the splendid news that the Company had contracted for another section to be added to the mill at once. When this addition is completed the mill will have sixty thousand square feet of floor space, making it one of the large manufacturing plants in the plush industry. He stated that a large part of the new addition would be devoted to finishing the product, and that shipments would be made direct from the factory to the buyer. He further stated that it was the intention of the Company to greatly add to this large plant within the next twelve months.

It Will Happen Often

One of my very best friends and customers had a full coverage policy on his sedan. The collision part he said was too high and cut it out. The tenth day after he dropped it, his car turned over two or three times, broke his arm in two places, demolished his car, worth \$1500.00 and more, put him in the hospital six to eight weeks at a tremendous expense, losing his valuable time. If it was figured fine, this man lost at least \$2500.00 trying to save, say, \$50.00. Take my word, don't drop any insurance, take more and be safe.

Satterfield Insurance Agency "Old and Tried" Roxboro, N. C., March 11, 1929.

New Members County Board Of Education

The following members will constitute the County Board of Education for the next two years: Mr. W. R. Wilkerson and Dr. O. G. Davis, re-appointed, and Mess. E. E. Bradsher, Geo. W. Walker and Ralph Cole. The former members, Mess. C. G. Reade, D. S. Brooks and Robert P. Burns, declined to serve, hence the new members.

Here From Wisconsin

Dr. David T. Long, wife and little David Jr., of Whitehall, Wisconsin, arrived in Durham Friday evening, and is at his old home in Hurdle Mills attending the bedside of his mother, Mrs. Pattie Long, who is seriously ill. Dr. Long stated that when he left Whitehall they had around a two foot snow and zero weather.

Raspberry culture will be started in Avery County this year by boys belonging to the 4-H clubs.

Foch Fights Death



Marshal Foch, leader of the Allied Forces during the World War, is gravely ill in Paris, fighting what his doctors believe is a losing battle with death. He is 77 and has been suffering of a complication of diseases since Jan. 14.

"All Stars" Defeat Roxboro High School

An interesting game was staged on the local court here last night between Roxboro's "All Stars" home team and the high school team. The game terminated in the score board giving the "All Stars" the advantage of four points. The game carried with it quite a bit of excitement near the last half, when a collision between Wallace Harris and Tiny Long resulted in a painful cut over Harris' left eye. The final score was 30 and 34 in favor of the All Stars.

The moa, largest of birds, native of New Zealand, lived 400 years ago.

U. D. C. Scholarships

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For a girl or boy (not necessarily descendants of Veterans). Remember the Jefferson Davis Essay Prize scholarship, to be given to the girl or boy writing the best essay on "The Life of Jefferson Davis," value \$200.00. If won by a girl, she can use the scholarship either at N. C. C. W. or East Carolina College. A boy may select either the University of N. C. or N. C. State College.

The Essay must be typewritten and must be in the hands of the Educational Chairman not later than June 1st. For further information write Mrs. J. S. Welborn, Chm. Education Division U. D. C., High Point, N. C., or Mrs. S. B. Davis, Pres. Person County Chapter.

Civil Service Examination Announced

The Civil Service Commission at Washington has announced an examination to be held in Roxboro for the purpose of establishing an eligible register. Date of examination will be announced later, however the date on which applications for the examination will close has been set for April 5th, 1929.—Secy.

Box Party

There will be a box party held in the W. O. W. hall in East Roxboro School, Saturday night, March 16th, at 7:30 o'clock. The proceeds will go for the benefit of the church. Mr. G. Hugh Day, the singing auctioneer, will be present. Every body invited.

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SCREEN VERSION WORLD FAMOUS STAGE PLAY HERE

Anne Nichol's "Able's Irish Rose" Filmed By Paramount, At Local Theatre

MON. & TUES. MARCH 18-19

"ABIE'S IRISH ROSE"

It might be a flower of some kind, but to the devotees of the theatre, and this means nearly every citizen in this world, that title means much. "Able's Irish Rose" has been hailed as the world's most successful play. Five and a half years of continuous performance on Broadway, New York, and record engagements in every city, town, hamlet, state and nation in the world have made "Able" the outstanding theatrical event in centuries.

It has now gone into the movies, and the film version, made by Paramount, is being exhibited on the screen at the Palace Theatre Monday & Tuesday, March 18-19th.

"Able" has been given an unusual production, according to all reports. While it is a comedy, no hint of slapstick is allowed to appear. Anne Nichol, creator of "Able's Irish Rose," personally supervised the production, and saw to it that her story became a poignant comedy-drama of love and tolerance, showing the wrong done by racial misunderstanding and bigotry.

And, while dramatic moments fill the story, the lighter incidents have not been forgotten, by any means. Most of the comedy rests on the shoulders of three players, those essaying the roles of Sarah the deaf housekeeper, and Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Cohen.

Playing Palace Theatre Monday & Tuesday, March 18-19th, with matinee on Monday at 3:00 P. M. Evening performances at 7:15-9:00 P. M.

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Murderer's Gun Found Near Roxboro

An echo of the murder of the chief of police of Bethel, N. C. was heard in Roxboro yesterday when Chief Oliver located a gun which had been used by the murderer. Tog Pulley was accused of this murder, which took place in Martin County in December, since which time he has been sought far and wide. Last Saturday he was arrested in Henderson and returned to Greenville for trial. In his flight from North Carolina, which took him as far as Brooklyn, N. Y., he passed through Roxboro. At the home of Foster Mason, about four miles from town, he stopped and left an ugly-looking shotgun of the pump variety, and it was this weapon which was recovered by Chief Oliver yesterday. Reports from Pitt County stated that the gun was among some articles stolen from Johnston, and it was at once returned to Pitt County officials.

Program To Be Given At Helena High School

The Grammar Grades of Helena School will present Pandora, an opera in three acts Friday evening, March 15, at 7:45 o'clock. This is the one program the grammar grade pupils have looked forward to present. The proceeds of this program will go to pay for the new library recently bought for the grammar grades. The admission charge will be only 15 cents and 25 cents. The public is cordially invited to come and enjoy this program.

COCA-COLA FOUNDER PASSES IN ATLANTA AFTER LONG ILLNESS

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The soft drink magnate had been in poor health for several years, the last two and a half of which he spent in the hospital which he endowed. Known widely for his philanthropies and public benefactions, Mr. Candler retired as active head of the Coca-Cola Company 18 years ago and was succeeded by a son, Charles H. Candler. The business was sold ten years ago to the present operating concern, the Coca-Cola Company, of Delaware, for \$25,000,000.

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About 1,000 pounds of grass seed will be planted for permanent pastures in Nash County in March. Anne Nichol's Famous Stage Play, ABIE'S IRISH ROSE, at last on the screen with all the thrill of the stage, playing Palace Theatre Monday & Tuesday, March 18-19th. Matinee Monday 3:00 P. M.

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