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ROXBORO'S BIG DAY THURSDAY, JULY 18

Almost Every Merchant Is
Offering Dollar Day
Attractions

LARGE CROWD EXPECTED

Thursday, July 18th, will be a big day for those who visit Roxboro on a shopping expedition. Through the efforts of the Roxboro Merchants Association the merchants have put on a Dollar Day sale, and at this sale almost every merchant is offering some special prices on various lines. You will find it greatly to your advantage to come here on that day and select the things you are going to need, for you will hardly have another opportunity to buy at the prices named. Remember, every article will be sold at the price quoted, because the Association is behind the sale. Should there be any who might be inclined to vary from prices quoted, or are not displaying goods as advertised, if you will kindly call same to the attention of the secretary, Mr. E. B. Dawes, said merchant will hear from him in no uncertain sound.

Come to Roxboro on Thursday, July 18th, and make your dollar do double duty.

Overman's Proposal For Statues Vetted

Washington, July 5.—Senator Overman's proposal for statues of Lee and Grant on Arlington Memorial bridge has been vetoed by the Washington Fine Arts Commission.

Chairman Charles Moore wrote the Senator that with the imposing statue of Grant near the Capitol, it would be invidious to erect another in close proximity and that relatives of General Lee have continually objected to erection of a statue of him in the national capitol.

Senator Overman's proposal did not go further than to ask for estimates as to cost. With the veto by the final authority on building in Washington, it will not be necessary to go into the question of costs.

Senator Overman wanted a statue of Lee on the south end of the bridge and of Grant on the north end, with a symbolical figure in the center. He desired to symbolize in the bridge, now under construction, the reuniting of the North and the South.

Edgar Long Memorial

You will enjoy being present at the services in this church next Sunday. The church is just about as cool a place as you will find. The services will be helpful if we all will attend and enter into them in the spirit of the Master. Splendid music will be rendered by the excellent choir of the church. You will always find a very cordial welcome here.

All regular services will be held next Sunday: Sunday School at 9:45; sermon at 11 and 3:00. Epworth League 7:15.

At the evening hour Rev. John H. Shore, one of the church's strongest preachers and who is well known in this entire county, will be the preacher. Of course, his many friends will be glad of the opportunity to hear him.

T. A. SIKES, Pastor.

Fine Gardening

Years ago when an unusual large apple, orange, or a specimen of any of the vegetables was displayed at our grocery stores that carried an unusual size, we generally summed up its home as being in California, the land that grows very large fruits and vegetables, but things have changed a bit along the line of vegetable and fruit growing. In fact the whole agricultural system has undergone a marked change, and now when we see an extra pretty display of fruit or a big turnip, pumpkin, or cabbage we ask what section of Person county it was raised in.

Last week a cabbage that weighed fourteen and one-half pounds was on display at one of the grocery stores, and upon investigation we learned that the fine specimen was raised in Roxboro, in the garden of Mrs. Maggie Teague. This fact reveals the guarantee that we can raise things just as well as any other section of the Nation, when the soil is properly prepared.

Revival Services At Lambeth Memorial

There will be two services each evening this week at 6:30 and 8 o'clock at Lambeth Memorial church. Revival will be conducted by Rev. John L. Coley of Greensboro. Singer, Q. L. Fry of Hickory will be in charge of the music, and Miss Lorena Wade, pianist.

Golden Belt Nine Defeats Roxboro

The Golden Belt team of Durham defeated the Roxboro nine in a slow and uninteresting game last Saturday afternoon, the score being 9 to 1. For some cause the Roxboro boys never did get in the game, playing a listless and tiresome game from beginning to end. Roxboro has a good team, composed of some of the best players in this section, but the manager will have to get more pep in them if he expects to see them win any game of note.

SUBMARINE CRASH OFF WALES TAKES LIVES OF 23 MEN

English Flotilla Suffers Disaster When Two Submarines Collide

LITTLE HOPE FOR RESCUE

Pembroke, Wales, July 9.—Navy experts and divers tonight entertained only the slenderest hope of saving any of the 21 men aboard the submarine L-47, which sank 20 miles due west of Fishguard this morning after a collision with the submarine L-12 during surface maneuvers with 18 other submarines. The flotilla was en route from Lampash to Portsmouth Naval Station.

Twenty ships of the British Navy rushed tonight to the rescue of the H-47, lying 270 feet below the surface of St. George's Channel. Salvage operations with Pembroke docks as their base will begin as soon as the vessels arrive, under the personal supervision of Rear Admiral H. E. Grace, commanding officer of submarines at Portsmouth.

The total casualties of the collision reached 23 tonight with the death of Arthur Sampson, injured seaman of the L-12. Chief Signaller Bull of the L-12, reported missing, is believed dead.

Only Two Saved. Only two members of the crew of 23 of the H-47 were saved. Lieut. R. J. Gardner, commanding officer and Telegraphist Sidney Cleburne were believed to have been hurled into the sea from her conning tower by the shock of the collision.

The salvage fleet includes the battleship Rodney, from which diving operation will be conducted, the destroyers Tilbury, Vivian and Thanet, four mine sweepers, five submarine chasers, three lighters, two seagoing tugs, and two flying boats.

Save Your Baby

Do you know over two thousand North Carolina babies die before they are two years of age?

Do you realize your happy cooing baby may be almost over night stricken and wilt as a tender flower?

Do not wait to give your baby every attention to make him strong and build up his resistance against the many diseases of babyhood.

Give him a sunbath daily! The healthy tan will make him grow, so don't keep him indoors no matter how young. Feed him at regular intervals, so he will not have an upset digestion during these hot days.

Avoid patent baby foods. Screen your house and kill the flies. Flies are a disgrace. How long will you let them eat with your baby and carry disease germs from other sick babies to yours? Can you live in the same house with these filth carriers?

Your Public Health nurses will be glad to instruct you on care and feeding of infants.

Let us help you with your baby and let Person County have more perfect babies.

Person Co. Board of Health.

Fine Holstein Cow

Mr. W. Y. Pass probably owns the finest cow in the County. She has a record of 9 gallons of milk a day, and has given as much as five gallons at a milking. There has been wonderful improvement in the quality of cows in this County, which is evidenced by any one who will take notice as they ride along the highways of the County.

So dense is the material on a companion star to Sirius that a matchbox full of it would weigh a ton.

Starfish destroy hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of oysters annually in Long Island Sound.



MR. W. M. SATTERFIELD
President of the Roxboro Merchants Association, Junior member of the firm of Wilburn & Satterfield, and one of Roxboro's most progressive young business men.

Contract Let For Street Improvements

Bids were opened last week in the City Manager's office for street improvement, including curb and gutter and concrete side walk. There were 11 bids received. Mr. Jack Long of Durham being the lowest bidder, was awarded the contract. Work is to commence within 15 days, and will be rushed to completion.

RAFE F. KING FOUND GUILTY

Chester, S. C., July 9.—Rafe F. King, 37, member of a wealthy Shelby, N. C. family, was found guilty of murdering his wife, Faye Wilson King, by a jury in Chester county criminal court here today. The verdict automatically carried with it the death penalty.

Although the court room was almost filled when the jury reported at 6:15 p. m., eastern time, that it had reached a verdict, there was complete silence as the verdict was announced.

King smiled faintly as the pronouncement that may send him to the electric chair was made. Both he and his attorneys declined to make any statement other than that the case would be appealed. Arguments for an appeal were set for 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Wanted: A Brave Man

If one touches a toad, one will get warts. So persons have believed for a very long time. Why?

The scientific books on disease of the skin recognize the fact that the cause of warts is unknown. The wart, it is known, represents a thickening of certain layers of the skin with projection upward. This process is initiated by an irritation which may be due to poison, to bacteria, to mechanical action or possibly to nerve disturbances.

Says Dr. Morris Fishbein, editor of the Journal of American Medical Association: "There is one excellent way, however, to proving promptly, that touching a toad will not produce warts—that is to get a toad and touch it. It is a safe bet that the warts will not appear in the vast majority of cases when this experiment is tried."

This sounds very convincing. We are modern, progressive, and far from superstitious. Yet... we would rather someone else made the test.

Lea Bethel Church

Revival services will begin at Lea Bethel church on Sunday afternoon, July 14th, at 3 o'clock and 8 o'clock in the evening.

Beginning on Monday services at 8:00 and 8:00 o'clock each evening and will continue through the week. Rev. Tom E. Walters of Rocky Mount will preach, and Evangelistic singer Q. L. Fry will be in charge of the music, with Miss Lorena Wade at the piano. Everybody is most cordially invited to attend.

L. V. Coggins, Pastor.

William Haines with Lionel Barrymore and Karl Dane in "ALIAS JIMMY VALENTINE" playing Palace Theatre Monday & Tuesday, July 16-17th. Matinee Monday 3 p. m.

Contract Let For New Colored School Building

The Board of Education met yesterday and let the contract for the colored school building to be erected on the road leading to Hurdle Mills, in the Southern part of the town. Messrs. J. W. Byrard & Sons, of Raleigh, were the lowest bidders, their bid being \$23,142.00, including plumbing and heating.

The Board had previously purchased several acres of land from Mr. W. L. Foushee, which added to the site already owned, will give ample grounds for the school, and the building will be one of the most complete school buildings in the County.

The first American built automobile was built by Winton in 1898.

Court Tells Whoopee Girl To Put on 'Decent' Clothes

Winston-Salem, July 9.—Because she was not "decently" dressed, Judge Watson in municipal court today refused to try the case of May Shirley, 20-year-old girl charged with vagrancy. The young woman came before the court clad in one of the new backless dresses open to the waist, while her skirt stopped half way between her waistline and knees. In addition she was without hose, having only socks that stopped at the top of her shoes.

Judge Watson called for the welfare officer and instructed him to see that the Shirley woman was

BASE BALL SATURDAY

Irving Auditorium To Play Here
Saturday, July 13th

There will be a ball game here on Saturday, July 13th, at 4 p. m., between the Irving Auditorium, Durham, and the Roxboro team. The town boys have selected a foe worthy their best mettle, and you want to see our boys get in action.

Low Cost In State To Educate Child

The cost of keeping one child in school for one year in North Carolina is only one-half the average cost in all the other states; for the per capita cost in this State is only \$32.09, while the average per capita cost for the entire United States is \$65.00. Nor is this all. For the 48 states, North Carolina ranks fortieth in total cost of operation, meaning that there are only eight other states in the union that operate their schools at lower per capita cost than does North Carolina.

These facts are shown in an exhaustive statistical study made by Dr. M. C. S. Noble, Jr., of the State department of public instruction, in which the various school costs are analyzed and compared with similar costs in other states. The study shows, according to Dr. Noble, that instead of spending money extravagantly for education, as has been charged, that the State is in reality spending less than half as much per pupils as the United States as a whole, and that the operating costs are among the nine lowest in the entire United States.

"And while I have as yet made no statistical study of this angle, I believe that such a study would show that North Carolina is getting a higher type of school and better instruction for the amount of money spent than any other State," Dr. Noble declared.—Lenoir Topic.

North Carolina State College Textile School

The demand for trained men in the Textile Industry is constantly increasing. An evidence of this fact is that the Textile School of North Carolina State College has had more requests for graduates this year than ever before. The number of requests greatly exceeded the number of men in the graduating class.

Never before have there been such opportunities for young men with a technical education. Just as long as clothing is worn, the Textile Industry will play an important part in the commercial activities of the world and prove an attractive field for young men of character and ability.

At North Carolina State College the textile curricula have been worked out so as to give not only a broad general knowledge of the science and practice of textile manufacturing, but also the fundamental principles of economics, business, and the social and physical sciences. This institution endeavors to develop broad minded men with a good technical education. That these curricula have been worked out on a sound educational basis is attested by the fact that many of its alumni are now filling responsible positions in every phase of the Textile Industry.

Card Of Thanks

I wish to thank my friends for their kindness during the death of my husband, the late Walter Y. O'Brian.

Mrs. W. Y. O'Brian.

Mrs. R. G. Bailey of Louisburg, is spending some time with her mother at their old home at Bethel Hill.

Plant Lookout Mountain Potatoes For Late Crop

By H. K. Sanders

The Lookout Mountain variety of Irish potato is well adapted to Southern conditions, yields well, keeps well in storage, and should be used for the fall crop. While it is not quite as high in quality as several other varieties of potatoes, its other good qualities cause it to be planted by many gardeners.

Seed of the Lookout Mountain may not be readily available and it will therefore be advisable for those who intend to plant the variety to secure seed as soon as possible.

Sometimes Green Mountain and other white skinned varieties are sold for Lookout Mountain, but these are not as satisfactory for fall planting. Lookout Mountain can be identified by the dull white tubers with a reddish tinge around the eyes.

In case seed of the latter variety can not be obtained, cold storage seed of Cobbler and Bliss may be planted. With a favorable season, these will give a fair yield.

Fall potatoes are planted and fertilized in the same way as those grown in the spring. The crop should be planted during July. If the seed are dropped in freshly opened furrows as quickly as possible after the furrows are made, and covered immediately, better stands may be obtained. The seed pieces should not be exposed longer than necessary to the direct rays of the sun. The Lookout Mountain will usually give a better stand than other varieties.

New Warehouse Firm

The Planters Warehouse will be run this season by Messrs. Brewer, Wilkerson and Featherston. These are all native County men, who have been raising tobacco all of their lives and know the tobacco business, and will sell a large share of Person county tobacco. Mr. Joe Featherston, who is a member of the firm, will do the auctioneering, and he is admitted to be one of the best in the county, having filled this position on the Danville market for several years.

Visited Natural Bridge

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitfield, Mrs. W. J. Whitfield, Misses Onnie Whitfield, Lottie Long of Bushy Fork, Mr. and Mrs. Robb Whitfield and children, Miss Elma Foushee, Mr. Scott Howater of Roxboro, Mr. Crawford Newton of Yanceyville, Mr. Lenward Rogers of Prospect Hill motored over to Natural Bridge, Va., Sunday to see the scenery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morton, Misses Velma Overton, Lorena and Catherine Whitfield, Mr. Norman Riegsbee, of Durham, also visited Natural Bridge Sunday.—Cor.

The Nelson monument in Trafalgar Square, London, is cleaned once every 20 years.

Aside from water, alcohol is the most valuable solvent we have.

A Chicago antiquary has ascertained Columbus' voyage cost \$7,000.

\$3,921,000,000 OF NEW CURRENCY WILL GO INTO USE TODAY

Smaller Size Bills Will Be Exchanged At Banks For Old Money

IN ALL DENOMINATIONS

Washington, July 9.—Approximately \$3,921,000,000 of the new small paper money had been shipped to federal reserve banks throughout the country today for issuance beginning tomorrow to replace the larger currency.

The amount that goes into circulation tomorrow depends on the number of worn out bills received by the banks. Treasury officials estimated that \$50,000,000 or more of that immediately issued will disappear to be held as souvenirs. They do not anticipate any currency stringency, however, because only bills of small denominations, from one to 20 dollars, will be included in the first issue.

The new bills, much smaller than the currency that has been in use since the civil war, are 6 5/16 inches long and 2 1/8 inches wide.

The first issue of the new currency will include United States notes, silver certificates, gold certificates and federal reserve notes. National bank notes will not be put into circulation until next week.

The treasury said today that 75 per cent of the amount of similar denominations now in circulation had been sent to federal reserve banks and that in all 959,000,000 pieces of the new currency will be in the hands of the banks throughout the country.

First Baptist Church

"The neglect of one duty often renders us unfit for another. God is a 'rewarder', and one great principle on which He dispenses His rewards is this—through our faithfulness in one thing He bestows grace upon us to be faithful in another."

—Icabod Spencer.

Are you doing your duty to God and to your fellow man?

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

Preaching 11:00 a. m. Subject: The Path Of Life.

Preaching 8:00 p. m. Subject: Doing Our Duty.

B. Y. P. U's 6:45 p. m.

We are having splendid crowds and fine music from the Chorus Choir under the leadership of Mr. Young at the night service. If you come you will want to come again.

A cordial welcome extended to all.

W. F. WEST, Pastor.

Prompt Settlement

Roxboro, N. C., July 6, 1929.

Mr. S. P. Satterfield, Agent
Jefferson Standard Life Ins. Co.
Roxboro, N. C.

Dear Mr. Satterfield:

I am in receipt of check for \$2000.00 in settlement for life policy of the Jefferson Standard, held by my husband, Walter Y. O'Brian, when he was killed by the north bound train from Durham to Lynchburg on June 26th, 1929.

He had one of your Double Indemnity policies that pays two thousand for one in case of accidental death. I appreciate the prompt manner in which you handled this claim. It is only characteristic of your reputation for promptness. I shall advise my friends to do business with you on all lines and especially to take a Jefferson Standard Life, Double Indemnity policy always.

Again thanking you, I am,
Very truly,
(Mrs.) Addie Mae O'Brian.

Fishermen Return Home

Messrs. A. M. Burns, T. E. Austin, Errol Morton, D. W. Ledbetter and Hoot Lunsford, who spent several days last week fishing at Lake Cohoon, near Suffolk, have returned home. They are not telling any miraculous yarns. If you will excuse one. One of the fishermen told us that they caught so many fish that he actually gave a farmer two bass, weighing four pounds, for a drink—of water.

Birth

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hawkins announce the birth of a daughter, Margaret Ann, April 29th, 1929, at their home on South Main Street, Roxboro.

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