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Sales Average More Than Twenty-Five Dollars Mon.

Good Sales Every Day During The Past Week And Still Better Monday

AVERAGE LAST WEEK \$21.33

Sales were good last week, showing a decided improvement in both quantity and price. Of course, better grades are now coming on the market and the farmers are getting very much better averages and are feeling more optimistic over the outlook.

While prices were more satisfactory last week there has been considerable advance this week, and the market is humming. On Monday one warehouse reported sales at more than \$25.00 for everything on the floor, and the average for the entire market was not much below this figure.

Last week the sales amounted to 423, 878 pounds, and averaged \$21.33 for everything on the floors for the entire week.

If our farmer friends continue to patronize the Roxboro market as they have during the past week the market will reach its goal easily, that being ten million pounds. Come on, friends, the buyers and warehouse men here will take best of care of you and get you the very top of the market.

Off For Conference

The Methodist Conference for Eastern North Carolina met in Kinston this morning. Rev. T. A. Sikes and Mr. R. L. Harris left yesterday morning and will represent the Edgar Long Memorial Church. Revs. W. L. Maness, S. F. Nicks and H. E. Lance will represent their respective churches. An invitation will be extended to the Conference inviting it to meet here for its next annual meeting. This invitation is strongly backed by the people of the town and it is earnestly hoped the Conference will come here for the 1930 session.

We do not recall just how long the Ministers on the various charges have been on their fields, but we sincerely trust there will be no changes, for they are worthy, God-fearing men and have done most excellent work.

We Thank You

We wish to extend our most grateful and sincere thanks to our many friends who so generously contributed to our success, to the extent of 19,922,000 votes, in the Courier subscription contest just closed, which enabled us to win the second prize, a Chevrolet Automobile.

We also want to thank the other contestants for the just, fair and honorable competition shown us throughout the contest.

We feel that mention should be made of the uniformly fair and helpful attitude of the contest manager, Mr. D. C. Wise, exhibited to the contestants at all times.

While we are winners of a prize awarded through the contest, the people who are responsible for this fact are those who in helping us have also helped themselves to one of the best weekly papers in the state, The Courier. Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Moore.

Winstead-Baird

The following clipping from an Akron, Ohio paper, was sent us by a friend:

"Marriage license was issued to Merriman T. Winstead, 34, labor trainer, 40 N. Arlington Street, and Elizabeth C. Baird, 22, stenographer, 134 Berkeley Street."

They were married on Sunday, October 27, 1929. Mr. Winstead is a native of this County and is well known by a large number, who will read the announcement and wish for him and his a long, happy and useful life.

Work On Fertilizer Factory Started

Mr. Geo. W. Kane, who has the contract to build the new fertilizer factory, has a force of hands on the job. The contract calls for the building to be completed by Dec. 1st.

Barthelme's follow-up show to "Weary River" "THE DRAG" with Lila Lee, playing Palace Theatre Monday & Tuesday, Nov. 4-5th. Matinee Monday 3:00 p. m.

Watch Your Label

Just as soon as we can get all credits on for those who renewed during our campaign we will begin taking off all who are in arrears. We hope all will look at their labels and if they are behind come and pay up, for we do not want to lose a single subscriber, but we must cut off all who are behind. Watch your label.

CHARLES W. GOLD IS AMERICAN LIFE HEAD

Is Unanimously Elected Next President Of American Life Convention

RECORD IS REMARKABLE

Charles W. Gold, Vice-President and Treasurer of the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Company, was elected President of the American Life Convention at the 24th annual session of that organization at Hotel Sinton, Cincinnati, Ohio, yesterday. Definite information to this effect was received in the city yesterday. He was unanimously elected to this office, which is regarded as one of the highest honors which can come to a man in the insurance world.

The American Life Convention is composed of more than 140 legal reserve life insurance companies. Companies represented in the organization have approximately \$23,000,000,000 legal reserve life insurance in force, and their admitted assets total about \$3,000,000,000. The American Life Convention, which was organized in 1906 in St. Louis, Mo., maintains commodious headquarters in that city.

During the year just closed Mr. Gold has been a member of the executive committee of the American Life Convention; he also served for two previous years on that committee. He succeeds Clarence L. Ayers, of Detroit, Mich., as president of the American Life Convention.

In addition to his position as Vice-President and Treasurer of the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Company, Mr. Gold is Vice-President and director of the Greensboro Joint Stock Land Bank, a director of the North Carolina Bank and Trust Company and a director of the Christian Association, served four years as a trustee of Kiwanis International, has been actively identified with the Boy Scout movement, and is president of the Greensboro Loyalty Fund.

Mr. Gold was born at Wilson. He graduated at State College, Raleigh. He is now a member of the board of trustees, also of the finance committee of State College. He entered the life insurance business in 1903. In 1907 he became one of the organizers of the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Company, having been selected as secretary and agency manager. In 1912 Mr. Gold was elected treasurer and later he was advanced to the vice-presidency of the company.

Mr. Gold, and our townsman, S. P. Satterfield, local representative of the Jefferson Standard are the only two connected with the company now that were with it when organized in 1907.

To be absolutely right, take a Jefferson Standard Policy and have none other.

Satterfield Insurance Agency. "Old and Tried"

Automobile Accident

Monday morning there was an automobile accident, which occurred at the intersection of the road near Mr. Geo. Daniel's which came near being very serious. Mr. Wm. Dean was driving a truck and was backing into the road at the intersection and struck a car in which Mr. L. J. Meadows and his son were riding. The car was considerably damaged and Mr. Meadows very painfully hurt. He was brought to town and carried to the home of Mr. J. T. Newton and a physician summoned. His injuries were painful, but the Doctor says he hopes not serious. Mr. Meadows is still at the home of Mr. Newton unable to go home at this writing.

GREAT WAR PICTURE COMING TO PALACE

Funeral Of German War Ace Is Shown In Moving Picture "The Big Drive"

HERE THURSDAY, NOV. 7TH

"The Big Drive," one of the most unusual moving pictures ever presented will be the attraction at the Palace Theatre, Thursday, Nov. 7th. The story begins with the powerful German army entering Belgium, and the scenes that follow show the history of the world war as it was fought including the part that American soldiers played in that great conflict. All of the important armies are shown and in actual battle as the films are official moving pictures, made by the various countries and assembled into a story which covers all of the important events from the declaration of war in 1914 to the signing of the armistice in 1918.

This remarkable moving picture of the world's greatest human conflict comes to Roxboro with the highest praise from soldiers, educators and societies of other cities. Many newspaper critics have openly stated it to be the greatest war picture ever shown and in some cities soldiers have recognized themselves or their comrades. Thousands of American Soldiers appear in the pictures and some of them are still in France.

Roxboro Boys Try The Air

Get Bird's Eye View Of Roxboro; Returned Immediately, Trip Taking 20 Minutes

\$10 EACH FOR ROUND TRIP

Sunday afternoon a crowd of Roxboro gentlemen went over to Durham and took a sail in the tri-motor plane which has been operating in that city. There were 12 in the crowd, and while it required only 20 minutes to make the trip, the young men paid \$10.00 each for their pleasure. This was probably the most expensive trip ever made from Durham to Roxboro, the fares netting the operator of the plane \$120.00.

Comfortably seated in the cabin, with wicker chairs and plush covers, were Messrs. Bruce Wheeler and Russell Newell and Master Henry Newell, Jr., Clyde Bowen, Clyde Crowell, Clyde Cole, Doc Hardman, Henry Sergeant, Bob Smith and Joe Crowell.

First Baptist Church

We often do more good by our sympathy than by our labors. A man may lose position, influence, wealth, and even health, and yet live on in comfort, if with resignation; but there is one thing without which life becomes a burden—that is human sympathy. —Canon Farrar.

Bible School 10:00 A. M. R. L. Wilburn, Supt.

Preaching 11:00 A. M. Subject THE GREATER POWERS OF LIFE.

Preaching 7:30 P. M. Subject CHRISTIAN DEMOCRACY.

B. Y. P. U.'s 8:30 P. M. Mr. H. A. Buckner, General Director.

"He that hath pity upon the poor lendeth unto the Lord; and that which he hath given will He pay again."—Prov. 19:17.

A cordial invitation is extended to all. W. F. WEST, Pastor.

Benefit Card Party

On Monday night, Nov. 4th, there will be a benefit card party at the home of Mrs. M. R. Long on Lamarr Street for the benefit of the Girl Scouts. Refreshments will be served and prizes will be awarded. Seats at each table will be 50 cents. Call Mrs. Long if you wish table reserved for you and your party.

Birth Announcements

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rogers, twins, boy and girl, on Sunday, Oct. 27th. The boy weighed 8 1-4 pounds, and the girl 4 1-2. Mr. Rogers recently located here and is engaged in the insurance business.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Talmage Clayton on Oct. 29th, a boy, Talmage James. Mother and baby doing nicely.

Wed On Bet



Isabel Bennet Forsman of New York married Carl E. A. Forsman on a bet made during a gay party. Now she asks annulment.

Letter Of Appreciation

I desire to take this method to thank all of my friends who so kindly helped in the Courier contest. All were most kind and responded freely to my efforts at securing subscriptions. I appreciate most highly your kindness and believe each and every one will get full value received for all subscriptions given me, for you all know The Courier is worth more than the price asked.

With best wishes and deep appreciation, I am, Your friend, Jewell Fogelman.

THE U.D.C. MEETING

Meeting Held At Home Of Mrs. Mamie Merritt, Joint Hostess With Mrs. Thompson

NEW OFFICERS ELECTED

The October meeting of the U. D. C. held at the home of Mrs. Mamie Merritt, joint hostess with Mrs. N. S. Thompson, marks the close of the year.

The officers for the coming year are: Mrs. Ben Davis, President. Mrs. E. E. Bradsher, First Vice-President. Mrs. E. B. Yancey, Second Vice-President.

Miss Mary Harris, Recording Sec. Mrs. T. E. Austin, Corresponding Sec. Mrs. Ralph Cole, Treasurer. Mrs. F. O. Carver, Registrar. Miss Hattie Burch, Historian. Mrs. Mamie Merritt, Chaplain. Mrs. M. R. Long, Custodian of Crosses.

Mrs. Reade Jones, Leader of Children's Chapter. Committee Chairman: Music: Mrs. E. E. Bradsher. Program: Mrs. E. V. Boatwright. Historian: Miss Hattie Burch. Educational: Miss Claire Harris. Membership: Mrs. R. M. Spencer. Ways and Means: Mrs. E. E. Thomas. Publicity: Members.

As your president I desire to express my deepest appreciation of your hearty co-operation and loyal support. (Continued on page four)

Satisfied, Says Erring Mr. Wood

Houdini Of State Prison Promises He'll Not Try Fourth Flight From Walls

Raleigh, Oct. 27.—Otto Wood, state's prison's escape artist, is now assisting in running the stand in the prison that dispenses soft drinks, tobaccos candies, and he tells all who come within his range that he is satisfied these days.

Otto, who figured in three sensational escapes, in fact, has told Judge N. A. Townsend, executive counsel, that he is sticking in the prison this time. Wood has been out of solitary confinement four months after spending over two years there as punishment for his last escape.

Wood, prison officials say, has made no attempt to escape since being allowed the freedom of the prison yard and, on the other hand, says he is well pleased with his job and wants to keep it.

Win \$2.50

I will give \$2.50 for the best name for a filling station. Send in your suggestion to L. M. Carver, Jelong, N. C.

Contest Closed Saturday Night

A RICH HAUL

Last Wednesday night some sneak thief entered the room of Mr. H. Cantor and stole from his pockets \$277.00. The thief went about it so quietly that Mr. Cantor did not awaken and was surprised the next morning to find his money gone.

DR. STRATON DIES OF HEART ATTACK

New York Pastor Was One Of Outstanding Champions Of Fundamentalism

STUMPED AGAINST SMITH

New York, Oct. 29.—Death today robbed the nation's fundamentalists of their most active leader, the Protestant sects of their most uncompromising spokesman and New York City of its most vivid preacher when a heart attack carried away the Rev. John Roach Straton in a sanitarium at Clifton Springs, N. Y.

Dr. Straton died unexpectedly at 5:55 a. m., with his wife at his bedside. Only 54 years old, he never recovered fully from a paralytic stroke last April, which sent him to a sanitarium at Atlanta, Ga. A nervous breakdown followed his return to New York a month ago and caused him to enter the Clifton Springs sanitarium.

The thin, handsome preacher came into view of New York and eventually of the nation fighting, and in such a manner as to produce columns of newspaper copy. His last notable tour de force was against former Governor Alfred E. Smith. Convinced in his own mind of the man's entangling sinfulness, Dr. Straton left his pulpit and stumped the South, attacking the Democratic candidate as "the nominee of the worst forces of hell."

Popular Couple Wed

Mr. Osby Zachary Gentry and Miss Orphia Allgood were married last Friday afternoon at the Baptist Parsonage, Rev. W. F. West performing the ceremony. Only a few immediate friends were present. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left for a honeymoon trip to New York and other northern points.

Mrs. Gentry is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Allgood, and was educated at Meredith College and for the past several sessions has been teaching in the Roxboro high school, and is one of the most prominent and popular leaders of the young set; the groom is connected with the firm of Harris & Burns, and is recognized as one of the leading business men of the town.

I Thank You

Of course, I am happy over the winning the first prize and every time I get in my new Chrysler I shall remember those good friends who made it possible for me to win. If it was possible I would be glad to shake your hand and tell each one personally how very much I appreciate your many kindnesses, but that is impossible and I can only say here that I will never, no never, forget what you did for me. Again I say, Thank YOU. Mrs. Arch Jones.

Woman's Club

The regular meeting of the Woman's Club will be held in the new rooms of the club, Monday afternoon, Nov. 4th, at 3:00 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.—Pres.

Move To Portsmouth, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Young and little daughter, Mary Virginia, have moved to Portsmouth, Ohio, where Mr. Young has accepted the position of Musical Director for the First Baptist Church of Portsmouth.

'See You Later'

Decidedly A Success, Hundreds Of New Subscribers Added To Our List

MRS. JONES WON 1ST PRIZE

The Courier subscription contest closed last Saturday night, and there has been nothing happening in Roxboro which created the excitement and interest as did this contest. Every contestant was right on the job until the last moment, and no one had any information as to who was going to win until the judges made their announcement.

It was by long odds the best contest we have pulled off, and in no contest have we had such faithful and earnest workers. We added new names by the hundreds to our list, and today have the largest list we have ever had. (Advertisers take note of this statement.)

To each and every candidate we hereby extend our most grateful thanks for their splendid efforts, and only wish it had been possible to award each one an automobile, for they worked so faithfully. You have placed us under lasting obligations, and we promise to give our readers the very best paper possible for us to publish, and you may rest assured no one will be disappointed in our efforts, and all will get value received for every dollar they spent with you for The Courier.

The manager, Mr. D. C. Wise, was decidedly on the job, and was honest and square with every one, giving out no information as to who was leading, or as to how much would be necessary to win. He was honest with you, and we are satisfied no one has any but the highest regards for him, and the manner in which he handled the campaign. Below we give the judges report:

We, the undersigned, duly appointed to canvass the returns of The Roxboro Courier Circulation Campaign, do hereby certify that the Campaign was closed according to rules governing same, and that we compiled the subscriptions and remittances deposited in the Ballot Box, and the Campaign Department's records of subscriptions turned in during the campaign, and we find the following named persons entitled to the prizes according to the rules governing their distribution:

- First Prize, Chrysler Sedan: Mrs. Arch Jones, 26,970.236.
- Second Prize, Chevrolet Sedan: Mrs. Erwin Moore, 19,921.971.
- Third Prize, Living Room Suite: Mrs. V. A. Thomas, 7,983.748.
- Fourth Prize, R. C. A. Radio: Miss Jewell Fogelman, 5,487.488.
- Fifth Prize, Rogers Silverware: Miss Eula Rimmer, 4,416.322.
- Winner of extra \$50.00 Cash Prize: Mrs. Erwin Moore, 1,030,750.
- Winner of extra \$100.00 Cash Prize: Mrs. Arch Jones.
- Winner of 2,000,000 Vote Ballot: Mrs. Arch Jones.
- Winner of 1,000,000 Vote Ballot: Mrs. Erwin Moore.
- Commission Winners:
  - W. Irving O'Brian, 3,580,947
  - Miss Fannie Clayton, 2,138,744
  - Miss Onnie Whitfield, 2,061,494
  - Mrs. B. B. Knight, 1,990,400
  - Mrs. J. L. Cothran, 1,030,750
  - Miss Corinna Bowes, 935,748

(Signed) THOS. B. WOODY, W. G. MILLER, G. J. CUSHWA, Judges.

Football Results

Quite a number of games of football were played last Saturday. Below will be found the results of those most of our people were interested in: Duke 12; Villa Nova, 58. Carolina, 28; V. P. E. 13. Wake Forest, 6; Davidson, 6. N. C. State, 6; Michigan State, 40. Lenoir-Rhyne, 5; High Point, 0. Weaver, 8; Campbell, 5; (tie). Oak Ridge, 9; Bowling Springs, 7. Pitt, 40; Alleghany, 6. Florida, 18; Georgia, 6. Tulane, 20; Georgia Tech, 14. Tennessee 39; Washington and Lee 6.

The oldest flag now flying above any large nation is the United States flag adopted in 1777.

Richard Barthelme with Lila Lee in THE DRAG, playing Palace Theatre Monday & Tuesday, Nov. 4-5th. Matinee Monday 3:00 p. m.