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# **Rainy Weather Board Urges Crowd Hears Scout Executive**

Mr. O. H. Benson, In Charge Supt. Winstead Urged To Re-Of Rural Scout Work, Addresses Audience At **Methodist Church** Sunday Night

### MATT LONG AWARDED AN EAGLE BADGE

At church time Sunday night the S. G. Winstead to reconsider his elements were very unfavorable for any persons to be out, especially fective next month. Mr. Winstead if they were walking. The rain was excused himself from the office to falling in regular cloudburst proportions. But in spite of the inclement weather a nice crowd gathered at the Methodist Church found that they were all of one acto hear Mr. O. H. Benson, National Boy Scout Executive in charge of Rural Scout Work, speak to the ignation. However when Mr. Wins-Roxboro and Person County Boy tead returned and they put the prop-Socut Troops

Preceding the address of Mr. Ben- the condition of his health would son was the presentation to Matt not permit him to think of being Long the Eagle Scout badge, the a candidate for re-election. He said highest honor that can come to further that, owing to his health, a scout. This presentation was made the duties which the office required by Mr. J. S. Merritt, member of to run again. the Scout Court of Honor, in a few fitting and well-chosen terms.

In opening his address Mr. Ben- that time there have been about son pointed out the example of ten applications for the job. All Jesus in the Temple at the tender of these will be considered and a age of twelve. He stated that when new superintendent will be named a boy reached twelve years of age, next month. he ceased to be a boy and the first symptoms of manhood began to show themselves. Taking this as his theme Mr. Benson went on to say J. S. Walker that it should be the duty of every father or guardian to seek out the boy and become a companion to him, learning his mind and directing him in the way that is best for him to go. It s possible for the

and the father can give to his son the advantage of the experience he has had in life.

two to become bosom companions

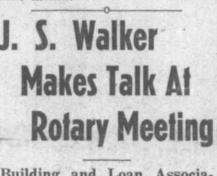
consider His Resignation At April Meeting Of County Board Of Education

**Education Head** 

At the April meeting of the tendent's office the board urged Mr.

resignation which will become efgone the board went into a private session behind locked doors' and cord: that they would urge the superintendent to reconsider his resosition before him, he stated that

Mr. Winstead announced his res-



tions Subject Of. Mr. Walker's Remarks. Several Present As Guests

**TOWN ELECTION** In about thirty days we are due to have another town election, at which time a mayor and five commissioners will be elected. By an act passed at the 1933 session of the Legis-

**ROXBORO, NORTH CAROLINA, WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 3, 1935** 

**To Keep Office** lature it is stated that a mass meeting MAY be held, note this is not mandatory, fifteen days before the date of the Mrs. W. S. Bernard, State election and candidates named.

> The commissioners elected two years ago seem to have had rough sledding, as only one of the then elected board are now serving-we think we are correct in this statement, though changes come so thick and fast it is hard to keep up with the matter.

The financial affairs of the town are not in the best of enth District, North Carolina Di-County Board of Education held shape, but to the credit of the present board be it said they vision of the U. D. C. was held with Monday morning in the Superin- are not at all responsible for this state of affairs. It has the Roxboro chapter last Friday. been of long standing, growing steadily worse with each At 10:30 A. M. representatives, year, and it behooves the citizens to get together and name about sixty in number, of the six a set of business men, financiers if you please, who are will- chapters that comprise this district ing to give their time freely in straightening things out. It go on an errand and while he was can be done, and there are plenty of good men who are capable of doing it, but the question arises, will they be will- chapter welcomed the assembled

ing to do it?

We take it the Mayor will, in due season, call for the Durham responded. The minutes mass-meeting and every citizen in the town should attend of the last meeting were read by this meeting and see that the best men in the town are draft- Mrs. Victor Johnson of Pittsboro, ed for this work.

NORTH CAROLINA SYMPHONY **ORCHESTRA MAKES RETURN CALL** 

ignation several months ago. Since At The Court House On Wed- Man Caught While nesday Evening, April 10 **Unloading Whiskey** 

Lamar Stringfield, who will con-

duct the North Carolina Symphony in its second concert here on April in Roxboro were ringing Friday evening officers closed in on a car 10, was born near Haleigh, North Carolina on October 10, 1897. He that had backed up to the rear enreceived his education at Mars Hill trance of Hotel Jones. Upon searchand Wake Forest colleges. His father, ing it they found a full case of rye who was the founder of Meredith College, worked as earnestly in be-gin, the latter wrapped up in a half of the education of women as paper sack. All of the haul was govhis son is working for the advance- ernment whiskey. Roger Bobbitt, ment of good musical taste. In 1916 | negro bell-hop at the hotel, was the he went to the Mexican border with driver of the car. He was placed unthe First North Carolina Infantry, der arrest and the liquor confis-

Building and Loan Associa- and through the World War with cated. He is now at liberty under 105 Engineers. After the World War he studied and practiced music professionally in New York for ten years, graduating from the Institute of Musical Art in New York City with the Artists Diploma in flute playing and receiving a prize The Roxboro Rotary Club held its in composition. In 1928 he was aregular meeting at the Womans warded the Pulitzer Prize, He played the flute and conducted with the major symphony orchestras and chamber music ensembles of the Country until 1930 when he returned to his native state. He is Director of the Institute of Folk Music had charge of the program for the of the University of North Carolina evening. and through that institution as a The feature of the program was a talk by Mr. J. S. Walker on the North Carolina Symphony Society "laboratory," the organization as a subject of Building and Loan Aswas designed. In response to numsociations. He told of the rapid erous requests from the audience of in the basement of the Methodist growth and expansion of the Buildthe last concert, Mr. Stringfield will Church Monday night in the reging and Loan movement since it play a flute solo-Polonaise and begun in 1831. The Roxboro Build-Badinaze, by Bach, Also included in Baxter Mangum of the Attendance ing and Loan Association, he said, the program will be a new composi- Committee introduced a plan to was organized April 1, 1923, that its tion by Stringfield, a Negro Parade. boost attendance at the meetings. business has increased steadily and This piece was composed during the In accordance with his suggestions that its present assets totaled about summer of 1931 and received its the club was divided into two teams first public performance in Febru- the "Giants", and the "Yankees" Guests of the club for the evenary 1935, in Constitution Hall, at For six weeks the campaign will ing were Rev. A. S. Lawrence, Chap-Washington, D. C., by the National go and at the end of that time the el Hill; Bedford Love, Duke Uni-Symphony Orchestra under the di- team that has had the most atversity; Victor Satterfield, Coy Day, rection of Hans Kindler. Living in tendance to its credit will be enterthe state of his birth he has de- tained by the losing side at some The Club will meet in the new rived inspiration from the generous appropriate celebration. Community Building tomorrow supply of folk-melody in this renight, and will be served by the gion and a Negro Parade owes its re-introduced to the club. On the Parent-Teacher Association, and origin to the colored race. The gay- Monday preceding this meeting it will be the first to be served in the ly dressed bug'e corps of a negro had been taken up, but with no American Legion Post leads a par- action. This time the members Club appreciates very much, and ade, while happy and proud colored were called on for views on the subherewith makes its best bow to the children follow gleefully in its wake. ject. It was pointed out that such Adults, too, sense a feeling of pride questions as location, cost, meeting as the recession approaches, passes of requirements of the State Board **Pre-School Clinic** in review, and recedes. The piece of Health, etc., would have to be is scored for full orchestra, with answered before the club could go special emphasis given to the mili- into the matter seriously. It was tary and snare drums. The begin- re-referred to the committee that **Starts Tomorrow** nings PPP and the prevailing rythm is established by the snare drums and the violin. Soon the melody enters, compliser emphau melody enters, syncopated and sin-Various Schools Through The composer employes scales ous.

President, Delivers Principal Speech; Luncheon Served To Approximately Sixty

The annual meeting of the Sevmet in the basement of the Methodist church.

Mrs. G. A. Duncan of the local guests and Mrs. R. O. Everett of N. C.

Mrs. Julian M. Gregory of Pittsboro, President of the Seventh District, presided over the meeting. She introduced the principal speaker of the day, Mrs. W. S. Bernard of Chapel Hill, President of the North Carolina Division. Mrs. Bernard spoke briefly on the work of the U. D. C., touching on the project for the organization for this year. This is the restoration of "Stratford," ancestral home of Gen. Robert E. Lee. Mrs. R. D. Hardman of the Roxboro chapter de-Just as most of the supper bells lighted the audience with a solo number.

A business session was held after which the representatives partook of a most delightful and appetizing lunch

Attend Education Meet In Winston-Salem Last Week



TO APPEAR AGAIN

Lamar Stringfield, who will return to Roxboro with his North Carolina Symphony Orchestra for a second engagement on the night of given this time in the Courthouse



Singing Will Be In Charge Of Mr. Roger Hickman

Ministers' Conference on Monday ham District, in charge, Full Ma-January 21st, and in the Church Bulletin for February 3rd, the Stanfield in the funeral and burial Spring time revival services will be- service. gin at the First Baptist Church on Upon the resignation of Mr. Stan-Easter Sunday, April 21st. This year field from his office as District Depthe pastor will do his own preach- uty Grand Master Mr. D. S. Johning and will be assisted by Mr. son of Oxford was named to fill Roger Hickman of Petersburg, Tenn, out his unexpired term. who will be in charge of the music

Mr. Hickman has been connected Old Minutes

**Preacher Buried Sunday Afternoon** Rev. Ben Stanfield, Pastor Of Mt. Tirzah Circuit, And Active In Masonic Afairs, Buried Sunday P. M. At Leasburg

Rev. Benjamin E. Stanfield, pastor of the Mt. Tirzah Circuit of the Methodist Church, was buried Sunday afternoon in his home town, Leasburg, N. C. Rev. Mr. Stanfield died Friday night about 6:30 P. M. following an illness of three months. He had been in ill health for one year preceding his passing. At the time of his death he was living at Timberlake, N. C. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Josephine Stanfield, three April 10. The performance will be sons, Dr. W. W. Stanfield of Raleigh, J. B. and L. S. Stanfield of Timberlake, one daughter, Mrs. R. S. Ritenburg of Bailey, N. C., his mother, Mrs. B. F. Stanfield of Mebane, one grandchild and three sis-

> Up until just a few weeks before his demise Mr. Stanfield was District Deputy Grand Master of the 20th District of N. C. Masons. He had been an active participant in the Masonic Order for many years

Funeral services were conducted from the Helena Methodist Church Sunday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock with Rev. C. K. Proctor of the Oxford Orphanage and Elev. H. B. As previously announced at the Porter, Presiding Elder of the Dursonic honors were accorded Mr.

The Wake Forest College Library

named are missing: 1840, 1841, 18-

Are Wanted





The worst fear is the gnawing dread of sickness or accident that will terminate your salary, pile up Club Thursday night. A delicious your debts and wreck your hopes dinner was served by the Ladies and plans. Do you know how lit- Missionary Society of the Baptist tle it costs to banish this spectre Church. After the regular business forever with an Accident and was attended to the meeting was Health Policy? You will thank us turned over to Dr. B. E. Love who for the fact

THOMPSON INS. AGENCY Roxboro, N. C.

# LICENSE TAG PRICES REDUCED

On Monday, April 1, which marked the beginning of the second quarter in the current fiscal year, the price of North Carolina automobile tags was reduced one-fourth, a quarter a million dollars. All tags purchased after that date will cost three-fourths of the original price.

## Woman's Club **Meet Postponed**

the Roxboro Womans' Club which new building. This is an honor the The regular monthly meeting of was announced for Monday, April 1, has been postponed until next Monday, April 8, at 3:00 P. M. This meeting will be held in the community house.

ABLE TO BE OUT AGAIN

Mr. Alden Rogers is able to be out again after being confined to his home on account of a broken leg. Mr. Rogers broke his leg some weeks Clinic Will Be Conducted In ago while he was working on his farm in the Lea's Chapel section.

### BURNS FOOT SEVERELY

Mr. James Bradsher had the misfortune to turn over a kettle of hot 4th at 1 P. M. Mr. Bradsher is a prominent farm- at 1 P. M. er of the Concord section.

## AHEAD

Open 8:30 A. M. to 5:30 P. M. **Roxboro** Flower Shop

they spent several days fishing. progress possible.

Clyde Murphy and F. O. Clayton. ladies in command.

# **Out The County**

Pre-School clinics will be conducted at the following places: Allensville School Thursday April the actual parade which supplied

10th at 1 P. M. 11th at 1 P. M.

It is of the utmost importance at 8:15. Is EASTER and don't overlook that children be physically fit to placing your Easter orders early. enter. school. Very few children can progress satisfactorily in their studies if handicapped by bad health.

and intervals which he finds characteristic of Negro songs and labor calls and definite three-bar rythmic phrase that was perceptible in bert.

the idea for this so-called "Sympcoffee and causing a severe burn. Olive Hill School Tuesday April 9th phonic Patrol." This is an exceptional treat which no one should miss.

Bethel Hill School Wednesday April We suggest that you come early to TO VISIT LOCAL CLUB secure a good seat. The concert will Cunningham School Thursday April take place at the Person County

Courthouse on Wednesday April 10.

B. T. U'S AT CA-VEL

Most of the causes of bad health The Senior B. T. U. of Roxboro Messrs. D. W. Ledbetter, Errol among children can be removed or First Baptist Church put on a pro-Morton and Mr. Love of Danville, remedied. This should be done be- gram at Ca-Vel Sunday evening at Va. returned Tuesday night from fore the child enters school, so that 5:30. The program was thoroughly Lake Matamuskeet, N. C. where he or she may make the most rapid enjoyed and reflected credit on the young people,

# Preventorium Talked, Tabled With No Action

Sam Byrd Winstead Begins His Program Of Unique **Experiences** In Lives **Of Various Members** 

The Roxboro Kiwanis Club met ular weekly session. Chairman

The subject of a preventorium was has it in charge with no\_definite

action. The program of unique experiences ntroduced by Sam B. Winstead got off to a fair start but was deferred until next Monday on account of the shortage of time

Guests for the evening were: Mrs. Wallace Woods, and Mrs. J. F. Her-

The next meeting will be held in the new community house.

EX-KIWANIS GOVERNOR

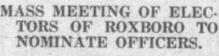
Mr. Ralph Barker, Governor last year for the Carolinas District of Kiwanis International, will visit with the Roxboro club at its next meeting, Monday, April 8. Mr. Barker will address the club at this time.

EASTER Orders must be in no later than

April 15 to get the best. **Roxboro** Flower Shop

The following teachers attended the meeting of the North Carolina Educational Association holding its 51st annual session in Winston-Salem last week. From Roxboro High School. Messrs. G. C. Davidson and F. B. Nims, from Central Graded School, Mrs. Rena Alice Blalock and Miss Maude Montague, and from Ca-Vel School, Mrs. C. W. Phillips, Miss Helen Stanfield,

and Miss Mabel Montague. Miss Lucille Long accompanied the teachers to take part in the state-wide Beauty Contest in Winston-Salem on Friday.



Under the provisions of Chapter 80, Private Laws of 1933, a mass meeting of the electors of the town of Roxboro is called to be held in the Person County Court room on Tuesday, April 16, 1935, at 8:00 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of nominating a Mayor and Board of Commissioners, to be elected at the next regular municipal election of town officers.

This April 2, 1935. Done by order of the Board of Commissioners.

Monday April 22 for a one-week R. B. Dawes, Mayor, D. W. Ledbetter, Clerk It is expected that the docket will

Methodist Young People Meet Fri.

On Friday evening of this week at 6:30 o'clock there will be a meeting of the Methodist young people of Person and Caswell counties at K. L. Street, B. Y. Clayton, W. W. the Methodist Church in Leasburg. The group will meet at 6:30 to join Briggs, E. W. Gentry, W. W. Crabin a picnic supper, and then will tree, A. C. Day, R. A. Gentry, Harfollow the inspirational meeting led ry Edwards, Richard Holman, E. by Rev. and Mrs. Forrest Heddin N. Tillett, C. E. Hester, H. O. Eakes, of Duke University.

Dunevant, M. J Daniel, G C. Fou-The group going to this meeting shee, J. D. Winstead, Jr., Isaac Hill, from Long Memorial Church are asked to meet at the church at 5:30 R. T. Winstead, Henry Brann, A. to make the trip. Those attending E. Huff, H. E. Denny, R. P. Knott, are asked to group together and

11 o'clock; at Allènsville at 3 o'clock Concord Church, in the Person Cirand at Brooksdale at night at 7:30. cuit, at 3:00 P. M., Sunday after-You are cordially invited to hear neon, April 14th. Come and help him. Dr. Shore is a splendid preach- us make this one of the best meeter and you will Thiss a treat if you ings of the year. Everyone interested plants-75c up. Out flowers cheaper

R. E. Pittman, P. C. | Mrs. E. B. Craven, Zone Leader.

### Baptist Home Mission Board for a number of years, and is an outstanding musical director, Mr.

Hickman is the author of a number of songs as well as a good solo- wants to complete its file of minutes ist. He has been heard recently of the Beulah Baptist Association, over the Radio from station W. B. so that same may be bound. The I. G. in Greensboro, where he has following minutes for the years been assisting in a meeting. Cottage Prayer Meetings are be- 43, 1844, 1854, 1864, 1865, 1869, 1870,

ing held in various parts of the 1872, 1873, 1875, 1895, 1896, 1905, 19community and already a great 32, and 1934. deal of interest is being manifested

**Draw Jury List** 

**At April Meeting** 

**Regular Routine Of Business** 

Discussed At Meeting;

Court Will Convene

On April 22.

ty Superior Court will convene on

occupy practically the entire week

The County Commissioners at the

regular monthly session on Monday

drew the jury list for this term.

They are: T. G. Brooks, J. L. Clay-

ton, Fred Long, W. E. Wilkerson

J. I. Brooks, B. H. Oakley, W. W.

Rogers, R. J. Rogers, J. Y. Blanks

Whitfield, A. Y. Clayton, P. H.

A. P. Daniel, W. H. Moore, P. G.

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All of our Baptist readers are re-Commissioners

quested to look through their old files and see if any of these dates can be found. If you have any of them will you please notify Rev. W. F. West, Roxboro, N. C.

# **Easter Cantata**

The Easter Cantata "Bright Easter Morn" by Heyser, will be presented at Long Memorial Church on Easter Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock. The Long Memorial choir will unite with the choir from the South Boston Methodist Church for this cantata. The same united choir will present the Cantata at South Boston on the evening of With Judge W. C. Harris of Ral- Good Friday at the Methodist eigh, N. C., presiding, Person Coun- Church.

## term of civil and criminal court MR. MASTEN WILL SPEND SOME TIME AT SANITORIUM

Mr. Edgar Masten, one of Roxboro's most popular young business men, left Monday for Sanatorium where he will spend some time for examination. He was accompanied by Mrs. Masten and Rev. W. F. West, who returned in the afternoon.

FORMAL OPENING OF THE COMMUN-ITY HOUSE

The Roxboro community house located on Loch Lily Avenue has reached completion and the furniture moved in. Formal opening plans are being made and a "housewarming" will be held at a near date.

## NOTICE!

The automobile license plate office will be closed Thursday and Friday of this week.

EASTER SPECIALS

Corsages\_\$1.50 up. Choice pot than ever.

**Roxboro** Flower Shop

W. D. Fulcher, E. P. Warren, W. take picnic baskets or boxes for the C. Lawson, J. H. Long, W. C. Allen, J. R. Whitt, and Arch Woody. The only other business considered by the Board of Commissioners was of a routine nature. **MISSIONARY MEETING** The Person County Missionary

H. Shore, will be with Rev. R. E. Pittman and preach for him Sunday April 7th at Webbs Chapel at Zone will meet in regular session at

fail to be present and hear him. in Missions is invited.

picnic supper.

MANY APPOINTMENTS

## FOR DR. SHORE Our Missionary Secretary, Dr. J.