

CALL PHONE 39
And Insert A Want
Adv In The Courier
For Results

The Roxboro Courier

THE COURIER
Covers The News Of
Person County.
READ IT!

ESTABLISHED 1881. PERSON COUNTY'S OLDEST AND BEST NEWSPAPER. UNDER SAME MANAGEMENT AND OWNERSHIP FOR 50 YEARS.
J. W. NOELL, EDITOR HOME FIRST, ABROAD NEXT \$1.50 PER YEAR IN ADVANCE.
VOL. LII. ROXBORO, NORTH CAROLINA, WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 17, 1935 NUMBER 16

Dawes Re-Nominated Mayor At Mass Meeting

MEETING HELD IN COURTHOUSE OVER TWO HUNDRED PRESENT

Three Candidates Placed In Nomination For Mayor; Dawes Nominated On First Ballot; Commissioners Are Nominated.

The citizens of Roxboro last night expressed their choice for nominees to fill the offices of Mayor and the Board of Commissioners when they met in a mass meeting in the court room. More than two hundred citizens turned out for this meeting. Those nominated are the official candidates in the election which will be held on Tuesday, May 7. Others who desire to run must file notice of their candidacy.

The mass meeting was called to order by the Mayor, who, being a candidate for re-election, asked Mr. L. M. Carlton to act as temporary chairman, and F. O. Carver, Jr., as secretary. Mr. Carlton called for the election of a permanent chairman, and it being moved and seconded, the meeting elected Mr. Carlton to serve in that capacity. Messrs. Gordon C. Hunter and Fitz Davis were asked by the chair to serve as assistant secretaries.

Mr. J. Melvin O'Brient was placed in nomination for Mayor and in rapid succession Mr. R. B. Dawes' name was placed before the meeting as was Mr. S. F. Nicks. Ballots were cast and upon being tabulated it was found that 209 votes had been cast with Mr. Dawes leading with 113 or a clean majority. He was declared duly nominated. Mr. Nicks was second with 72 votes, and Mr. O'Brient trailed with 24.

Nominations for members of the Board of Commissioners were called for. Eight candidates were placed before the meeting. They were—Messrs. George W. Kane, Preston Satterfield, W. R. Woody, G. C. Hunter, A. S. DeVlaming, G. J. Cushman, R. H. Gates, C. L. Brooks.

Again the ballots were cast and tabulated with the following result:

G. W. Cushman	171
G. W. Kane	156
Preston Satterfield	145
G. C. Hunter	135
C. L. Brooks	121
R. H. Gates	118
W. R. Woody	113
A. S. DeVlaming	9

As seven out of the eight candidates had a majority of the total number of votes cast, the chair ruled that the five highest would be declared the nominees of the convention. These were: George J. Cushman, George W. Kane, Preston Satterfield, Gordon C. Hunter, and C. Lester Brooks.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned. It is felt that the citizens have made a wise selection in their nominees for mayor and commissioners. They can lend the value of long business experience to the affairs of the town.

The registration books for the election on May 7 will be open from April 19 through April 27. This is done for the convenience of all those who have not registered on the town books.

When Mr. Hunter's name was placed in nomination, he requested that someone be named in his place to serve as assistant secretary. Mr. E. G. Thompson was asked to take his place.

County Supt. Speaks To Negro Schools Tuesday

Several Negro Schools Have Group Commencement Exercises At Young's Chapel

County Superintendent S. G. Winstead addressed a group commencement meeting Tuesday held at Young's Chapel. Several of the Negro grammar schools in the county under the supervision of Pearl Hoover Pittman, Supervisor of Negro Schools in this county, had their commencement exercises together.

The school term is not yet ended as all the schools have about two more weeks in the regular term. All graduates of these grammar schools may come to Roxboro next year and enroll in the Person County Training School.

Chapel Hill Prepares For Scout Meeting

Chapel Hill, April 16—Professor Harold D. Meyer, educational chairman of Region 6 of the Boy Scouts of America, appealed to the student body of the University Monday morning to cooperate in entertaining the 1400 Scouts who will come here April 25.

Professor Meyer announced the program for the three-day jamboree which begins Thursday afternoon, April 25, when demonstrations of various scouting activities will take place.

President Frank Graham will deliver a speech of welcome at a big campfire gathering on Emerson Field Thursday night.

All Boy Scout councillors are expected to gather here for Friday's program when camp craft will be exhibited. Another huge campfire is scheduled for this night.

Meeting To Be Held April 18 To Adopt By-Laws

All Members Of Chamber Of Commerce Urged To Attend This Meeting In Court House Thursday Night at 7:45 P. M.

On Thursday night, April 18, at 7:45 the members of the newly organized Chamber of Commerce will meet in the court house to adopt by-laws and elect a president.

This is a very important meeting and every member is urged to be present. It is earnestly desired that every business man, every professional man and any and all others interested in the growth of the town become a member. If you have not joined you are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

James W. Green Dies At Home In Allensville Fri.

Was A Jeweler Here From 1913 to 1926; Funeral Services From The Home Sunday

Mr. James W. Green, who was in the jewelry business here from 1913 to 1926 when he retired on account of his health, died at his home near Allensville Friday evening at 11:40 P. M. Mr. Green had been in declining health for three years or more and he suffered a stroke of paralysis on Tuesday, April 9. From that time until the end he failed rapidly.

He is survived by two sons, C. A. Green of this city, and W. J. Green of Coward, S. C.; one daughter, Mrs. W. M. Whisnant of Person County, 23 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren; also one adopted son, G. A. Shepard of Chase City, Va.

Funeral services were conducted from the home Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock with Rev. W. F. West in charge. Active pall bearers were: Messrs. G. G. Green, Paul Whisnant, Frank Whisnant, Charles Green, and Joe Allen. Honorary pall bearers were: Messrs. R. L. Wilburn, F. J. Hester, Robert Whitfield, G. C. Duncan, L. D. Puckett, W. Y. Pass, B. B. Knight, J. W. Noell, and S. M. Murray. Flower bearers were: Misses Annie Allen, Nola Owen, Laura Hamlett, Laura Shepard, Kate Smart, Thelma Whisnant, Blanche Wade, Mrs. Alpha Humphries, Mrs. Zula Lawson, and Mrs. Flora Cozart. Immediately following the funeral services Mr. Green was buried in Burchwood Cemetery.

Catholic Church To Be Dedicated Sunday, April 28

Father Carrol Of Henderson Will Be The Pastor; Services Every Sunday

First services in the new Catholic Church on North Main Street will be held Sunday, April 28. Father Carrol, pastor of this church, will officiate. At this service the church will be dedicated.

There are about twenty-five Catholics that live in and around Roxboro and it will be a great asset to have this congregation worshipping in our midst.

Services will be held every Sunday after the 28th.

This church, which is located just beyond the intersection of Main and Lamar Streets on the north, was built at an approximate cost of \$5,000. It is of brick and will be a very attractive building when it is entirely completed and the grounds put in shape. The building is nearing completion and it is expected that it will be all finished in time for the service of dedication.

County Supt. To Be Elected At May Meeting

About A Dozen People Have Filed Application For The Position Since Present Incumbent Announced His Resignation

Eleven or twelve people, including one or two ladies have filed applications for the job of County Superintendent of Education since the present Superintendent, Mr. S. G. Winstead, announced his resignation.

A little more than half of this number are people now residing inside the county and most of them teaching school within its bounds.

In another column will be found the announcement of the appointment of a superintendent which will be held at the May meeting of the County Board of Education, scheduled for Monday, May 6th.

Many of the applicants are personally known by Person County people and indications are that there will be a hot contest in the naming of a superintendent.

OUR TWICE-A-WEEK WILL BEGIN TUESDAY, APRIL 30TH

Many Compliments And Best Wishes Received From Our Friends

PRICE THE SAME, \$1.50 PER YEAR

We have everything in shape and on Tuesday, April 30th, we will issue our first edition of the twice-a-week COURIER. To enable us to make it possible to give you THE COURIER twice-a-week it was necessary to expend quite a large sum of money, more than \$5,000.00, but we thought it worth it, and from the way our friends have been complimenting the move we are still of that opinion. We shall continue to give you, what we believe, the best newspaper ever published in Person County, and give it to you every Tuesday and Friday at the same old price, \$1.50 a year.

We have been in the newspaper business here for more than fifty years, but have never received so many flattering compliments as we have received during the past eight or ten weeks, all of which is very gratifying to us, for it is our aim and desire to give you the very best. Not only have they expressed their appreciation, but during the past two weeks we have received more subscribers than at any time when a special drive was not in progress. Like all good newspaper folks, nothing is considered too expensive when it comes to publishing a newspaper, and we have shown our faith in the good people of Person County by putting out our good money.

If you enjoy THE COURIER tell your neighbors about it, and if he is borrowing and reading your copy each week, suggest to him that he can now get two a week for the price of one. This new venture will go only if the reading people of this County continue to lend us their support and of this we feel perfectly secure after the manner of your kind expressions.

We keep open shop every day in the week, Sunday excepted, and always welcome visits from friends, neighbors and enemies—if we have such. All are cordially invited to visit us when in town, and if you have grievance we will talk the matter over, smoke the pipe of peace and everything will be lovely. Come in to see us and tell us any neighborhood news you may happen to think of.

ROTARY CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

J. S. Walker Heads List As New President; Humorous And Entertaining Program Given

The Rotary Club held election of officers at its regular meeting Thursday night. The newly elected officers of the club are: J. S. Walker, President; C. T. Hall, Vice President; E. G. Thompson, Secretary; H. W. Newell, Treasurer; and Howard Strang and J. A. Timberlake, Directors.

An interesting and humorous feature of the meeting was that just prior to the election the nominees for the various offices were called on to make a speech stating their qualifications for the office for which they had been nominated. As was prearranged, instead of the nominee responding when called on, another member of the club immediately jumped to his feet, represented himself to be the nominee and made a hot campaign speech in his own behalf. All speeches were good but that made by George W. Kane, representing himself to be J. S. Walker, was in a class all by itself.

Guests of the club for the evening were R. L. Bolton, Chapel Hill; O. B. Gorman, Reidsville; and Charlie Harris.

Moved To South-Roxboro

Mrs. E. M. Green and her daughter, Mrs. Zula Green Lawson, who have been living in East Roxboro, have purchased a home in South Roxboro and have moved into their new home.

PREACHER AND SONG DIRECTOR



REV. W. F. WEST



ROGER L. HICKMAN

REVIVAL SERVICES BEGIN AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY

Rev. W. F. West Will Do The Preaching; Mr. Roger Hickman To Lead The Song Service

The Spring time revival services will begin at First Baptist Church next Sunday morning and will continue for ten days or two weeks.

The preaching will be done by the pastor, Rev. W. F. West. This is the tenth year of Bro. West's pastorate and as has been his custom he has done his own preaching every other year so that this will be the fifth meeting the pastor has held in his own church. During this time more than 250 have been baptized into the fellowship of the church.

The music will be in charge of Mr. Roger M. Hickman of Petersburg, Tenn. Mr. Hickman has been for a number of years connected with the Evangelistic Staff of the Baptist Home Mission Board and has won for himself an enviable reputation in the field of evangelism. He has a rich baritone voice, and in addition to the vocal numbers he uses the Marimba very effectively at each service. He will be supported in his work by a splendid choir.

Mr. Hickman is also a graduate of Moody Bible Institute and is an effective personal worker.

The hours for the services will be 9:30 to 10:30 A. M. and at 7:30 P. M. THE PUBLIC IS CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND THESE SERVICES

Miss Gates Is Very Active In G.C. Campus Life

She Is Daughter Of Mr. And Mrs. R. H. Gates; This Is Her Second Year In College.

The Greensboro College Collegian sends out the news that Miss Christobel Gates is representing the campus in various organization offices since the first of March. She was unanimously elected to succeed herself in the Y. W. C. A. Cabinet as Publicity Chairman. She was also elected reporter for the Raphael Art Club and Secretary and Treasurer of the club.

Miss Gates recently received her Junior privileges on merits of deportment and scholastic standing. This is her second year at Greensboro College.

She received a leave of absence from scholastic work to go on a "Retreat" with the "Y" Cabinet to Blowing Rock from April 12 to 14th.

Miss Gates is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gates. She will be at home with her parents April 18-25 for Spring holidays.

MEMBERS OF COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD ARE REAPPOINTED

Mr. R. L. Harris has re-appointed the old County school board as follows: Messrs. W. R. Wilkerson, E. E. Bradsher, N. H. Montgomery, G. W. Walker and R. G. Cole.

Funeral Services This Morning For Mrs. Dickerson

Mrs. Dickerson Succumbed Monday A. M. Following An Operation Sunday Night

Funeral services were conducted this morning at 10:30 o'clock from the home on Leasburg Avenue for Mrs. K. V. Dickerson who died Monday morning at Watts hospital following an operation performed Sunday night. Mrs. Dickerson had been ill for about two weeks at her home before being carried to the hospital on Saturday.

She is survived by her husband, Robert V. Dickerson, two grandchildren and two sisters, Mrs. W. J. Winstead and Mrs. Irene Hall, both of this city and by two brothers, Mr. Cleveland Carver of Philadelphia, Pa. and Mr. Monroe Carver of Danville, Va.

Mrs. Dickerson had been a loyal and consistent member of the First Baptist Church of Roxboro for near thirty years. Her pastor, Rev. W. F. West, was in charge of the services.

Pall bearers were: Messrs. James Carver, E. E. Thomas, Emory Foushee, Ed Ashley, F. O. Carver, Jr., and J. T. Bradsher. Honorary pall bearers were: Messrs. Claibore Dixon, Harvey Chappel, F. O. Carver, Howard Hall, Tom Winstead, John Wrenn, Arthur Scoggins, R. A. Whitfield, J. M. O'Brian, Henry O'Brian, C. D. Short, J. Dean, Brud Buchanan, W. R. Jones, John Clayton, Lad Walker, Monroe Pleasants, Capt. Joe Swartz, Dr. B. A. Thaxton and Dr. B. E. Love. Flower bearers were: Mrs. Monroe Pleasants, Mrs. King Day, Mrs. Andrew Day, Mrs. Luna Thomas, Mrs. Claibourn Dixon, Mrs. Howard Hall, Mrs. John Clayton, Mrs. J. T. Bradsher, Mrs. Clara Oakley, Mrs. F. O. Carver, Mrs. Harvey Chappel, Mrs. Ed Ashley, Mrs. Reade Jones, and Mrs. M. U. Daniels.

A choir composed of Mesdames Victor Satterfield and B. B. Newell, Messrs Lawrence Hall, K. L. Street and Brodie Riggsbee sang several old songs.

Immediately following the services Mrs. Dickerson was laid to rest in Burchwood Cemetery.

NOTICE OF THE MEETING OF BOARD OF EDUCATION

There will be a meeting of the Person County Board of Education on Monday, May 6th, 1935 at 10 o'clock A. M. in the office of the Superintendent of Schools at the courthouse. The purpose of this meeting is to appoint Superintendent of Schools of Person County for the next biennium.

This 15th day of April, 1935. W. R. Wilkerson, Chairman of Board of Education. S. G. Winstead, Secretary

Attended Young Peoples Meeting

The following attended the Young Peoples Conference in Raleigh last Sunday: Mrs. Alex Spriggs, Eleanor Spriggs, Mrs. O'Brian, Dorothy Bowles, Elizabeth Harris, Christine Long, Nina and Dorothy Abbitt, Baxter Wade and J. V. King.

Stores To Close Easter Monday

We the undersigned merchants agree to close our stores all day Easter Monday, April 22, 1935: Rose's 5-10-25 Cent Store. Wilburn & Satterfield. Leggett's Department Store. Harris & Burns. The Quality Shop. H. Raiff. Foreman's Department Store. Green's, Jewelers. Woody, Long & Howard.

NEW OPERATOR

Miss Pearl Creech of Smithfield, N. C., arrived Monday and is located at Clara's Beauty Shop.