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CLYDE R. HOEY ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY FOR GOVERNOR One Day From School To Succeed Himself

Graham-Hoey Race Between Men Of Different Ages, Backgrounds, Types

Clyde R. Hoey of Shelby, whose oratory has been heard in every county in the State during Democratic campaigns of the past 20 years last night announced his candidacy for Govern-

His announcement was the starting signal for the long expected race between himself and Lieutenant Goveror Alexander Hawkins Graham, who announced his own candidacy last

John McRae of Charlotte also has announced formally and Dr. John T. Burrus of High Point, Dr. Ralph Mc-Donald of Winston-Salem and Col. T. L. Kirkpatrick of Charlotte are talking about making the same move. But today, more than a year before the primary, favorites in the race for the Democratic nomination undoubtedly are Graham and Hoey.

types of men.

Mr. Hoey is 67 years old but does not look it. He goes in for long flowing hair and long coat tails, even when wearing tweeds. Few people have ever high collar, of the old fashion, "choker type." He is an orator of the old school of rafter-rattling eloquence, a very successful lawyer, a leader of dry forces, a teacher of a large Bible class and a member of half a dozen fraternities and organizations.

Forced to leave school when he was 12, he has pulled himself up by his (Continued On Page 8)



THE COURIER Has Added Several New ATTRAC-TIVE Features

Notwithstanding we are now publishing THE COURIER twice a week. at the same old price-\$1.50 per year, we are never satisfied but continually looking for something which will add to making it more worth while. In this issue, and every week in the future, will be found the following features:

Looking at Washington. Brief; Very Brief.

Washington News for U. S. Farmers. Golden Gleams.

The Fashion Now. Will You Smile?

These articles are all prepared by the best writers to be found, and are not to be confused with many articles sent out, with a lot of propaganda, especially is this true of the Washington Public Works On letters. While we may not always agree with what our writer says, still, you will find each article worth your time in reading.

Of course, these new features cost money, and much more than many of you would ever suspect, still, nothing is too good for our readers, and we intend to make THE COURIER so interesting that every family in this County will want it to visit them on each day of publication.

Watkins Vigorously Opposed Liquor Act

Mr. John S. Watkins, of Granville county, who represented this district in the Senate, in discussing the liquor bill which the legislature passed in the last hours of its session registered keen disappointment and predicted Governor Ehringhaus would call a special session of the legislature within the next few weeks.

passage of the wet measures Saturday house Tuesday, May 21st, from 9:00 A. morning, declaring 'by this bill some- M. until 1:00 p. m. for interxiews. body will win and somebody will lose, but the Democratic party of North Car- city limits, giving Roxboro a nice apolina will be the loser.'

upper house for the first time during Street has already been treated in like the long session in defense of the dry manner. statutes of the state. He said few people yet realized what the assembly did to make a mess of prohibition in the state in the last hours of the session.

PURCHASES NEW HOME

day Mr. Allan Griffin purchased the McBrook, Joe Kirby, Dr. Bedford Love seven room dwelling located on Bar- and probably others are in attendance. nett Avenue that was offered for sale. It is thought that Mr. Griffin and his John Sloan, artist, 62:



HON. CLYDE R. HOEY

The two leaders are very different H. A. Sawyer Named As Secretary To seen him when he was not wearing a Commerce Chamber

Comes To This New Enterprise With Several Years Experience Gained With Durham Chamber Of Com.

WILL START ACTIVITIES OF CHAMBER SOON

Mr. Hugh A. Sawyer, of Durham, was elected secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at a meeting of the board of directors held Tuesday afternoon.
Mr. Sawyer has been connected with Demonstration the Durham Chamber of Commerce for the past four years, and is therefore well acquainted with such affairs. The board felt that it was exceedingly fortunate in securing a man so well fitted for this work. Mr. Sawyer expects to come over and take charge in the next few days. His office will be in the old post office building, where a suite of rooms has been generously donated by the owners for three months.

We feel that the Chamber of Commerce is well manned, Mr. Gordon C. Hunter being the president, and Mr. Sawyer the secretary, and now if the town as a whole will give these gentlemen their united efforts something worth while will be accomplished, but they will have to have your support, as they singly can not accomplish the things desired. Get behind them, join the organization, and let's get going.

City Streets To Start In Few Days

One Hundred And Eight Men Needed On This Project. Reemployment Officer To Be In Court House On Tuesday, May 21st

Widening of Main Street on the Seventh Grade North end is scheduled to begin within the next few days. Labor for this work will be taken from the "Active" Files of the National Reemployment office and laborers are needed as follows: Two concrete finishers, two form setters, two concrete mixer operators, two crane operators, sixteen truck drivers, four bridge carpenters, and eighty other laborers.

A representative of the National Re-Mr. Watkins spoke vigorously against employment Service will be in the court

Main Street will be widened to the proach from both the north and the The Senator took the floor of the south, as the southern end of Main

ATTENDING ROTARY MEET

Rotarians of the 57th district are meeting in Raleigh today and several from the club here are attending ... President Jack Hughes and incoming At the auction sale held here Satur- president, Jim Walker, Bill Harris, Otey

family will move in at a near date. |: "I only matured a year or two ago." | a lot of nice presents,

Miss Louise Hassan Has Only Been Absent Once Since She Began School Eleven Years Ago

and Mrs. A. S. Hassan of this city. has the unique school record of being on hand and on time for class during her eleven years on every day, save one. On that occasion she was forced to be absent on account of a death in her

Her record shows that she has been neither absent nor tardy, with the one exception mentioned, during these

Miss Hassan is a very popular member of the Senior Class, having won the Rotary Award for the Best All-Round Student, presented to a Senior every year, and also having taken a prominent part in the life of her scholar, as well as an efficient school

Y. W. C. A. Picks Miss Day As Camp Music Leader

as musical director for Camp Latta sponsoring of debating teams, two of this summer, it was announced yester- which went into the semi-final conday by Miss Gretta Smith, general test in Chapel Hill in the state-wide secretary of the Charlotte Young Wo- triangular debating contest, the winmen's Christian association .

and chorus for the camp, She has been Latin interpretation, and throughout assisting with musical programs at the the past few years when every school Y. W. C. A. for some time and recent- budget was cut to the bone, Roxboro ly attended the Girl Reserve confer- has suffered, but struggled to mainence at Camp Latta. Miss Ruth Frazer tain the high standard set, and emerged of New York is to be director of the successful. camp-Charlotte Observer.

given her daughter.-Ed.

Put Across With Little More Effort

Admittedly one of the most serious problems today with the farmers generally is soil erosion, and the best remedy is terracing. Mr. H. K. Sanders. our worthy and faithful County Agent, is doing everything in his power to help the farmer in this fight, and, we are glad to say is making headway. Wednesday there was held a demonstration on the farm of Mr. James Foushee showing what improved machinery will do in the way of building terraces. A number of farmers gathered and watched the machines at work, lin presented his fellow members of noted how rapidly terraces could be made and at greatly reduced costs.

An effort is being made to get one of these outfits in the County, one of Oxford's program committee, who in the requirements being that two thousand acres be pledged for terracing, iting club's program committee to take and we learn that only about two hundred acres are still needed. Mr. Sanders hopes these acres will be secured and soon an outfit as demonstrated will be in use in this County. It will mean much to the farmers and we hope Mr. Sanders will be successful in his efforts.

Holds Exercises Monday Evening

Hon. Robert P. Burns Addresses Those Who Graduated Into High School

The seventh grade of the Roxboro ercises Monday evening in the high school auditorium. Mr. Robert P. Burns, prominent local attorney and until recently County Solicitor, gave them a well directed address in his us- the left hands clasped together. It ual competent manner.

These students have reached the end the other's mouth. of the second lap in their educational career, and next year they will enter ford Dr. Reeves Taylor was asked to high school.

SURPRISE DINNER FOR MR. A. V. HUDGINS

A surprise birthday dinner was given Sunday to Mr. A. V. Hudgins, of Rt. part in this joint session. 3, Roxboro. Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hudgins, in the Roxboro Club came to a close yours. Alvin Hudgins, Mrs. Lucy Page, Mr. with this meeting, the Yankees, cap-O. F. Hudgins, and Miss Edna Hud-tained by Clyde Bowen, winning. The gins, all of Roanoke, Va.

Member Of Class Of Davidson Is Named **As City School Head**

Miss Louise Hassan, daughter of Mr. Mr. Davidson Will Enter Upon His Eighth Consecutive Year As Head of City Schools

> ELECTION OF OTHER TEACHERS NOT COMPLETE

> Meeting Monday the City School Board re-elected Mr. G. C. Davidson as head of the City School System for his eighth consecutive term, having assumed these duties with the beginning of the school term in 1927.

> Mr. Davidson is a gentleman and a man and it is felt that the board acted wisely in rewarding his faithful service to the Roxboro Schools with a re-election.

Since his inauguration the Roxboro Schools have maintained a high record of efficiency, having been recognized as among the leading high schools of the state. Among some of the things that have been done Miss Carmen Day has been chosen under his administration has been the ning of the Latin Cup offered to that Miss Day will organize a glee club student in the state most efficient in

The election of other teachers for Miss Day is the daughter of Mrs. the coming term has not been com-Lillian Day of Bethel Hill, and we con- pleted as yet. As soon as these are gratulate her upon the distinction completed announcement will be made

Oxford and Roxboro Shows What Good Kiwanis Clubs Meet Terracing Does In Joint Session

Purchase Of Machine Can Be Womans' Club Building In Oxford Is Scene Of Meeting Tuesday Night. Many Are Present

ED COBLE PRESIDES

Presided over by Ed Coble, President of the Oxford Kiwanis Club, Roxboro and Oxford Kiwanians met in joint session Tuesday night at the Woman's Club building in Oxford. The entertaining president spoke a few words welcoming the visiting group to the meeting and also called for the introduction of guests brought by the members of his club. - Dr. Roy Nobthe Granville County Board of Education. The program was then turned over to Mr. Taylor, chairman of the turn asked the chairman of the vis-

Baxter Mangum responded to President Coble's word of welcome in a few well chosen terms, thanking them for undertaking the entertainment and for the preparation of such a splendid feed as had just been enjoyed. Vice-President B. B. Knight, acting in lieu of President Furman Herbert, absent, made a few remarks and called for the introduction of the guests with the Roxboro Club Mr. R. B. Griffin, newly elected County Superintendent of Education, was presented, as was Mr. Cecil Wilson. F. O. Carver, Jr., was called on who spoke briefly, after which the program chairman put on a match box stunt between chosen members of the clubs, the object be-High school held its graduating ex- ing to pass the match box, fastened to the nose, from one person to another. Oxford won. Ed Coble and Will Hicks were asked to feed each other a banana while blindfolded and with resulted in a tie as neither could find

> Turning the program back to Oxtake charge. He called on nine members from each club to engage in a spelling match, pitted against each night a grand ball will be staged. An old-fashioned Blue Back Speller was produced and no one survived very long.

There were about eighty who took

losing, or Giant team, captained by of eastern Carolina tobacco plant beds son, Mr. and Mrs. Jack L. Wilkerson After dinner was served he received Robert Long, will entertain at a sup- and has delayed planting in some in- and daughter and Miss Annie Mae per in the near future.

RE - ELECTED



G. C. DAVIDSON

New Mayor And Commissioners Take Up Duties

G. C. Hunter Eelected Treasurer And G. J. Cushwa Is Named Clerk: F. O. Carver Reelected Town Attorney

NEW COMMITTEES

Mr. J. M. O'Briant administered the oath of office to the newly re-elected Bobby Michaels, President of the Sen-Mayor, R. B. Dawes, and the new Board | ior Class; and the Woman's Club Lovof Commissioners at the first meeting ing Cup for the best English paper by of the new year held Wednesday night a high school student was won by Miss in the City office. The new board Helen Cushwa. consists of: Messrs. G. W. Kane, Gor- The class was presented for gradudon C. Hunter, Preston Satterfield, C. ation by Mr. G. C. Davidson, Principal Lester Brooks and G. J. Cushwa.

The main item of business was the election of officers of the board for the coming term. Mr. Gordon C. Hunter was elected Treasurer, and Mr. George J. Cushwa was named as Clerk. Mr. F. O. Carver was re-elected as pronounced by Rev. E. B. Craven. Town Attorney.

The offices of Police Commissioner and Light Commissioner were combined and Mr. George W. Kane was named to fill this position. Messrs. G. J. Cushwa and C. L. Brooks were elected as Street and Water Committee, and Mr. C. L. Brooks was named as Cemetery Commissioner.

The other offices of the town will be filled at a later date, probably at the June meeting of the board.

Exposition To Be Person County's er, Richard Puckett, John Perkins. Greatest Show

Plans Are Moving Forward To Have A Great Farmers, Merchants, And Manufacturers Carnival

EVERYTHING WILL BE UP-TO-DATE ENTER'MENT

Announcements have been released that the Exposition sponsored by the farmers, merchants, and manufacturers of this trading area will be the greatest show ever staged in Person Co. Opening on Monday, May 27, the carnival will continue all of that week, closing on Saturday with a big Farmer's Day and a dance that night to which all are invited.

Each night there will be special features, aside from the regular entertainers that have been booked to be here during that week.

On Monday night Mayor R. B. Dawes, and Mr. Gordon C. Hunter, President of the Chamber of Com- House. merce, will address the Exposition. On Wednesday night will be amatuer night, while on Thursday night there will be a fashion show, and on Friday

Everything about the Exposition will be modern and up-to-date, as well as her home with a "Mother's Day Dingood clean entertainment to which ner," served picnic style from the dinyou can come and bring all the family. Plan now to come and bring along useful gifts. The children present The attendance contest being waged the wife and kiddies, or that girl of were: Mr. and Mrs. Arch Moore and

Graduating Class Is Addressed By Hon. Robert B. House

Executive Secretary Of University Of North Carolina Tells Thirty-eight Graduates Of Years Ahead

AWARDS PRESENTED BY MR. S. F. NICKS, JR.

Graduating thirty-eight members of the Senior Class Roxboro High School closed Tuesday night what has been termed one of its most successful sessions. Hon. Robert B. House of the University of North Carolina made a very constructive address to the graduating class and friends gathered for the exercises, a crowd that filled the

Miss Frances Critcher presided at the plano to play the processional, after which Rev. W. F. West pronounced the invocation, Miss Ruth Davidson, with an average grade of 92.66 per cent, delivered the salutatory address. Miss Louise Hassan delighted the audience with a piano solo, "Dance of the Winds." Hon. W. D. Merritt presented the speaker of the evening, Hon, Robert B. House,

After Misses Louise Hassan and Anna ette Cushwa had played a duet on the piano, Mr. S. F. Nicks, Jr. awarded medals to the winners as follows: The Edgar Long Scholarship Medal for the student making the highest average for the four years in high school went to Miss Helen Holmes Day, as did the T. C. Brooks English Medal; the Rotary award for the Best All-Round ARE ALSO NAMED student was presented to Miss Louise Hassan; the Kiwanis Award for Citizenship and School Service went to

of the High School, and the diplomas were awarded by Hon. W. D. Merritt, Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

Miss Helen Holmes Day, with an average of 96.2 per cent, delivered the valedictory address. Benediction was

With Highest Honor

Helen Holmes Day. WITH HIGH HONOR: Ruth Montague Davidson, Anna Catherine Love, Archie Lee, and Eunice Blalock WITH HONOR: Huldah Hester,

Mary Belle Fulcher, Louise Hassan, Dorothy Warren, Louise Barnette. OTHERS GRADUATING: Virginia Ashley, Shirley Brooks, Dorothy Bowles, Mary Craven, Naomi Daniel, Pattie Daniel, Viola Garrett, Esther Harris, Mae Hobgood, Elizabeth Jones, Corinna Pleasants, Dorothy Riley, K'ree Scarborough, Jessie Van Hook, D'Arcy Bradsher, Robert Buchanan, Douglas Davis, R. E. Hamlin, Jr., Charlie Frank Holeman, Frank Hester, Bobby Michaels, Clyde Murphy, Sanders McWhort-

Marshalls Chosen for Scholarships The marshalls for the commencement exercises at Roxboro High School are chosen each term for their scholarship standing. They are chosen from the three lower grades under the graduating class. The chief is that person having the highest average in the Junior Class. This year's marshalls were: Chief; Hubert Roberts; Assistants: Elbert Wrenn, Ivie Clayton, Charles Ball, Elizabeth Long, Nancy Bradsher, T. C. Wagstaff, Donald Bradsher, Virginia Huddleston, and Raymond Blaylock,

Attending AAA Meet in Washington

Mr. C. T. Hall left Sunday to attend the AAA meeting in Washington this week. Messrs. V. E. Duncan, K. L. Street, and E. P. Warren left Monday morning for the same meeting. President Roosevelt addressed the group Tuesday and received the entire delegation of farmers from all over the country on the lawn of the White

Mrs Moore Honored

On Sunday, May 12th, the children of Mrs. J. R. Moore honored her at ing room table. She received many sons, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Moore and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Holeman Blue mold is reported in a number and son, Mr. and Mrs Algin Allison and Moore.