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# Person County Times

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## NEWS of the WEEK

### AL SMITH'S WALK-OUT

Philadelphia, Pa. — Two threats to the New Deal ushered in the National Democratic Convention. One, sponsored by Father Coughlin, launched a third party headed by Representative Lemke, of North Dakota. The other consisted of an open letter calling upon all Democrats to repudiate the Roosevelt policies, signed by Alfred E. Smith, Bainbridge Colby, former Senator James A. Reed, Joseph B. Ely and Daniel F. Cohan. Party leaders point out that all Stat delegations have been instructed for the President; that they could no switch to another candidate if they so desired.

### 74TH CONGRESS QUITS

Washington, D. C. — With an all-time, peace or war, record of \$19,296,187,373 appropriated, members of the 74th Congress straggled off to their homes. At the final session it was revealed that at least eleven members will not seek reelection but go into voluntary political retirement.

### SURPRISE DESSERT

Marshalltown, Iowa — When F. L. McCammand tendered a testimonial dinner to his faithful employees, he reserved the evening's surprise for the dessert. Frozen in their ice cream, his guests found checks totaling \$4,600.

### CANADA'S NEW DEAL WRECKED

Ottawa, Can. — In a series of sweeping decisions somewhat analogous to those of the Supreme Court of the United States, the Dominion's Supreme Court scrapped the bulk of Canada's New Deal legislation. The six justices arrived at their decisions after hearing a 500,000-word report in 14 days, studying briefs for five months. As the Court renders "opinions" only, appeal may be carried to the Privy Council in London.

### CURB ON CHAIN STORES

Washington, D. C. — One of the last bills passed by the retiring Congress was the Anti-Price-Discrimination measure aimed at the chain stores. It curbs special discounts, kills "los-leaders," discourages secret rebates and other means of giving the chains an advantage over independent stores. It is estimated that last year between 125,000 and 150,000 chain stores did 25 per cent of the nation's thirty-billion-dollar retail trade.

### KANSAS OIL BOOM

Topoka, Kan. — Kansas are beaming. With a favorite son running for the Presidency and bumper crops indicated in wheat, potatoes, corn and rye, the Stae's oil wealth mounted when two new oil pools were brought in in Rice County. One of them produced a 10,000 barrel gusher, and oil men say the Hauschild pool is on of the major discoveries of the year.

### LEE CLAY INJURED

Lee Clay was rushed to Lincoln hospital Monday, June 15, having a car accident near McGhee's Mill while en route to his farm. The hospital officials say his condition is very serious, having five ribs dislocated, fractured collar bone and a slight puncture of the lungs.

### TAXPAYERS INCREASE

Washington, D. C. — Guy T. Helvering, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, announces an increase in 1934 of 301,855 income taxpayers over 1933. Returns were received from 4,201,859 individuals for 1934, two-thirds of whom came from nine states — New York, Pennsylvania, California, Illinois, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Ohio, Michigan and Texas. Advance calculations indicate a much more significant increase in income tax returns for 1935.

## VETERANS RECEIVE \$79,650 AND MORE EXPECTED AT ONCE

Equally as Much Expected to be Received in Roxboro Next Week.

### 75 PER CENT APPLIED FOR SOME CASH

\$79,650 in cash has been received by veterans in Person County who immediately had all or a part of their bonds cashed. Applications have been made for equally that much more and is expected to arrive daily.

Seventy-five per cent of the veterans of this county have applied for some cash and it appears as tho 60 per cent of the total amount will be called for in cash.

The post office at Roxboro has waited on 203 veterans and is still rather busy although the rush is over.

Those who have received their money seem to be spending it very wisely. Some are paying bills and others are doing things that they have been wanting to do for a long time. A large part of the cash is going to the bank and will probably be used later.

\$270,000 was due the Person County boys and Uncle Sam has paid them off.

## POLITICAL SITUATION GETS WARM AGAIN

### Second Primary Between Knight and Warren Shows Promise of Real Contest.

People in Person County have started talking politics again and they will soon be ready to go to the polls for the second primary on July 4th.

There is not as much interest in the governors race this time as in the first primary, but things have started warming up and will probably be good and hot by July 4th.

Many people are watching with much interest the fight between Ed Warren and B. B. Knight in their race for the Legislature. Both of these candidates are making a strong bid for this position.

It is expected that the vote will be rather light in the second primary, but one can never tell what will happen during a campaign. Many people will probably leave home on the 4th, but they may vote before they leave and then the vote may be heavier due to the fact that July 4th is a holiday.

## KIWANIANS HEAR W. A. SERGEANT MON.

### Best Talk of the Year Delivered on Life of Thos. Jefferson.

Mr. W. A. Sergeant, local Roxboro citizen and orator, was guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Roxboro Kiwanis club Monday evening. Mr. Sergeant gave a brief review of the life of Thos. Jefferson and his talk was one of the best that has ever been heard at the Kiwanis club.

His talk was well delivered and was very interesting from start to finish. In fact you could have heard a pin drop at any time during the time he spoke.

Mr. Sergeant has rapidly made a name for himself as an orator and all Kiwanians agree that he has reached the highest peak. He was urged to come back and address the club again.

It was announced at the meeting that any member who had three unexcused absences from the club, in succession, would be suspended.

### MR. J. R. ROBERTSON IS NEW MANAGER

In an ad in today's Times, Woodsdale Roller Mills is announcing its opening under new management. Mr. J. R. Robertson, of Woodsdale, is the new proprietor. The entire mill has been remodeled and all the machinery has been reworked. You are invited to carry your grain there to be ground and complete satisfaction is guaranteed.



STANDARD BEARERS OF THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET

A new picture of President Roosevelt (left), taken on his recent Southern tour. Over his right shoulder is Governor James V. Allred, and to his left Representative Maury Maverick, both of Texas. Right: A portrait bust of Vice-President John Nance Garner being unveiled at the Texas Centennial Exposition, Dallas, by Miss Electra Waggoner.

## Procurement Division Calls For Bids on Post Office in Roxboro

Sealed Proposals Will be Publicly Opened in Washington at 1:00 P. M. July 17th. Expected That Work Will Start Immediately Thereafter.

### CALL FOR BIDS IN TODAY'S TIMES

The Procurement Division, Public Works Branch, Washington, D. C., has called for sealed proposals in duplicate for furnishing all labor and materials and performing all work for the construction of the United States Post Office at Roxboro, N. C.

These bids must be in the above mentioned office by July 17th and will be opened at 1:00 p. m.

The notice sent by the Procurement Division is in today's Times and will be run for two weeks.

This notice is the final answer to the question of "when will Roxboro get its post office?" It is now definite that work will be started very soon after all bids are open.

The buildings on the lot where the new post office will be situated are now being torn down and the lot will be made ready for the new building. Just how long it will take for the actual construction is not known.

The post office or Federal building is on its way and soon we will get our mail in the new building.

## NOTICE TO PERSON COUNTY DEMOCRATS

### Hon. Clyde R. Hoey Will Speak in Courthouse June 30th.

It will be noticed elsewhere in this paper that Hon. Clyde R. Hoey will speak in the courthouse in Roxboro on Tuesday night, June 30, at eight o'clock. May we impress you that every person in the county is invited to be present. Whether you agree with the thought and words of the greatest orator in North Carolina or not you will be pleased with him and his genuineness.

Mr. Hoey, self-made man, natural gentleman, Democrat since boyhood, not just for four years, through us invites you to hear and meet him. R. P. BURNS, County Mgr. S. G. WINSTEAD, Co. Mgr.

### MR. GENTRY GOES TO NEW YORK

Mr. Thomas Gentry left Friday for New York City where he will attend Summer School at Columbia University.

### SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

There will be a School of Instruction for the members of the O. E. S. beginning next Thursday, June 25, at 7:30 p. m. At this time other dates will be named for a continuance of this instruction.

This is an order of the Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of North Carolina and should be obeyed by every member of the order.

Certificates will be presented those finishing the course of instruction.

### JACK POT FOR KIDDIES WILL BE \$20.00

Kiddies Jack Pot Saturday a. m. at the Palace Theatre will be \$20.00.

If no winner the first time the drawing will be continued until there is a winner for \$5.00.

## FARMERS ARE BUSY SINCE RECENT RAINS

### Tobacco and Cotton Received Set-backs During Dry Spell.

Now that rains have broken drought conditions over a large portion of the State, farmers are redoubling their efforts to produce a crop this year.

Realizing this, extension specialists who are to appear on the Carolina Farm Features radio program this week will place particular emphasis on the proper procedures to be following to secure the largest possible yields. Drought seriously affected most crops, and before rains fell, the agricultural situation looked gloomy.

Tobacco and cotton, the two largest crops in North Carolina, probably suffered the greatest set-backs. Farmers, now far behind in their cultivation of these two crops, are having to work rapidly to produce even a fair-sized crop.

According to specialists of the Extension Service, crop conditions in the Coastal Plain section look much better than those in the Piedmont where a smaller amount of rain has fallen.

The rains have also brought out green feeds, which will help livestock and poultry raisers.

The radio schedule in full for the week of June 22-27 follows: A. C. Kimrey, "Feeding for Milk Production," Tuesday, Dr. I. V. Shunk, "Water Plants," Wednesday, C. H. Brannon, "Boll Weevil Control," Thursday, Miss Ruth Current, "The 4-H Short Course," Friday, C. J. Maupin, "Keeping Egg Production Up," and Saturday, Agronomy Department.

### POP KOLA CROWNS ARE BEING REDEEMED

The Lime Cola Bottling Co. redeemed around five thousand Pop Kola crowns on Monday of this week for theatre tickets. Mr. Clayton, manager of the plant, stated that there was a large amount of interest in the program and he expected even more crowns to come in this week-end.

### MRS HARRIS IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Rufus Harris of this city was taken to Watt's hospital, Durham, N. C. last Friday. She underwent a minor operation there Saturday. Her friends will be glad to know that she is recovering nicely and is expected to be at home the latter part of this week.

## 2,000 ATTENDING KIWANIS MEETING

### F. O. Carver, Jr. and B. B. Mangum Attending as Delegates From Roxboro Club.

Washington, June 22—Two thousand delegates to the twentieth annual Kiwanis international convention met in a score of conferences today to hammer out a program for lifting business standards and guiding American youth.

Harper Gattton of Madisonville, Ky., Kiwanis president, called the organization's 90,000 members to help stamp out communism and stimulate employment by "intelligent and aggressive citizenship."

"America is still a land of plenty and opportunity," he said. "We have the necessary capital, land, building material, skilled labor, leadership and courage for complete recovery."

A code of business standards, stressing fair competition and long-range planning of public and private construction, was outlined before three group conferences.

Defeated by a committee headed by Benjamin Allen of Hartford, Conn., the code recommended voluntary arbitration as a substitute for litigation and industrial warfare.

Reporting that 642 clubs already were engaged in vocational guidance work, Clarence C. Dunsmoor of Waterloo, Iowa, asked Kiwanians to aid young people in finding their life work.

The Roxboro Kiwanis club has two delegates attending the convention in Washington. They are F. O. Carver, Jr. and B. B. Mangum.

## NIGHT DEPOSITORY BEING INSTALLED

### Work Started at the Peoples Bank This A. M. and Should Be Completed By Monday.

The Peoples Bank of Roxboro has purchased a night depository that is now being installed by workmen of the York Safe Co.

This depository will enable customers to deposit their money after banking hours and at any hour of the night.

Work started early this morning and will probably be completed by Monday morning. Actual installation will not require so much time, but time will be required for the cement to set.

This depository will be welcome here as a number of stores and industries quite frequently have money that they would like to deposit after banking hours.

This equipment is the very latest thing on the market in its particular line.

### W. M. S. CIRCLES TO MEET

The W. M. S. Circles of the First Baptist church will meet Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock as follows: Circle No. 1 with Mrs. B. B. Knight.

Circle No. 2 with Mrs. A. R. Warren.

Circle No. 3 with Mrs. W. D. Brandon.

Circle No. 4 with Mrs. W. T. Daniel.

## NATIONAL RALLY TO BE HELD HERE ON SATURDAY, JUNE 27

Roosevelt Nominators Will Meet in the Courthouse at 9 P. M. and Will Listen to President's Speech of Acceptance.

### MEMBERSHIP IN F. D. R. NOMINATORS COST \$1.00

In 1932 Nominee Franklin D. Roosevelt broke a precedent by going before the Democratic National Convention at Chicago to receive the notification of his nomination for President the day it was made, and to respond from the convention platform with his speech of acceptance.

In 1936 President Franklin D. Roosevelt will break another precedent when, on receiving notification on his renomination by the Democratic National Convention at Philadelphia, he will deliver his address of acceptance in the open air at Franklin Field before the Convention itself and a gigantic rally of Democrats.

This great central rally in Franklin Field will be reproduced without the convention in over 20 of the greatest cities in the country.

Arrangements have already been made for great meetings in baseball fields, stadiums and convention halls. The Roosevelt Nominators hope to have similar smaller Rallies in practically every city and town in the country. In smaller cities these Rallies may take the form of outdoor meetings, or assemblies in hotel ballrooms or town halls, and some cities are even planning evening outdoor barbecues and picnics. The universal feature of all these National Rallies will be the reception of the President's address by radio.

For the purpose of conducting these National Rallies simultaneously with the one at Franklin Field, there is being created a great nation-wide organization known as the Roosevelt Nominators. Its slogan is "I WANT ROOSEVELT AGAIN." Membership in the Roosevelt Nominators which includes admission to the local Rally will be acquired by the payment of \$1.00 or more to the local organization.

The member's name, together with his contribution, will be registered on the Roosevelt Nominators Enrollment Roster which, after the Convention, will be presented to President Roosevelt. The ticket will be issued in two parts. One-half will be a certificate of membership as an original Roosevelt Nominator to be paid for, signed and retained by the member. The other half will be the free ticket which entitles the holder to admission to the Rally.

The Roosevelt Nominators will accomplish two purposes. First, they will have raised by the very day of the President's nomination, a substantial part of the national campaign fund, and second, they will launch that campaign with victory rallies in cities and towns throughout the country by giving assemblage of local Democrats, and all those who want to have a part in President's Roosevelt's re-election, the opportunity of hearing and receiving inspiration from the President's address of acceptance.

All of these meetings will be held simultaneously on the evening of Saturday, June 27th. The President will begin speaking over the radio from Philadelphia at approximately 10 p. m. Eastern Daylight Time, and all local Chairmen should check with their nearest broadcasting station as to exact time the speech will be received in their area.

The Person County meeting will be held in the Courthouse in Roxboro at 9 p. m. June 27th.

### THE PRIMITIVE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Our next association will be held with Eno Church at Bragtown near Durham. The people of that church have set July 1st to meet to build the Arbor and Stand, also clear the grounds. They are few in number and would appreciate all that will come and assist them with their work; and select your camping grounds.

### F. D. LONG.

Macon County 4-H club boys will finish and exhibit 15 calves at the Fat Cattle Show in Asheville this fall.