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A PAPER FOR ALL THE PEOPLE

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1936

Did you know that the Roxboro tobacco market averaged \$20.26 for every hundred pounds of tobacco that was sold here last year? Did you know that Roxboro was one of five markets in the Old Bright Belt to average \$20.00 per hundred or better? There are eighteen markets in this belt and the others fell under \$20.00. Did you know that Roxboro always averages right at the top with all of the markets in this belt or any other belt?

Did you know that last year Roxboro averaged more than five Virginia markets that are near this city?

We have a number of figures in front of us at this time that definitely prove that the Roxboro market stood among the leaders last year and the year before. In spite of what people say about Roxboro it is one of the best markets in North Carolina or Virginia. Figures prove it and figures do not lie. If you care to see them drop down to this office.

Roxboro sold 4,497,480 pounds of tobacco last year. The year before it sold 2,832,708 pounds. This year the market expects to sell over 6,000,000 and expects to get an excellent average.

James Harris, City Manager of Roxboro, has accomplished much for Roxboro during the past year. He has collected \$83,865 and knocked \$11,155 from expenses as compared with the year before.

Other figures that might prove to be interesting may be found on the front page of today's paper.

Jim has one secret for his success and that is — work. He is on the job at all times and always trying to do something that will help Roxboro.

He is a real collector and doesn't mind cutting your water off if you are not paid up.

To say too much about Jim and not mention the City Commissioners would not be right as they are backing him one hundred percent and doing a splendid piece of work.

The members of Boy Scout Council of this County held their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday night of this week. About twenty interested men were present for this meeting and plans were made for a good winter's work.

Person County has one of the best scout organizations to be found in Cherokee Council. The boys are interested in their work and the men are interested in seeing to it that the work goes on.

George Kane, chairman of this council, is one of the main reasons why this work goes on. For a number of years he has been at the head of the council and during that time there has never been any lack of interest. Mr. Kane is a busy man, but he is finding time to do this splendid piece of work and do it well. He will probably continue to act as chairman for many years and it would almost amount to disaster for him to give it up. We have no idea that he intends giving up the chairman's seat as long as the people co-operate with him and we have an idea that they will always stick with him in this splendid work.

More citizens of Roxboro and Person County are wanted to help in scout work. If you are interested why not attend the meetings of the council the third Tuesday night of each month.

They are held in the office of Dr. A. F. Nichols and your presence would help.

**LONG MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH**

Church School 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching 11 a. m.  
Epworth Leagues 6:45 p. m.  
Preaching 7:30 p. m.

Our revival meeting will begin Sunday morning and continue through the week. Each morning at 9 o'clock and evenings at 7:30.

We cordially invite all the people of the town and community to attend all these services.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference will be held after the service next Wednesday night. Let all official members remain for the conference.

The Person County Young Peoples Union will meet at Long Memorial church Friday night, September 18. Representatives from all Methodist churches in the county are expected.

B. P. ROBINSON, Pastor.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to thank each and every one for the kindness shown us during the recent illness and death of our wife and mother, Mrs. Delma C. Evans. We assure you that every act of kindness and word of sympathy will be gratefully remembered by the entire family.

May God bless everyone.

O. T. EVANS and FAMILY

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**

Vision  
I pray Thee, Lord for eyes to see  
The good inherent in all men,  
That I may never lose all Faith  
But oft deceived, find Hope again.

I pray Thee, Lord for eyes to see  
The hidden need of human hearts,  
And also power that I may give  
The strength which Sympathy imparts.

—William Kitching.

Bible School 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching 11 a. m. Subject, The

Christian's Greatest Promise.  
Baptist Training Union 6:30 p. m.  
There will be no night service on account of the meeting in progress at the Edgar Long Memorial church. Our congregation will worship there. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

W. F. WEST, Pastor.

**ELABORATE PLANS MADE FOR DURHAM FESTIVAL - FAIR**

Starts Monday, Sept. 21st and Will Continue Through Saturday, Sept. 26th. Byrd I. Satterfield is President of Association

With all the fanfare of a big circus, big tents, high-divers, clowns thrill-rides, 57 varieties of freaks and what have you, the American Legion and their Auxiliary of Durham will present their 1936 Tobacco Festival for the week beginning Monday, September 21, to the grand finale on Saturday night, September 26.

The fun-fest will take place at Lakewood Amusement Park. Included in the activities of local interest will be a Baby Parade, Fancy Diving Contest, Bathing Beauty Contest and a Pet Show.

One of the sensational free acts is the 110-foot high dive by the famous Sonny Boy Campbell. He twice daily dives into a flaming tank, which contains only 5 feet of water.

Net proceeds from the Tobacco Festival and Fair will be turned over to the Auxiliary and Legion welfare fund, to aid the less fortunate neighbors in the community.

The Tobacco Festival and Fair committee is headed by Chairman Mel J. Thompson; the committee includes Byrd I. Satterfield, Joe D. Pridden, Jr., Chas. Haynes, J. B. Cole, W. T. Dixon, G. E. House, John H. King, J. Collie Bissette, Brodie Pickett, Luther Barbour, William C. Purcell, Arnold C. Thompson.

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The Roxboro Kiwanis club will meet with the Durham club Thursday, Sept. 24th in the Washington Duke hotel.

All Jewish firms closed today and tomorrow due to Jewish holidays that fall on these dates.

Farmers may now file applications for loans for the sowing and cultivation of the winter grain crops with the Graham Production Credit Association.

Organizations are welcome to use this space. Call 250 and ask for it.

**Mr. Slaughter Celebrates 57th Birthday**

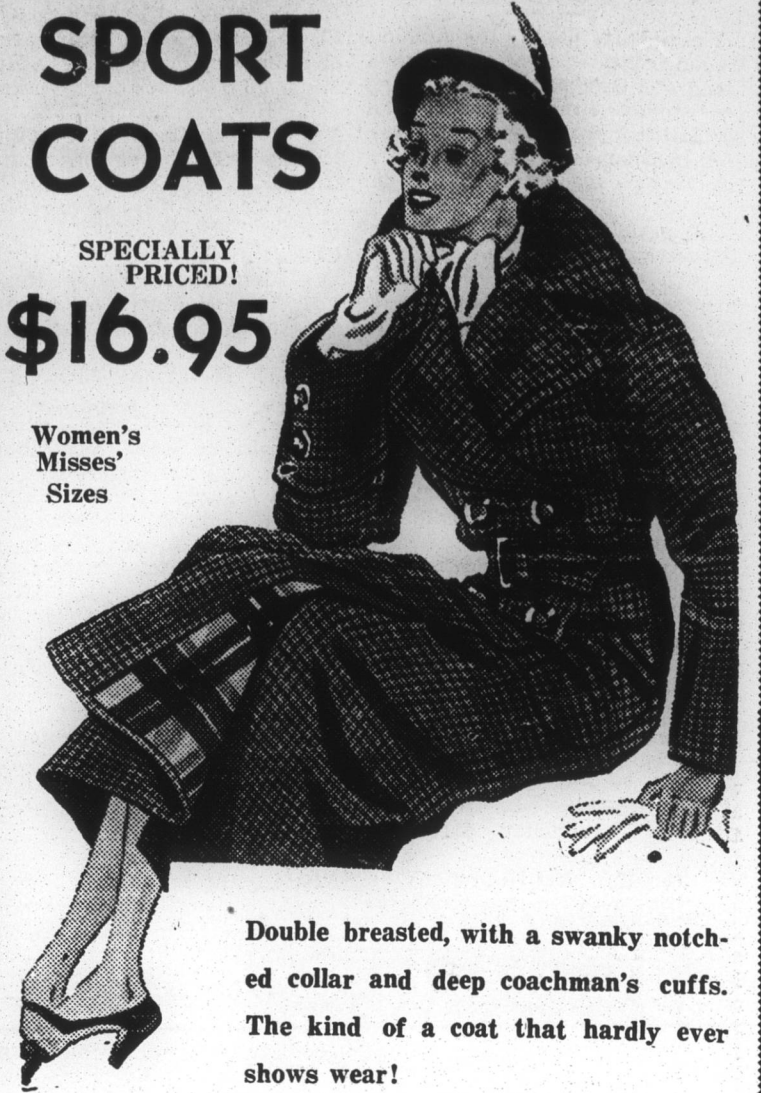
On Sunday, August 30th, about 100 friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. M. T. Slaughter, near Roxboro to celebrate his 57th birthday.

Dinner was served picnic style on the lawn and the following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Long and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Crumpton, Mr. and Mrs. Russ Yarborough and family, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Clayton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Brud Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Morris and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Slaughter and family, Mrs. P. H. Yarborough and son, Mrs. Annie Averette and son, Mr. Jim Yarborough and daughters, Mr. Hicks Yarborough, Mr. Que Yarborough, Miss Rachel Slaughter, Mr. Offie Slaughter, Mr. John Henry Walker and Mr. Bradsher Slaughter, of Roxboro, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Slaughter, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Slaughter and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Slaughter, of Blanche, N. C., Mrs. Ida Long and sons, of Garner, N. C., Mrs. Linnie Howard, two sons and daughter of Burlington, N. C., Mrs. Eugene Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Averett, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Ferrill, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Chambers and family, Mr. Arthur Averett, all of Oxford, N. C., Mr. and Mrs. Odis Guthrie and Mrs. Bernice

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**CENTRAL SCHOOL NEWS**

The Central School opened for the fall semester Wednesday, Sept. 9 with an initial enrollment of 402 pupils. The opening was featured by a talk by Mrs. R. L. Wilburn causing all to reflect and count their blessings and opportunities of today as compared with those of only a few years ago.

A goodly number of parents were present to enter their children and to assure the teachers of their continued support. At this time both former and new teachers were introduced to the children and parents.

Yarborough, of Danville, Va., Mr. William Slaughter, Fort Bragg, N. C., Misses Thelma and Marie Slaughter, of Dunn, N. C., Miss Blanche Thornton, of Dunn, N. C.

Because of oppressive heat in the crowded auditorium the exercises were made short. Each teacher took her pupils to her room and began the work of giving book lists and getting the enrollment of pupils.

All school work has begun to move nicely and all teachers hope to have their work thoroughly organized within a very short time and each teacher is looking forward to this being a most successful school year.

Each member of the faculty of the Central School attended the Kiwanians dinner given the teachers in the Community House Monday night. This 100 percent attendance will, in itself, prove to each member if the club how sincerely the teachers appreciate any and every hospitality shown them in their work as well as in their play.

William H. Warren, 64, of Atlanta, Ga., is the father of 42 children, including 13 sets of twins. Thirty-one of the children are living.

**THE AMERICAN LEGION**  
Durham Post No. 7

**Tobacco Festival & Fair**  
DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA AT

**Lakewood Amusement Park**  
DELUXE SHOWS OF AMERICA  
Big Shows — Rides — Games — Surprises  
Fun Galore for Young and Old  
Come See and Enjoy — The Greatest Program Ever

**SEPT. 21-26 INCLUSIVE**

**Thrilling Free Acts Day-Night**

- INCLUDING
- Sonny Boy Campbell's Diving Sensations—See the 110-Foot Death Defying Fire Dive.
  - WATER CLOWNS—DIVING GIRLS Different Things Every Night
  - See Sonny Boy Campbell's Diving Sensations, consisting of five people, beautiful girls, clowns, etc. with Sonny Boy Campbell doing a full ganor from a height of 110 feet.
  - MONKEY SPEEDWAY—Monkeys Racing of their own free will.
  - TEN-IN-ONE—Consisting of freaks, funny people, short and fat, etc.
  - ONE RING CIRCUS
  - REVUE—With Girls Dancing in their Native way.
  - CRIME SHOW AND MINSTREL SHOW
  - THE RIDES CONSIST OF: Merry-Go-Round, Whip, Rid-E-O, Twin Ferris Wheel, Chair-o-Plane, Lindy-loop, Loop-o-Plane, Caterpillar Also Three Kiddies' rides, consisting of Ponies, Automobiles and a Baby Ferris Wheel.

**PREMIUM LIST For Old Belt Types**

	1st	2nd	3rd
Lemon Wrappers .....	\$15.00	\$7.50	\$4.00
Orange Wrappers .....	15.00	7.50	4.00
Dark Mahogany Wrappers .....	15.00	7.50	4.00
Light Mahogany Wrappers .....	15.00	7.50	4.00
Cutters .....	15.00	7.50	4.00
Smokers .....	15.00	7.50	4.00

**PROGRAMME**

**FIRE WORKS MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY**

**SEE OR ENTER THESE FREE EVENTS**

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21 7 P. M. — At Lakewood Park**  
Durham County Baby Parade  
Three Divisions for Kiddies up to 10 years of age.  
NO ENTRY CHARGE  
Beautiful Cups and Prizes  
Apply Headquarters, 107 W. Parrish St.

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22**  
Fancy Diving Contest for Young Men and Women  
Open to All. Valuable Prizes  
Apply at Headquarters, 107 Parrish St.

**WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 23 TUG OF WAR**  
Between Two Local Organizations for Silver Loving Cup

**THURSDAY, SEPT. 24**  
Bathing Beauty Contest For Miss Durham County of 1936

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25 CIVIC DAY AND VISITING LEGION POSTS**  
Will also include local organizations. Members of Ladies' Auxiliary will also act as hostesses.

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26 2 P. M.**  
**MUTT PARADE AND PET SHOW**  
Open to all boys and girls. No entry fee. Prizes and fun galore. Apply Headquarters, 107 W. Parrish Street  
Children's Day — Children Admitted Free Under 12 Years of Age

**SATURDAY NIGHT**  
Special closing program will feature awarding of two automobiles and coronation of Queen of Festival.

Educational, Commercial and Agricultural Exhibits

**Person County Times' Classified WHO'S WHO DIRECTORY**

<p><b>GROCERY STORES</b></p> <p>For Seed, Feed and Groceries of all kinds — call <b>HUGH WOODS</b> 8-13-1f</p>	<p>Try <b>ROCK INN SERVICE STATION</b> for gas, oil, tires, tubes, and ice cold beer. Also light groceries and wine. 8-13-1f</p>	<p><b>AMUSEMENTS</b></p> <p>For good clean sport visit the <b>TUXEDO BILLIARD PARLOR</b> Inexpensive and entertaining 8-13-1f</p>
<p><b>LONGHURST MERCANTILE COMPANY</b> for Groceries and Clothing. Country Produce bought and sold. 8-13-1f</p>	<p>Visit <b>RED LANE SERVICE STATION</b> at Jalong. Expert washing and polishing. We call for your car. 8-13-1f</p>	<p><b>WANTED - LOST - FOUND</b></p> <p><b>LOST</b>—White Persian Cat, has strayed away from my home. information leading to its recovery will be appreciated. Anyone finding it is warned against picking the cat up or otherwise caressing it, as it is not friendly toward strangers. M. G. Johnson, telephone 114, Roxboro, N. C. 9-17-1t</p>
<p>Fresh Country Produce bought and sold. Everything a farmer needs from hay on — Also Gas and Oil. <b>S. F. GENTRY &amp; CO.</b> 8-13-1f</p>	<p><b>REPAIR WORK</b></p> <p>See us for Singer Sewing Machines. We will be glad to demonstrate. We repair all makes. <b>J. W. GREEN</b> 8-13-1f</p>	<p><b>LOST</b>—\$70 by Ray Jackson by not attending the Palace or Dolly Madison theatres on Wednesday. 9-17-1t</p>
<p><b>USED CARS</b></p> <p>If you are looking for a good used car at your price, you are looking for us. <b>C. H. JOYNER CHEVROLET COMPANY</b> 8-13-1f</p>	<p><b>FURNITURE</b></p> <p><b>PIEDMONT FURNITURE CO.</b> Roxboro — Durham J. H. Lewis, Mgr., J. Burlie Day Elmer Whitt See us for Better Values in Furniture, Stoves and Ranges. Your Business Appreciated 8-20-8t</p>	<p><b>WANTED</b>—Someone to win the Jack Pot of \$80 at either the Palace or Dolly Madison theatres next Wednesday. 9-17-1t</p>
<p><b>SERVICE STATIONS</b></p> <p><b>NORTH END SERVICE STATION</b> invites you to come here for gas and oil. Also groceries and cold beer. 8-13-1f</p>	<p><b>FUEL</b></p> <p><b>Quality Coal</b> <b>CENTRAL SERVICE STATION</b> Phone 137 8-13-1f</p>	<p><b>Let us do your Job Printing</b> Prompt Service, Reasonable Prices, Good Work. <b>PERSON COUNTY TIMES</b> Phone 250</p>
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