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CONTROL BILL TO BE EXPLAINED

County Agent Is Waiting For More Information And Expects To Pass It On To Farmers

The Farm Agent has not yet received official information on the provisions of the new crop control bill. At the present time we know only what has been published in the papers. Just as soon as we receive official and definite information news articles in the county papers will attempt to explain the details as far as possible. As we understand it at present, county and community meetings will be held at which time questions will be asked and explanations made.

A referendum will be held at which time all tobacco producers will have an opportunity to vote and express their wishes as to whether or not they wish the crop control bill to go into effect. Watch the county papers for announcements just as soon as we have definite official information.

Requests For Crop History Of Each Farm In The County

The County Agent is mailing out within the next day or two a circular letter and a questionnaire to each farm owner in the county, with the request that the questionnaire be filled out and returned at once. The questionnaire asks for information that will be a great help to the community and county committee in establishing goals for each farm in the county.

H. K. SANDERS

SOCIETIES HOLD ZONE MEETING

Missionary Societies of Methodist Churches Met At Concord Thursday; Several Speakers On Program

Deeply Spiritual Meeting

A zone meeting of the Methodist Missionary Societies was held Thursday at Concord church in the Olive Hill section of this county.

The meeting was opened by Rev. J. H. Lanning who led the devotional. Mrs. Pearl Parks, zone leader, presided over the meeting and Mrs. H. K. Sanders served in the capacity of secretary.

Speakers on the program were Mrs. A. M. Gates, president of the N. C. Conference of Missionary Societies, Mrs. M. T. Plyer, Miss Florine Robertson, district secretary, Rev. J. H. Shore and Rev. M. W. Lawrence.

Warren's Grove Missionary Society won the attendance cup. Warren's Grove is the baby member of this district.

A delicious lunch was served to all who attended the meeting and the usual hospitality of the Concord people was very much in evidence as the guests saw what was being served.

The meeting was deeply spiritual and was attended by about 50 members.

KIWANIANS DEFEAT ROTARIANS 17-12

Over Two Hundred Fans Come Out To Watch The Game Of Games Between Elderly Men

Hard Fought From Start To Finish

The Roxboro Kiwanis Club defeated the Roxboro Rotary Club in a hard fought basketball game Thursday night in the high school gymnasium by a score of 17-12. The game was one of the hardest that has been seen in Roxboro this year and attracted over 200 people to the gym.

The Kiwanians gained possession of the lead immediately after the first half. At half time the score was tied 8-8. Brilliant shooting by Capt. Lawrence put the Kiwanians in the lead during the first part of the second half and they were never overtaken.

Murray and Titus led the Rotarians in scoring and they both played a nice flood game, but the Kiwanis players covered their every move.

Thompson, Murray, Oakley, Titus and Gaddy started the game for the Rotarians and played the best part of the entire game.

Lawrence, Brown, Milligan, Winstead and Merritt started for the Kiwanians, but substitutions were frequent. Others who saw a large amount of service were Knight, Currier, Deering, Bradsher and Brooks. Dunlop and Oliver refereed the game.

This game between the two civic clubs is now an annual affair and is proving to be the sport classic of the winter. The game Thursday night was the second between the two clubs and the Kiwanians have won both games.

THOMAS STREET BUYS INTEREST IN AUTO AGENCY

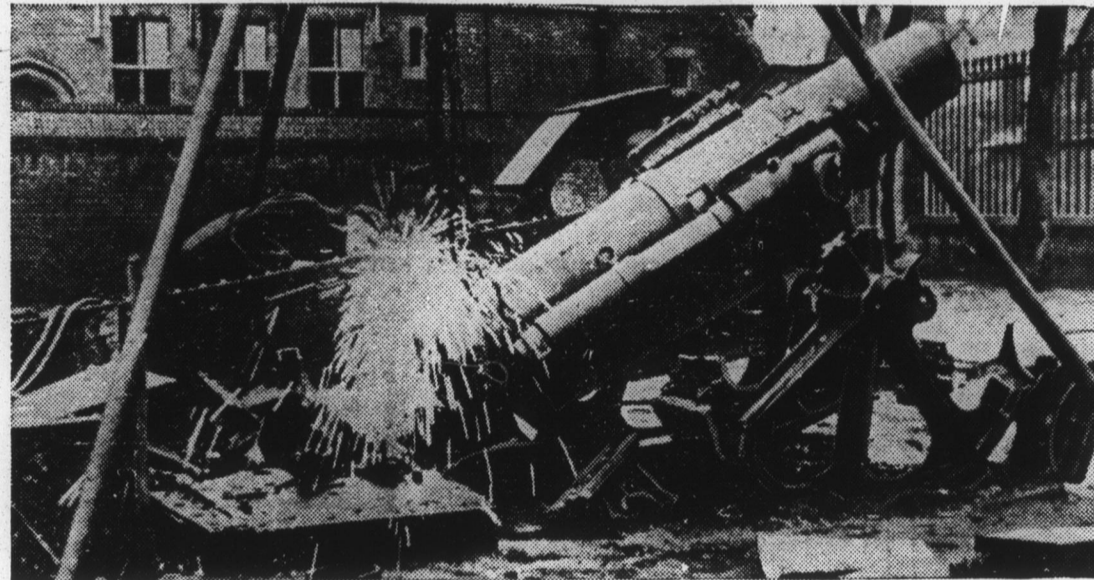
One-Half Interest In Person Motors Sold By George Lowe To Former Roxboro Citizen

Thomas Street of Kernersville, has purchased one-half interest in Person Motors, local Ford Agency of Roxboro. Mr. Street is a native of Person County and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Street of this city. For the past several years he has been in the automobile business in Kernersville.

The interest that was bought by Street was formerly owned by Geo. Lowe. The other half was owned by Henry Gates. Mr. Gates and Mr. Street will now operate the business together.

Mr. Street has many friends in Roxboro and Person County who are delighted to see him return to the best city in North Carolina to do business.

World War Guns Make British Munitions



The scrap metal obtained from the dismantling of this Hungarian field gun on the grounds of the New College at Eton, England, is to be used for munitions purposes. The gun has been on view here since the World War.

Joyner To Hold Used Car Sale

States That Business Must Be Liquidated At Once. And That Cars Must Go

Mr. C. H. Joyner has all of the used cars that have been the property of C. H. Joyner Chevrolet Co. and he says that the entire business must be liquidated at once. For this reason all used cars must be sold. This company has about 30 cars on hand and a big sale is now being staged to dispose of them.

Mr. Joyner desires to call to the attention of certain people that he has in his possession approximately 300 titles to cars that have been bought. He is anxious for these people to see him and get their titles at once.

ROUGEMONT SCHOOL BUILDING APPROVED

New Structure To Be Occupied Immediately—Built At Cost Of \$21,000

The new elementary school building at Rougemont constructed at a cost of \$21,000 was approved Wednesday afternoon by the county board of education and will be occupied immediately, Superintendent L. H. Barbour said.

The Rougemont building was the last of five county improvement projects completed out of the county's share of an \$85,000 bond issue authorized last summer by the board of county commissioners.

In addition to constructing the Rougemont building, the county built a gymnasium at the Oak Grove school, added two rooms to the Hope Valley school, two rooms to the Little River school for Negroes and made a number of improvements to the Holt school. The five projects cost about \$42,000.

The new Rougemont building was inspected yesterday by members of the county board of education, Chairman H. L. Carver, of the county commissioners; County Manager D. W. Newsom; George W. Kane, the builder; and George Hackney, the architect.

Auxiliary To Meet Monday

Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock there will be a meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary at the American Legion Hut. Please come and bring your dues.

Peoples Bank To Be Closed 22

The Peoples Bank will be closed Tuesday, Feb. 22nd. This is a legal holiday and it will be observed by the bank.

HOSP'T. DISCHARGES NUMBER PATIENTS

Building Continues To Accommodate Number Of Patients, But More Room Needed

Mrs. Lois Phillips - admitted on 11th, for surgical treatment, getting along fine.

Mrs. Bunchie Davis - admitted at 3:30 p. m. Friday, fracture, discharged Friday, condition very much improved.

Mr. Robie Barton - admitted on 12th, appendectomy, getting along fine.

Mrs. Eva Weaver - admitted on 12th, treatment.

Mr. William Robert Neatherly - in automobile accident, broken leg, discharged Friday.

Clarence Averette - Admitted 12th, treatment, condition improved.

Mrs. Lucille Luck - surgical treatment, condition improved.

Mrs. Bessie Thomas - admitted on 13th, medical treatment.

Mr. T. B. Compton - admitted on 14th, discharged 15th, tonsilectomy.

Miss Rachel Tillman - appendectomy.

Mrs. Henrietta Perkins - discharged Friday, condition improved.

Miss Hattie Dale Euliss - confined since 14th, treatment, condition improved.

Mrs. Julia Lowry, admitted 14th, surgical treatment, improved.

Mr. James Moore - admitted 14th, discharged 15th, tonsilectomy.

Mrs. Janie Boyd - admitted 15th, discharged 16th, tonsilectomy.

Mr. Hubert Hicks - admitted 16th, discharged 17th, tonsilectomy.

Miss Frances Pointer - admitted 16th, injured back, discharged 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Fox - have son, born 11:20 p. m., 16th.

Mrs. Mary E. White - admitted 18th.

Mr. Robert E. Herring, who has been confined since Feb. 2nd, discharged today, condition improved.

MISS MacDONALD TO WED

Leeds, England — The engagement is announced of Miss Isabel MacDonald, who was official hostess of 10 Downing St., famous home of British Premiers, during the ministry of her father, the late Ramsay MacDonald, to Norman Ridgley, decorator and handyman of the village of Speen, where Miss MacDonald manages the picturesque Plow Inn. This quaint hostelry was built in 1621, and the prospective bridegroom has helped Miss MacDonald about its gardens.

COLUMBIA CELEBRATES

New York City — Groups in virtually every county in the world representing 91,185 living graduates of Columbia University met to celebrate Alumni Day.

B. P. Robinson Pays Visit Here

Likes Weldon Fine And Invites Friends Down For Visit

Rev. B. P. Robinson, former pastor of Edgar Long Methodist church, paid a short visit to Roxboro last Friday. Mr. Robinson was here for only a short time and came here for the transaction of business.

At the present time he is pastor of the Weldon Methodist Church, going there from Roxboro. He stated that he liked Weldon fine and that he had a splendid church.

Mr. Robinson was here for only an hour or two, but during that time he met many old friends and invited them to visit him at his new home.

R. B. GRIFFIN IS FOUR-H SPEAKER

Spoke On Hand, Head, Health, And Heart At Bushy Fork Last Tuesday Morning

R. B. Griffin, county superintendent of education, spoke to the members of the Bushy Fork 4-H Club last Tuesday morning during the activity period. About twenty-five members of the club were present.

Mr. Griffin spoke on the Hand, Head, Health and Heart as applied to living on a farm. His talk was enjoyed by all and the members of the club acclaimed Mr. Griffin as a real speaker with a message.

Following the message by Mr. Griffin, Mr. Snipes, Asst. County Agent, discussed beautification of homes in the County.

Four-H Club work in Person Co. has now reached a high state of activity and under the supervision of J. B. Snipes much is being accomplished.

ALONG THE WAY — ALL APPEARS TO BE QUIET — NO NEWS

WANTED — Five good basketball players who have a desire to join the Rotary Club. For details see J. W. Gaddy of the Roxboro High School. Dues may be waived if prospects can prove that they are capable of shooting four or five goals in a game.

Some of the members of the "Young Men's Garden Club" state that they have green tomatoes hanging on the vine. Now that Ben Brown, Roy Cribb and others have a wife and family they will probably go in for a real garden. By the way, John Hester is now a candidate for the Garden Club, John has a daughter.

NORMAN PERRY COMMITS SUICIDE

Son Of Mrs. Ed Satterfield Shot Himself About 9:00 A. M. Saturday Morning At Mother's Home In Roxboro

RESIDENT OF DURHAM

Norman Perry, 30, resident of Durham, N. C., shot and killed himself about 9 o'clock Saturday morning in the back yard of his mother's home on the Durham road, but in the city limits of Roxboro. Mr. Perry went out to an out-house in the yard and used a 38 revolver. The bullet entered the right temple and came out on the left side of his head. No known reason as to why he committed the act has been given. It is understood that he had a position in Durham and had been in Roxboro for about one week.

Mr. Perry was the son of Mrs. Ed Satterfield of Roxboro. He is also survived by a wife and one child, both in Durham.

Residents of South Roxboro stated that he had been to a filling station just a few minutes prior to his death and that he had taken two buckets of water to his mother's house. They noticed nothing peculiar about his actions.

Immediately after the shot was fired Sheriff Clayton and Coroner Nichols were called. Dr. Nichols, after an investigation, termed the action suicide.

Funeral services will be held in Durham. Definite arrangements had not been made late Saturday afternoon.

S. B. DAVIS SPEAKS TO ROTARIANS

Glenn Stovall Taken In Club At Meeting Last Thursday Night

Speaking at the regular meeting of the Roxboro Rotary Club last Thursday night, Mr. S. B. Davis related the history of petroleum and how the business had grown to the place it now occupies in the world. Mr. Davis also told those present something of the heavy taxes that were now being imposed on the gasoline industry.

Glenn Stovall, new auto agency manager of Roxboro, was presented to the club members. Mr. Stovall comes to Roxboro from Oxford and has been living in Roxboro for the last four or five weeks.

After the meeting was over a majority of the members attended the Kiwanis - Rotary basketball game that was played in the high school gymnasium.

JAPAN SEES SILK LOSS

Yokohama, Japan — Without reference to the American buyers' strike, it is admitted that exports of raw silk from Japan to the United States in 1937 dropped 48,040 bales from the 1936 figures.

We Looked Back In Our Old Dusty Files Of Many Years Ago And Found This

July 7, 1932 — First National Bank agrees to take corn, oats, wheat and cattle as payment on notes, says F. C. Boyles, receiver.

July 7, 1932 — Alex Sergeant installed as president of the Roxboro Rotary Club, Jack Hughes takes office as vice-president.

July 7, 1932 — Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Oakley are spending this week at Virginia Beach.

July 14, 1932 — Mr. and Mrs. George White have returned to Roxboro after spending some time in Philadelphia.

July 28, 1932 — In keeping with the depression and general shortage of money the dry cleaners of

this city have reduced the price of dry cleaning to 50c.

July 28, 1932 — The announcement of the engagement of Miss Marjory Dearing Lacy to Mr. Robert Pascal Burns is read with much interest by the people of Roxboro and Person County.

Aug. 4, 1932 — Mr. H. L. Crowell is appointed welfare worker for Person County.

Aug. 4, 1932 — Wallace Harris has been transferred to the Roxboro Tobacco Market as buyer for R. J. Reynolds Tob. Co. Mr. J. D. K. Richmond has been moved to So. Boston.