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Arthur L. Moore Dies At Home Near Here Thursday

Funeral services for Arthur L. Moore, 54, of the Glenn's store community, Person county, whose death occurred Thursday afternoon at his home following a sudden heart attack, were conducted Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Trinity Methodist church by the Rev. D. A. Petty, assisted by the Rev. L. J. Rainey. Interment followed in the church cemetery.

Members of the family reported that Mr. Moore, seeming in usual health returned during the afternoon from a visit to Roxboro and then went to a field near his house where he was preparing to burn off brush. His body was found about five o'clock in the afternoon, although it is thought that death must have occurred around four o'clock, the hour at which he went to the field, since the fire which he intended lighting was never started.

Mr. Moore, who was the son of the late David C. and Mrs. Sallie Lunford Moore, is survived by his wife; one son, Rufus Elvin Moore, both of the home, and by two daughters, Miss Bessie L. Moore, of the home, and Miss Marie Moore, who is taking nursing training in a Richmond, Va., hospital. Also surviving are two brothers, E. R. Moore, of Fuquay Springs and John L. Moore, of Person county; three sisters, Mrs. B. S. Glenn and Mrs. W. B. Jones, of Person county, and Mrs. Lillian Jones, of Durham, and his step-mother, Mrs. Dora Moore, also of Durham.

Easter Monday To Be Observed By Many In City

More than fifty Roxboro mercantile establishments will be closed for an Easter Monday holiday, according to announcement made yesterday by Wallace W. Woods, secretary of the Roxboro Chamber of Commerce.

Also closed will be the schools of the Roxboro city system, although Superintendent Griffin said Saturday morning that county schools will not close. Other places closed for the holiday include the county departments of health and public welfare. Some offices in the county court house will observe the holiday, but the Farm Agent's office will remain open.

Stores and other establishments to be closed tomorrow include: Roark & Co., Economy Auto Supply, J. C. Whitte's Laundry & Dry Cleaning, Rose's 5 - 10 - 25c Store, Pittard Furniture Co., The Newells, Piedmont Furniture Co., Ledbetters, Penders Grocery Store, Virginia Dare Beauty Shoppe, White's Barber Shop. (Continued On Back Page)

Fire Truck Now Ready For Use

Repainting of the city fire truck was completed three days ago, according to announcement from the fire department and the machine is now ready for service, although its efficiency will be later increased by the installation of a new steering apparatus. It is also announced that a 100 gallon "booster tank" will replace the smaller one.

Smaller hose lines will be used for use

Sourdough Operates Skagway's Lone 'Street Car'



One of the most famous tourist sights in the northland is the solitary "street car" of Skagway, Alaska, owned and operated by dyed-in-the-wool sourdough, Martin Ijzen. With other gold-seekers of 1898, Ijzen left the United States to seek his fortune in Alaska. He remained to build a street car, the only one in Skagway. The car is built on an automobile chassis, but there is resemblance to an auto or street car ends. A dummy is pictured on the platform of the vehicle. Ijzen is now visiting the United States for the first time since 1898. The sourdough conductor is familiar to thousands of tourists.

ROTARIANS WIN FROM KIWANIANS WITH EXTRA TIME

Annual Civic Club Classic Staged In High School Gym; Score - 16 to 12.

Playing a fast, if somewhat rough and tumble and abbreviated game Thursday evening in Roxboro high school gymnasium, members of the Roxboro Rotary club basketball team in a contest with the Kiwanis team won 12 to 16, although an extra period was required to break the 11 to 11 tie existing at the end of the fourth quarter.

The affair, staged as an annual benefit game between the clubs, was well attended by townsmen and by non-playing club members. Among those playing were Gaddy, Oakley, Thompson, Titus, Rabon and Fitzgerald for the victors, while Kiwanians involved were Currier, Brooks, Bradsher, Erwin, Bradsher, Jr., Snipes and Deering.

Referee was Coach George Wirtz, of Roxboro high school, while time-keepers and general assistants were C. A. Harris and Dr. B. A. Thaxton.

High School To Have Educators At May Finals

Dr. Thurman D. Kitchen, president of Wake Forest college, has accepted an invitation to deliver the Roxboro high school commencement address, according to announcement by the supervising principal, H. C. Gaddy, who said that Dr. Kitchen will speak at eight o'clock in the evening on Wednesday, May 15, when the school finals program will come to a close with the (Continued On Back Page)

No Court

Because of the continued indisposition of Judge W. I. Newton, of the county court, who has been confined to his home since he suffered a fall some time ago, there will be no session of the county court this week. Court was scheduled for Tuesday, but it was reported Saturday afternoon that no further county courts will be held until Tuesday, April 9.

To Speak Here



Dr. Clyde A. Erwin, state superintendent of public instruction, who will speak at final exercises at Allensville high school commencement program Friday night, May 10. Superintendent R. B. Griffin will appear on the program also, and R. L. Harris is expected to make the introduction.

"Spring Fever" Selected As Annual Senior Class Play

Plans for the presentation of "Spring Fever", by Ray Hodges, as the annual senior play at Roxboro High school, on the evening of Friday, April 26, are now underway, according to announcement made today by Mrs. B. G. Clayton, instructor of dramatics at the institution.

"Spring Fever" is a light but swift-moving comedy of youth, Mrs. Clayton said, with a number of attractive roles, capable of interpretation which much fun and good humor, and it is expected that the play will prove attractive to a large audience.

The cast of characters selected is expected to be as follows:

Jacky, G. W. Pulliam, Jr.; Ray, his chum, Henry Yarborough; Bertha, his mother, Edith Walker; Eulalie, his aunt, Louise Walker; Spring, Jacky's girl, Annie Sue Barnett; Peggy, Jacky's sister, Peggy Brooks; Mr. Knight, an athletic coach, Wallace Moore; Price, Jacky's married brother, Thurman Long; Donna, his wife, Edith Johnson and Tessie, a lazy maid, Annie Laura Day.

Twenty-nine persons killed while jaywalking in this state last year.

DR. H. M. BEAM IN SALISBURY TO ATTEND SESSION

Present At District Kiwanis Committee Meeting Held Friday.

Dr. H. M. Beam, Roxboro Kiwanian and vice-chairman of the Kiwanis underprivileged children's committee for North Carolina, was present at a committee meeting last Friday in Salisbury, N. C. The meeting was called by Chas. M. Norfleet of Winston Salem, who is chairman of the underprivileged children's committee for North and South Carolina.

Committee members from two states were called for this meeting and after dinner with the Salisbury Kiwanis Club the members held a brief business session. Also present for this meeting was Dr. C. W. Armstrong, District Governor of this Kiwanis district. Dr. Beam has charge of division seven and will endeavor to have each club in his district render service to underprivileged children in his district.

FUEHRER ORDERS MUNITION SPEEDED

Berlin - Adolf Hitler has recently appointed Dr. Fritz Todt, builder of the Siegfried Line, as Minister of Munitions with instructions to step up production by all feasible means.

Along The Way With the Editor

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Once again Wheeler Newell, age 47, is playing tennis. His friends and supporters were afraid that he would not be able to get out on the court this year and his relatives were hoping that he would not even try it. Wheeler just doesn't know when to stop or when old age gets him. He will probably play tennis as long as he can put one foot in front of the other.

Bill Walker, building and loan man, wants to reduce. Last week he started taking all kinds of exercise. Even went to the University of North Carolina where he had the use of a gymnasium. He worked-out twice daily for three days and at the end of the three day training period found out that he had gained three pounds. Bill packed his clothes and came home.

Cy Kirby came out with the first spring suit. Had it on two weeks ago but had to take it off when the weather turned colder. The boys who were in the same Sunday School class with Cy said that they did not need any heat the day that Cy wore the suit as it was hot enough to heat the room. Now Mr. Kirby has bought a new sport coat and we will bet a nickel he soon gets some golf sticks.

So far we have had no report on C. C. Garrett's garden, but we are willing to bet good money that he will say that he is already getting potatoes and tomatoes.

This column also wants a report on Gus Deering's garden.

CANDIDATES SEEK SAME POSITIONS

Riggsbee For County Treasurer; Thomas and Whitfield For Commissioner Posts.

Notices that they will, subject to the Democratic primary of May 25, seek re-election to offices which they now hold have been filed with the Person county Board of elections by J. Brodie Riggsbee, county treasurer, and by Philip L. Thomas and Frank T. Whitfield, county commissioners, according to announcement from the chairman of the board of elections, S. F. Nicks, Jr. Mr. Thomas, druggist of this city, who has served as chairman of the board of county commissioners during his two years in office, made formal announcement of his candidacy late yesterday afternoon, as did Mr. Whitfield, while Mr. Riggsbee's statement was issued earlier in the week.

Mr. Riggsbee is assistant cashier of the Peoples bank, Roxboro, and has held his county position for a number of years, coming up for reelection at the end of each term. Mr. Whitfield, who is an agriculturist and merchant in the Bushy Fork community, has likewise served in his official capacity for several terms.

The announcement by Messrs. Thomas, Whitfield and Riggsbee followed by a few days similar announcements made by Robert P. Burns and Ed P. Warren of an intention to enter the contest for Person's seat in the House of representatives. Other Person aspirants for political office are Flem D. Long, who has entered the contest for the state Senate, and is as yet unopposed, and W. T. Kirby, register of deeds, who seeks re-election.

Only member of the Person Board of County commissioners who has not yet filed for re-election is D. M. Cash, although Mr. Cash announced yesterday that he will seek re-election.

HONOR GRADUATE

Miss Ella Harris Winstead who received her certificate of graduation at King's Business college at Greensboro last week, was presented a complete Theory Short Hand certificate from John R. Gregg, editor of Gregg Short Hand Books, and was awarded the Gregg Prize pin for having the best Theory paper sent in from the King's Business colleges. Miss Winstead also has the honor of being the first student from the Greensboro college to win this award.

Re-Elected



S. F. NICKS, JR.

S. F. NICKS JR. TO AGAIN SERVE AS BOARD HEAD

Elections Board Also Plans Revision of County Registration Books.

Re-election of Mayor S. F. Nicks, Jr., of this city, as chairman and adoption of a resolution calling for a revision of county registration books were features of the Person County Board of elections held here Saturday. A. M. Burns, Jr., was elected secretary.

Mr. Nicks, who has served as chairman of the board for the past two years, is a member of the local bar and has maintained an interest in Person political affairs ever since he established residence here several years ago. He is a Democrat, as is one other member of the Board, A. M. Burns, Jr., of this city. Republican representative on the board is Edgar Blalock.

Mr. Nicks stated this morning that adoption of the resolution calling for revision of the registration books in Person is in line with the election laws adoption at the last session of the general assembly. Under those laws it was stated that there must be either a revision or re-registration.

In selecting the first mentioned choice, members of the Person board yesterday said revision of Person's registration will begin in about eight days and that it will be completed prior to the opening of the registration period.

Hurdle To Seek Nomination As Representative

Clyde A. Hurdle, young farmer and resident of the Hurdle Mills community, this morning announced his candidacy for Person county's seat in the House of Representatives, Raleigh, subject to the Democratic primary, May 25. In making this announcement Mr. Hurdle, who filed his name with the county board of elections at the same time, becomes the third Person county resident who has announced for the House this week, the other two who are seeking the position being Robert P. Burns, attorney, of Roxboro, and Ed P. Warren, farmer and member of the house since 1936, who resides at Bushy Fork. Mr. Hurdle has not previously sought a political position.

Drinking drivers killed 117 people in North Carolina during past year.

HOSPITAL GROUP FORMED HERE AT EVENING MEETING

Women of City Organize Community Hospital Auxiliary At Session Held At Mrs. Barrett's.

Announcement was made yesterday of the formation of an organization to be known as the Community Hospital auxiliary, established Thursday evening of this week by a group of women of the city who are interested in the progress of service rendered by Community hospital.

Leaders of the auxiliary, the first meeting of which was held at the residence of Mrs. Mollie Strum Barrett, stated Saturday morning that appointment of an executive committee and of several additional sub-committees should make possible the planning of a full and cooperative program designed to broaden still further the already valuable community services being rendered by the local hospital.

A tentative list of these committees, as announced by the recently chosen secretary-treasurer of the auxiliary, Mrs. W. Reade Gentry, includes: a supply group, a service committee, a ward visiting committee, a sewing group and others to handle finances, assist in care of the hospital grounds and to provide various programs of entertainment for the nurses connected with the institution.

It is planned that there shall be two classifications of members, active and associate, and that meetings will be held once each month, probably on the second Wednesday. Next meeting of the auxiliary, a call session, will be held Wednesday afternoon of this week at the residence of Mrs. C. B. Kirby, when it is expected members of the nominating committee, composed of Mesdames T. T. Mitchell, Molly Barrett and Clyde Bowen, will make a report. Officers, other than the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Gentry, were not named at the first meeting.

Rites For Father Of H. C. Gaddy Held Yesterday

Information concerning death of A. A. Gaddy, of Marshallville, father of H. C. Gaddy, supervisor of Roxboro public schools, R. B. Griffin, was received here Saturday morning by Person superintendent of schools, R. B. Griffin.

According to the message received by Mr. Griffin, Mr. Gaddy, who had been ill several days with pneumonia, died Friday night at Marshallville. The funeral service was held Saturday afternoon at Marshallville.

First informed of Mr. Gaddy's illness on Friday morning was H. C. Gaddy, accompanied by Gaddy, left here for Marshallville.

HURDLE MILLS MEETS WEDNESDAY

Monthly meeting of Hurdle Mills Parent Teachers Association will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the community center, with cooperating members of the former town. State Health Department program of large scale disinfection is expected to be completed by the end of the month.