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Second Association Opens Saturday At Big Meadow

Upper Country Line Group
To Convene. Lower Association
Re-Elects Flem D. Long
Moderator. Old Book Gives
History.

Thirty-fifth annual meeting of the Upper Country Line Primitive Baptist association, beginning Saturday, July 26, will be held at Big Meadow church, near Siler City, with T. A. Stanfield, of Reidsville, as moderator and will be continued through Sunday and Monday.

Meeting of this association, to be held one week after that of the Lower Country Line association which closed its sessions Monday, near Roxboro, is expected to attract large numbers from churches in Orange, Chatham, Caswell and Person counties, although the majority of the members in Person are affiliated with churches in the Lower association.

In possession of Flem D. Long, of Roxboro, who was this week re-elected to serve his 13th year as moderator of the Lower Association, is the 136 year old half-bound record book of the original Country Line association, which was formed in 1805 from the Flat River association and was then divided in 1906 (101 years later) into the present Upper and Lower associations, dividing line being Person's Hyco river.

Moderator of the first Country Line session in 1805 was George Roberts and first clerk was Barzilar Graves, and in the old record book are minutes of meetings down through 1904, with many pages in the precise and legible penmanship which flourished in the 19th century.

Mr. Long, incidentally is the third moderator to serve the Upper association, the other two, W. A. Warren, of Person County, and W. G. Markham, of Durham, having served until their deaths. Re-elected as clerk was J. J. Whitley, of Durham.

Division into two associations was effected in 1906 because continued expansion of membership of the Primitive Baptists caused the old Country Line association to reach an inconvenient size.

Membership in the two associations is now fairly equalized but members in one group frequently attend sessions in the other.

Mr. Warren first moderator of the Lower association, served from 1906 until his death in 1927. Second moderator, Mr. Markham, of Durham, served only one term before his death, and Mr. Long has served since then, continuing a tradition of life-time tenure by annual re-election.

In attendance at the recently
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Smith Child Dies In City Hospital

Funeral services for John Edmond Smith, Jr., 11 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Smith, of Leasburg road, near this city, whose death occurred Sunday morning at Community hospital, after an illness lasting three days, were conducted Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Oak Grove Methodist church, by the pastor, the Rev. F. B. Peele, of Roxboro. Interment was in the ihurr cemetery.

The child was taken to the hospital Saturday night. Survivors include the parents and one brother, Reginald Smith, and two sisters, Lucy Mae and Eveline Smith all of the home.

D. H. HODGES, OF SPRAY CHAIRMAN OF POSTMASTERS

Named To Succeed Carlton
At District Meeting Held
Tuesday At Hotel Roxboro.

New chairman of Fifth District Postmasters is D. H. Hodges of Spray, elected at the annual dinner meeting of the Association held in Roxboro Tuesday night. Hodges succeeds L. M. Carlton, Roxboro Postmaster. Re-elected as secretary was Mrs. Hazel Sprinkle, of Dobson.

Special guests and speakers included Mrs. Annie Lou Scott, of Sanford, president of the State Association, Joe Allen, Durham Postmaster, and Roxboro City Manager Percy Bloxam, the last named of whom gave the invocation and the welcoming address, Presiding was Mr. Carlton.

The session was held at Hotel Roxboro, with delegates from Granville, Caswell, Rockingham, Forsyth, Surry, Stokes and Person counties.

Mrs. Scott urged Association cooperation, with full membership. Chairman Hodges will appoint county representatives and will himself serve as a State Association director. Mr. Carlton who served one year was elected at Winston-Salem.

Young People Meet At Blanch Church

Young people of Beulah Baptist Association met last week at Blanch Baptist Church under the leadership of Mrs. L. V. Coggins and her assistant Miss Lucille Davidson. The theme of the meeting was "Will There Be Any Stars In My Crown?"

The meeting began with the auxiliaries meeting in separate groups. After the close of these group meeting refreshments were served to each group.

In the afternoon a joint session was held in the auditorium. The session opened with the group singing the auxiliary hymns. Rev. L. V. Coggins led in prayer. A representative of the Mill Creek Sunbeams recited the poem "Sunbeams Shining." Rev. W. F. West, whose topic was "They That Be Wise," gave a very interesting talk on Christian life. Mrs. L. B. Olive, Southern Baptist Missionary to China described the war conditions in China, telling how the war had made many turn to the church.

She showed Chinese dolls and also pictures of her Chinese friends.

The Clement Y. W. A. secretary, Mrs. Ronald Dunevant, sang "Any Stars In My Crown." A stewardship play was given by the Blanch and Milton auxiliaries. Earl Newton, of Clement, led the closing prayer.

The fall Y. W. A. Conference will be held at Yanceyville Baptist Church October 19, while the annual young peoples meeting will be held at the Semora Baptist Church Tuesday following the second Sunday in July next year.

CHIEF'S GRANDAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Oliver, Jr., of this city announce the birth of a daughter Thurs. July 24, at their home here. The child is a grandchild of Chief of Police and Mrs. S. A. Oliver.

THOMPSON TALKS TO CLUB WOMEN

Local Defense Chairman
Declares Women Have An
Increasingly Important
Role In National Defense.

Discussing the significance of the roles played by women in civilization, E. G. Thompson, chairman of the local unit of the State Committee for National Defense, who was guest speaker at the second August meeting of the Roxboro chapter of the Business and Professional Woman's club Tuesday night, called attention to the courage and resourcefulness now being shown by women in war-torn foreign countries and expressed the opinion that women in the United States will be no less courageous in their cooperation with National Defense.

The speaker, who was presented by Mrs. Roselle Featherston, chairman of the International Relations committee, then specifically mentioned the part women may play in the Aluminium campaign now being carried on, said that women are now at the forefront in every worthwhile civic venture and prophesied greater changes in the world as women increase their positions as executives in the business world.

Presiding at the meeting which was held as a dinner session at Mrs. B. W. Gardner's Coffee Shop, was Miss Agnes Brake, vice president. During the business session three new members, Misses Julia Fisher, of the Person Health Department, and Eleanor Harbour, Home Supervisor, F. S. A. and Rachel Brewer, secretary for F. S. A., were received.

Next meeting, August 11, will be held at 7 o'clock in the Church School Building, Roxboro First Baptist church.

L. W. (Joe) Brooks Negro Teacher Dies At Home

Leonidas W. (Joe) Brooks, 40, of near Allensville, Negro school teacher, for 12 years a member of the faculty of Person county Training School, died Sunday at his home. Death was attributed to heart trouble with complications. Survivors include his wife, 4 brothers and 4 sisters.

Funeral services were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at Allen's Chapel Methodist church, with interment at Woodsdale. The deceased was a member of Allen's Chapel church and was widely known for his work in educational circles.

Miss Chandler Has Washington War Department Job

Miss Lottie L. Chandler, daughter of Elder and Mrs. Lex J. Chandler of Roxboro, has accepted a position in the War Department in Washington; D. C. Miss Chandler is a graduate of Helena High School, and Croft's Secretarial and Accounting School. For the past year, she has held a position with Van Straaten's in Durham, but left Saturday for Washington, where she will assume new duties.

LT. MYRICK HERE

Lt. Edwin A. Myrick of Daniel Field, Augusta, Ga., will arrive tonight to spend the week-end in Roxboro. Lt. Myrick left this city in June and has since then been stationed at Daniel Field, with the air corps.

FINAL WEEK AT CHEROKEE WILL BE STARTED SUNDAY

Cherokee Camp For Scouts
Has Thus Far Had An Un-
usually Successful Season.

Reidsville, July 24 — Camp Cherokee in its third week, for the season, is again boasting of a capacity attendance. Attendance has totaled over 100 every week the camp has been open, already breaking all attendance records for Cherokee Council. This unusually large attendance is attributed to the large number of Scoutmasters who have attended with their troops this year.

The final week opens at Cherokee Sunday, July 27. Scout leaders in this district promised that a place would be found for every boy who wishes to attend. Any scout who has not yet attended, should write: Boy Scouts of America, Reidsville, N. C., immediately asking that a place be reserved for them.

Large numbers of visitors have enjoyed the aquatic activities and campfire programs this year. Wednesday and Thursday of each week visitors have flocked to the camp where a special parent night program was given. Further information regarding camp may be secured by calling: George Cushwa, of Roxboro.

LOUIS B. CLAYTON DIES SATURDAY IN HOSPITAL

Rites For Hurdle Mills
Man Held Sunday At
Graveside In Family Cemetery.

Funeral services for Louis B. Clayton, 46, of Hurdle Mills, whose death occurred Saturday night at Community hospital, Roxboro, were conducted Sunday afternoon at the graveside in the Clayton family cemetery. Death was attributed to complications following an operation. Mr. Clayton was admitted to the hospital, July 8.

Survivors include his wife: one son, two daughters, all of the home; his mother, Mrs. Ozzie Clayton of Timberlake; three brothers, and two sisters, Mrs. N. S. Poole of Greensboro, and Mrs. F. E. Oakley of Timberlake.

The three brothers are: E. W., of Timberlake, W. W., of Durham and M. S., of Raleigh, while the children are J. T. Clayton, of the home, and Misses Rosa Anne and Dorothy Clayton, all of the home.

B. B. Knight And Mrs. Knight Go To West Virginia

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Knight will next week go to White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., where Mr. Knight, District Manager for the Ohio State Life Insurance company, will attend an agency session given in honor of those most successful in the company's business during the past year.

Mr. Knight, who has been with the Company since 1934, is a member of the honor club and as such will receive a watch as special award. He has for nearly six years also been a member of the "App-a-Week" club. While in White Sulphur Springs Mr. and Mrs. Knight will be guests of the Company at the Greenbrier hotel.

Mayor Winstead Requests City To Go On Daylight Time

Education Board Office Now Being Moved to New Location

Although nothing definite has been learned concerning new tenants of Court House quarters until this week occupied by the Person County Board of Education, process of moving the Board's office equipment and books to Roxboro Community House, Chub Lake street, has been going on all this week and it is expected that the Board's office personnel will be settled there by end of this week.

R. B. Griffin, Person Superintendent of Schools, has been in the Community House building most of the time, supervising last minute details of reconstruction and renovation, although Miss Louise Darden, his secretary has kept the Court House office open.

Moving is being done in school trucks by young men employed with the schools system. Short work could be made of moving the actual office equipment, but major job is clearing out the old book room and the basement supply room.

MISS TODD DIES AT RESIDENCE OF MRS. N. J. TODD

Sister of Late Rev. Mr.
Todd Passes After Long
Illness. Rites Scheduled
For Friday Afternoon.

Miss Guila Ethel Todd, 50, of Allensville, died this morning at 3:25 o'clock at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. N. J. Todd. Miss Todd's death was attributed to complications resulting from a stroke of paralysis. She had been ill for many years.

She was the daughter of Mrs. Laura Todd and of the late Littleton J. Todd and was a sister of the late Rev. N. J. Todd, well known Person County Baptist minister.

Miss Todd was a member of Mill Creek Baptist church, but funeral services will be held at Providence church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Officiating ministers will be the Rev. J. F. Funderburke, of Mill Creek, the Rev. J. N. Bowman, of Providence and the Rev. W. F. West, of Roxboro First Baptist church. Interment will take place in Providence cemetery. The body will lie in state at Providence church from two until three o'clock.

In addition to her mother, Miss Todd is survived by one sister, Mrs. W. R. Bazemore, of Burlington, three brothers, Malverin, of Miami, Fla., Hugh, of the U. S. Naval hospital, Portsmouth, Va., and Littleton, of New Mexico.

MISS RILEY GETS "A" CERTIFICATE

Mrs. Gertrude Hutchinson, of Raleigh, chairman of the North Carolina State Board of Cosmetic art, today sent to Miss Mary Riley, of the Roxboro Beauty Shop, an "A" certificate granting Miss Riley privileges of being an instructor in any and all recognized schools and colleges of beauty culture.

MRS. LELIA NOELL PASSES IN CITY RITES CONDUCTED

Wife Of Late Joseph W.
Noell, Of Mt. Tirzah, Dies
At Hospital. She Was A
Sister Of W. F. Reade.

Mrs. Lelia Susan Noell, 87, of Mount Tirzah, wife of the late Joseph W. Noell, of that place, died Tuesday morning at 2:50 o'clock at Community hospital, Roxboro, where she had been a patient since July 2, when she fell and suffered a broken hip at her home. Death was attributed to complications and the infirmities of age.

Funeral services were conducted at Mount Tirzah Methodist Church, of which she was a member, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Officiating ministers were the pastor, the Rev. E. L. Hill, assisted by a former pastor, the Rev. H. E. Lance, retired Methodist minister, of Durham. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Survivors include: three sons, E. R. Noell, of Jonesboro, A. B. Noell, of Winston-Salem and W. W. Noell, of Mt. Tirzah; two daughters, Mrs. C. A. Moore, of Rougemont and Miss Mary Noell, of Mount Tirzah, and 19 grandchildren. Also four brothers, W. F., C. G. and J. G. Reade, all of Mount Tirzah, and E. W. Reade, of Durham.

Mrs. Noell was an aunt of Mrs. R. L. Harris, of Roxboro, wife of Lt. Gov. Harris, of E. G. Long, of Mrs. E. E. Bradsher and Mrs. Paul Henley, all of this city.

S. P. Suitt, Of Longhurst Dies At Residence

Samuel Plunk Suitt, 75, of Longhurst, died this morning at 5:30 o'clock at his home after an illness lasting 10 days. Death was attributed to complications.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock at North Roxboro Baptist church, of which he was a member. Rites will be in charge of the pastor, the Rev. A. R. Hovis. Interment will follow in Providence Baptist church cemetery.

The body will lie in state at the church from three until four o'clock.

Survivors include: his wife, Mrs. Emma Suitt, four sons, C. C., of Roxboro, Kenneth, Luther and Johnnie, of Longhurst, and two sisters, Mrs. J. B. O'Brian and Mrs. Rommie New, both of Longhurst, twenty grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. Emma Powell, of Allessville.

IN GEORGIA

Ivey and Clarence Warren are now at Baxley, Ga., where they will operate a warehouse during the Georgia season.

Follows Broughton Proclamation, County Can Take No Official Action Until August 4, But Cooperation Requested.

In conformity with the proclamation yesterday issued by Gov. J. Melville Broughton regarding "Daylight Saving Time," Mayor S. G. Winstead, of this city, this morning issued a statement in which he requested citizens of Roxboro to observe the new time schedule, turning their clocks forward one hour, beginning Sunday midnight.

Frank T. Whitfield, chairman of the Person Board of Commissioners, this morning said that he has received a communication from the Governor, but that official action as far as Person county is concerned cannot be taken until the Commissioners meet, Monday, August 4.

Lee Umstead, of the Roxboro office of Norfolk and Western, questioned this morning as to train schedules, said he has as yet had no official information, but it is expected trains will remain on Standard time, although the local office may adopt Daylight time for its own operations.

City Hall offices will adopt the new time and merchants will be expected to adhere to the schedule, to be in effect until Sunday, September 28.

Printed below is the Associated Press story from Raleigh:

Raleigh, July 24—Governor Broughton directed all State offices, agencies and institutions to put daylight saving time into effect Sunday, July 27, and issued a proclamation urging local governmental agencies, firms and individuals in North Carolina to set their clock up one hour on that date.

His action followed President Roosevelt's request last week that all Southeastern States adopt daylight saving time as a measure to conserve electricity needed in vital defense activities.

If Broughton's proclamation is followed, North Carolina will go on daylight saving time at midnight Sunday and continue through midnight of Sept. 28.

Immediately following the President's request, Broughton sent messages to mayors, chairman of county commissioners and various State-wide organizations asking their views on the proposal.

He stated that response to the
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ALUMINUM DRIVE NOW BEING HELD

Successful Beginning With
Monday Matinee. Scouts
And Four-H Members Now
Calling On Householders.

In progress today is the County and City-wide Aluminum drive, with collecting being largely done by Boy and Girl Scouts and Four-H club members.

The City depository on the City Hall lawn erected by Mity Manager Bloxam, with its "V" for Victory sign, was on Monday filled by contributions brought in by children who attended the Palace theatre matinee.

The drive will continue through July 29 and all citizens who have discarded aluminum are requested to bring it to designated collection centers or to give it to authorized collectors when called for.