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LOEVIN'S BOND REDUCED AS CASE GOES HIGHER

**Preliminary Hearing
Waived; Trial Set For Jan-
uary Superior Term; Loe-
vin Stays In Prison.**

Hearing was on Tuesday waived by suggestion of counsel in the Arthur Loevin, alias Charles M. Hale case, for false pretense, in Person Recorder's court, before Judge R. B. Dawes, where appearance bond was fixed at \$500 for January Superior court. Loevin remains in jail, having been to date unable to arrange bond, originally set at \$1,000. It is understood that authorities at Boone, Graham and Clinton have requested that Loevin be held here.

He was placed in jail here on Thanksgiving night after having been arrested the previous day in Abingdon, Va., on charges in connection with an alleged advertising scheme for theatres.

Other cases coming up in Recorder's court were:

Charlie Cozart, malicious injury to property, called and failed; Tom Terrill, assault with a deadly weapon, pleaded not guilty, taxed with \$25 and costs; Henry Richardson, Negro, speeding, judgment suspended on payment of the costs; Johnnie Dixon, assault with a deadly weapon, \$5 and costs.

Also, Bigon King, larceny, three months judgment suspended on payment of \$25 and costs; Egbert Villines, Negro, driving drunk, \$50 and costs, with license revoked for 12 months; Hester Saunders, no operator's license and hit and run driving, to pay William Thomas \$16.50 for damage to car.

Also, Raymond Brooks, Negro, speeding, judgment suspended on payment of costs; Reuben Blackwell, Negro, found not guilty of careless and reckless driving; Helen Oliver, Negro, assault with a deadly weapon, case continued; Charlie Newman, improper brakes, judgment suspended, payment of costs; Gaither J. Yarbore, not guilty, careless and reckless driving; Bradsher Day, resisting arrest, judgment suspended, payment of costs; George Whitfield, unlawful possession, \$5 plus costs; Willie T. Fears, obtaining money under false pretense, continued to January term, and George W. Brann, drunk driving continued with prayer for judgment.

Assistant Court Clerk R. A. Bullock being ill, court records were kept by the Clerk, Miss Sue Bradsher.

E. G. Thompson Has Goose Dinner For Friends Here

Host at a goose dinner Tuesday night at the Royal Cafe was E. G. Thompson, young Roxboro business man, who entertained twenty or more friends and business associates after his return from an eastern Carolina hunting trip. On the trip with Mr. Thompson was D. W. Ledbetter.

Those who enjoyed Mr. Thompson's hospitality were: Dr. J. D. Bradsher, Maurice Allen, D. R. Taylor, Bill Winstead, T. R. Bennett, Everette Jones, E. E. Thomas, M. C. Clayton, J. Sam Merritt, Philip L. Thomas, Curtis H. Oakley, W. K. Moore, Coleman C. King, D. W. Ledbetter, W. D. Weatherly, Gordon C. Hunter, Henry Gates, Charles Wood, Sam Byrd Winstead, Bill Walker and Garrett Stanfield, the last named from Greenville.

C. OSCAR DIXON RITES CONDUCTED AT MULLINS, S. C.

**Person Native, Who Be-
came Prominent South Car-
olina Business Man, Dies
Sunday At Hospital In
Mullins.**

Funeral services for C. Oscar Dixon, 73, native of Person County, but for many years a prominent resident of Mullins, S. C., whose death occurred Sunday in that city, were conducted Monday afternoon at the Mullins Methodist church.

Mr. Dixon, a past president of the South Carolina Belt Tobacco Warehouse association, was the son of the late J. J. Dixon. He went to Mullins in 1904, where he was active in business, civic and church affairs, being a member of the board of trade, a school trustee and bank director.

His wife, who survives, is the former Miss Loyd Brooks, sister of D. S. Brooks, of Roxboro. Also surviving are four sons, four brothers and five sisters, together with his stepmother, Mrs. J. J. Dixon, the last named being a resident of Allensville.

Among survivors are Mrs. Will Thomas, of the Oxford Road, a half-sister; Jack and Alex Dixon, half brothers, of Allensville; Mrs. J. A. Denny, of Leasburg, and Mrs. Ida Yarbrough, of Milton, sisters, also, another sister at Reidsville, and a half sister at Allensville.

Roxboro residents attending the final rites included: Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. James Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Fox, Jr., Mrs. Glenn Titus, Mrs. W. T. Carver and sons, David, Gilbert and Brooks Carver, Hall Brooks, of Henderson, Mrs. Will Thomas and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gates and Jack Dixon.

PATRIOTIC COW

Bennie, son of John R. and Flora Stephens Bradsher of Rt. 1, Roxboro, and great grand-son of Squire John and Sarah Moore Bradsher, is the proud owner of twin jersey calves, one male, one female, born November 20. This seems to be a patriotic cow since she observed the President's Thanksgiving.

State Fire Marshal Will Be Kiwanis Club Guest Speaker

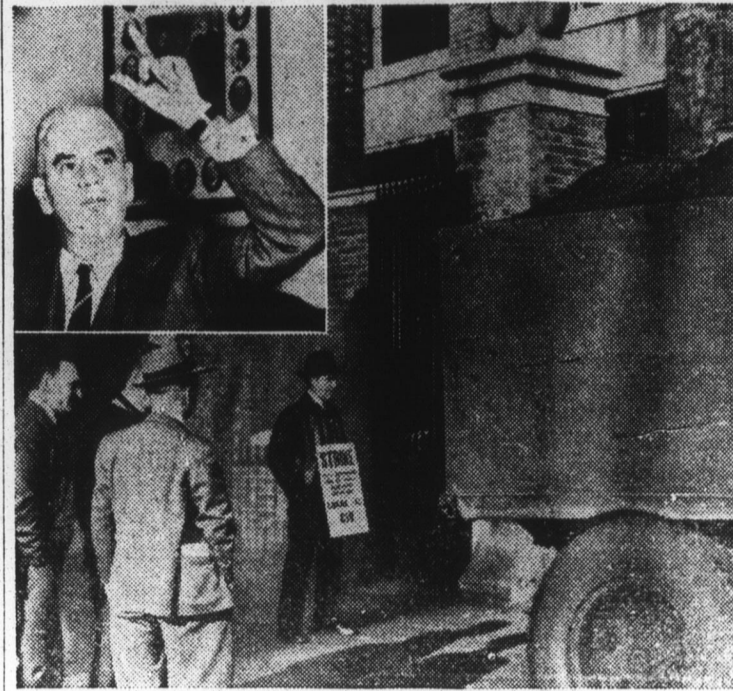
**Sherwood Brockwell To
Be At Kiwanis Club's Ladies'
Night Function In
Early December.**

Speaker at annual Ladies' Night of the Roxboro Kiwanis club to be held Monday, December 8, will be State Fire Marshal, Sherwood Brockwell, of Raleigh, who has visited in Roxboro a number of times in the past few years and is regarded as a popular after-dinner wit and humorist.

The affair will be given at Hotel Roxboro at 7 o'clock, with Rev. W. C. Martin, pastor of Edgewood Memorial Methodist church, as toastmaster. Presiding will be club president, E. B. Craven, Jr. Introduction of the guest of honor, Mr. Brockwell, will be by R. D. Bumpass.

Welcome to the women will be extended by Robert Edgar Long, Roxboro attorney, and response will be by Mrs. J. J. Woody. It is expected that 100 Kiwanians and guests will be present. Favors will be presented to the women and many entertainment features not yet announced will be provided.

Coal for Strike-Bound Yale



Picket at gates of powerhouse of Yale university, New Haven, Conn., moves aside when truckload of coal arrives for the strike-bound university. Maintenance employees at the university struck an hour before the state board of mediation was scheduled to meet with the C.I.O. to discuss settlement of union shop dispute. Inset: Phillip Murray, C.I.O. president who, on the same day resigned from the national defense mediation board because of an opinion rendered on "captive" coal mines of the bituminous coal industry.

Mr. Martin, Father Of Local Minister, Dies In Raleigh

Emory A. Martin, 85, of 205 Ashe Avenue, Raleigh, father of the Rev. W. C. Martin, of Roxboro, died yesterday morning at his home following an extended illness.

Funeral services will be held at Martin-Yelverton Funeral Home in Raleigh, Friday at 11 a. m., conducted by the Rev. Howard M. McLamb, pastor of the Fairmont Methodist Church, assisted by Dr. John C. Glenn, pastor of Edenton Street Methodist Church. Burial will be in Oakwood Cemetery, Raleigh.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Theresa Hinton Martin and four sons.

TO ENTER CONTEST

Mrs. Dora Beam, of Hayesville, formerly of Roxboro, has been invited to enter her crochet work in the Fifth annual nation-wide crochet contest to be judged this month in New York City. Mrs. Beam is the mother of Miss Velma Beam, until recently Person county home demonstration agent, now of Hayesville.

Albert Pulliam Dies At Longhurst After Illness

**Sherwood Brockwell To
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Albert Pulliam, 54, of Longhurst, died Monday morning at 9:15 o'clock at his residence after an illness lasting four weeks. He had been in ill health several years. Immediate cause of death was dropsy.

Final rites were held Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the late residence by the Rev. T. Marvin Vick, Jr., pastor of Cavell Methodist church. Interment was in Providence church cemetery.

Surviving are: three sons, one daughter, three brothers, four sisters and his father.

The children are: C. T., John, William and Louise, all of the home; the brothers, J. D., Henry and Buck Pulliam; the sisters: Mesdames Katie Satterfield, Minerva Wrenn, Hallie Long and Lonnie Hargis, and the father, John Pulliam, all of Roxboro. His wife, was the late Mrs. Susie Fuller Pulliam.

CHIEF ROBINSON SPEAKS TO CIVIC CLUB IN CITY

**Chief Of City Police Pleas-
ed With Spirit Here; Is
Presented By Program
Chairman, Dr. Robert E.
Long.**

Declaring that he is greatly pleased with the law enforcement spirit now being shown in the City of Roxboro, Chief of Police George C. Robinson, guest speaker at Monday's dinner session of the Roxboro Kiwanis club, added that he has since his arrival in Roxboro been treated "swell" by citizens of both the City and County.

Mr. Robinson, who had as his theme the "Duties of an Officer," explained not only his own conception of the duties of an officer to the public, but also the duties of the public to officers. Concerning law enforcement he said: "If we have a bad law, the best way to repeal it is to enforce it."

Introduction of Chief Robinson, who came to the Roxboro department as chief in August, although he had previously lived here for several years while with the State Highway Patrol, was by the program chairman, Dr. Robert E. Long.

Presiding was club president, E. B. Craven, Jr. The dinner was served at Hotel Roxboro.

County Negro Hit On Head And Robbed

Durham police last night were investigating the daylight hold-up of a Person County Negro who was hit on the head and robbed of \$95 in Durham early yesterday afternoon.

John Tapp, of Hurdle Mills Route 2, reported that he was accosted by an unknown Negro on Pine Street Road at the underpass, near the city limits, shortly after 2 o'clock.

When Tapp hesitated about handing over his money, the stranger knocked him in the head, forced him to hand over his money, and ran away, the victim told detectives.

AT ST. MARK'S

Speaker at the Sunday morning service at St. Mark's Episcopal church will be City Manager Percy Eloxam, who will speak in the absence of the Rector, the Rev. Rufus J. Womble, who will be at the Milton church that morning.

Rites For Accident Victim Will Be Conducted At Home

ROXBORO CUBS GAIN MEMBERS

**November Pack Meeting
Has Good Attendance;
Handicraft Prize Given.**

With the Rev. Rufus J. Womble, assistant leader, in charge of the program, November Pack meeting of Roxboro Cub Scouts was held Tuesday night at Cub headquarters in Roxboro Community house.

Present were ten or more Cubs, several of them new members, together with a number of parents, and leaders and assistants, among them Charles Harris, Jr., and Thomas J. Shaw, Jr. Winner of Peck prize for handicrafts was Bill Michie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Michie. Presentation of the prize was by Shields Clarke. By decision of the members, December meeting of the Pack will have a Christmas theme and will be held at the same place on Monday evening, December 15, at 7:30 o'clock.

December handicraft project will be devoted to making gifts for parents. It is also expected that Christmas baskets for the less fortunate will be prepared by the Cubs, working with another Scout unit in the City.

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New Restaurant Now Operating Near City Limits

Now being operated on the Greensboro highway, near Roxboro, is the Berk-Allen restaurant, lease having been obtained by J. P. Allen and Edward Berk from the building owners, Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Franck.

Mr. Allen was formerly with the Correct-Time Inn, near Greensboro, on the Burlington road, and Mr. Berk, of Burlington, was with Berk's Bakery there. The new restaurateurs cater especially to supper parties, but will also serve sandwiches and cold drinks.

Mrs. Haas, WPA Case Worker, Tells Of Program

**Chapel Hill Resident Is
Guest Speaker At Agen-
cies Council Session**

An analysis of six WPA projects, with particular reference to Person County, in which numbers of persons certified, working, awaiting assignment and in private employment were mentioned, was presented yesterday at November meeting of the Person County Council of Social Agencies by Mrs. Vivian P. Haas, of Chapel Hill, WPA Social Worker, who was guest speaker.

There are now certified for WPA in Person County 115 men and 30 women, of which 32 men and 21 women are working, while 12 men and six women are awaiting assistance, and 67 men and two women have found private employment, according to Mrs. Haas, who added that under the classification of delayed for other reasons, there are four men and one woman.

Particularly noticeable, said Mrs. Haas, is the increased number now in private employment and the small number now work-

CLUB UNIT HAS PEACE AND WAR PROGRAM TOPIC

**Mrs. W. T. Kirby Leads
Discussion; Executive
Committee Meets Tonight.**

Second of two November sessions of the Roxboro unit of the Business and Professional Woman's club was held Tuesday night of this week at Hotel Roxboro, with Miss Louise Croom, president, presiding. Program was in charge of Mrs. Thomas Featherston, with Mrs. W. T. Kirby as speaker on "Problems of a War-Torn World."

In discussing war problems Mrs. Kirby had particular reference to peace conditions which may come at the war's end. Presented by her were three possible solutions.

Welcomed as a special guest was Miss Grace Lee Allen, formerly of Snow Camp, and now a resident of Roxboro as Person County Home Demonstration agent, succeeding Miss Velma Beam, resigned.

Announcement was made that an executive committee, composed of chairmen of various committees of the club, will meet Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock at the apartment of Miss Croom in the Alvin Warren residence.

NEW MEMBER

New member of the nursing staff of the Person unit of the tri-county health department is Miss Laura Cromartie, of Fayetteville, who takes the position held by Miss Agnes Brake while Miss Brake is on leave of absence because of illness. Miss Cromartie who received training at Highsmith hospital, Fayetteville, was educated at George Peabody college, Nashville, Tenn.

DOLL SHOW

An outstanding event of this week will be the Presbyterian church benefit doll show to be given Saturday in a storeroom in the Kirby-Ledbetter building by members of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Two Cousins And Uncle Involved

**Ralph Day Dies, Bradsher
Day Seriously Hurt, Lee
Day Less So, In Auto-
mobile Wreck**

One Roxboro man was killed and two others from Roxboro were injured, one critically, near Apex yesterday afternoon when an automobile crashed into the rear of a truck, Highway Patrolman A. E. Leavitt, of Raleigh, reported last night.

The man killed was Ralph Day, 21, of Roxboro, Route 3. He died in Rex hospital about two hours after the accident.

Funeral services for Ralph Elbert Day will be conducted Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Day, of the Oxford road. Rites will be in charge of Elder Lex J. Chandler. Interment will be in the L. B. Clayton family cemetery near the Day home.

The driver of the car, Bradsher Day, also of Roxboro, Route 3, is in the hospital critically injured. He still was unconscious several hours after the accident.

Lee Day, also of Route 3, Roxboro, the third occupant of the automobile, suffered a cut on the head.

Leavitt said the truck was driven by J. M. Alfred of Holly Springs and that Claude Page, also of Holly Springs, was a passenger. They suffered minor hurts.

The accident occurred on U. S. 1 near the intersection with U. S. 64 about 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

It was Wake County's 51st highway fatality of the year.

The accident happened shortly after four o'clock yesterday afternoon. Still in a serious condition in Rex hospital, Raleigh is Bradsher Day, first cousin of Ralph and son of Mrs. L. E. Day and the late Mr. Day. Less seriously injured is Lee Day, an uncle of Ralph and Bradsher Day.

Autopsy performed on Ralph Day indicated that death, which occurred about 6 o'clock last night, was caused by a brain injury.

In addition to his parents, Ralph Day is survived by six brothers, Lattie, of Kinston, Butler and Alexander, Jr., of Angier, Tommy and Rex, of Roxboro, and Onzalo, of Fort Meade, Md. Also surviving are several sisters, among them Mrs. Evanna Shaw, Mrs. Dorcas Day and Misses Audrey and Lessie Jane Day, all of Person county.

Raleigh reports indicated that Bradsher Day was driver of the car occupied by the Days.

Highway Patrolman Leavitt, who investigated the accident, said both vehicles were going south at the time. The Day car struck the truck in the rear, Leavitt said, then overturned and skidded along the highway on its top for about 170 feet. Ralph Day and Bradsher Day were thrown from the car, which was badly damaged. The truck was not so seriously damaged.

The accident occurred on a curve. The identity of Ralph Day was not determined until members of his family arrived at the hospital.

NEXT DANCE

Members of the Bachelors' club state that their next dance will be held here on December 26.