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AS THE EDITOR SEES IT

Congress and the Legislature has adjourned, and the dailies will have to resort to more war news.

The merchant who never advertises has been likened to the farmer who looks for a crop where no seed is sown.

A little more praise while one is alive would be much better than oceans of eulogy when one is dead. Of course, a shallow nature may be puffed up by praise, but the deep nature is encouraged by it, and the deep natures are more plentiful than the shallow. Don't forget that an ounce of taffy is worth more than a ton of epitaphy.

Many a wounded soldier may now be able to reflect on what Shakespeare says about "A scar nobly got, or a noble scar, is a good livery of honor." To many it will be about the only comfort they will get for the sacrifice made. All the same, there is a wealth of truth in it that has its value. Certainly it is noble to suffer for one's country and there is a real pride in carrying on one's body the proof of suffering.

In these days of high cost of living and increased taxation, many families are learning to economize as never before, but not unlikely the economy in some may be more apparent than real. Certainly that must have been the case in the family of the woman who loudly boasted of her economy and when asked on what she was economizing, replied, with pride, "We've given up toast for lunch."

The people of a town may be considered as one family inasmuch as all have, or should have, a common interest in its welfare. That fact ought to make for greater cooperation in those projects designed to advance the well-being of the community and to make everyone jealous of its good name. Every citizen should resent any unfair criticism of his home town just as he would one upon his own family, and he should work for its interests in the same spirit as he should work for the good of his home.

WHY THE DIFFERENCE?

Why is it that farmers living side by side on farms of equal size and fertility get such different results? Evidently the reason must be found mostly in themselves. One man takes in agricultural papers, keeps posted on farming, plans for the future, keeps his land in fine condition and farms scientifically. Another man neglects these things, loaf about in town instead of attending to his work, and fails to keep his buildings and implements in good repair. One man finds farming pays and is happy, the other says there is no money in farming and is in a chronic state of discouragement.

Beware of Ointment for Catarrh that Contain Mercury

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces, such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taking internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists. Price 75c per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation. Adv.

Harrellsville

Compiled and Arranged for Herald Readers by our Regular Correspondent

Rev. H. H. Honeycutt held regular services Saturday and Sunday at the Baptist church, there was a very large congregation present on Sunday, considering the inclement weather.

Mr. B. L. Sharpe, of Winston Salem, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Starkey Sharpe.

We are having very cold weather for March, so far it has been colder than February.

Several of our people visited the dentist's office at Ahoskie last week.

Mrs. T. B. Jernigan is visiting her daughter Mrs. Stanley Winborne of Murfreesboro.

We are very sorry to report the condition of Messrs. J. T. Williams, W. E. Miller and Capt. W. F. Durley no better at this writing.

Dr. Shubrick, of Rocky Mount, came to see Mrs. S. Sharpe last week, Mrs. Sharpe has been in bad health for some time but glad to report her improving.

It was thought that free school ended here Friday but a letter was received from Mr. Scarborough Saturday telling the committee to continue it another month for which our people are very glad.

Miss Mollie Harrell, of Norfolk, is visiting her sister Mrs. M. B. Taylor.

Mr. B. H. Ward and family are staying in Mill Neck with Mr. Ward's mother Mrs. Miles Ward.

Mr. B. N. Sykes has a new automobile.

Mrs. Lillian Copeland spent a couple of days in Norfolk last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Collins and little son Linwood Sharpe, arrived Monday from Spokane, Washington, to spend some time with relatives here.

Mrs. B. Scull is improving, after being very sick last Saturday.

Mr. Evans, of Henderson is visiting his sister Mrs. E. J. Callis.

Messrs. H. S. Basuight and E. J. Callis spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Norfolk on business.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Harrell and children, of Cofield, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Winton Wavelets

Busy People From a Busy Town

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Rev. S. N. Watson filled his regular appointment Sunday morning and night at the Chowan Church.

Miss Retha E. Banks of Lasker spent the week-end at home.

Mr. Charlie Matthews spent Sunday in Suffolk.

Mr. Elliott Nicholson of Murfreesboro was on our streets Saturday.

Owing to the bad weather there was a small crowd attended the recital, which was given Friday night in the school auditorium.

Miss Elva Owen returned home last week, after spending some time with her sister Mrs. J. B. Ruffin in Powellsville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Eley of Tunis was in town Sunday.

Sorry to report Mrs. Tinnie E. Jenkins on the sick list.

Call to see Mrs. E. A. Vinson and purchase your new spring hat. Attend the opening, Friday and Saturday March 12th and 13th.

Mr. A. T. Newsome spent Tuesday in Woodland.

Mrs. B. F. Stone spent Tuesday with her sister Mrs. E. L. Jenkins.

Mrs. Sidney Love of Raleigh was here soliciting funds of the Prisoners Aid Society.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood, and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

HERTFORD COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEET.

The Board of County Commissioners of Hertford County met on the 1st day of March 1915, all of the Board being present with the exception of Dr. J. A. Powell. Proceedings of last meeting read and approved. The following committees reported work done and the committee discharged, to wit: The committee appointed to purchase desk and filing cabinet for the Clerk's office; committee on renovating and cleaning court house.

The following committee are continued to wit: the committee on Murfreesboro Bridge, the committee on Hoggsard Swamp Dam and Bridge, the committee on repairs to bridge in St. Johns township, the committee on checking up office of the Clerk Court, the committee on painting and insuring tenant house at county home, the committee on repairing footway in Tar Landing causeway.

On motion, H. H. Jones is authorized to employ some one to look after and keep court house in good condition at all times.

On motion and carried, it is ordered that H. H. Jones, S. P. Winborne and Dr. J. A. Powell are instructed and given authority to have small boats placed at the ferries under their supervision.

The County Superintendent Health is hereby instructed to proceed to have the following insanes committed the Hospital to wit: have Ben Smith, Clarence Harris, Ruffin Dukes, Charlie Boone and Bennie Futrell.

It is ordered that the monthly allowance now being furnished by J. D. Earley to Elijah Liverman, be transferred to Morris Bratton by request of Liverman.

The report of the election held in the proposed special tax district No. 3 St. Johns township, received and ordered by Register of Deeds.

On Motion it is ordered that only single taxes be collected from A. A. Earley on real estate in St. Johns township.

Mr. J. L. Parker County Surveyor tendered his bond which was unanimously accepted by the Board and he was sworn in.

On motion, Starkey Minton is relieved of his poll tax for 1914.

Charlie Jenkins (colored) is relieved by the board of double taxes 1914, showing to the satisfaction of the board that he listed.

On motion, ordered that Wm. Overton be allowed \$3.00 per month in stead of \$2.00 beginning March 1st.

E. J. Gerrock is instructed to investigate the appeal of John Porter's mother for help and report to the Board.

It is moved and carried that the Chairman of Board notify A. E. Garrett Treasurer, that unless he makes his reports of receipts and disbursements first Monday in April and complies with Chapter 26 of the revisal, his bondsmen will be notified of his neglect to make these reports.

The Clerk of the Board is instructed to notify the committee appointed to check up the office of Clerk Court, that they will be expected to make full report to board first Monday in April.

Dr. W. B. Pollard Superintendent Health made his monthly report which was filed.

The following jurors were drawn for April term of court to wit: R. A. Majette, D. H. Howell, M. T. King, W. J. Worrell, J. E. Vaughan, Rufus Story, K. R. Warren, J. D. Bridgers, W. L. Matthews, Arthur S. Hollomon, E. N. Brickel, J. L. Snipes, Jeno Jenkins, R. L. Morris, D. L. Minton, C. E. Lowe, Walter Powell, T. E. Futrell, W. B. Edwards, J. H. Outland, J. M. Eley, J. E. Matthews, Edgar Powell, L. S. White, W. F. Jordan, J. N. Wiggins, R. A. Magee, W. P. Lowe, W. G. Liverman, Daniel Lowe, J. C. Jenkins, W. T. Hill, J. B. Modlin, R. J. Hoggard, J. D. Perry, R. L. Wiggins.

The following amounts turned over to the treasurer.

W. J. Hill, Maney's Neck 863.04
 J. J. Parker, M'boro 2102.02
 W. L. Mathews, Winton 1409.73
 M. R. Sumner, St. Johns 1089.70
 B. N. Sykes, Harrellsville 1005.24
 J. A. Copeland, Ahoskie 1684.37
 Total \$8124.10

Collector Copeland turned over to Ahoskie School the sum of \$462.58.

The following accounts against the county presented and approved.

N. B. Sewell, Balance as County Demonstrator	10.66
J. E. Jones, Board of prisoners &c.	164.80
J. E. Jones, vital statistics 4th qr.	3.75
J. J. Parker, vital statistics 4th qr.	5.00
W. L. Matthews, taking Henry Lewis to Ahoskie.	1.35
E. L. Banks, Underwear for prisoner	.80
P. C. Parker, attending jury	6.00
W. B. Newsome, coffin for pauper	4.00
Hertford County Herald, publishing proceedings.	12.50
F. D. Flythe, coffin for pauper	4.00
Overton and Hall, hauling lumber	8.93
M. O. Gerock, bringing prisoner to jail	.90
M. O. Gerock, witness State vs Henry Lewis	11.70
Pembroke Baker, witness State vs Henry Lewis	11.70
M. M. Brown, paid rent for Stalk Cutter	1.00
Fleet Browne, peas for County Home	5.00
Fleet Browne, work at County Home	12.94
J. A. Horton, laths &c.	10.03
A. P. Sears, supplies County Home	29.18
M. R. Sumner, summoning jurors	6.00
Hertford Union, supplies County Home	13.60
J. N. Hollomon, phone bill.	.52
J. G. Hall, work and paint.	1.00
A. W. Liverman, repairing locks in jail	2.50
R. B. Cross, keeping Maney's ferry	16.50
J. R. Armstrong, keeping Winton ferry	30.00
J. E. Brady, watching jail.	15.00
H. H. Jones, expenses &c purchasing supplies	7.50
D. R. McGlohon, blanks for Clerk's office	9.99
D. R. McGlohon, Frt., on stationery	1.18
Edward & Broughton, books for clerk's office	46.92
Herring and Vann, envelopes clerk's office	1.50
Jordan and Parker, supplies for county	52.61
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E. O. Johnson, putting locks on doors	.50
D. D. Hale, work on court house yard	3.00
E. F. Banks, putting down carpet	5.30
J. J. Piland, hauling freight	4.60
C. V. Byrd, work in court house	2.45
A. E. Garrett, holding February court &c.	35.80
A. E. Garrett, Amt. paid solicitor	80.00
B. Scull, summoning jurors	9.00
Gusie Edwards, services as stenographer	48.00
A. E. Garrett, Sheriff, expenses taking prisoners	59.30
Weldon Herring and Beale, carpet for court house	4.50
A. P. Hines, board of jurors	50.00
R. E. Lee, vital statistics 4th qr.	13.00
P. S. Jordan, Agt., Frt. bills	8.09
Worrell Mfg. Co., disinfectants	12.77
Herring and Vann, stationery	1.75
G. and R. Barrett, flour and coffee County Home	20.38
O. D. Tobacco Co., supplies County Home	15.00
Mrs. B. S. Jenkins, refund on bank stock tax	.63
The Falconer Co., 1 steel filing cabinet	31.51
R. B. Benthall, witness State vs Faison	12.30
L. M. Mitchell, taking prisoner to jail	.90
Matthew Wilson, keeping Tar Ldg., ferry	20.00
John Chamblee, keeping B. H. ferry	20.00
Phillip Levy Co., desk and carpet	137.18
Hoggard and Stokes, supplies to Caroline Parker	2.50
W. M. Marsh, supplies to Mary Lassiter	2.00
J. C. Benthall, supplies to Geo. Carter children	1.50
Mrs. E. L. Darden, supplies to Robert Morris	1.00
Mrs. R. D. Rogerson, supplies to Gladie Newsome	2.00
J. C. Benthall, supplies to J. W. Minton	1.00
C. E. Boyette, supplies to Mary Vaughan	2.00
Jeno Jenkins, supplies to Lathenia Parker	1.00

Hoggard and Stokes, supplies to Wm. Overton 2.00
 E. V. Grissom, supplies to Mrs. Beale 2.50
 Copland and Taylor, supplies to J. J. Hill and wife 5.00
 J. D. Earley, supplies to Elijah Liverman 2.50
 R. H. Rawls, supplies to Janie Chappel 3.90
 J. M. Eley, supplies to Adement Joyner 2.50
 Hill Bros., supplies to Anna Newsome 2.00
 No further business board adjourned to meet on the 1st, Monday in April 1915.
 J. A. NORTHCOTT, Clerk.
 S. P. WINBORNE, Chairman.



DR. L. G. SHAFER
 SPECIALIST
 in the examination of the Eye and fitting Glasses will be at the "MAN HATTAN HOTEL" Ahoskie on Wednesday March the 17th., from "Eleven A. M. till 3 P. M."
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