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One of the greatest institutions of camp life, both over here and over there is the Y. M. C. A., and the people of Ahoskie and Hertford County who contributed to the Y. M. C. A. fund in the last campaign can content themselves with the thought that they could not have donated to a more worthy cause. It is this institution that ministers to the spiritual and moral side of the boys who are daily pouring into the camps, and also to those who are going over in a constant stream.

It was refreshing to read of the noble and ready response made to the campaign for the sale of War Saving Stamps by the people of Ahoskie recently on the occasion of a public meeting, at which Hon. O. B. Eaton, of Winston-Salem was the speaker. When once the people back home realize fully what the men in the service are doing every day, then will the people who do not have to fight the bloody battles of this war, loosen up and, if necessary, give their all in the way of finances and material possessions to the cause of democracy.

**An Appeal to Our Town Fathers and Our Mayor**

Near accidents, every day, happening on the most principle streets of Ahoskie will sometimes be a serious reality. One's heart goes into their throat and they stop with a shudder, as they see trains rush through our town and people crossing in front of them.

Carless—no—lack of protection—yes—no warning, cars on each side obstructing the view. It is time for action. It is in the power of our town fathers and our Mayor to have gates placed at these dangerous crossings, Main and Church Streets. They should act and act quick, the sooner the better.

How horrible it will be to see some man or women torn to pieces, or some child, with its body scattered all the way along the tracks, Isn't this scene terrible? It will be to late then to save those lives.

So Town Fathers and Mayor don't put it off any longer, we beg. It is in your power and it is a duty you owe to the town and people. And for the sake of Ahoskie, see to it that gates are placed at once on these dangerous crossings.

**ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE**

Having qualified as administrators of the estate of W. P. Howard, deceased, late of Hertford County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons holding claims against estate of the said deceased to present them to the undersigned on or before the 9th day of April, 1919, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said deceased will please make immediate payment.

This 9th day of April, 1918.  
J. W. Howard and W. R. Howard,  
Administrators.  
W. W. Rogers, Atty. 4-11-01.

**LIFE IN THE NAVY**

(By J. Roy Parker)  
The past week spent at the Naval Operating Base has been one of varied experiences undergoing the usual routine of a naval recruit, during which time one is supposed to learn the A. B. C.'s, as it were, of the life of a sailor. One week spent in camp here is worth more to any person than a week spent at any other place that could be selected by the most learned and brainiest men of the country.

Here, men of all stations in life, learn to do work that they would never for once dream of doing in ordinary civil life. It is this feature of camp life that more than any other one thing typifies the real thing for which America has entered this great war—the true spirit of democracy. Here all men are on a level, no matter what was their social, financial, or business relations in civilian life. Each man that enters the United States Navy must do the things that every other man in the Navy has to do.

To rise at five o'clock in the morning, and to be in full uniform at the dawning of the morning's sun is an entirely foreign experience to ninety per cent of the men making up the company of recruits of which the writer is a member. To be real frank about the matter, to witness the rising of the morning's sun is practically unknown to me. But, not so here; for every day, as the bugles sounds the Editor of this paper "hits the deck", and it is a matter of only a few minutes until he is in the uniform of the day, with water pail in hand preparatory to a scrubbing down of the decks. Every bungalow must be as tidy and clean as the reception room of the most fashionable home; and there must be no trash lying around the doors or out in front of the bungalows. Everything is "spick and spank" when the sound is given for the morning's meal.

The morning's chow over, the boys "fall in", march out to the training grounds—"the grinder" and are given about three hours of stiff and intensely thorough training in drilling doing the manual of arms, and other exercises incident to the life of the sailor. At half past eleven the company marches back to the "Unit" and prepares for the midday "chow". Following the hour given for dinner, the company again lines up for further instruction, as the commanding officer may direct; sometimes drilling, and at other times listening to lectures. At half past three o'clock back to the camp they go, and for the remainder of the afternoon are assigned to various tasks, if any are at hand. If there are none, it is a good time to play the role of washerwoman, and hang the clothes out to dry—the happy experience of the Editor on this beautiful spring afternoon—Monday.

After supper until nine o'clock is usually spent in the Y. M. C. A. writing to the home folks, playing the Victrola, amateur boxing matches, piano playing and singing, movies; and one night in each week is devoted to prayer services conducted by the Y. M. C. A. Secretary.

On Sunday morning the resident chaplain holds services, and everybody attends these services. On the past Sunday morning an experience meeting was held—and was lead by a former school mate of the writer, now a chaplain in the Navy.

Had I the time every available line of space in this sheet could be filled with the experiences of the writer, but having a heart, he refuses to bore those who shall read these personal notes.

After all, the greatest sensation that can come to anyone in the Navy under training for active duty is the grand thought that every action or step taken is one more lick to help down Prussianism and Kaiserism. And, to the glory of those composing this company of recruits, it can be truly said that "to make the world safe for democracy" is the true intent of every fellow here.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head because of its tonic and laxative effect. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness or ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, Inc.

**HAD PLENTY TO EAT, BUT NO APPETITE**

**Declares He Had Case of Stomach Trouble and Began Going Down Hill. Gained 25 Pounds on Tanlac.**

"It may sound unreasonable and you may believe me or not, but after taking four bottles of this Tanlac medicine I have actually gained 25 pounds," said J. B. Williams, a well-known and prosperous farmer who resides at Greenbrier, Tenn., near Nashville, Tenn.

"I had a bad case of stomach trouble and it came pretty near knocking me out," continued Mr. Williams. "It was something like nervous indigestion. I began to go down hill. It looked like the more medicine I took and the harder I tried to get well, the worse I would get. We had pretty near everything to eat, but nothing tasted right, and I got so weak and nervous I couldn't do anything, in fact, I was just completely knocked out."

"Before I had this spell I weighed 160 pounds, and kept falling off until I got down to where I only weighed 135 pounds."

"I am now back to my regular weight again, and feel strong and well. My appetite is simply fine now, and I don't mind my work. This medicine just took right hold of me, and put me on my feet."

"Well, sir, the second day after I began taking it, I got hungry and oh, how good that old ham did taste! I sleep fine now too, and am not nervous like I was. Even the barking of the dogs at night does not wake me up."

"I never believed a medicine could be made that would do anybody as much good as Tanlac has done me, and I want to recommend it to anybody who has suffered with the same trouble I have."

Genuine Tanlac is sold in Ahoskie by Z. V. Bellamy.

**CALOMEL SALIVATES AND MAKES YOU SICK**

**Acts like dynamite on a sluggish liver and you lose a day's work.**

There's no reason why a person should take sickening, salivating calomel when 50 cents buys a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone—a perfect substitute for calomel.

It is a pleasant, vegetable liquid which will start your liver just as surely as calomel but it doesn't make you sick and can not salivate.

Children and grown folks can take Dodson's Liver Tone because it is perfectly harmless.

Calomel is a dangerous drug. It is mercury and attacks your bones. Take a dose of nasty calomel today and you will feel weak, sick and nauseated tomorrow. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone instead and you will wake up feeling great. No more biliousness, constipation, sluggishness, headache, coated tongue or sour stomach. Your druggist says if you don't find Dodson's Liver Tone acts better than horrible calomel your money is waiting for you.

**Administrators Notice**

Having qualified as administrator of Mrs. J. T. Hollomon, late of Bertie County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the said estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 20th day of April 1919 or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery, all persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

E. W. Baggett, Administrator, Woodland, N. C. 4-26-18-6t

Send your job printing to the Herald office.

**\$1,000,000 FOR YOUR EYESIGHT!**

If you were offered one million dollars for your eyesight, it goes without saying, you would refuse the offer.

The eyesight is the most valuable gift to mankind—so precious that were it taken away from you, your means of livelihood would be destroyed. Then, why not take better care of such a valuable possession? If you live near Norfolk, and your eyes trouble you, you better consult Dr. Masrow, the Norfolk well known eyesight specialist, who has successfully fitted glasses to thousands of the most prominent men and women. Every day finds a number of eye sufferers in his office, awaiting their turn for a consultation with him, having absolute confidence in his ability to speedily and permanently relieve their trouble with his scientific way of fitting glasses.

No man, woman or child need suffer from headache, dizziness, nervousness or the many other distressing ills caused, in most cases, by poor eyesight. The surest, safest, quickest and most economical way to find permanent relief is to consult, without delay, some eyesight specialist in whose ability you have absolute confidence.

Dr. Masrow can be consulted in his office every day from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. He is located in the Dickson Building, corner Granby and Tazwell Streets.

Write for a free booklet. It will tell you how to take care of your eyes.

Adv.

**NOTICE**

Under an act of Congress approved October 6th, 1917, it is unlawful for any person, firm or co-operation to use high explosive, such as Dynamite, Nighterglesene, etc., without a license to do so.

I have been appointed License Agent in and for Hertford County.

Respectfully,  
T. B. COOKE, Ahoskie, N. C.  
License Agent.

**NOTICE!**

Some time during the year 1911, a number of colored people, organized themselves into a society, known as The Ex. Slave Burial Society, a few years thereafter said Society was disbanded. Now by mutual consent, we, the undersigned Trustees, will on the 6th day of May, 1918, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, at the court house door of Hertford County, N. C., the following lot or parcel of land, to-wit: A lot near the Town of Ahoskie, beginning at corner of said lot at a Post Oak; thence South along Winnie Slaughter's line, 51 yards to the old Elizabeth Willoughby line; thence West 16 yards; thence North 61 yards to public road; East along said road 32 yards to first station, containing 1224 square yards.

The purpose of selling the aforesaid lot, after paying all expenses and debts against said Society, is, to pay each member of said Society his or her pro rata share in the proceeds of said sale. This the 2th day of March, 1918.

MORCUS HOLLOWMAN,  
W. G. JENKINS,  
ANDREW HARRELL,  
Trustees.  
JNO. E. VANN, Attorney.

**NOTICE**

By virtue of authority contained in a certain judgement, entered on the 30th day of April, 1918, in a Special Proceeding, pending in the Superior Court of Hertford County entitled "J. E. Vann, Executor, of Write Hollomon, Dec'd, vs. Calvin Hollomon, Elnora Hollomon and Louvenia Foreman" to sell lands to make assets.

The undersigned Commissioner, will on the third day of June, 1918, during the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 1 o'clock P. M. offer for sale at the court house door in Winton, North Carolina, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate. Beginning at a stake corner for Askew and J. A. Holloman; thence S. 30 W. 174' to path; thence S. 3 3-4 W. 1817' to a pine; thence S. 30 W-2395' to the run of Ahoskie Swamp; thence along the run of said swamp S. 750 E. 305' to corner in said swamp; thence N. 3 1-2 E. 3781' to stake at first station, containing twenty-nine and six-tenths acres by survey made by R. E. White, E. E., February 7th, 1918.

This the 1st day of May 1918.  
JNO. E. VANN, Commissioner.

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHIN TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 6c

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**Buy Saving Stamps!**

**Buy Thrift Stamps!**

This Space is Donated by  
**WYNN BROS.**  
THOS. B. WYNN, Owner

to the Government in the interest of the Third Liberty Loan and War Saving Stamps.

Did you ever stop to think what the United States means to us, free from militarism for those who live under the flag that is so dear to us?

Then what are you doing to keep your country free? What part are you taking in this great fight? There is no better and safer way to help in this struggle than for us to loan our money to the Government by buying Liberty Bonds and War Saving Stamps. This is both a wise and patriotic investment as these bonds are non taxable.

To win this World War one of two methods must be used to Finance it, either by loaning the Government the money or by direct taxation and it is up to us whether we will accept the privilege of buying Bonds and Stamps with security backed by "Uncle Sam" or having a war tax levied upon us. Let all citizens of Hertford and Northampton Counties help in this crisis, thereby having the great satisfaction of knowing that they have responded to their country's call.

"Liberty Loan, were you Liberty Gift, And not an example of judgement and thrift. Were you to pass, never more to return, Were you the the last that I've struggled to earn, Still I should say as we parted in pride; These are Dollars I've Sanctified: These are Dollars once treasured as mine That now I'm offering at Liberty's Shrine. These are the Dollars I've pledged to the truth, Dollars I've sent with the finest of Youth Into the battle zone fighting for me, They are my voice speaking over the Sea. They are the Dollars I hallowed with love For the Star Spangled Banner flying above And of all the glad Dollars I've ever known The best are those spent for the Liberty Loan."