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Patrons of Ahoskie, are you proud of the Ahoskie High School Commencement? Did you enjoy these excellent exercises? Well, it was a treat to those who attended and showed that the people of Ahoskie are proud of these exercises. And to think that such a commencement could be given under the trying circumstances that this school has been under this term, what could it do if all worked in harmony. The writer can't dream of what could be accomplished.

So, folks lets get together and have a school here that every one will be proud of. It will be one of the greatest honors that our town can have. To look into the bright faces of over 250 students, as we have here, it is a shame on this community to let things run on as they have.

It's time for the patrons to demand that personal politics, envy, hatred, hypocrisy, prejudiceness to be eliminated. It is time to lay aside personal "affection" and get together and work for a school that no slurs nor shame can be thrown at.

Ahoskie is growing faster than any town in eastern North Carolina. Some traveling man has said that "Ahoskie has grown faster than any town he ever saw with the least amount of capital". So we can readily see what a good school would do for this place. A dormitory could be built and with all working harmoniously we could make some of the larger schools take notice of us. So lets get together and have a school that will be an honor to Ahoskie and a drawing card for this community.

THE LIFE OF A SAILOR

(By J. Roy Parker)

Since last writing for the Herald, I have had the great pleasure of being transferred from what the recruits terms "prison", but what in reality is one of the very best features of camp life in that it forces upon each man that enters the service that beating the Germans means sacrifice and the sooner the raw recruit is made to realize this, the better he will be by gaining the knowledge through reality, and better will be the armed forces of the country in that there has been added another unit to the fighting forces who can stand anything that trench life has to offer. Really, the twenty-one days spent in the Detention Camp by the writer were worth more to him than any other twenty-one days of his life, and add to that fact the storehouse of information picked up within that time, it was the banner three weeks of his life. Guy Empey would be shoved into oblivion should this sailor undertake to write a book on "Life in Detention."

But, after all, I have no regrets to offer that I am not now a member of the company that inhabits the Detention Camp, although as this is being written I am a visitor to

this place, which contains one of the Y. M. C. A.'s and which organization furnishes the typewriter that types this article.

Last week I was transferred from this camp to another within the Base and was assigned to the Pay Office, where the accounts of Uncle Sam's sailors are daily audited and the payroll kept in shape by the large number of young men assigned to the same office. Duties at this office are solely clerical and every day I am occupying a seat at a desk and doing my part in performing the duties incumbent upon those in charge. We are located within the Jamestown Exposition Main Building, which has been transformed into a busy whirling place. Just beside this building the Government is fast erecting a large and much more stupendous building which will be used for headquarters when completed.

No more does the writer bend over soap and water and scrub clothes. In stead, soon after the sun has hid itself behind the hills he swings his hammock and falls into a sound sleep, that is only broken by the early morning bugle. The sudden change from Detention Camp to an office makes life seem a "song", and every minute of liberty is well appreciated on account of the change.

One peculiar fact that I have observed since being stationed at the Base is the absence of any prognostication as to the close of the war. Nobody has time to even discuss this matter; they are entirely too busy preparing every minute to beat the Hun. Instead of taking up time and thought in discussion when it will close they bend every effort and resource toward the very end of doing the job quick. But, if they fail, to do it quick, preparations that have been made and those that are daily being made are substantial to that degree that a long continued war will find this country prepared. Every day streets are being built, new buildings go up over night almost, sewer pipes are laid, as well as a thorough training of every man enlisted in the Navy. There's a good tip here for the people at home: do not spend your time puzzling over when the war will close; buy bonds, buy War Savings Stamps, produce foodstuffs, and preserve every available resource to help in the war program. Get busy.

So many people fail to realize that they are expected to do a full share in this war. They buy a bond, they purchase a few War Savings Stamps, or they plant a little corn, and then they stop and congratulate themselves on what they are doing to help win the war. People, you have got to do more than that. You must place every cent of money and resources, above what it actually takes for you to subsist on, at the disposal of the United States before you have made any sacrifice, and that you shall have to do. If you do not loan your money, there is plenty of processes by which it can be taken away from you. The boys in the service are examples of real patriotism and sacrificers, not only of their lives, but also every day at the little local postoffice lines of sailors go by the stamp window and place their little pay money in War Savings Stamps. Others are purchasing Liberty Bonds every day. That is real sacrifice.

NOTICE OF SALE!

The following land will be sold for taxes first Monday in June, 1918:
J. D. Phelps, 251 acres \$43.05
Leroy Vinson, 18 acres 4.65
Joe Roberts, 75 acres 10.79
Mary T. Lynch, 20 acres 2.99
T. T. Parker, Tax Collector
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for St. Johns Township.

Dennie Whitfield, 1 lot 1-8 of acre more or less \$3.75
J. W. Fennell 1 lot 1-6 of acre 6.55
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MENOLA NEWS

Menola High School closed on the 10th, with a program that reflected much credit on the teachers and pupils also. A very profitable and enjoyable feature was the recitation contest. The following young ladies entered the contest: Misses Lillie Mary Baggett, Josie Cowan, Thelma Brown, Flora Edwards and Gertrude Snipes. We feel that it would have been nothing amiss if each one of these girls could have received a medal, each did so well. The judges decided in favor of Miss Thelma Brown; and Supt. N. W. Britton, with appropriate remarks presented it. Mr. A. G. Otwell the principal of the school, was the giver of the medal. We hope that some friend of the school will offer one for next year as this is a great incentive to bring out the best along this line.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Parker of Mt. Tabor spent Wednesday afternoon in the home of J. M. Eley.

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Parker, of Norfolk, spent Sunday and Sunday night with his mother Mrs. H. U. Griffith.

Miss Brooks, of Winton, our Home Demonstrator met with the club members on Saturday A. M. and spent a day or two with Mrs. J. L. Snipes.

We are very glad to see our young ladies, Misses Janie, Elizabeth and Annie Brown, at home for vacation.

Mrs. W. T. Benthall, of Woodland, spent Thursday and Friday with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Eley.

Mrs. Maggie Brown and son James Robert spent Monday night of last week in Rich Square and attended the commencement exercises. Her daughter, Miss Annie, was one of the graduates.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Brown and daughters, of Union, visited Mrs. H. U. Griffith on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Carrie Parker, of the Woodland school faculty spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. J. M. Eley and with Mrs. E. C. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Britton, of Winton, dined with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Snipes on Friday.

Mrs. C. W. Parker, of Columbia, S. C., is spending sometime with Lt. C. W. Parker's people here and at Woodland and Union.

Mrs. W. E. Whisenant, Mrs. Deans Harrell, and Miss Sibyl Parker, of Woodland and Mrs. Walter Riddick, of Hobbsville, spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. J. M. Eley.

Mrs. R. G. Outland died on Saturday A. M. at the ripe old age of 74 years. This good woman had been a great sufferer, and no doubt death was a blessed relief. She leaves to mourn her loss an aged husband, four daughters and one son besides several grand children.

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months from date of this notice or the same will be pleaded in bar of any recovery.
This May 8th, 1918.
Silas Edwards, and H. T. Edwards, Administrators.
L. J. Lawrence, Atty.

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