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COUNTY FAIR A SURE THING

Work Has Begun on the Grounds and Many Amusements Secured.

PREPARE EXHIBITS NOW

You Are Advised to Begin Preparing for this Fair, Which Will be One of Best

The doubt of holding Hertford County's first annual fair this year is now a thing of the past as plans now are all mapped out and the buildings in the course of erection. With the good force that is now employed for work on the fair grounds, the buildings will in a very short time be completed and the race track rebuilt in first class shape. The plans call for a main exhibit building, stock buildings, a long line of stables, poultry buildings, a grand stand, a judges stand, the rebuilding of the race track, fencing in the ground and etc., The contract has been let and the lumber is now being placed on the fair ground.

Several very good features have been contracted for already for this year, the main one being a submarine which will be shown at the Tarboro fair then here at the county fair and from here it will go to New York for a two weeks' engagement before going to the Florida State fair, besides this feature a collection of war trophies war pictures (all direction from the front) fast racing horses, a good carnival company, and still work is going on now for getting still greater attractions that will be announced later on.

The prospects are that the exhibits will be numerous and interesting and the association asks that every body send an exhibit, begin working now for some of the prizes. In a few days the premium books will be ready for the different exhibits.

For any information that you might desire, write to the secretary at Winton and he will gladly advise you. Watch the paper for further announcements and begin preparing now, something for the fair.

POLICY-HOLDERS MEETING

We desire to inform the Policy-holders of the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Association of the Northampton Hertford and Bertie Branch, that by order of the Directors, there will be a meeting held in Ahoskie on the 22nd. day of August 1918 for the purpose of attending to all business that shall come before the Associate at that time. All Policy-holders are respectively invited to attend. This being our regular annual meeting.

Albert Vann, President.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days

Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, blind, bleeding or protruding Piles. Instantly relieves itching Piles, and you can get restful sleep after the first application. Price 60c.

Ask Anyone Who Has Used It.

There are families who always aim to keep a bottle of Chamberlain's colic and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house for use in case it is needed, and find that it is not only a good investment but saves them no end of suffering. As to its reliability ask anyone who has used it.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head. Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE (Tablets) can be taken by anyone without causing nervousness or ringing in the head. E. W. GROVE'S signature on box.

MEDICAL INSPECTION IN HERTFORD COUNTY

The State Board of Health together with the County Board of Education, and the County Commissioners instituted last fall medical inspection of the school children in the county. Dr. R. H. Garry, of Murfreesboro was appointed medical inspector, but he found it took so much of his time from his practice, which suffered on account of his absence from his office, that he was compelled to give up the medical inspection work. His resignation was accepted, and Miss Nore Pratt, a trained nurse and member of the State Board of Health, was appointed to complete the work. Miss Pratt accepted the appointment, and stopped two months in the county, completing the examination, with what Dr. Garry had already done, of practically all the school children of the county, both white and colored.

So far, as a result of the examination 133 defective children have been treated, some having been treated in the county and some elsewhere.

Miss Pratt made arrangements to have a specialist come to Winton and spend two days, operating on children with diseased tonsils and adenoids. Accordingly, Dr. John Wright, a throat, nose, ear, and eye specialist, with his nurse, assisted by Dr. W. B. Pollard and Dr. P. H. Mitchell, physicians of the county, operated on 23 children affected with diseased tonsils or adenoids, or both. All the operations were pronounced successful, and the children have returned to their homes and are reported to be doing well.

Miss Pratt superintended the selection of a suitable building and securing suitable persons to assist in caring for the patients after the operation, and put the whole thing through in a splendid and successful fashion, showing fine tact in handling such undertakings. In fact, she left nothing undone, that she could do, to make a splendid success of the medical inspection work, and the treatment of the children.

The total cost for each patient was only \$10, a direct saving to the parents of not less than \$20 to \$30, if the treatment had been given at the nearest hospital.

We hope this is only the beginning of this important work that we owe the school children of our county, a work if carried on properly, as has been commenced, will result in untold benefit to many a child that would otherwise go through life hampered, and could not be what he might be, if proper treatment had been given at the right time.

N. W. BRITTON,
County Superintendent of Schools.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The Premium List Of The Hertford County Fair for 1918 is now being arranged and when completed it will appear in book form of about one hundred pages.

Any one desiring advertising space will please advise the secretary of the fair association at once. This is one of the best ways of advertising every kind of business as there will be two or three thousands of the books that will be mailed out all over the country. For rest and further information, call on the undersigned.

C. L. Blount, Secretary.

Let US do your PRINTING

PROCLAMATION BY THE MAYOR

TO THE CITIZENS OF THE TOWN OF AHOSKIE, N. C.:

Due to the fact that there are, at this time, several cases of Typhoid Fever in our town and our City Health Officer has reported the sanitary condition of our town such that its population is threatened with an epidemic of Typhoid Fever, you are ordered to make survey of your premises and see that same is put in proper sanitary condition immediately.

After you have thoroughly cleaned your premises it is ordered by our health officer to use lime freely, which is considered an exceptionally good disinfectant.

Failure to comply with this order will constitute a misdemeanor and all offending parties will be dealt with as provided by the State Sanitary Laws.

Respectfully,
W. L. Curtis,
Mayor.

Approved
Robt. Holloman }
J. H. Robertson } Commissioners.
Geo. J. Newbern }

Lime for this Purpose may be obtained from J. C. Jenkins, town Constable.

MAPLETON NEWS

Mrs. Jonas Whitley returned Wednesday from a two weeks trip to Norfolk, Portsmouth and Ocean View.

Mrs. W. C. Pettijohn of Norfolk spent Friday night with Mrs. S. L. Griffith.

Mr. W. F. Yelverton of Freeport, N. C. is the guest of Miss Rachel Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Pearce, spent two weeks in Rocky Mt.

There will be a revival at Mt. Taber Church beginning the second Sunday in August. Rev. A. T. Howell will assist Rev. F. A. Underwood in the meeting.

Mrs. Ella Wiggins and daughter, Miss Normie, of Murfreesboro, spent Monday with Mrs. H. V. Parker.

Mrs. Roger Watson of Murfreesboro is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. B. Vaughan.

Mrs. C. W. Stephenson is visiting in Seaboard.

Mrs. Wilson nee Miss Gladys Brown of Winton is the guest of Mrs. E. B. Vaughan.

Mr. Guy Hill of Camp Jackson was a visitor here last week.

Mrs. Marcie Parker and Mrs. Ivey Hare were in Murfreesboro, Thurs-

NOTICE

July 20, 1918

I hereby offer my entire Farm for rent, with tobacco Barn and Pack House complete. Adapted to Corn, wheat, Cotton, Peanuts and Tobacco. Any one wishing to rent will do well to see me at once.

4t. p. W. C. Raby, Ahoskie, N. C. day.

Mr. R. O. Whitley and sons, Oscar, Linwood, Collin and Gilbert, of Como, were in Mapleton a short while Friday morning.

Mrs. Clapton Matthews and baby of Drum Hill spent Sunday with Mrs. E. W. Whitley.

Mr. E. J. Railey and sons and Master J. B. Furguson of Como, were callers at Mr. Jonas Whitley's Friday.

Mr. Cary Parker of Murfreesboro spent Saturday with his son, Mr. Isaac Parker.

Mr. J. M. Harriss of Norfolk spent three days with Mr. Ivey Hare.

Mr. E. W. Whitley and family attended the unveiling of the monument of the Late W. J. Parker at Murfreesboro Sunday afternoon.

French Sugar Mills Destroyed



France must import sugar today, most of it from this side of the ocean, because the largest portion of French sugar beet land is in German hands. As a result, the French people have been placed on a sugar ration of about 15 pounds a year for domestic use; a pound and a half a month. This photograph shows how the German troops destroyed French sugar mills. Thanks to the French rationing system the annual consumption has been cut to 600,000 tons, according to reports reaching the United States Food Administration. Before the war France had an average sugar crop of about 750,000 tons of sugar and had some left over for export.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

The Board of County Commissioners of Hertford county met on this the 5th. day of August 1918, all the members of the Board being present;

Proceedings of last meeting read and approved;

Committee on repairing ferry House at Harresville is still continued;

Repairing the water works at jail and close. is continued;

The Committee on Bear Swamp is still continued;

On motion Matilda Joyner is allowed into the County Home if desired.

The Board voted unanimously to allow Henry B. Lassiter and wife \$5.00 per month beginning first of August 1918.

The Committee on raising tank and covering same and providing Coal House is continued.

On motion the Board voted to pay the amount provided by law for examination of School children and no more, which is on basis of \$7.58 per 100 children of the total enrollment, which amounts to \$311.25.

H. H. Jones, W. B. Pollard and J. A. Northcott are appointed as a committee empowered to pass upon the ability of children to pay for operating expenses and treatment by the Specialist.

On motion it is ordered that the Board offer a reward of \$50.00 for the apprehension and capture of Fred Wilson; This \$50.00 is guaranteed by Sheriff Garrett which he has in hand.

The board after hearing Mr. W. T. Taylor on the question of assessment of his timber holdings in Maney's Neck Township, ordered that said holdings be placed at \$4500.

The matter of back taxes on tract part of M. rick land bought by W. T. Taylor is continued.

On motion, it is hereby ordered by the board, that it approve the organization of the Hertford County Fair Association, and its Articles of Agreement, and hereby authorizes its members and officers to proceed to organize in accordance with Laws Chapter 82-Subsection 2-Section 3868-3869-Revised.

The Board votes that the time for employing County Home Keeper shall be, hereafter, on first Monday in August; and that it hereby elects M. M. Brown for the coming year 1919 at salary of \$365.00

The Clerk of Board is given authority to draw check for Miss Swindell's services as Home Demonstrator, when voucher comes in.

J. A. Northcott is added to the Committee with H. H. Jones to look into the matter of taxes on J. C. Carter estate.

Report of Superintendent Health received and filed.

The Board of Commissioners feeling great interest in the National Highway now being planned; and being in hearty accord with this movement and hereby calls on the Citizens of Hertford County to meet in mass at Winton on Tuesday Aug. 15th., and hear this matter explained by people who have the work in charge and to take such steps as are necessary to secure this highway.

The Following accounts presented for payment, to wit;

J. D. Lowe, tax list Harr. \$70.00
H. J. Browne tax list St. Johns. 85.00
G. C. Picot tax list Maney's Neck. 65.00
J. A. Copeland tax list Ahoskie. 80.00
A. C. Vann tax list Winton. 80.00
J. J. Parker tax list

ADVICE TO ALL COAL CONSUMERS

Congressman Small Advises Editor of this Paper Concerning Coal Shortage

HAS MADE INVESTIGATION

Advises Coal Consumers to Apply to Local Dealer Early and to Secure Supply of Wood

Washington, N.C., Aug. 12, 1918, Editor, Hertford County Herald:

I have been investigating the coal situation with particular reference to household consumption. Have they arranged to secure their supply for the winter? If not, every family should get busy.

Each county has, or should have, a fuel administrator, who serves under the State Fuel Administrator, Mr. R. C. Northfleet, of Winston-Salem. Several county agents whom I happen to know are active and earnestly striving to secure coal for their respective counties.

Ordinarily it would appear wiser for house-holders to apply to the local coal dealer who usually supplies them with coal. The latter is probably co-operating with the County Fuel Administrator.

No Pennsylvania anthracite coal may be shipped into North Carolina. We can only secure bituminous and what is known as Virginia anthracite, from the coal mines of Virginia, W. Virginia and Tennessee.

Now as to the special point in this letter. I fear our local dealers and householders may not be able to secure an ample supply for the winter. The longer delay, the greater danger. Active efforts should be renewed and the consumer should be prepared to pay cash.

Again I earnestly advise every family to arrange for a supply of wood, either to use as a substitute for coal or for partial use. Co-operative efforts in securing wood may be advisable. The family which waits until November or December to secure their fuel, especially if we have a hard winter, may be subjected to serious inconvenience, if not suffering.

The situation may not be as acute as it appears to me. I hope I am wrong.

I advise you to consult your dealer and the County Fuel Administrator. They know the situation.

Sincerely,
JNO. H. SMALL.

Murfreesboro	85.00
Charles and Lawrence Lumber for bridges	4.94
H. P. Brett Repairing bridges	6.00
Charlie Dunn Amt for Mrs. J. D. Parker	20.00
J. E. Jones Board of prisoners &c.	23.00
Andrew Jones work at Co. Home	20.00
M. M. Browne Guano &c., used Co. Home	72.75
Henry B. Lassiter support for August	5.00
J. H. Lawrence Coffin &c.	12.75
J. A. Horton work Co. Home	2.20
Mise Nora E. Pratt Expenses and salary	311.25
A. E. Garrett summoning jurors &c.	22.75
Winton Co. Hauling	

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