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Ahsokie went wet Tuesday.

Young blood infused into the business, municipal, and political affairs of the town of Ahsokie has made it a more respectable town in which to live. They will finally make this the "veribest" in old North Carolina.

If the Herald were allowed to offer suggestions to the Hertford County Fair Association, the first one would be: Provide a ball field for players before requesting them to play a game of ball.

Hertford's, Commissioners at their June meeting made appropriations for school purposes; and, in doing so, they increased the levies to such an extent that the new six months' school term can be provided for the school boys and girls of this county.

The sound of the hammer and saw can be plainly heard by the paragrapher as he sits at his desk and grinds out the copy for this edition. Which reminds us of the fact that the building operations are right now unusually active. The old town is rapidly growing, and many new homes are being erected.

James S. Vinson, Manager of HERALD, returned to his "first love" on Wednesday night. He received his discharge on that day, and before night had gotten under way he was back in Ahsokie, having received his discharge at Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va. He will hereafter devote his energies towards one direction—that of helping give Hertford County the best week in the State.

A few days prior to the election on Tuesday, several of the "stand-patters" became convinced that of the necessity of voting water and sewerage for the town of Ahsokie; and they went to the polls with an entirely different and changed view point from that nurtured by them when this thing was first agitated. The result of the election was surprisingly gratifying to even the most enthusiastic advocates of water and sewerage. The State Board of Health will now know that the people of Ahsokie can be counted on to do the proper thing at the proper time. This paper has an abiding faith in Ahsokie's people when it comes to a real show down. Now and then they have to be coerced and almost driven into submission; but they can be relied on in the pinches.

Many sore necks are evident in Hertford County this week. For hours at a stretch hundreds peered into the sky hoping to catch a glimpse of the aeroplane that was to fly over the fair grounds on the Fourth of July at Winton. Even had they not been elated at the novelty of the thing, perhaps a whiff of breeze might have come their way had the machine flown over the grounds as some were lead to believe. However, this paper has no condemnation to offer against the promoters in this respect, for in their announcement in this paper it was stated that its visit to this county was not at all certain, being contingent upon the promise of the officers in charge of the air stations. But, any way, they did not prevent the prevalency of sore necks.

Those who have always advocated bonds for water and sewerage are happy over the result of the election Tuesday, and they can see a better day for the health and sanitation of the town. The Town Council will, no doubt, expedite, so far as is possible, the issuance and sale of the bonds, and the work of installing water and sewerage will be done with despatch. Ahsokie is fortunate in having as its governing body the body of men it has; for, they are individuals upon whom all citizens can rely. Even the erstwhile opponents of the bonds feel safe on that score; and it might also be said that those who opposed it are expected and will doubtless fall in line and help in every way possible to have the program expedited.

WHAT AHSOKIE BAPTISTS ARE DOING.

(Copied from Biblical Recorder)

The following facts are related to silence the whine of timeserving, unbelieving, half-baked Baptists, that churches cannot clean house, that churches cannot revert to the New Testament type, and at least, make an honest effort to approximate that type, that churches dare not utter protest against oppression of the devil, that God's children dare not stand upright and fight the forces which threaten to smother the fires of true religion on the altars of heart and home and church with program of worldiness, carnal pleasure, sensuality and lust; that churches dare not try to fling themselves free from the body of death, which the forces of pride and lust have chained like a mill stone about their necks. I say, the following facts are given for the two-fold purpose of proving, first, that churches of the living, reigning God can oust those hideous forces, which, by cunning stealth, have secured a seemingly solid footing on the inside of the sacred citadel of Christianity; and, secondly, to inspire other churches to "come to grips" with those hellish forces now, ere they smother us completely with their poison gas.

Less than six months ago the Ahsokie Baptist Church came to grips with the sensual forces which had laid their hands upon the church's throat to strangle it. We are still fighting, but the worst is past. The grip of the enemy is broken. Some have been excluded; others are to follow. But when the line sharply drawn between the church and "The Tuscarora (noble name Club with pool room and dance hall attached," a thing happened which of itself alone was worth the cost of battle—several young men came out boldly, nobly and manly for the church by severing their connection with the wickedness completely. And, now the "Tuscaroras" cannot get girls and women enough in Ahsokie to have a "hop," and their dance hall would be left desolate were it not for the patronage of other women's daughters from adjoining towns—would to God the awful dangers to which these visiting daughters of theirs are exposed, joy-riding back and forth from such a place at the midnight hour with "Tom, Dick, and Harry," might become a nightmare to these mothers. It will soon take more paint than it now takes to hide the marks of dissipation on those daughters' faces.

So much for the battle itself, now a word about the results within the church. Instead of "tearing the church to pieces," as your time-serving preacher and deacon, etc., protests, this church was never more united than now. Even those families from which the excluded members came are unwavering in their allegiance to the church. Under God the new church has taken on new life. A more zealous spirit pervades us. Christ is more precious and not so far away, and is showing signs unmistakable that He is going to take up "His abode among the candlesticks" as in long ago. Only last Saturday at the regular monthly conference meeting, without ever being asked by their pastor to do so, they voted almost unanimously to move forward to "full

time" the first of the year, paying the same salary that the whole field is now paying. And not only are they zealous for things at home, but they are looking far away with clearer vision also. Without canvassing the whole church, and without any high pressure methods whatever, we are in possession of sufficient funds to send out a missionary to the foreign fields; have already "adopted" Miss Lila Watson, of Loris, S. C., whom we shall send to Hwanghien China, about the first of September.

Surely no pastor ever received more loyal support, materially, morally and spiritually than these dear people are showing their present pastor. Glory to Jesus for the joys in serving together with Him.

THE PASTOR.

FOLKS WE ALL KNOW



Quick, rescue the Family Sol-Joined Before the Grouch turns and Bites Mrs. The Women and Children are all safe in the Kitchen. After he has snuffed the Day for the family, the Grouch will be Down Town and take the Job out of Employer's hands by the way, the Grouch should be interned.

CANNOT OBTAIN NARCOTICS IN QUANTITY.

Washington, D. C. July 6—Drug addicts may not obtain narcotics on physicians' prescriptions merely to relieve suffering caused from lack of the drug, under stringent regulations issued today by the Bureau of internal revenue governing the quantity which may be prescribed and ordered by physicians. It was possible under the old regulations for a physician to prescribe "more than is apparently needed to meet the needs of a patient in the ordinary case," if he stated on the prescription the purpose for which the unusual quantity was to be used. This privilege is now revoked.

The act of December 17, 1914, as amended by the act of February 24, 1919, "permits the furnishing of narcotic drugs by means of the prescriptions issued by a practitioner for legitimate medical uses, but the Supreme Court has held that an order for morphine issued to the habitual user thereof, not in the course of professional treatment in an attempted cure of the habit, but for the purpose of providing the user with morphine sufficient to keep him comfortable, by maintaining his customary use, is not a prescription within the meaning of the act. In view of this decision, the writer of such an order, the druggist who fills it and person obtaining drugs thereunder will all be regarded as violating the law."

It was stated that the new regulations had no relation to the advent of prohibition.

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North Carolina.
Hertford County,
Mollie Cobb
vs
Louis Cobb

The defendant above named will take notice, that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Hertford County to obtain a divorce "A Vinculo Matrimonii" and that the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at a term of the Superior Court of said County to be held on the Fourth Monday before the first Monday of September it being the 4th of August 1919, at the Courthouse in said County, in Winton, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 3rd day of June 1919.
D. R. McGlohon,
Clerk of the Superior Court
C. Wallace Jones,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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Loss of Appetite.
As a general rule there is nothing serious about a loss of appetite, and if you skip a meal or only eat two meals a day for a few days you will soon have a relish for your meals when meal time comes. Bear in mind that at least five hours should always elapse between meals so as to give the food ample time to digest and the stomach a period of rest before a second meal is taken. Then if you eat no more than you crave and take a reasonable amount of outdoor exercise every day you will not need to worry about your appetite. When the loss of appetite is caused by constipation as is often the case, that should be corrected at once. A dose of Chamberlain's Tablets will do it.

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