

# High School Dept.

Devoted to the interests of the local High School

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## New Basket Ball Court

Koach Kenneth, aided by a number of aspirants for a place on the regular "team," spent several hours at work on the boys' court Saturday, and as a result of their efforts, two new goal posts, with new "baskets" now adorn the court. When the weather permits, practice work will be resumed, and the team have expressed their willingness to play any team in any of our neighboring towns. Perhaps, a good game would serve to show just what our team is made of; whether it is A-1, or scrub. If it resulted in defeat, it might reduce our team's egotism somewhat.

## EDITORIAL

A notable educational authority has summed up the two phases of school work thusly: **THE SCHOOL GIVES:**

1. A modern course of study.
2. The unlimited services of a staff of expert teachers.
3. Exceptional facilities for work.
4. A real training for life.
5. A favorable introduction to the outside world.

### THE STUDENT GIVES:

1. A fair share of time and effort to the course of study.
2. Loyal co-operation to the teacher.
3. Regular and persistent attention to the daily lessons.
4. Time sufficient to complete the course.
5. Efficient service after he finishes the course.

Students may decide if these two aspects of the question balance each other.

## PRINCIPAL PRAISES PROMPTNESS OF PUPILS

Professor Wright, in discussing "school spirit" recently, made the statement that never had he found pupils, taken as a whole, who seemed so interested in the school work as he had found in the local school. An example cited was the effort put forth by the pupils, especially those who live a long distance from school, in being as punctual and "on-the-dot" on rainy, snowy days as in favorable weather. The record book shows up cleaner this year than ever before, in that there are fewer tardies and absentees than in any preceding school year. He admitted that a student had much to stay home for, in weather of the sort that has been prevalent during the past few weeks, and intimated that he was very favorably impressed with such fine display of loyalty and punctuality on the part of the entire student body. This, if we can see the matter from a correct viewpoint, speaks well for our school.

## Medals and Prizes To Be Awarded

At the close of school the following prizes will be awarded:

### LITERARY

Spelling (anyone from whole school eligible).  
Recitation (for girls).  
Declamation (for boys).  
Essay, "Our School (anyone eligible).

### ATHLETICS

For Boys: High jump, Broad Jump, 100-yard dash, Shot put.  
For Girls: Potato Race, Sack Race.

Pupils are urged to enter any of these contests, as they will be an important feature of our Commencement, and the more contestants, the more striving for the prizes, thus more fun, and benefits.

—N. WRIGHT.

**Rub-My-Tiam for Rheumatism.**  
—advertisement.

## Freshman Class Elects Officers

The Freshman Class was formally organized Thursday, February 9th. The following officers were elected: President, Elizabeth Hines; Vice-President, Pauline Cooke; Secretary, Lois Parker; Treasurer, John White; Reporter, Sylvia Applebaum.

Colors—Blue and white.  
Flower—Sweet peas.  
Motto—"Love, Labor, Laugh—Reported."

## High School Department

Much enthusiasm was manifested in the recent Valentine Contest. Harry Reynolds, freshman, was the winner. Emma Wooten, Junior, received the second biggest number.

This week the Freshman class gave an attractive Valentine shower to one of its members, Bessie Newsome, who has been sick with tonsilitis.

## Invitations Have Been Issued

The following cards have recently been issued:

"The Freshman Class, Ahoskie High School requests the presence of the Senior Class, at a Theatre Party, Thursday evening, February the sixteenth, at eight o'clock, in the Richard Theatre.  
R. S. V. P.

Elizabeth Hines,  
626 Church Street.  
Feb. 15, 1922.

## "A La Valentine"

This the fourteenth of February The time for all to be merry,  
When Cupid his dangerous darts,

Imbeds into lonely hearts,  
Beware you youngsters, beware  
Each other's heart you should share.

Hear, you timid ones, hear,  
For Valentine comes but once a year.

—A SENIOR.

## LIBRARY FUND

The following grades have contributed to the Library fund this week: 4th. grade, \$2.37; of which 70 cents was given by one pupil, Walter Godwin; 8th grade, 15 cents; 6th. grade, 50 cents; 11th grade, \$1.00. Reports from other grades will be published next week.

## ENCOURAGING PROSPECTS

When children go to school day after day through rain, the snow, and sleet, and mud, when they are there every day on time, those who are most concerned should at once ask themselves if there isn't something more that they can do to give the state and country well equipped citizens.

It is gladly announced to the patrons or citizens of Ahoskie High School that the attendance is exceedingly encouraging, that some of the grades have one hundred per cent in attendance though many of the students live at a distance, the clouds continue to pour forth their rain, and snow and the roads to increase their mud.

The Ahoskie School faculty is glad because of such interest by both patrons and pupils and rejoices to know that there are so much material out of which to build real men and women.

The very best interest and co-operation are earnestly asked that these worthy children may be surrounded with no other influence than that which will lead them into a life of the value to humanity and to God.

Let every citizen of Ahoskie pledge himself or herself to the giving of its children a full chance to develop into the very best and to see that this chance is well used.

—N. WRIGHT.

Watch the label on your paper and see that you are not in arrears. The Herald refused to increase the price of a subscription to this paper during the war, and at the present price it is necessary that we have our sub-

## IN MEMORIAM

At the midnight hour of December 30, 1921, God saw fit, in His infinite wisdom, to visit the home of Mr. T. F. Wiggins and take from him his beloved wife, Mary E. Wiggins, aged 72 years.

Mrs. Wiggins was a great sufferer in the last years, having been stricken with rheumatism. She bore her pain well and seemed to be ready for her last call. She was a member of the Powellville Baptist church and the Missionary Society there. She loved her work and was always ready to respond to any call for the uplifting of the Kingdom of God.

She was kind and loving in her home, a good neighbor and a friend to all whom she knew. She was sick only a few days and when the trying hour had come and she knew she would soon be gone forever, she threw her arms about her loved ones and asked them not to grieve, for the golden pleasure trip was mighty nice.

She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, one daughter, and three sons, T. F. Wiggins, A. S. Wiggins, J. B. Wiggins, and Mrs. Mary Robertson.

The funeral services were held in the Mars Hill church on Sunday, at 2:30 o'clock, January 1, 1922, Rev. Mr. Dailey officiating, after which her remains were taken to the family burying ground at Rosemead, where she was laid to rest to await the Resurrection morn.

It was a sad new year to the loved ones, but they consoled themselves with the thought that her aches and pains were gone forever and that she was in a better land with Him who doeth all things well.

Sleep on dear mother,  
Free from care and pain,  
In that world of unknown beauty  
We hope to meet you again.

A FRIEND.

—Advertisement.

## Notice of Sale under Deed of Trust

By virtue of the powers contained in a certain Deed of Trust, executed by William Holloman and wife, Mary D. Holloman, to Jno. E. Vann, trustee, on the 28th day of April, 1914 which Deed of Trust is duly recorded in the Register of Deeds office for Hertford County, in book 51, at page 75, the undersigned will on the 27th day of February, 1922, at twelve o'clock, noon, offer for sale at the courthouse door of Hertford County to the highest bidder for cash the following described tract of land: situated in Ahoskie Township, Hertford County, North Carolina, to-wit: beginning at a pine on the old Adkins line, corner for General Williams; thence a straight line of marked trees to the run of Knee Branch; thence up the various courses of said Knee Branch to a large pine, corner for the Anderson Earley line; thence along said Earley's line to a corner for the old Neph Adkins land; thence along the said Adkins line to the first station, containing 50 acres more or less. This 23rd day of January, 1922.  
Jno. E. Vann, Trustee. 27

## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK AT Charter No. 11557 Reserve District No. 5 MURFREESBORO, N. C. AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DECEMBER 31, 1921.

RESOURCES	
1. Loans and discounts, including rediscounts (except those shown in b and c)	\$182,811.09
Notes and bills rediscounted with Federal Reserve Bank (other than bank acceptances sold)	\$64,322.50
Foreign bills of Exchange or Drafts sold with endorse	
Indorsement of this bank not shown under item	\$118,488.59
Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value	25,000.00
All other United States Government securities	19,299.17
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>44,299.17</b>
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc	5,100.00
Banking houses, furniture and fixtures	9,607.01
Real estate owned other than banking house	2,000.00
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	10,494.52
Cash in vault and amount due from national banks	9,607.01
Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13)	12,030.96
Checks on other banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items	4,861.82
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	1,250.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>207,781.24</b>
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LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	100,000.00
Undivided profits	\$447.04
Less current expenses and interest and taxes paid	447.04
Amount due to State banks, bankers and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in items 21 and 22)	3,097.70
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding	21.63
Total of items 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25	3,310.33
Individual deposits subject to check	32,997.32
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve	32,997.32
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)	5,293.17
Other time deposits	15,469.33
Bills payable, other than with Federal Reserve Bank (including all obligations representing money borrowed other than rediscounts	10,000.00
Bills payable with the Federal Reserve Bank	15,270.00
<b>STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF HERTFORD, ss:</b>	
I, J. A. Campbell, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.	
J. A. CAMPBELL, Cashier.	
Correct—Attest: L. M. Fittrell, Stanley Winborne, J. D. Babb, Directors.	
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January, 1922.	
Isaac Pipkin, Notary Public.	
My commission expires on February 28, 1923.	

## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE MERCHANTS & FARMERS BANK, AT WINTON, N. C. AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, DECEMBER 31, 1921.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	222,613.93
Overdrafts unsecured	114.94
United States bonds and liberty bonds	1,450.00
Premium on bonds	8.75
Banking houses, furniture and fixtures	9,495.93
Cash in vault and net amounts due from banks, bankers and trust companies	40,205.00
Cash items held over 24 hours	82.50
Checks for clearing	1,116.41
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>278,087.46</b>

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	25,000.00
Surplus fund	25,000.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	5,311.68
Bills payable	20,000.00
Deposits subject to check	82,743.42
Cashier's checks outstanding	895.98
Certified checks	86.38
Time certificates of deposit due on or after thirty days	3,850.00
Savings deposits	115,200.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>278,087.46</b>
<b>STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA—COUNTY OF HERTFORD, January 12th., 1922.</b>	

I, J. P. Mitchell, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. P. Mitchell, Cashier.  
Correct—Attest: Jno. R. Jordan, W. P. Shaw, Jr., J. A. Shaw, Directors.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of January, 1922.

P. S. Jordan, Notary Public.

## NOTICE OF LAND RE-SALE

By virtue of the power and authority given by a certain mortgage deed executed by C. E. Reynolds and wife, to A. A. Newsome, which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Hertford, in book 64 on page 385, the following property will be sold at public auction, to-wit:

That certain lot lying in Ahoskie North Carolina, and designated as follows: Beginning at a corner of the said lot at corner of C. C. Hoggard's line on railroad square, thence westerly along said Hoggard's line seventy feet to J. R. Garrett's line, a corner, thence northerly along the said Garrett's line, thirty five feet to L. M. Mitchell's line, a corner, thence easterly along said Mitchell's line seventy feet to the railroad square, a corner thence southerly along the said railroad square thirty feet to the first station, it being the lot whereon Frank Parker operates a shoe and a barber shop.

Place of sale—in front of the U. S. postoffice at Ahoskie, N. C.

Time of sale—Wednesday, March 1, 1922, at 12 o'clock m.

Terms of sale—Cash.

This 13th day of February, 1922.  
A. A. Newsome, Mortgagee,  
Jno. H. Newsome, administrator.  
W. R. Johnson, Atty. F17 2t.

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