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"Virginia will never get back to our original position of leadership among the states until the people have a broader vision, a vision not bounded by the corporate limits of each man's town." Those are the words of Virginia's Governor and he was speaking of building roads. It might be well applied to Hertford County, with the township as the limit of vision.

An accident could have been prevented in Ahoskie Thursday by the proper observance of the "Careful Grade Crossing" admonition. Prevention is always desired above correction. Another way to eliminate further wreck traps is for the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad to remove its freight depot and sidings away from the center of the town's traffic. There's a good work ahead for the new chamber of commerce.

NO GOOD RESULTS

The road commissioners of Hertford County have gained no popularity and road construction in the County has not been helped by the controversy that has been raging within the board membership over the dismissal of superintendent Hines. It is also true that the township system of electing road commissioners has dissipated all claim to support. While the Herald is not disposed to air the grievances of either side in the controversy, it does believe the affair originated from the over-eagerness of the township representatives to get the lion's share of benefit from the half million dollar bond issue.

A contest in which the public is bound to be the ultimate loser, and the principals in the row no better off than when they started is the one just ended.

A GOOD STARTER

A local attorney was overheard to remark that "it is just another job made for a fellow seeking some easy money", referring to the position of secretary for a chamber of commerce for Ahoskie. We all grant it's a "job" and a real one at that; but to make out of the job or position, whichever you may call it, what the average secretary does precludes any possibility of securing a fellow seeking easy money.

The job is a real one, for a real man. In fact, if we were all of the opinion of this lawyer, to hold down the secretaryship of an Ahoskie chamber of commerce would be a herculean task impossible of accomplishment. To presuppose the uselessness of an unknown secretary is a pretty strong indication that nobody will do.

However, that remark is not likely to restrain the enthusiasm and determination of Ahoskie people to put this organization through. It has been a long time since Ahoskie

SEEN AND HEARD THIS WEEK

BY THE OFFICE CAT

The Greensboro News thinks a tense situation is about to rise in Thomasville, and quotes the following from the Chairtown News, a weekly newspaper published in that town. "Because the Times last week mentioned a transaction in hay between the city manager and himself, we lost a subscriber. We refuse to cover up such deals as this one, in order to hold a subscription. If you can't stand publicity, resign."

The Stanley News-Herald of Albemarle also gives quite a "spread" on what it calls "Small town stuff", meaning thereby the habit some of the fellows have of spending a good portion of their time trying to pick flaws in the local newspaper. Here is what Editor Honeycutt says about them: "With a half dozen more years of free schools in every school district in the state, and with a slight amount of additional brushing off of the rough corners of some belated barbarians, the chronic critics of the local newspaper will be 'as it were, a school boy's tale, the wonder of the hour.'"

It's a funny thing about Ahoskie, the metropolitan idea notwithstanding. The HERALD can even remember when there were persons in Ahoskie who watched closely every column of the paper trying to discover within its pages something that should bring down personal condemnation. The fact of the business is some are still left, although they are gradually becoming extinct. Some of them still believe, they know more about how to run a newspaper than the fellow who is trying to do it.

"What are we going to do?" That is what the Hertford County Road Commissioners wanted to know last Monday. The monthly appropriation for road building was overdrawn, and the folks were calling for better roads. Then, there were some bridges that had to be built. Pathetic was the situation and solution there was none until Bray Brothers Company sent their man upon the scene.

"Don't let the money worry you?" C. A. Bray told the board, and every single one of them emitted a sigh of relief. "We'll see that you get the money when you want it and in the amounts you want it," he said. Now, there only remains an official request by the county board of commissioners.

"It's a day of rescinding," remarked one of the County citizens at Winton last Monday. It was just that, all right. Attorney D. C. Barnes of Murfreesboro came out victor in both contests.

One Ahoskie man is intensely interested in the welfare of the Chamber of Commerce, for he told the membership solicitor so. He's not so interested in helping the organization, however; for he excused himself from becoming a member, after teasing the solicitor along by telling him how he wanted to see the thing move forward. He has "an 'ideally located lot for a manufacturing site.' Speak up folks. How many others are there of the same calibre?"

"I refuse to drink in any place that has any such sign in its store," said Aaron Sapiro in his talk here last Thursday. He referred to a sign of "Welcome" to the tobacco opening in Ahoskie, placarded in a local drug store. A surprising littleness in a big man.

"Going down hill is a risky business," said one man at Winton, last Monday. "It is pretty easy to stumble backwards." The road board had just gone into reverse gear—about two hours after the County Board of Education had taken it all back.

The HERALD costs you only \$1 per year if you send us that amount before November 1.

POSTOFFICE INSPECTOR HERE

Mr. Edmonds, a U. S. Postoffice inspector, is in Ahoskie today checking the records of the local office. While here he will also close bids for quarters and effect a lease for the housing of the Ahoskie office.

exhibited a more cooperative spirit than that shown in the organization of the chamber of commerce. As a starter, there could not be a brighter sign than that of cooperation here in our midst.

ONE DAY ELECTRIC SERVICE IN WINTER

At a meeting of the Town Council Monday night it was voted to operate the town electric light plant one day each week during the fall and winter months. Thursday was selected as the day for the current week, although it is subject to change if there is a greater demand for another day. However, in order that there may be absolute regularity of operation, the current will be turned on the same day each week, announcement to be made later.

Many of the house wives of town are equipped for electric washing and ironing, and a few industries are dependent solely upon electric current for power with which to operate. When the ice plant no longer demanded day current, these were left with no alternative than doing all at night. It is to provide these with service that the order was passed.

HON. HALLETT S. WARD TO SPEAK AT WINTON

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Hon. H. S. Ward, Congressman from the First District, will address the voters of Hertford County at the courthouse next Monday. Mr. Ward is the democratic candidate for Congress, and speaks at Winton upon the invitation of W. T. Cross of Gatesville, chairman of the democratic executive committee for this district.

Many voters of the County will probably hear Congressman Ward. He will speak either just before the convening of the regular October term of Superior Court, or at the noon hour during the recess.

Mr. Ward is one of democracy's most able speakers. He has served one term at Washington, and for a new member has been very active in framing legislation. He has faithfully represented the interest of this district.

His ability as a public speaker has gained for him the appellation of "Hot Stuff" Ward, familiarly called while acting as solicitor for the first judicial district.

SUPERIOR COURT OPENS FALL TERM ON MONDAY

The regular October term of Hertford County Superior Court will convene in Winton next Monday morning, Judge J. Lloyd Horton will be the presiding judge. It will be a two week's term.

The first two days of the session will be devoted to the criminal docket. A few civil suits are set for Tuesday, and will be tried should the criminal docket be cleared in time.

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Pursuant to the provisions of a deed of trust executed by Eva Outlaw and husband, Dennis Outlaw to H. C. Sharp, trustee, on the 5th day of December, 1918, and duly recorded in office of Register of Deeds of Hertford County, N. C., in Book 64, page 430; default having been made in the payment of the bond therein secured and at the request of the holder thereof, the undersigned will sell at public auction for cash in the town of Harrellsville, N. C., in front of the Postoffice on the 4th day of November, 1922, the entire small tract conveyed by said grantors, known as the Eva Outlaw place and bounded by the lands of Alex Cobb, George Bellamy's wife and the Harrellsville-Colerain public road, and containing 7 1-2 acres, more or less.

This October 2, 1922.
10-6-4t H. C. SHARP, Trustee.

NOTICE OF SALE

On November 9, 1922 at 10:30 a. m., at the residence of the late Delia Powell of Hertford County, I will offer for sale at public outcry, the personal property of the late Delia Powell, including household and kitchen furniture, a piano, carts, wagons, mules, and all other personal property belonging to said estate.

Terms: CASH.

Time of Sale: November 9th at 10:30 a. m. Place: Delia Powell's old home.

This September 27, 1922.

J. U. VAUGHAN,

Executor of the Estate of Delia Powell.

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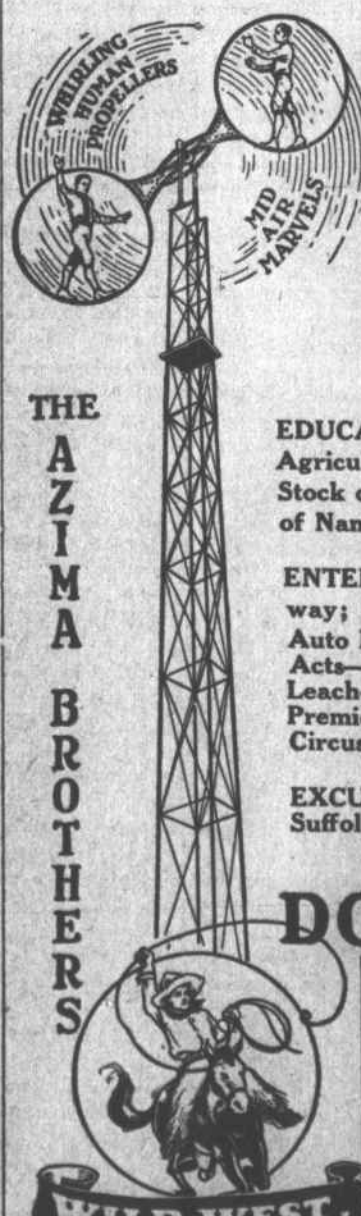
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