

Protest Road Board

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Murfreesboro road commissioner. The latter said maintenance work had been done in his township, and cited several roads. Mr. Whitley had seen only one of them, and said it was so narrow two persons could not pass on it. Construction work in the township, Mr. Bridger said, had been at a standstill on account of inability to find a location for a convict camp in his township. This, he explained, had now been secured and the convicts, which are now held in Harrellsville township, would be sent over as soon as the camp was ready. Dr. Powell said he was ready and waiting to send the convicts to Mr. Bridger. Mr. Worrell, of Maneys Neck, also denied that no work had been done in his township, and pointed out several roads that had been constructed and others maintained.

The short and ugly word was passed during the afternoon, and tension ran high during the free-for-all discussion. Dr. Powell admitted that he did not think much of several random statements about himself and the board he had heard. Mr. Whitley admitted he had made one—"Doctors can roll pills but they cannot build roads." He stood by it, and said he still believed it. He said he knew nothing of road building and asserted that the members of the board did not. Other statements he had made were admitted by him, and re-asserted. The road chairman and his associates believed they had done better than Mr. Hines had, and cited figures showing the money saved.

Reference was also made repeatedly to the discrimination in favor of Harrellsville during the administration of Mr. Hines, and the road board believed back of all the kick from that township was a desire to get Hines back and again get a great amount of the work. Dr. Powell also regretfully, he said, recalled the action of the county's representatives in breaking a gentleman's agreement when the road law was framed, making the road administration under a county system. He also mentioned the \$10,000 debt in Harrellsville township that was taken over by the county board under the new law.

Just to show the work that had been done, the board left Winton at half past four o'clock for a tour of Harrellsville township, going over the gravel road from Winton. Most of this road was in fine shape, and work was under way on that portion not completed. Inspection was also made of the grading done on the Harrellsville-Trap road. Three steel and concrete foundation bridges on this road were also looked over. All of the bridges were apparently good specimens of engineering and construction, and, according to Dr. Powell, had been built at much less cost than contract prices. The grading under way will make this one of the best highways in the county.

Leaving Harrellsville township, the board drove to Stoney Creek via Powellsville and took a look at the new road being constructed under the supervision of J. R. Garrett, Ahoskie member. This road was in good shape, all of the new right of way being opened to traffic, and the old bed abandoned where it takes a sharp turn on this side of the creek. The right of way just across the bridge on the sharp hill has also been diverted to the right, and is now being used. It cuts out a sharp turn at the top of the hill. Contractors are also at work on the new bridge to be built over the creek.

AULANDER-JACKSON ROAD WILL BE GRAVEL SURFACE

At the first sitting to receive bids in several months, the State Highway Commission on Tuesday were submitted bids on 28 projects aggregating \$3,879,143. Included in the list were two projects in this immediate territory. Project 146, route 305, between Aulander and Northampton County line, 6.42 miles of gravel. Roadway lowest bid by J. F. Mulligan at \$35,165; structures by Atlantic Bridge Company at \$21,904.40. This road connects with the Ahoskie-Rich Square road about two miles beyond St. Johns. Project 168, from Jackson towards Ahoskie to Hertford County line, 16.29 miles, will be gravel surface, lowest bidder being Nello L. Teer at \$87,390. With these two roads receiving a gravel surface, travel from Ahoskie to Jackson can be made all the way via State highway, all except the section from Ahoskie to Aulander being of gravel surface.

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Business Men Respond

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the tobacco market, realizing in helping the market it is boosting its own resources. Then, too, other nearby markets are making bids for the tobacco produced in this territory. Suffolk, Va., has just raised a fund of \$2,500 for a solicitor to "drum" tobacco for its new market, and according to newspaper despatches, he will be sent through Hertford, Gates, Chowan and Bertie counties.

In the meantime, Ahoskie, already firmly rooted as the leading tobacco market in this territory, will offer every inducement to the tobacco raiser, and will grant him special concessions when he markets his tobacco here. A full corps of buyers is already assured, space for storage has been rented by buyers, and plenty of warehouse space is included in the houses already rented for the 1923 season.

The following is a list of subscribers to the Chamber of Commerce special Tobacco Fund:

Farmers-Atlantic Bank	\$10.00
Haleges Bros.	10.00
Ahoskie Department Store	10.00
Sessoms Bros.	5.00
V. L. Vaughan & Co.	5.00
Hertford County Herald	10.00
C. H. Mitchell	5.00
Miss Nannie Newsome	1.00
D. L. Myers	5.00
E. M. Wooten	5.00
J. S. Deans	5.00
L. K. Walker	15.00
H. S. Basingth	5.00
S. P. Watson	5.00
C. Greené	5.00
A. M. Browne	5.00
Garrett & Jernigan	10.00
L. M. Mitchell	1.00
Barnes-Sawyer Grocery Co.	5.00
Ahoskie Ice & Coal Co.	5.00
M. O. Gerock	1.00
C. G. Powell	5.00
Myers & Leary	5.00
J. N. Vann & Bros.	5.00
E. J. Gerock	10.00
J. P. Boyette & Son	5.00
E. Hayes	5.00
Bank of Ahoskie	8.00
Mrs. E. C. Britton	2.00
W. C. Mercer	5.00
Odom & Jenkins	5.00
O. E. Earley & Bro.	2.00
Feldman's Bargain Store	5.00
Ahoskie Ice Cream Co., 10 gals ice cream	
Ahoskie Pepsi-Cola Co., 10 cases soda	
C. W. Casper	2.00
H. O. Boulter	5.00
Geo. J. Newbern & Co.	5.00
Branning Mfg. Co.	5.00
S. J. Dilday	2.00
Baker & Harrel	One hog
D. Pender Grocery Co.	50 loaves bread
F. L. Howerd	1.00
E. E. Lane	1.00

ROBBERS ARE AGAIN BUSY IN AHOSKIE

Four Local Stores Entered Wednesday Night And Money Taken From Register

For the third time within the last few weeks, thieves made a raid in Ahoskie Wednesday night. At four different places of business on Main Street, cash and goods were taken. Entrance was made through windows, and doors by using something similar to a crowbar or chisel to prize open the door or window. The stores entered were: Copeland Drug Company, Mrs. E. C. Britton, D. L. Thomas & Son, and the garage of Geo. J. Newbern & Co.

At Copeland's a chisel or some such instrument was used to prize the front door open, part of the door being torn up to reach the lock. Two dollars and a half in cash, and one bottle of cocaine were the only objects missing. Entrance was made at Mrs. Britton's in a similar manner. Here the robber swiped between two and three dozen pairs of shoes and at least two dresses. They left this store via the back door, lifting the bar out of its place.

Leaving Mrs. Britton's store via the back door, they made for the next store, D. L. Thomas & Son, and broke a back window to gain entrance. A lot of cigars and cigarettes and about two hundred pennies left in the cash register were taken. Escape was made through the front door.

A half dozen automobile tires and about two dollars in change were stolen from Newbern's garage. A rear window was prized up and the window lock broken, to enter the garage.

No trace of the robber or robbers has been found.

Summer heat has the same effect on fertile eggs as the hen or incubator. The fertile germ will quickly make a blood ring which spoils the eggs for market or food.

HARRELLSVILLE NEWS

Misses Ruth Shaw Britton and Margaret Overton of Colerain visited Miss Lillian Askew Wednesday afternoon.

Messrs. C. M. Callis, S. E. Harrell, Misses Ethel Callis and Mary Cabanis were in Ahoskie Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. John Shaw and Miss Lillian Shaw visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John O. Askew Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. S. Sharp and daughter, Miss Janie, were visitors in Ahoskie Thursday afternoon.

Misses Myra Scull and Mary Sykes spent the week-end in Winton.

Miss Ethel Callis entertained several of her friends at a party Friday night, June 22 in honor of her 15th birthday anniversary. Games and music were enjoyed by everyone until a late hour. The hostess was assisted by her mother, Mrs. C. M. Callis in serving refreshments. Those present were: Janie Walton Taylor, Elsie Taylor, Elizabeth Smith, Mary Cabanis, Olivia Lowe, Evelyn Smith, Lucile White, Ethel Callis, Cecil White, Edward Callis, Julian Taylor, Ernest Mitchell and Broadus Adkins.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Fountain of Leggetts spent Sunday and Monday with Sheriff and Mrs. B. Scull.

Mrs. Addie Williams of Colerain spent the week-end with Misses Alea and Janie Sharp.

Misses Bernice Harrell and Annie Newsome returned home Sunday after spending some time with relatives and friends in Mapleton.

Mr. Cotton Moore of near Powellsville spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Holloman and son, Henry Webb of Mapleton, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Holloman and daughter of Winton spent Sunday with Mrs. Lucy Holloman.

Mrs. W. A. Perry left Sunday afternoon for Virginia Beach to be at the bedside of her nephew, Mr. Jack Freeman who is very ill.

Mrs. Weller and children of Norfolk is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. A. Powell.

Miss Pansy Smith is visiting Miss Kate Newsome near town.

Mr. John O. Askew, Jr., and Will Sharp were in Winton Monday.

Miss Mary Cabanis returned to

her home in Gatesville Tuesday after spending some time with Misses Ethel Callis and Elizabeth Smith.

Mrs. L. J. Holloman and W. F. Cullens were in Mapleton on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Taylor and family left Tuesday morning to spend some time with relatives in Henderson.

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