

LOCAL NEWS OF AHOSKIE

Mr. Asa Hollowell of Aulander was a visitor in Ahoskie Monday.

Mrs. Mattie Hyatt left last Saturday to visit relatives in Norfolk and Suffolk.

Miss Carley Norfleet of Franklin, Va., was the week end guest of Miss Kate Brett.

Mr. W. Gary Parker, of Murfreesboro was a business visitor here Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Louise Basnight leaves today, Thursday, for Greensboro to re-enter Greensboro College.

Miss Helen Askew left last week for Clayton, where she will teach school this session.

Mr. W. E. Deans of Murfreesboro spent last week end here with his sister, Mrs. J. P. Brett.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Baker of Raleigh are spending this week in Ahoskie with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Ward and children of Harrellsville spent some time here Tuesday afternoon.

Little Miss Evelyn Gilliam of Harrellsville was the guest of Miss Jessie Harrell Mitchell last week.

Attorneys W. D. Boone and Jno. E. Vann of Winton were here Wednesday on legal matters.

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Strickland spent the past week end at Durham and Zebulon visiting relatives.

Mrs. C. L. Blanchard and young child are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Alexander this week.

Mrs. Joe Hyatt has returned to her home here after spending some time with her parents in Norfolk, Va.

Mr. Starkey Sharpe, Sr., and Misses Janie and Alee Sharpe of Harrellsville were visitors in Ahoskie Wednesday.

Mr. Vance Perkins is spending this week in Baltimore, purchasing fall and winter goods for J. L. Perkins & Son.

Mrs. W. W. Lawrence returned to her home here Tuesday, after visiting relatives in Portsmouth for several days.

Messrs. Langley Chamblee, Elbert Willoughby and Clinton Joyner visited Miss Mayo Greene at Suffolk last Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Benton of Suffolk spent the past week end in Ahoskie with her sister, Mrs. W. Howard Basnight.

Miss Dorothy Rawles of Richmond left Tuesday for her home after spending several days with relatives in Ahoskie.

Miss Bessie Horton left this week for Columbia, N. C., where she will be a member of the school faculty this session.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Savage and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh L. Harrell motored to Whaleyville Sunday to spend the day with relatives.

Miss Earle Lawrence will leave next Tuesday for Raleigh where she will again enroll as a student at Peace Institute.

Mrs. J. L. Kennedy of Raleigh, and Miss Della Dowell of Franklinton are guests in the home of their sister, Mrs. Walter L. Curtis.

Miss Elizabeth Bradshaw has returned to her home in Suffolk, after a visit of several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lane.

Miss Vivian Hyatt who has been visiting Misses Mayo Greene, Doris and Grace Oliver of Suffolk returned to her home here Tuesday.

Mrs. R. E. Lewis and little girl, Mildred, of Jacksonville, Fla., are the guests of Misses Bessie and May Taylor at their home near town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Parker, and Mrs. J. Roy Parker motored to Rich Square and Jackson last Friday, spending the day with relatives.

Mrs. J. J. Hyatt, who has been visiting relatives in Norfolk, returned home last Saturday, accompanied by her two sisters, Mary and Essie Mae Barnes.

Miss Lena Moore Rawles, of the Sarah Leigh Hospital, Norfolk, Va., was the week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Rawles of this city.

Miss Evelyn Richardson of Raleigh accompanied Miss Iola Wooten to her home here last Sunday, the latter having spent two weeks visiting school mates at Candor and Raleigh.

Mrs. J. P. Brett spent several days last week with relatives in Franklin, Va. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Norfleet, Miss Mary Whitehead and Mrs. John Norfleet, who are her guests.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Powell of Georgetown, S. C., spent last week in Ahoskie and Harrellsville as the guest of his sisters and brothers, Mrs. E. M. Wooten, Dr. J. A. Powell and Mr. Tom Powell.

Messrs. O. W. Hale, James L. Crawford, Walter Perry, John Greene, Herbert Copeland, John White, and Cedric Leary spent Monday, Labor Day, in Eure, where they saw a baseball game and other

amusements.

Solicitor Garland E. Midyette, of Jackson, and Attorney Ernest E. Tyler, of Roxobel, were visitors in Ahoskie last Saturday. They were enroute to their homes after attending Bertie Superior Court at Windsor.

Mr. Robert Cherry has returned to his home in Richmond, Va., after spending his vacation with his brother and sister, Mr. E. Dewey Cherry, and Mrs. S. J. Boyette. Mr. Cherry is connected with the Fifth Federal Reserve Bank in Richmond.

OBSERVE LABOR DAY

Government employees at the local postoffice, and the bank employees were the only persons to observe Monday as Labor Day.

EARLY-COOKE

Spurgeon Y. Early, of Earlys, and Miss Lettie May Cooke were married in Norfolk Tuesday. Mr. Early is the son of Postmaster J. D. Early at Earlys.

VISITING RELATIVES

Mr. Rawdon Garrett, who has been spending the summer in Norfolk, is visiting relatives and friends in Philadelphia and Atlantic City this week. He accompanied his uncle's family from Norfolk there.

MORE WARM WEATHER

Following a few days of typical fall weather of last week, there has been a considerable rise in temperature this week, with an abundance of humidity in the air. Wednesday showers fell throughout the day.

PREMIUM LISTS OUT

The premium lists for the annual fair of the Atlantic District Fair Association, colored, were printed this week at the HERALD office, and will be distributed at a meeting of the directors of the Association to be held here Friday.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Little Thomas Earl Forbes, young son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Forbes, entertained eight of his young friends at a birthday party Tuesday afternoon. He was eight years old. Candy, ice cream and cake, and fruit were served. Those present were: John D. Parker of Murfreesboro, Walter Curtis, Jr., Truxton Crawford, Deans Brett, Jaa Hobbs, Edward Rogers, Bobby Copeland, and James Boulter.

SCHOOL OPENS 17TH

All teachers for the 1923-24 faculty of the Ahoskie High School have been employed except one assistant grade teacher. Professor A. G. Ottwell, of Menola, will assist Superintendent K. T. Raynor in the high school department. Mr. Raynor has returned from the University Summer School and is making preparations for the opening, Monday, September 17. Further announcements will appear in our next issue.

AHOSKIE NOW MINUS ITS POLICE OFFICER

O. H. Britton, Ahoskie Chief of Police, tendered his resignation to the town council Monday night, and it was accepted. The resignation went into effect immediately, and the town woke up Tuesday morning without a police officer. Officer Britton gave as the reason of his action the small salary attached to the office, and announced that he would enter more remunerative business.

A temporary appointment will be made until a regular officer can be named, which will be probably at the next meeting of the Board. E. Hayes was not present at the Monday night meeting.

BEGINS WORK ON WALKER BUILDING

Preliminary work has been started on the brick and office building for Dr. L. K. Walker on the North side of Main street, opposite the Bank of Ahoskie. Connection is being made with the town water system, in order to provide water for bricklayers who will soon be at work on the foundation.

According to late plans of Dr. Walker, the building will be larger than originally intended, and will not only include his own private office, but a modern drug store as well. A corridor will separate the offices from the drug store section.

The entire structure will be of the best materials, and will be elaborately finished. A tile floor will be laid in the store section.

Limestone plants are taxed each year to take care of September orders. Farmers who are improving their lands by growing clovers should give their orders for limestone as early as possible.

FLIVVER WORTH \$250 IS INSURED FOR \$10,000

Old Automobile Shown In Many Scenes of Walter Hiers' Comedy, "Sixty Cents an Hour"

The largest insurance ever taken out on a Ford automobile, it is said, was a policy for \$10,000 taken out on one of the machines at the Paramount West Coast studio for use in scenes of "Sixty Cents an Hour," a Paramount picture starring Walter Hiers with Jacqueline Logan featured in his support, which will be shown at the RICHARD THEATRE next Friday and Saturday. Appearing early in the picture, the flivver is carried through to the last scenes, and pictured in several close shots.

Because it would be hard to duplicate the flivver, in case it was stolen or destroyed and because it had been registered in so many scenes and would have to be duplicated in such a case, Director Joseph Henabery realized that was of utmost importance that it be insured "to the limit."

The estimated value of the Ford, which is old and has seen hard use, is about \$250, just \$9,750 less than the insurance it carried.

The cast chosen for "Sixty Cents an Hour" is exceptionally strong. Jacqueline Logan, who so charmingly portrayed the leading feminine role in Hiers' first picture, "Mr. Billings Spends His Dime," is featured as leading woman. Ricardo Cortez, recently discovered while dancing at Coconut Grove, will play the heavy contract with Paramount.

Others in the cast are Charles Ogle, Lucille Ward, Robert Dudley, Guy Oliver, Clarence Burton and Cullen Tate.

* COAST LINE GOES UP; W. & P. DOWN *

Figures made public Wednesday of this week show that the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad is the only railroad company in the State whose tax valuations for the next four years have been raised. In 1922, its property was listed for taxation in North Carolina at \$50,000,000; for 1923 and the next three years thereafter, the company will pay taxes on \$51,592,436 worth of property in the State. Ahoskie and Hertford County will figure in a small part of the taxes this company will pay. The Wellington & Powellsville Railroad is, according to the tax lists, worth one eighth less now than it was listed under the Revaluation Act with the horizontal cuts. Last year its property was listed at \$88,000; the 1923 tax lists show it to be worth \$77,000. Hertford and Bertie counties will divide the amount of their taxes on \$77,000 for the next four years. There has been no change made in the valuation of the property of the Carolina & Northeastern Railroad, running from Gumberry, via Jackson, to Lasker. This railroad is, according to all intentions, ultimately coming into this territory. Its 1922 value was placed at \$50,000, and it remains listed at the same figure for the next four years.

Throughout the State, there has been a reduction of approximately \$10,000,000 in the list value of all railroads. The Southern Railway is the heaviest taxpayer, it being listed at \$96,000,000.

SIGNS OF KLUKERS ARE SEEN LOCALLY

Ahoskie may or may not have a Ku Klux Klan organization, but the presence of organizers on several different occasions within the last two months has lent hooded enchantment in this neighborhood lately. Ahoskie is not the only place in the county visited either; one or two organizers have been seen in other sections of the county.

It is hardly possible that there has been a local organization until recently, if there is one even now. At least, no reports tending to verify have come within range of vision. However, the presence of the robed Kluckers might reasonably be expected in Ahoskie.

Now is the time when good farmers are getting their exhibits ready for the county fair.

A liberal supply of kitchen aprons made of good material and easily laundered are of value to the housewife. They soon pay for themselves in protection to dresses, say home demonstration workers of the State College and Department of Agriculture.

RICHARD THEATER

AHOSKIE, N. C.

FRIDAY and SATURDAY
Walter Heirs in
"Sixty Cents An Hour"
Two Reel Comedy

MONDAY and TUESDAY
Alice Brady in
"The Leopardess"
Fox News and Aesops Fables

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY
Agnes Ayres in
"The Heart Raider"
Fox News and Pathe Review

Show starts 8:00 p. m. Full show after 8:45. Admission 25 Cents

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

DR. C. G. POWELL DENTIST

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Farmers-Atlantic Bank Building
AHOSKIE, N. C.
X-Ray Service Phone No. 21

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AHOSKIE, N. C.

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of the power contained in a certain mortgage deed executed on the first day of July, 1918, by Sam Williams and his wife, Epsie E. Williams to J. R. Garrett and W. W. Lawrence, which is duly recorded in the Register of Deeds Office, Hertford County, book 73, page 90; the undersigned will on the

30th Day of September, 1923. Between the hours of one and two o'clock, p. m., at the court house door in Hertford, offer to the highest bidder for cash the following described piece of land, to-wit:

Bounded on the east by the public road leading from Ahoskie to Winton. On the south by Norman Brown, and on the west and north by the lands of T. B. and Norman Hall, and being a lot twenty-five yards by one hundred yards.

This 29th day of August, 1923.
J. R. GARRETT and
W. W. LAWRENCE,
Mortgagees.

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—FALL—
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—ALL AT VERY LOW PRICES—

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