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AN EDITORIAL THAT IS WORTH THE SPACE

Newspaper offices can usually be counted upon to consign without examination its publicity hunters' material to the waste basket.

However, there is one exception—a noticeable one—among the list of news disseminators. It is the service released by the Editor of Cooperative Extension publications of the North Carolina Department of Agriculture.

Farm folks of North Carolina have reason to be thankful for the good crops of cotton, tobacco and other produce and to be pleased with the prices which have been received for these commodities to date.

Because of this, Dr. Kilgore has written a letter to all the field workers of the State College and Department, asking them to use their influence in the right way to guide their cooperating farmers in the purchase of necessary supplies and equipment.

Indications are that there is a regular campaign on to get as much of the farmer's money as possible through the use of agent canvassers. Generally, it is found by workers of the Extension Service that such things as the farmer will need for his farm and home equipment, or for his convenience and home beautification can be purchased best through the regular channels rather than from traveling agent or canvasser.

"Let the traveling agent alone. Purchase from your home merchants and invest your surplus money wisely," is a warning Dr. Kilgore issues at this time.

HERTFORD COUNTY JOINS CHORUS

Every person, we believe, in this county who has any knowledge of Hon. John H. Kerr, for twenty years a public official in the Third Judicial District; every person who has watched his career as solicitor and judge subscribe to the sentiments expressed in the resolutions passed by the county court officers and members of the bar at Winton last week, and which are printed in another column of this paper.

Hertford County—its people—do regret to see him forsake the superior court bench, for the reason that he has made this district a competent officer and in doing it has retained the respect, honor, and love of those who know him. He has been close to the people of this county just as he has to the people of other counties lying within his district.

However much they hate to lose him as judge, there is nevertheless the good sportsmanship left behind that is willing to offer congratulations.

OFFICE CAT



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Well sir, just out of curiosity I went around to the side door of the Richard Theater last Friday night, while the embryo Mr. Wells (his right name is Eric Garrett) was showing that old but still popular "Birth of a Nation", and while the crowd was pushing and shoving for advantage at the front door I sneaked under a long row of those chairs, until I had almost got to the rear seat.

Ain't that just like folks, though. Last year and two years ago, these fellows just simply had cramps in their stomachs when you said anything about a moving picture venture in Ahooskie.

Now, along they come with bright faces (you can guess what is hidden behind them) and speak fluently of the wonderful success the moving picture business has become.

Right along that point, permit me to say that certainly was a pretty little girl who sat two seats ahead of me at the show, and whose feathery hat was directly in the path of my vision every time I looked towards that screen.

The presence of the boss's Congressman, Mr. Hallet S. Ward, in town yesterday reminds me of what I have 'bern about this Democratic nomination for Congress next year.

THE TOREADORS IN MADRID GONE ON STRIKE AND NOW THERE IS NO ONE TO THROW THE BULL

Prize fighters will soon be wearing wrist watches as a precaution against giving fans too much fighting for their money.

Money doesn't grow on trees, thinks the Wintonite or it wouldn't take so much of it to keep one pair of limbs in silk hose.

THE MODERN GIRL SELDOM CHASES A MAN. FOR THAT MATTER, MOLASSES SELDOM CHASES FLIES.

Hard Luck says it is hard to borrow money because people, who have it, have it, because they don't lend it.

Axioms of an Autoist A detour is the longest distance

tions to the voters of the Second Congressional District for having swiped our judicial timber (since it was done above board) and placed him in another department—the legislative.

The resolutions published herein truly represent the feeling prevalent throughout Hertford County. Speaking for the populace, we believe "voters of Hertford County" should be signed to the document, making it unanimous all the way round.

between two driven points.

"For every dollar spent on books, \$27 are spent on chewing gum. No doubt, but then it must be remembered, says the librarian, one can borrow books.

When Progress Marked Time Well, after all is said and done, We might have descended from the ape.

But the scientific son-of-a-gun Must admit it took a lotta red tape.

IF YOU INTEND TO DO A MEAN THING, WAIT TILL TOMORROW; IF YOU ARE TO DO A NOBLE THING, DO IT NOW.

Being poor is no disgrace, but very inconvenient, opines Most of Us.

"America" As Sung Across The Pond Here comes the tourist flock From that dear Plymouth Rock, Just watch us fix their clock— Sweet gold they bring, Folks from the rocks and rills, Hicks from the Yankee hills, crave their dollar bills— 'Tis thee we sing.

An old fogey is a man who believes he knows better than some old maid welfare worker how to raise his own children.

TOMORROW IS A RISKY PROMISSORY NOTE. YESTERDAY IS AN OUTLAWED ACCOUNT. TODAY IS REAL MONEY—INVEST IT

Shutting the mouth is a simple operation, thinks Jim Vinson but it is seldom done.

A dead motor, says Clarence Perry, usually adds much life to the party.

Gladys' idea of a tightwad is a man who bets smokes all around, then loses, and passes around a sack of Bull Durham and a package of papers.

Snappy Snipping Victim—"Cut the whole three short."

Barber—"What three?" Victim—"Hair, whiskers and chatter."

Jim Sessoms says Home is where you can scratch any place that itches.

According to Bob Mitchell investigation has proven that the average man who goes sixty miles an hour in a motor car has no place in particular to go, and nothing important to do when he gets there.

The vice-presidency is merely a waiting list with one name on it.

Constitutional amendments can't hope to get established in a day, says Sam Vaughan. Think of the Ten Commandments.

G. C. Britton says kissing a sweet girl till you get red in the face isn't so much kissing.

DR. WEAVER WILL SPEAK IN AHOSSKIE

Dr. Chas. P. Weaver, President of Chowan College, will make a talk before the regular session of the Parent-Teacher Association here Friday night, November 2. He will be accompanied by members of the music faculty of the college, who will give a program of special music.

This will be Doctor Weaver's first appearance here in the role of speaker, and he will be greeted by a large crowd. In addition to his speech, other features will make tomorrow night's program interesting to all attendants.

The HERALD one year for \$1.50. It is worth the money.

Barbecue And Speaking

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the output of your looms rivals in usefulness and beauty the silk of the orient. A spirit of equality and justice dominates the councils of your officers; and an equal chance in life for all is the shibboleth of your citizenship. I see Ahooskie with a population of twenty thousand people; selling ten to twenty millions of pounds of the golden leaf; two-thirds of which is raised for you in Bertie County. This is the Ahooskie of my vision and I call upon you to bring this vision to a reality.

"The great highway passing your door will bring here people from every clime, and nation. Make your city so beautiful, so good, so busy, so prosperous that they will hurry to get within your city limits and linger long before leaving.

Judge Winston ended his talk by admonishing the crowd to remain and hear Congressman Ward's talk; and, in the course of his remarks, told of the great work Mr. Ward had done in public life during the Reconstruction days, and more recently in the halls of Congress.

Eating Time

Following the Judge's talk, the barbecue was handed out, accompanied by corn bread and lemonade chaser. Women did the serving; colored at one table, and whites at the other. The service was orderly and was done with despatch. Every person was fed until not an appetite remained unsatisfied.

Mr. Ward Finishes It

Congressman Ward spoke interestingly and feelingly upon the subject of cooperation among farmers, prefacing his remarks by complimenting Ahooskie and its Chamber of Commerce for promoting a better feeling between the townspeople and the rural folks. Only by fostering agricultural interests, and aiding the people who inhabit the rural background can Ahooskie expect to grow and develop into a great town and city, Congressman Ward said. He commended efforts to secure factories and such like, but first of all he advised the promotion of the farmer and the farmers' interests. Ahooskie, he said, was doing that; the barbecue and speaking was a fine example of what the Chamber of Commerce and business interests of the town should first of all undertake.

He then launched into his speech, which was based upon the principles of cooperation among the producer—the farmers—by which the high cost of living could be reduced. This, he said, could only be done by reducing the overhead costs of marketing, or lessening the consumer's ultimate cost by eliminating some of the middleman's profit. Transportation costs, and laborers' wages could never solve the problem of reduction of high costs—the one great thing which would clinch the future of any political party. The only solution, he continued, was cooperation.

While he strongly championed cooperative marketing of farm crops throughout his speech, he paused to state that he was not a "fool" about it; and, unlike President Coolidge who recently sent his emissaries to the West to form a cooperative association for handling the wheat crop, did not believe it could be done. In fact, he said, "you need not expect any help from the politician, or either of the political parties; you must work out your own salvation."

NOTICE OF EXECUTOR

Having qualified as executor of the estate of John S. Winborne, deceased, of Hertford county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the said estate to present them to the undersigned executor on or before the 5th day of October, 1924, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This, the 5th day of October, 1923. C. W. WINBORNE, Executor, Estate of John S. Winborne. 10-5-23-6t-pd.

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Large advertisement for Calumet Baking Powder, featuring the 'Baby Face' logo and 'The Economy Baking Powder' slogan.

Additional text for Underwoods typewriter advertisement, including 'Rebuilt Like New' and 'Try It for Ten Full Days'.

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