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THE SUPERIOR COURT

Completed the Criminal Docket Today and Adjourned.

A SMALL DOCKET

Several Are Sentenced To Terms On Road—Civil Term Convenes Next Wednesday, Nov. 4th.

The fall criminal term of Stokes Superior court adjourned this (Wednesday) afternoon after being in session since Monday morning.

The docket was not large and the business of the court was transacted rapidly by Judge Devin, who presided over the term. The State's attorney, Mr. J. C. Bowers, who is appropriately termed "another Porter Graves," ably assisted his honor in clearing the docket.

The cases disposed of during the term were as follows:

State v. Fred James, d. r. c., judgment suspended on payment of cost.

State v. James Williams, a. d. w., fined \$5.00 and cost.

State v. Hard James, Bogue James, Dave Reid, Will Reid and Jess Reid, a. d. w., judgment suspended on payment of cost.

State v. J. T. Lawson, nuisance, judgment suspended on payment of cost.

State v. Cleve Lawson, c. c. w., fined \$10 and cost.

State v. Pearson Mabe, c. c. w., fined \$20 and cost.

State v. H. A. Fulp, a. d. w., fined \$20 and cost.

State v. Reid Stovall, c. c. w., three cases, fined \$10 and cost.

State v. Percy Dillon, retailing, not guilty.

State v. Cicero Voss, forcible trespass, not guilty.

State v. Bill Beckham and Frank Bullen, retailing, not guilty as to Beckham, judgment suspended on payment of cost as to Bullen.

State v. Jesse Pyrtle, a. d. w., not guilty.

State v. Walter Heath, d. r. c., judgment suspended on payment of cost.

State v. Walter Health, nuisance, judgment suspended on payment of cost.

State v. Marvin Spencer, retailing, fined \$25 and cost.

State v. Troy Smith, c. c. w., fined \$10 and cost.

State v. J. T. Lawson, assault, fined \$10 and cost.

State v. J. T. Lawson and John Lawson, d. r. c., nol pros.

State v. Joe Smith, a. d. w., judgment suspended on payment of cost.

State v. Dr. R. I. Meltzer, obtaining money under false pretense, eight months on road.

State v. Lewis Spencer, retailing, fined \$25 and cost.

State v. Dave Head, retailing, three cases. Fined \$25 in one case and judgment suspended on payment of cost in two cases.

State v. Walter Stewart, a. d. w., judgment suspended on payment of cost.

State v. Hersey Simmons, a. d. w., judgment suspended on payment of cost.

State v. Bunck Hairston, c. c. w., fined \$10 and cost.

State v. Mack Keck, c. c. w., 2 months on road.

State v. Ernest Fulp, larceny, 4 months on road.

State v. Joe Samuel, larceny, 4 months on road.

State v. Joe Martin Davis, larceny, 12 months on road.

State v. Jack Evans, c. c. w., fined \$10 and cost.

State v. Walter Whitaker, affray, 4 months on road.

State v. J. W. Cromer, affray, judgment suspended on payment of cost.

State v. J. D. Snow, assault, 4 months on road.

State v. Bark Love, affray, fined \$10 and cost.

State v. John Bennet, affray, judgment suspended.

State v. M. F. Overby, a. d. w., judgment suspended on payment of cost.

State v. L. J. Duncan and L. A. Duncan, a. d. w., judgment suspended on payment of cost.

State v. Homer Bryant, retailing, forfeits his bond of \$500.

The civil term of court which was scheduled to open next Monday, has been postponed, on account of the election, until Wednesday, Nov. 4th.

The Stokes County Warehouse

Makes Some Good Sales

The farmers who sold with Semple & Davis, at the Stokes County Warehouse the past week, have been well pleased with their prices. The average for the week has been between 12 and 13 cents, a better average than our neighbor markets can show. They think that now is the time to sell and promise that every pile of tobacco sold with them will have their personal attention.

It is well worth a trip to Walnut Cove to hear Col. Ball, the champion auctioneer, sell tobacco. He has been in the business all his life, and takes great pride in getting the farmer a good price. He is with Semple & Davis.

Below are some of the sales made the past week:

Lum Booth, 60 at 35, 34 at 32, 25 at 25, 116 at 19, 42 at 18.

W. O. Fulp, 380 at 19, 60 at 20, 304 at 14 1-2.

F. F. Tuttle, 20 at 20, 110 at 17 1-2, 350 at 9.

Arnold Bowmar, 206 at 14 1-2, 320 at 18, 50 at 20.

W. W. Tuttle, 70 at 15 1-2, 110 at 18, 84 at 18 1-2, 40 at 25.

Reed Flinchum, 200 at 11 3-4, 34 at 17 1-2, 80 at 19 1-2, 150 at 14 3-4.

Luther Lankford, 20 at 19 1-2, 100 at 17, 254 at 7.

W. J. Smith, 120 at 20, 206 at 11 1-2.

C. C. Page, 144 at 17, 80 at 20, 240 at 11.

Charlie A. Fagg, 40 at 17 1-2, 110 at 14 1-4.

Ellen Smith, 56 at 15, 100 at 19 1-2, 84 at 20 1-2.

L. F. Smith, 14 at 21, 180 at 19, 120 at 15.

A. W. Dillion, 92 at 18, 10 at 25, 12 at 15, 108 at 14, 74 at 16.

W. W. Hennis, 330 at 16 1-2, 30 at 25, 200 at 15, 100 at 10.

Arthur Mabe, 34 at 17, 20 at 20, 26 at 16 1-2, 110 at 17 1-2, 90 at 18.

Mitchell & Barker, 134 at 19 1-2, 40 at 20, 122 at 15, 258 at 15 1-2.

S. A. Larimore, 60 at 17 1-2, 30 at 15 1-2, 240 at 15 1-2, 46 at 15.

J. P. Lewis, 30 at 30, 106 at 20, 12 at 20, 124 at 17 1-2, 82 at 16 1-2.

F. E. Petree, 30 at 17 1-2, 126 at 15, 36 at 13 3-4, 330 at 8, 2 1-4 20 at 11 1-4.

Notice To Teachers

Teachers who need crayon will please send by first passing to Danbury and get it for their school at the office of Mr. Humphreys. Crayon will not be mailed to teachers.

Oct. 21, 1914.

J. T. SMITH, Supt.

TWO MORE BRIDGES

To Be Erected In Sauratown Township At An Early Date.

BIDS CALLED FOR

Contract Will Probably Be Let At Meeting of County Commissioners Next Monday.

At the next meeting of the county commissioners here next Monday the contract will probably be let for the erection of two more bridges, or rather one bridge and one trestle, which have been asked for in Sauratown township.

The bridge asked for will span a small stream down near Pine Hall and will be a small steel structure. The trestle will be steel also and will be placed on the west end of the Hairston's ford bridge. The trestle will be about 300 feet long and extend across the bottom at the west end of the bridge.

Plans for these structures were drawn and bids asked for some time since.

Items From Germanton

Germanton, Oct. 25.—The people in this section have finished cutting and curing tobacco and are preparing for a large wheat crop.

Rev. Mr. Rothrock filled his regular appointment at Chaffin's Sunday, but owing to bad weather there were very few present.

Mr. George Hampton has been right ill but is much better now, we are glad to know.

The Chaffin school is progressing nicely under the management of Mrs. Mildred Alley and Miss Lella Martin, the teachers.

Several of our people attended the Stokes County Fair at King.

Miss Murphy Lovell, who is teaching at Meadows, visited her parents last Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Murphy and Bertha Lovell spent Saturday afternoon with Miss Lella Martin.

Messrs. W. H. Pegram and Walter Martin have just returned from Washington City and other points north.

Mr. Percy Lovell, of Smith, visited his parents on Walnut Cove Route 1, Monday night.

Sporty Kids.

Elder P. Oliver III.

The Reporter regrets very much to learn that Elder P. Oliver, who has been indisposed for some time, is quite ill this week at his home on King Route 1. His many friends hope he may soon be restored to his usual health.

DON'T FORGET.

Beginning December 1, 1914, the cash-in-advance plan will be adopted by the DANBURY REPORTER, and all unpaid subscriptions will be dropped from the list.

This is the policy adopted by a majority of the progressive newspapers of the United States. Our friends will oblige us by helping us carry out the policy. It is best for the paper and best for the subscriber. The expense and labor of collecting small amounts is the reason we take this procedure. Many of our subscribers who have for many years made it a habit to pay up once a year, will confer a favor by not forgetting that this rule will apply to all, and no exceptions will be made in the case of any person.

Address:

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IT IS SELLING WELL

Nearly Half Million Pounds of Tobacco Averaged \$12.50 In Winston Yesterday.

BIG BREAKS ON

The Large Amount of the Weed Being Placed On the Market Does Not Affect Prices.

Winston-Salem, Oct. 27.—The leaf tobacco market was in the throes of one of the biggest breaks of the season yesterday, and when the last pile of tobacco was auctioned off and the results tabulated, it was found that a total of 414,365 pounds of tobacco had been sold at an average of about \$12.50 per hundred pounds, netting the farmers of this section the sum of \$52,300.51.

For several weeks now the local market has experienced large breaks, and the golden flood of money turned loose is having a great effect in maintaining the financial equilibrium of this section.

Notwithstanding the heavy breaks recently, the prices held up splendidly, and the indications are that tobacco will continue to sell at prices that will guarantee the planters a good profit. And the indications are also that the sales will be heavy throughout this week.

It was thought several weeks ago that the rushing of tobacco to the market in large quantities would have the effect of making prices tumble but they have held firm, notwithstanding the fact that some large breaks have occurred.

Card From R. P. Glidewell.

To the People of Stokes County: I learn that a report is being circulated in the county that I have been hired or paid to withdraw from the race for Treasurer and while I am no longer a candidate this report which is absolutely untrue and without any foundation whatsoever is calculated to damage me, and I desire to take this method of denouncing the report as false.

R. P. GLIDEWELL.

When You Visit Winston-Salem

Be sure to look for the little white store opposite the market house where you get hot weiners at only 5c. Fresh Kitchen Candy only 10c. a pound. Remember the place.

J. R. BOLLING, Prop.
E. 4th street,
WINSTON-SALEM, N. C.

Mr. Kurfees On the Constitutional Amendments.

Editor of the Reporter:

The writer is a member of the Progressive party, but does not pose as a leader.

However, being a man of convictions and not afraid to speak them, I take this opportunity to say publicly that I shall support the amendments at the polls. I believe their adoption will be a step in the right direction. The greatest objection seems to be on the taxation amendment—the claim being that too much power is given the general assembly, but I for one am not afraid to trust the general assembly in this any more than I'd be to allow it many other privileges it now enjoys. The voter must remember that a law passed by the general assembly can easily be repealed or changed two years hence. So no great harm can befall the country in only two years if mistakes should be made. We Progressives believe in the recall, and we can enforce it every two years on the legislature.

It is obvious to every fair-minded man that the present system of taxation is absurd. A system should be inaugurated which would give to every citizen—rich and poor alike—a square deal. In this connection however, I desire to say, that while I admire the stand certain Democratic speakers and writers have taken in upholding the amendments, at the same time I have been utterly disgusted at some of the tactics employed. Quite a few of those who still harbor prejudice and malice in their bosom cannot finish a speech or an article without casting reflection upon the men who composed the constitutional convention of 1868. But I suppose such men are excusable upon the ground that it is simply a habit, as they have not been able to conduct a campaign in 40 years without hollering "nigger" and "reconstruction."

It should count for nothing with an enlightened citizenship for newspapers or speakers to appeal to passions and prejudices to carry forward reforms.

When one says the present constitution is antiquated and no longer adopted to this more progressive age, that sounds statesmanlike and businesslike, but when the "hatchet has been buried" and one continues to holler "nigger," to scare men into voting, it sounds like the smallest of the small.

In conclusion permit me to say, that so far as the Progressive party, as an organization, is concerned, it is only fair to state that since we have had no regular state convention this year, in which such matters could have been discussed, it would be wrong to charge that the party, as such, was either for or against the amendments. Some of the leaders, as well as some laymen, may oppose them, but it is my opinion that a majority of the party will support them.

JNO W. KURFEES,
Germanton, Oct. 23, 1914.

Halloween Party At Pine Hall School.

There will be a Halloween party at Pine Hall school on Saturday, Oct. 31st, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., for the benefit of the school.

Oysters, cream, candy, etc., will be sold. There will be music and other attractions. Everybody invited. Admission will be free.

MEADOWS' ROADS

Good Progress Now Being Made In their Construction.

15 MILES SO FAR

Road From I. G. Ross' Store To Meadows Postoffice To Be Completed Soon — Other Work.

Mr. George Lewis, a member of the board of highway commissioners for Meadows township, was a Danbury visitor this week. Mr. Lewis stated that excellent progress was being made now with the road construction being carried on in his township. Up to the present time about fifteen miles of road has been built and top-soiled. The road from Germanton to I. G. Ross' store, the one from Germanton to Friendship and the one from Ross' store to a point near Flat Shoal church have all been practically completed, and the contractor now has his force on the road from Ross' store to Meadows post-office, where connection will be made with the Danbury-Walnut Cove road. This road will be completed within two or three weeks.

Mr. Lewis stated that a meeting of the highway commissioners would be held this week to decide on the next road or roads to be constructed.

It is learned that the commissioners have considerable money in their treasury yet and they will no doubt be able to complete several other roads before their funds are exhausted.

The steel for the bridges in Meadows township has just arrived and their erection will be started at once.

Sandy Ridge News.

Sandy Ridge Route 1, Oct. 25.—Farmers are greatly behind with their fall plowing, owing to the continued wet weather. It looks like it will be impossible to get in as large a wheat crop as was predicted.

Rev. Chas. Wall filled his regular appointment at Delta Sunday the 18th. Quite a crowd attended services at Oak Ridge Sunday last.

Mr. Buck Robertson happened to the misfortune to get his arm broken one day the past week, by throwing a baseball.

Mr. W. J. Jackson spent Saturday night at Mr. W. T. Ward's.

The school at Delta is progressing nicely under the management of Mr. Carr Gann.

Rev. J. A. Joyce filled his regular appointment at Ayersville Sunday.

Messrs. Millard Venable and Russell Ward filled their regular appointment at Mr. C. D. Duncan's Sunday.

Miss Dora Ward, who has been quite sick for several weeks remains quite ill, we are sorry to note.

Mr. James Dodson continues quite ill we are sorry to say.

Miss Lillie Ward visited Misses Saddle and Lula Duncan a short while Sunday.

Some of our farmers are marketing a little tobacco along now and report prices very satisfactory.

Born unto Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dodson a son.

Some of our older people say they think that this is the latest in the year that they ever remember not seeing any Jack frost.

WANTED—A lady to keep house. Will pay fair price.
J. W. LACKEY,
Campbell, N. C.