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QUAKER GAP FARMERS VIGILANT

THEY ARE REAPING THE ADVANTAGES OF THE SOIL EROSION PROGRAM — MEETING AT DANBURY JULY 17.

Farmers in Quaker Gap township have become erosion conscious. Men living in this section of the county are not satisfied to see their fields washed away and are taking this summer as a season in which to build real terraces on idle fields. On the farm of R. W. Mitchell the terracing unit is now engaged in constructing terraces on a large acreage of land and in addition will build farm roads on this farm. P. O. Frye started this work in his section sometime ago and says he is well pleased with the results acquired.

The suggestion is here given to farmers in this section who have not had occasion to see the terracing unit in operation to drive over to the Mitchell farm and get a better idea as to how real terraces are made.

Stokes Farmers To Consider Farm Bureau

A meeting of representative farmers has been called to be held in Danbury on Friday afternoon at two o'clock, July 17th, to hear the Farm Bureau discussed by Mr. Otis Kercher, who is a prominent Indiana farmer and a man who has considerable experience with and has a good opportunity to observe the work of the Bureau through which farmers arrive at the solution of many of their economic and social problems. The speaker was for seventeen years a county agent in Illinois. Has been president of the Illinois County Agents Association. His message should be of interest to local farmers. He knows the Farm Bureau.

The boys and girls 4-H Short Course held annually at the State College in Raleigh starts on July 22nd and runs through the 27th. Present plans indicate that Stokes Clubsters will have at least a fair representation in attendance at this annual event. The boy or girl who has an opportunity to attend this short course and accepts it will be fortunate and will have something of value and interest to tell his or her neighbors for years to come. Young people attending this meeting are well cared for by the farm and home agents who are in attendance. They will be housed in the college dormitories and will have access to the college hospital should there be occasion for it. Parents need have no fear as to whether the welfare of the boys and girls will be properly safe-guarded. In most cases boys and girls to attend the short course should have reached their fourteenth birthday and it is important that they be actively engaged in

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MRS. McNAIRY WELFARE OFFICER

ELECTED AS WHOLE TIME OFFICIAL BY BOARDS OF COMMISSIONERS AND EDUCATION — COUNTY NOW HAS STANDARD WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

The Stokes County Commissioners and Board of Education have elected a full-time Superintendent of Public Welfare, a full-time office assistant and a standard Welfare Department clerical worker. This establishes a standard Welfare Department and will enable Stokes County to share in Social Security funds.

Prior to this election, J. C. Carson, Superintendent of Schools, has acted, ex officio, as welfare officer.

Mrs. Evelyn McNairy, who has been certifying agent in the Stokes welfare department since January, 1936, was elected Superintendent of Public Welfare. She majored in social work at the Woman's college of Greensboro and since June, 1933, has been social worker with social agencies in Winston-Salem, Rockingham and Montgomery counties.

Mrs. Mary Pepper will serve as full-time welfare office Assistant. Her duties will include distribution of all clothing made in WPA sewing rooms of the county and all commodities delivered to the county from the State Department of Surplus Commodities.

Miss Evelyn S. Page was sent to the Stokes Welfare Department in June, 1936 by the state to become full-time Child Welfare Officer. Before coming to this county Miss Page worked with social agencies in Durham and Caswell Counties. As Child Welfare Worker Miss Page's duties are with any case of a child "who is delinquent or who violates any municipal or state law or ordinance or who is truant, unruly, wayward, or misdirected, or who is disobedient to parents or beyond their control, or who is in danger of becoming so; or who is neglected, or who engages in any occupation, calling, or exhibition, or is found in any place where a child is forbidden by law to be, and for permitting which an adult may be punished by law, or who is in such condition or surroundings, or is under such improper or insufficient guardianship or control as to endanger the morals, health, or general welfare of such child; or who is dependent upon public support or who is destitute, homeless or abandoned, or whose custody is subject to controversy." She is also the caseworker for children handicapped by physical defects—crippled, blind, and deaf; for all families in county to whom Mothers' Aid or Aid to Dependent children is granted; for all children paroled from state institutions for delinquency or delinquents.

(AN EDITORIAL)

McDonald And His Inspiration

The love overtures now playing out of North Carolina Republican headquarters into the McDonald camp are very impressive.

These overtures are of course in acknowledgment of the McDonald gestures and in appreciation of the McDonald inspiration.

The leaders of the Republican party in North Carolina are very intelligent and astute men and women, and one would certainly vastly underestimate their political perspicacity to believe they would be too dense to use the ammunition which Dr. McDonald has so generously provided them with and which continues to be manufactured for their benefit.

At the Winston-Salem rally of Young Republicans this week the expressions of sympathy, admiration, confidence, regrets, etc., for the Doctor were almost touching in their appeal.

One enthusiastic speaker declared that "McDonald has been the greatest blessing that has come to us." He added that this "machine" which the Dr. has so "graphically pictured to us crushes the very life out of the free will of the people."

Another speaker said "there has never been a time when we have had so many breaks as the Dr. has given us."

It was urged that the great crowd who supported McDonald, many of whom now still declare they will do all they can to defeat the Democratic nominee for Governor, be courted and coaxed into a combine of Republicanism and McDonaldism to deliver the State of North Carolina to Republican rule.

As if in response to "Sic him, Tige," the Doctor launched another attack on the Democratic machine, declared the Hoey crowd had stolen the election and demanded an investigation of a few dozen irregularities in a half dozen counties.

Now since Dr. McDonald continues (even "in time of war") to render aid and comfort to the common foe, he cannot of course be appraised by the organized Democracy (so-called "the machine") other than as Political Enemy No. 1.

With this regard it will not generally be supposed that many of the thousands of Democratic men and women who supported him sincerely in the primary will feel disposed to follow him in his efforts to defeat and humiliate the party that they have so long supported and honored.

R. O. Palmer Has Wreck

While driving near Pine Hall Monday R. O. Palmer, of the resettlement office here, collided with a Standard oil truck on a curve. Mr. Palmer was accompanied by Miss Lucy Booe, also of the resettlement office. Neighbor occupant of the car nor the driver of the gas truck was injured, though both machines were badly damaged.

Jesse Bill Lawson, of Lawsonville, is visiting his son, Frank Lawson.

Miss Lucille Martin will be the Clerical Worker for the Welfare Department.

The Stokes County Welfare Board, consisting of Wm. Marshall, Chairman, of Walnut Cove; Miss Laura Ellington, of Sandy Ridge and Mrs. R. H. Morefield, of Danbury meets monthly with the welfare staff to discuss, advise and assist in welfare problems.

Auto Accident At Walnut Cove

Mabel Flynn, Muriel Rothrock and Louise Morefield, Walnut Cove young ladies, were each more or less injured, none seriously, in an accident that occurred near the Street Car cafe Tuesday, on Walnut Cove's main street. Miss Flynn, who was driving, lost control and the car hit a telephone pole. The car was badly damaged.

Lawsonville School Ordered Rebuilt At \$17,000—Other School House Improvements

The Board of Education in session here this week ordered the Lawsonville school house, recently burned, rebuilt at a cost of \$17,000.

A new school building at Capella was also ordered built at a cost of \$2,000, while arrangements were made for 4 rooms to be added to the Sandy Ridge School.

STOKES CIVIL COURT IS OVER

JULY TERM CLOSED WEDNESDAY AFTER SETTLING A NUMBER OF CASES — JUDGE WARLICK LEAVES TO ATTEND FUNERAL OF JUDGE OGLESBY.

The July term of Stokes Superior Court for the trial of civil actions, ended Wednesday, Judge Wilson Warlick, who held criminal court last week, and was here conducting the civil term, left immediately to attend the funeral of Judge Oglesby who died in Charlotte Monday. The funeral and burial were conducted at Concord.

The following cases on the Stokes civil court calendar were disposed of:

In Re: Joe H. Wall, col. estate. Remanded to Clerk Superior Court.

D. E. Nelson vs. Jones E. Nelson. Continued.

W. H. Eaton, vs. J. M. Carroll. Continued.

W. H. Eaton and wife, Ada R. Eaton vs. R. J. Scott, substitute trustee. Continued.

J. M. Carroll vs. A. M. Carroll. Non-suited.

A. J. Brown vs. A. C. Amos, James Amos and S. J. Amos, administrators of A. C. Amos. Non-suited.

H. G. Harding and wife, Martha Harding, vs. Mrs. Martha Jane Shore and husband, F. E. Shore. Judgment for defendants.

L. S. Grabs and J. S. Grabs vs. W. J. Fuik. Judgment for defendant.

Early Sands vs. C. R. Walker and Atlantic Greyhound Lines. Judgment for plaintiff, \$275.00 and costs.

Fowler Mfg. Co. vs. Walnut Cove Veneer Corp. Continued.

Quality Oil Co. vs. E. D. Smith. Continued.

William M. Burrow vs. Southeastern Public Service Co. and Jacob Leech. Judgment for plaintiff, \$1500.00 and costs.

Chas. Fowler vs. F. W. Woolworth Co. Continued.

Jonah Carroll, A. M. Carroll, et al vs. J. M. Carroll, executor of Wm. H. Carroll and J. M. Carroll, individually. Non-suited.

Joe Phipps vs. T. J. East. Continued.

Mrs. Lucinda Mabe vs. Geo. Cox. Continued.

Commissioner of Banks ex rel. Bank of Stokes County vs. Walnut Cove Motor Co. Non-suited.

Henry C. Cahill vs. Mary Alice Cahill. Non-suited.

Chas. Smith vs. State Highway and Public Works Commission. Continued.

Commissioner of Banks ex rel. Bank of Stokes County vs. J. W. Neal et al. Non-Suited.

C. H. Lunsford vs. Mary Lunsford, divorce. Judgment for plaintiff.

J. O. Pyrtle, of Westfield, was in town Thursday.

KING CHILD LOSES ONE EYE

SEVEN-YEAR-OLD SON OF MR. AND MRS. KIRBY SUFFERS ACCIDENT — MT. VIEW GETS ELECTRIC LIGHTS — OTHER NEWS OF KING.

King, July 15. — Mrs. Etta Gaudin, who resides in Walnut Hills, celebrated her sixtieth birthday Sunday. A large number of relatives and friends were present to enjoy the occasion with her.

Keever Newsum, of the United States Army, stationed at Fort Bragg, is spending a ten day furlough with relatives here before departing for the Phillipine Islands where he is ordered for duty.

Roby Sprinkle, of Winston-Salem and Miss Roxie Doss, of King, motored to Hillsville, Virginia Saturday, where they were united in marriage. They will make their home in Winston-Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Slate, Jr., left Saturday on a trip through the Shenandoah Valley. They will visit Washington, D. C. on their trip.

William Wright, of Hamlet, is spending a few days here the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earlie Moser in Walnut Hills.

The new power line extending from King to Mountain View has been completed and the lights were turned on Friday night.

The King Tigers lost to White Oak Mills, of Germantown, in a game played at Greensboro Saturday. Final score 11 and 4.

The stork is having a resting spell in this vicinity, only two births were registered last week. They were: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Marshall, a daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Ray Hamm, a daughter.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Gregory has returned to her home in Winston-Salem after spending a week with Mrs. Ernest M. Griffin in west King.

The East Yadkin township Sunday school convention held at the First Baptist Church here Saturday was attended by a very large crowd of people.

Wilburn Baker, planter of the Chestnut Grove section, was among the business visitors here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Murry Thompson and Dr. and Mrs. Nash Thompson, of Stuart, Va., visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

Harvey Johnson, prominent planter of the Mountain View section, was here Saturday on business.

The seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kirby, while at play at their home two miles south of town last week stuck the point of a pair of scissors in his eye. He was rushed to an eye specialist at Winston-Salem for treatment. He will lose the sight of his eye.