

HIS HOME LAWYERS, WHO HAVE FOUGHT WITH HIM AND AGAINST HIM IN THE COURTS FOR YEARS, TESTIFY AS TO THE EMINENT FITNESS AND HIGH CHARACTER OF A. M. STACK AND COMMEND HIM TO THE PEOPLE OF THIS DISTRICT FOR JUDGE.

Resolution

RESOLVED that the members of the Bar of Union County, North Carolina, endorse Honorable A. M. Stack for the position of Judge of the Superior Court of the Thirteenth Judicial District of North Carolina and commend him to the voters of the District as in every respect qualified for this high position.

Mr. Stack is a gentleman of the highest character and a lawyer of the first order of ability. He has made a distinguished record as Solicitor of this District and at the Bar in both Criminal and Civil practice, having appeared in many of the most important cases ever tried in this section. He is a man of wide and varied learning and rich and full experience of human affairs. Kind of heart, gentle of manner, a lover of his fellow man, he enjoys a wide popularity in his native county and wherever he has come in contact with the people in his extensive practice. If elevated to the bench, he will administer the laws fearlessly, fairly, learnedly and justly.

Adopted unanimously this the 3rd day of November, 1921.

R. B. REDWINE,
President of Union Co. Bar Ass'n.
GILLAM CRAIG,
(Political Adv.) Secretary.

THE HOUR OF NEED

In an emergency you run to your local druggist for a prescription. Or, to finish a dress before starting on a trip, you find you are in need of a wee bit more cloth, and you run to the dry goods store to purchase it. Or, in numerous other ways you find your local stores convenient and ready to supply an urgent need.

But if you patronize these stores only when you need something in a hurry—if you constantly send money to out of town concerns—the local stores cannot continue to exist. They must have your support at all times, not only when there is an emergency but during normal times if you want them here when your hour of actual need comes.

There is an old saying that "those who dance must pay the fiddler," and could be turned around to read that those who only patronize a Vass merchant when they are in need will be in need quite often before they get through with the mail-order concerns. There is no question but we would all fare better if we would confine our dealings to people we know. Instead of sending our money away to people we never saw—and never will see—let's spend it where we know who gets it, and where it will do us some good when THEY spend it. The fellow we know has to face us daily, so it stands to reason that he isn't going to "sting us" as quickly as the fellow we may never see. Your home merchant has a reputation for square dealing, and he wants to keep it. So that is another guarantee you have of honest dealing when you spend the dollar you made at home right where you made it.

MORE BLOCS COMING

Vass people are hearing a good deal these days about agricultural "blocs," and for the benefit of those who may not understand the meaning of a "bloc" we might say it is a term used to designate a combination of men who are personally interested in seeing that the rural interests of the United States get just legislation, and needed legislation, and get it where and when it is needed. Recently one of these "blocs" has served the interest of the farmers of the country pretty well in Kansas, and while it has not succeeded to any very great extent in having beneficial legislation passed, it has succeeded in preventing the passage of several measures that do not appear destined to assist rural America, in the event they ever become laws.

We are going to hear a good deal more about "blocs" during our elections this year and next. They are not going to sweep the country in the shape of a new-born political party, if indications can be depended upon. But they are going to have sufficient influence to make the old-line politicians sit up and take notice, and govern their actions accordingly. The men composing these "blocs" are among the most substantial citizens in the country. Their interest in the farmer is not mercenary. They are honest men, and their attempt to get farm prices on a better basis is sincere. That is why we are going to hear a lot about the "blocs" they represent; that's why the old-line politicians are even now changing the line of talk they have so long been handing out to us. It is too early to make predictions, but even now we feel safe in saying that our readers are going to witness some mighty interesting things in this country before the "blocs" get through their program.

Peace, says a New York editor, is a state of mind. Yes—of mind your own business.

Renew your subscription.

HARRY R. IHRIE
Lawyer
CARTHAGE, N. C.
Southern Pines Office
Over S. & L. Grocery
Windham's Real Estate Office.

SAVE
What You've Got!

YOUR PROPERTY
YOUR INCOME
INSURE IT
DO IT NOW
D. A. McLAUHLIN, Agent
VASS, N. C.
Fire Insurance Life Insurance

NORMAN KLINE
CARTHAGE, N. C.
General Contractor
All kinds of
Building Material

A GOOD FINANCIER

In a certain home there was a 10c fine for each spot made on the table cloth. One day Johnnie was caught rubbing the table cloth with his fingers. Asked what he was doing he replied: "I'm making these two spots into one."

We don't claim you can make your money go twice as far by buying your groceries at our store. But we do claim that

NO ONE CAN UNDERSELL US

and few can offer as complete a stock of

Groceries

IF YOU ARE PARTICULAR

about the **QUALITY** of what you eat and at the same time you want to pay as **Reasonable Prices** as other people pay—

This is Your Store

Just now we are cutting prices close on several blends of Coffee—come in and ask us to tell you about it.

Gunter's Store

VASS, NORTH CAROLINA

THE PILOT PRINTING COMPANY

Makes No Competition with Amateurs, Cheap-Johns and "Don't-Cares." Our work is worth all we ask for it IF you want Good Printing; if you don't care for that kind, the "other fellow" will probably Suit Your Taste Better.

MISS FLORENCE LESLIE

has returned from her annual buying trip, and offers to the people of Vass and vicinity a fine assortment of

Spring Millinery

in all its variety. Her stock will be

Renewed Weekly through the season.

Special attention is called to the new and varied styles in trimmed and un-trimmed

HATS!

A Fresh and Well Selected Line of

Notions, Toilet Articles

AND VERY PRETTY

NEW DRESS GOODS

VASS MILLINERY

SOME

of the Boys and Girls

Name	
Helen Parker.....	Parker
Bertha Williams.....	Bertha
Lee Williams.....	Lee's
Gertrude Williams.....	Super
Windol Mabry.....	Windol
J. C. Ferguson.....	Sand
Harvey Horne.....	Horn
Sterling Poynter.....	Succ
W. H. Marlette.....	Marl
Ruth McNeill.....	Ruth
Preston Blue.....	Silve
Crowson Cameron.....	Edwa
Chase Cameron.....	Chas

The above gives us some of the members who were first weighed until the members failed to weigh or more pigs in the club

HOW TO BECOME A MEMBER OF THE PIG CLUB

Any boy or girl between of 8 and 18 years of age can become a member of the pig club by application to your Farm Demonstration Agent. In you have no such agent in your county you can send your name to B. Mask, College Station, R. C., and he will enter your name in the club. It will be necessary to secure a pure-bred pig of suitable size. Each member is required to raise the pig, feed and manage it to the best of their ability and keep a record of the cost of raising, and at the end of the season report on the same.

PASTURE MIXTURE FOR 1 ACRE (HOGS)

Orchard Grass.....	14
Red Clover.....	6
White Clover.....	3
Japan Clover.....	10

The above mixture will make a good permanent pasture for hogs. It is necessary to make a good permanent pasture if we expect good hogs out of our pigs. The mixture will cost about \$9 per acre. Each member should begin now to prepare the land and get ready for the next season. The seeds should be sown by the first of April by all means. See the list of acre and try it.

What has become of the old Vass man who used to be called "the old woman's husband" by his wife as "the old woman's husband"?

The greater part of our worries comes from buying things they don't need.

UPPER HOKE NEWS

Owing to the recent heavy rains, roads, and high water, the school has been shut off to a great extent. Part of Hoke for the last season.

Quite a number of friends were visiting Mrs. H. A. Smith yesterday p. m. She has been in the hospital for the past three weeks and is better now.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Heart who has been sick is now recovering. Miss Mayme McGill spent the week-end with her people in Aberdeen.

Messrs. Daniel McGill and Smith spent Monday in Vass. Miss Maggie Stewart, of route 3, is visiting Mr. P. Blue this week.