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TOBACCO PRICES ARE BETTER SINCE OPENING

WILL SOON BEGIN CAMPAIGN HERE FOR DEMOCRATS

Trying To Get J. W. Bailey, Cameron Morrison or Clyde Hoye Here THOROUGH CANVASS

No Definite Dates Have Yet Been Suggested, But It Is Thought Campaign Will Be Here Last of Month

Plans for the Democratic campaign in this section of the State are fast being perfected, and it is understood that by the latter part of this month and the early part of next a canvass of the entire first district will have been made.

According to party leaders in this county, it is likely that Hon. Josiah W. Bailey, Cameron Morrison, or Clyde Hoye will make an address here some time during the early part of next month.

Other speakers who are likely to take a part in the first district campaign include Stanley Winborne, district elector, Murfreesboro; Lindsay C. Warren, Washington; Senator L. J. Lawrence, Murfreesboro; Charles Whedbee, Hertford; Elbert Peel, Williamston; Harry McMullan, Washington; Walter R. Johnson, Ahsokie; Van B. Martin, Plymouth; Judge Albion Dunn, Greenville; Edward L. Stewart, Washington; and H. C. Carter, Washington.

HUNT LICENSES NOW ON SALE

Being Handled in Williamston by P. H. Brown, at Hardware Store

Hunting licenses for the coming season were placed on sale yesterday by J. W. Hines, county game warden. Hunters in this section will be supplied by Mr. P. H. Brown, at the Culpepper Hardware Co., while Messrs. William Gray and D. L. Hardy will sell the permits in Robersonville and Cross Roads Townships respectively.

Last year the sale of hunting licenses in this county alone amounted to \$2,750. This year, Mr. Hines thinks, the sale will go as high as \$3,000. Game wardens for the various sections of the county are being appointed, and the list will be complete within the next few days, according to Mr. Hines, who was here yesterday in the interest of the conservation work.

STRAND THEATRE SATURDAY KEN MAYNARD in THE WAGON SHOW Added COMEDY AND SERIAL "The Golden Stallion"

Plans Go Forward For Big Fair Here

OAK CITY SCHOOL BEGAN MONDAY

Total of 361 Children Were Enrolled; Several Speak At Opening

With 361 girls and boys enrolled in the various classes, the Oak City High School opened its 1928-29 term last Monday, with many parents and patrons witnessing the initial exercises.

The main address of the morning was delivered by Rev. C. B. Mashburn, of Robersonville. Mr. Mashburn, in his talk, stressed the importance of an education and the need of cooperation in running a school.

Appealing for thoroughness in one's high-school education, Mr. Howard Brown, a member of the class of 1924, made a splendid talk before the students and their parents. The class of '24 featured the exercises with its class reunion, all the old students present making short and impressive talks.

EXPECTS GOOD FOOTBALL TEAM

Coach B. E. Hood Optimistic Over Prospects at Local School

With the first scheduled football game hardly two weeks away, Coach B. E. Hood has already started training local high school boys for his regular squad. Preliminary practice has been held three days this week, but the coach stated yesterday that real practice would not be under way until Monday or Tuesday of next week.

The team starts the year off with three of its backfield men missing and one from the line. These vacancies will be well filled and a light but fast backfield will no doubt be built up with Daniels, Clark, Manning, Saunders, Barnhill, Holding, Taylor, and others to choose from.

Paul Simpson, the team's manager, states that there will be around 10 or 12 games on the season's schedule, but at the present no definite dates have been decided upon other than September 25, when the locals will play their first game at the fair here.

53 People Killed By Autos In This State Last Month

Raleigh, Sept. 6.—Fifty-three deaths from automobile accidents in the State last month have already been reported to the Motor Vehicle Bureau of the State Department of Revenue.

MANAGER SAYS OUTLOOK IS VERY BRIGHT

Departmental Heads Are Sending in Favorable Reports

OPENS TUESDAY, 25TH

Fair Has Reputation for Being One of Best in North Carolina; This Year To Be No Exception

Just 17 more days from today, and the Roanoke Fair Association will open its seventh annual fair here with the expressed assurance that it will be better than ever. Opening Tuesday, the 25th, the fair will run for four days and nights, and will bring to this section one of the greatest arrays of exhibits ever seen in these parts.

Manager John L. Rodgers stated this morning that all plans were complete and that the fair's patrons this year would see the best one ever staged by the Roanoke association. Personal letters from those who will bring the free acts here have been received, and the actors state that they are anxious to have the opportunity of offering their very best at the Roanoke Fair here this year.

That the Roanoke Fair is one of the best in the State has been proved during the last few years, and Mr. Rodgers states that the one this year will be no exception to the rule and that, if anything, it would be better. Mr. D. M. Roberson, superintendent of the swine department, says he will have exhibits in his department that are not to be surpassed.

With seven unusual free acts on the program, the entertainment feature alone is expected to surpass anything ever offered at a district fair in this section of the country.

COUNTY TAXES BEING STUDIED

Two Men Here From University To Study Methods

With the method of assessing and collecting taxes as their study, Mr. P. W. Wager, editor of the University of North Carolina News Letter, and Mr. H. L. Macon, also of the University, are collecting data in each county of the State.

The two men are very interested in their study of taxes, and a personal visit to all the counties will, no doubt, prove of much value to the people of the State.

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ENROLLMENT OF 600 EXPECTED AT SCHOOL MONDAY

Auditorium Has Been Cut Into Classrooms; Badly Overcrowded

NO OPENING PROGRAM

All Children Urged To Attend First Day; Parents Asked To Bring First-Year Children

Faced with overcrowded conditions, it will be similar to a packing house when 600 children and possibly more, enroll in the local school next Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock, and when they will be given their texts and have their assignments for the following day made.

In an effort to complete the classification of the pupils the first day, the principal urges all parents to see that their children attend and be on time. This was pointed out to be very important, and parents' cooperation in the registration will mean that all details will be handled the first day ready for real work Tuesday morning.

No books will be used the first day, but a pencil and a pad will probably come in handy for taking lesson assignments and the names of the texts.

According to a careful check of the district, around 125 new children will enter the school here this year, carrying the enrollment figures beyond 600, it is thought.

A meeting of the teachers will be held in the school building at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning, when plans for the year's work will be formulated.

Many of the teachers are expected to arrive here tonight, while one or two will come tomorrow in time for the meeting.

3 VIOLATORS OF GAME LAW TRIED

Men Caught Hunting Out Of Season Are Fined \$5.00 and Costs

Three cases charging violation of the game laws in this county have been recorded this season, according to J. W. Hines, county game warden. The three charges were brought in Poplar Point township against Robt. Edwards, Clyde Silverthorn and Peter Spruill.

The cases were carried before J. E. Edmondson, justice of the peace, at Hamilton and each of the defendants was required to pay a fine of \$5.00 with the court cost added.

The three men were charged with hunting squirrel out of season. In violation of the game laws, justices of the peace have jurisdiction in all first offence cases, but where there is a second violation, the case goes before the county courts.

Important Meeting of Masons Tuesday Night

There will be a regular communication of Skewarkee Lodge, No. 90, A. F. & A. M., Tuesday night, September 11, at 7:45 o'clock. At this meeting, which is the first to be held in several months, plans will be formulated for the work this fall and winter and other business of importance attended to.

Maker of Famous Dollar Watch Dead

Robert Ingersoll, who was said to have made 80,000,000 dollar watches, died this week in Denver, Colo. He is credited with making more watches than any man in the history of the world and that he gave more watch for the money than ever given before.

SALES CONTINUE TO BE VERY LIGHT ON ALL MARKETS ON ACCOUNT OF THE VERY UNFAVORABLE WEATHER

HUNTING SEASON SAME AS BEFORE

Department Officials and Rescind Order Changing Dates of Seasons

Although new dates for hunting in this State had been announced, it was decided at a meeting of the various game wardens and officials of the Department of Conservation and Development, in Raleigh, Wednesday that the same dates used last year will be used again this year.

Where it was considered unlawful to hunt squirrel before the first of October, the recent decision holds that it will be lawful to shoot squirrels from September 15 to January 15. The open season for rabbits begins November 1 and closes March 1. It will be lawful to hunt deer and bear from October 1 to January 15.

The change back to the old hunting schedule will be well received in this section, no doubt, as there have been one or two violations reported already.

URGES REPIILING MOULDED WEED

Will Cause Thousands of Dollars Damage Unless Action Is Taken

Mr. E. V. Floyd, extension tobacco specialist of State college, and who is carrying on special tobacco demonstrations in this and adjoining counties, is advising farmers to dry out their crop and repile it where it has been affected by a mould as a result of recent wet weather.

This mould, he warned, is likely to cause the loss of thousands of dollars unless active steps are taken to combat it within the next few days.

The mould can be controlled, the specialist said, by the installation of a wood heater, with an upright draft. The pipe should extend well out of a window or other opening to minimize the fire hazard.

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Averages 28 Cents On Local Market Today

Major Gardner, of Williams township, is one of the county's very best tobacco farmers. He always grows good tobacco and invariably gets the best prices. He sold a barn of lugs in Williamston today, weighing 730 pounds and received a check for \$204.60, making a clear check average of a little over 28 cents.

The grades were as follows: 170 pounds at 24c; 90 pounds at 22 cents; 266 pounds at 33 cents; and 204 pounds at 31 cents, bringing a total of \$231.52.

From plant bed to the warehouse floor, Mr. Gardner handles his tobacco with the greatest possible care, and he says that it is the reason he gets good money for his crop.

RECORDER HAD VERY BUSY DAY

Nine Cases Disposed of; Fines Totalling \$145 Collected

Judge J. W. Bailey and Solicitor H. O. Peel had another busy day here last Tuesday in the county's recorder's court. Nine cases were disposed of and fines totalling \$145 were collected, overpaying the expenses of the court for several sessions.

The cases were varied in their nature, not one being of great importance. Liquor cases topped the list. No appeals were made and no cases were continued.

For violating the liquor laws, J. L. Nicholson, C. B. Bell, and E. B. Kugler were fined \$10 each and required to pay the costs. The three defendants plead guilty to illegal possession of liquor, Solicitor Peel accepting the plea.

Facing a charge accusing him of violating the liquor laws, Henry Lawrence's plea admitting the illegal possession of liquor was accepted by the solicitor, and Judge Bailey ordered a fine of \$25 with the costs added.

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LOCAL MARKET'S AVERAGE THURSDAY WAS 15 CENTS

Farmers Advised Not To Sell Much Until Weather Shows Improvement

QUALITY VERY POOR

Several Individuals Make Averages of \$23 and \$24, But They Are Exceptional

Like practically all the other markets in the Eastern North Carolina tobacco belt the Williamston market had comparatively light sales Tuesday, the opening day. The weather was bad, and the farmer's offerings were sold at a decided disadvantage.

Aside from the opening day sales, the average price showed more strength and was recorded at a figure just a fraction under 15 cents, there being 32,604 pounds which sold for \$4,901.07 here yesterday.

Individual averages have been made on local floors as high as \$27 and \$28, but in those cases the customer's tobacco was of a very unusual quality, and would have sold much higher last year, no doubt. It is a season of low prices throughout the belt, many farmers stating that the price is below the cost of production.

The quality of the tobacco offered here up to and including yesterday was very poor, but there were several piles that went as high as 30 and 35 cents, the majority ranging around the 12 and 13 cent price, however.

Farmers generally are at a loss to know what is the best thing to do, and on top of that nobody seems to know which is the best thing to do. It is the opinion of local warehousemen, however, that primings will sell better when there is fair and dry weather.

That being true, it would seem advisable not to sell any more until the weather improves. The warehousemen and buyers urge the grower to work tobacco as dry as possible, and market it under favorable weather conditions rather than run the risk of getting a lower price when the tobacco is in "high order" and subject to damage.

Many of the companies claim that there is no demand for primings, but once the leading manufacturers learn that the present crop has been greatly overestimated as to the poundage it is reasonable to believe that the cigarette types will sell considerably better.

The Williamston market is striving to offer its customers every consideration when tobacco is placed on the floors here, and it is a guarantee backed by every tobacco man and citizen here that the prices will run just as high as they do on any market.

OPEN SCHOOL AT EVERETTS 10TH

Enrollment of About 190 Pupils Expected; Need Eleventh Grade

The Everetts Public School will open Monday morning at 9:30, Principal P. N. Hix announced this morning. The task of preparing buildings and the grounds for another school year is practically completed, and at the opening hour all equipment will be in the best condition possible.

An enrollment of about 190 pupils is expected in the school this year, an increase over the past year's record. The high school ranks will be increased considerably by the incoming grade of twenty-five pupils, making the first year group the largest in high school.

Elijah Manning plead guilty of abandonment and was required to enter into bond in the sum of \$50 for his appearance before the court, the first Tuesday in October, when final judgment in the case will be made.

The heaviest fine imposed was one for \$50 placed on Joe Bland for carrying a concealed weapon. Bland plead guilty of the charge. A six-months road sentence was suspended.

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Another Rise of Roanoke Is Expected at Weldon

According to a weather bureau report a 40-foot rise in Roanoke river is expected at Weldon Sunday. If the forecast proves true, the Roanoke will go as high here as it was during the last rise, according to those familiar with the stream.