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CHEROKEE COUNTY TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION HOLD GOOD MEETING

LARGE NUMBER OF TEACHERS PRESENT—TO HOLD ANOTHER MEETING IN DECEMBER

The first meeting of the newly organized Cherokee County Teachers' Association was held in the school building here last Saturday, November 11th, with a good number of teachers present. Superintendent Charles F. Owen, President of the Association, presided over the meeting and after making a few preliminary remarks, paved the way for the discussion that followed by having Miss Linnie Albright of the local school faculty read Superintendent's Chas. A. Wagner's article in a recent number of the American School Board Journal, entitled "Are the Schools Giving the Children a Square Deal?" After the reading, County Superintendent A. L. Martin, Professors Lovinwood and Evans of Murphy, and other teachers discussed the subject in detail giving it as much local application as possible. Following the discussion, which had to be abandoned on account of lack of time, certain business matters were taken up. The following were named as special delegates to the Teachers' Assembly, which will be held in Raleigh on Thanksgiving Day: Superintendent A. L. Martin, Professor Charles F. Owen and Miss Mary Jo McCombs of Murphy and Professors Nye and Nichols of Andrews.

The Cherokee County Teachers' Association was organized in October and now has a paid-up membership of 41. About thirty-five were at the meeting Saturday. The next meeting will be held on the second Saturday in December, which is December 9th, and it is the hope of the officers that some of the parents can come out to this meeting and hear and help in the discussions. President Owen expressed the desire to see at least 100 teachers present at the next meeting.

FIRST WAR SAVING STAMPS FALL DUE JANUARY 1ST

Government will pay cash or Give new Treasury Certificates.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—War Saving Stamps of the series of 1918 became due and payable on January 1, 1923. The people who bought these stamps will receive their full face value upon redemption and will find that the money they saved five years ago has earned every year four per cent compound interest. In order to afford holders of war savings stamps an opportunity to continue their investment in a safe government security the Treasury department is offering an exchange of War Savings Stamps for Treasury Savings Certificates. The certificates are issued in denominations of \$25, \$100, and \$1,000 maturity value, and sold for \$20.50, \$82, and \$820, respectively. Holders of war savings stamps can get them at these prices upon application through their own banks or postoffices. Exchange will be made as of January 1, 1923, upon applications presented between November 15th 1922, and January 15th, 1923. Immediate payment will be made in cash of any difference due the holder of War Savings Stamps if he takes the largest possible amount of Treasury Savings Certificates on the exchange.

The growing inclination of the people to save and their desire to find a safe reinvestment for their money leads Treasury officials to believe that a large part of the six hundred million dollars in War Savings Stamps soon to become due will be exchanged for Treasury Savings Certificates.

Messrs. G. W. Hall, Oglethorpe, S. H. Parker, Marble; J. R. Hyatt, Culberson; A. E. Sudderth, Peachtree; J. R. Hall, Oglethorpe; J. A. McCurry, Culberson; C. L. Hogsd, Postell; H. L. Kisselburg, Culberson; H. N. Taylor, Letitia; H. A. Jones, Postell; and L. B. Collins, Culberson, have been among the attendants from neighboring communities of court this week.

BEN STARBUCK BREAKS ARM IN AUTO WRECK

Wednesday night about 8:30 o'clock Messrs. Ben Starbuck and Bob Heaton were returning to Murphy and the car which they were driving ran off the embankment at a sharp curve on the Peachtree road about two miles from here. Mr. Starbuck's arm was broken, aside from a few minor bruises. Mr. Heaton was uninjured. The car was badly wrecked.

TO HOLD BOX SUPPER AT BATES CREEK NOV. 18TH

Bates Creek, Nov. 14.—There will be a box supper at Bates Creek Saturday night, November 18th for the benefit of the new church which is being rebuilt at Hangingdog. Everybody is cordially invited to come and buy them.

Mr. Eli Abernathy and family have moved from the L. E. Mauney farm to his own place on the head of Bates Creek.

MEAT AND VEGETABLE COMBINATIONS CANNED BY GIRLS

In order to use materials which grow in their own community, club women and girls in the South have been encouraged to develop unusual packs of meat and vegetable or fish and vegetable combinations, in which they may incorporate home grown garden products according to standard recipes available from the United States Department of Agriculture given to the development of dishes characteristic of certain districts or States and popular locally, which at the same time permit the use of surplus meats and vegetables. By using recipes calling for veal or in which veal could take the place of other meats, surplus dairy calves, too expensive to feed, could be profitably disposed of. The same has been the case with culled chickens and surplus garden vegetables. Some of the canned "one-piece-meals" taught to the club girls by extension agents are "Dixie Burgoo", originating in Kentucky; "Dine Bark Fish Stew," from South Carolina; "Burnswick Stew" coming from Virginia; chicken, crab and shrimp "gumbos" of Louisiana, also "shrimp jambalaya", and several combinations of vegetables with chicken, used in Oklahoma. They are put up where the necessary ingredients can be obtained locally. In many cases the club girls must maintain gardens to grow the vegetables they expect to can.

The home demonstration club of Pinellas county, Fla., recently reported that in one day's "canning bee" the club members had prepared 12 different fish products, not one of which competed with the ordinary canner's output. A South Carolina woman reported that during nine months following the first meat canning demonstration in her district she had put up 1,000 cans of meat and vegetable combinations, and had orders for 1,000 more.

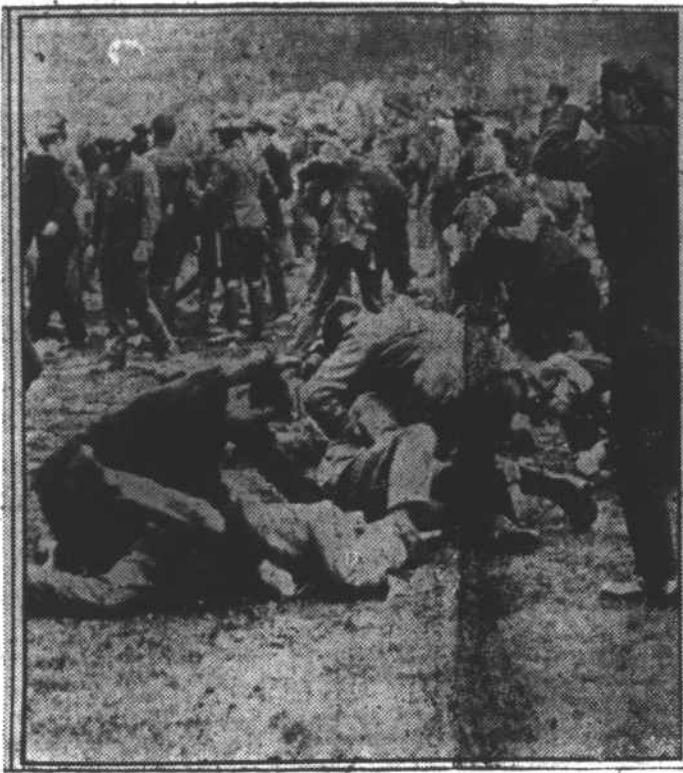
SAMUEL AKE LEASES TILSON SHOE SHOP

Mr. Samuel Ake, of Anniston, Ala. and more recently of Murphy, who has been operating a shoe repairing shop in the rear of Bryson Grocery Store, has leased this Tilson Electric Shoe Shop, and will operate same in connection with his other shop. He states that the trade will be given the same attention and only the best materials and workmanship will be used. A mail order department will be maintained and postage paid on all orders one way.

Mrs. H. J. Tilson, former manager of the shop, is Health Officer for Cherokee county, and it is understood that she is making this change in order to give more attention to the duties of this office.

Mr. Ake is a valuable citizen and comes highly recommended, and the Scout wishes for him much success.

CANNY SCOTS AT THEIR CANNIEST



Students of Glasgow University in a free for all fight on the grounds of the University, when the various Liberal, Unionists and Labor sympathizers met for discussion at the Rectorial election.

BOARD OF CANVASSERS OFFICIALLY SEAT NEW COUNTY OFFICERS

A MERRY EVENING AT HOTEL REGAL

By W. H. Travis
A joyous, polite, dignified occasion at the hotel Friday evening, where wit, refinement and beautiful games and songs prevailed.

Under the leadership of their teachers, class pupils of the Methodist Sunday School froliced the hours away.

It was a scene of gayety and mirth as each of more than sixty pupils did a part to add something to brighten the lives of all.

How well worthwhile it is—the social intercourse creating good fellowship, kindly sentiment and helpful knowledge of each other. The more of this the better for mental and spiritual welfare.

One beautiful thing to remember is the freedom and good will with which members of all churches and the hotel contributed effort and from their refreshment stores.

The Savior of Italy



MILE. DINA BERNALE, a pretty and young fair member of the Italian Fascist. She is very keen to be a perfect soldier, by actually carrying arms, etc., but Mussolini, Premier of Italy prefers to maintain her in her feminine role as the Fascist's Joan of Arc.

FINAL COUNT DOES NOT CHANGE RESULTS PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED—VOTE CLOSE

The Board of Canvassers late Friday afternoon officially declared the successful candidates for the various county offices and the new officers will take their seat the first day of December next. The Board had no easy time as the races were all close, one candidate going in with a majority of only one vote. The official vote follows.

For State Senate	
G. B. Walker	2,169
R. A. Dewar	1,995
For Representative	
J. H. Dillard	2,400
W. A. Greene	1,771
For Recorder	
W. M. Axley	2,076
D. H. Tillett	1,982
For Solicitor	
J. H. McCall	2,335
Ralph Moody	2,334
For Clerk Superior Court	
E. E. Davis	1,887
A. L. Johnson	1,877
For Sheriff	
W. P. Odum	1,993
E. A. Voyles	1,733
For Register of Deeds	
A. M. Simpson	2,012
J. M. Cornwell	1,608
For County Treasurer	
R. H. Hyatt	2,070
R. D. Lovinwood	2,041
For County Surveyor	
W. H. Martin	2,108
Roscoe Wells	1,954
For Coroner	
Dr. S. C. Highway	2,182
For County Commissioners	
S. W. Lovinwood	2,178
Gly Bryant	2,135
T. T. Johnson	2,075
T. J. Bristol	2,150
A. L. Tillett	1,977
B. L. Fox	1,592

SENATORIAL CANVASSING BOARD MEETS IN ANDREWS

The Canvassing Board of the 33rd Senatorial District of North Carolina met in Andrews on November 16th for the purpose of canvassing the votes cast in the last general election for Senator. The following was found to be the number of votes cast for each candidate:

County	Walker	Dewar
Clay	972	941
Cherokee	2089	1995
Macon	2650	2029
Graham	800	910
Swain	1607	1451
	8098	7226

STATE WINS MILLION DOLLAR TAX SUIT AGAINST RAILROADS

ALLEGED ASSAULT CASE COMPROMISED—AND ASHE GETS THIRTY YEARS

John Ashe drew a sentence of 30 years in the State penitentiary Wednesday morning when his attorneys entered a plea of guilty to the indictment charging him with assault upon his little 12 year old daughter on or about August 1st.

When the case was called Tuesday afternoon, Ashe plead "not guilty" to the charge and a jury was selected from a special venire that had been summoned for the trial. Court then took recess until Wednesday morning at which time attorneys entered the guilty plea.

Ashe was indicted for a capital offense.

TO HOLD BOX SUPPER AT HANGINGDOG

There will be a box supper at Hangingdog Thursday night, November 30th, for the benefit of the new church being built there.

Everybody is invited to be present.

YOUNG FOLKS JUDGE THE SANDHILL FAIR

PINEHURST, Nov. 14.—One of the features of the Sandhill Fair held here last week was the state-wide livestock judging contest arranged by M. W. Wall county agent for Moore county and G. W. Picquet, secretary of the fair. Twenty-two teams, 13 from the boy and girl club work and 9 from the vocational schools, took part in the contest. Among the clubs the high team was Lee Williams, Gertrude Williams, and Bertha Williams, all members of the agricultural club work and daughters of the herdsman for Pinehurst farms. This team was unusually well-trained, making a total of 800 points out of 1,200. Randolph county won second place with a team consisting of Hall Free, Robert Fuller and Paul Skeen. Ewing Millsaps won the prize for the county agent bringing to Pinehurst, the highest scoring team outside of Moore county. The team from Jackson Springs in Moore county won third and Vance county tied with Cameron in Moore county for fourth place.

The prize for the individual club member making the highest score went to Gertrude Williams of Pinehurst. Shere Styers of Jackson Springs won second and Lee Williams of Pinehurst won third.

The Sandhill Fair presented a new departure in fairs for the State in that there were no carnival features the whole fair being devoted to sound, wholesome recreation and education. The exhibits were good and represented the whole of Sandhills. The Berkshire hogs and Ayrshire cattle was unusually good, while the exhibit of poultry was larger than usually found at a district fair.

Those members of the agricultural extension forces attending this fair stated that it was one of the best and cleanest at which they had officiated this season.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ISSUE BONDS

Chairman A. Rice and Commissioner T. J. Bristol spent Tuesday here signing and preparing \$58,000 worth of county bonds. These are the four and one-fourth per cent bonds sold some weeks ago by the county for the purpose of building the new jail, heating the court house, etc.

FLEMMING ROBERSON

On October 29th Miss Delma Robinson became the bride of Ben Fleming at the home of the bride's mother in the presence of a few friends. Those present were Rev. and Mrs. Gay Bryant, "Schooner" Flemming and Mr. and Mrs. John Gilbert. Rev. Bryant performed the ceremony.

WHEN PATRONIZING OUR ADVERTISERS MENTION THE SCOUT

PROTESTED TAXES MUST BE PAID—CASES LIKELY TO BE CARRIED TO HIGHEST COURT OF LAND.

RALEIGH, Nov. 14.—Through its State Revenue Department the State of North Carolina has won the big suit in the U. S. court in which the railroads sought to delay and wholly avoid, in part, the taxes due the state. Judge Connor has just filed his decision in Raleigh covering the case.

The opinion holds that the five pay \$146,000, annually in contested railroads operating in the State must income taxes levied by the state.

Millions Involved
Original suits brought by the Southern Railway, the Atlantic Coast Line, the Seaboard Air Line, and the Atlantic and Yadkin in October 1921, involved more than a million dollars in contested taxes, over and above the amount agreed by the railroads to be just. A three-judge court composed of Judge Edmund Waddill of the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals, Judge Henry G. Connor of the Eastern District of North Carolina, and Judge James K. Boyd of the Western North Carolina Districts refused last March to grant the railroads an interlocutory injunction restraining Commissioner of Revenue A. D. Watts and other State and local officers from collecting \$775,578 in ad valorem taxes due the counties franchise taxes due the state. A stay of proceedings, however, was granted in June, pending an appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States, where the cases have been set for argument on November 18.

The opinion proper of the court is contained in one paragraph, the remainder of the decree being devoted to a presentation of the contentions and the law bearing on the subject. After setting these forth, Judge Connor says:

"It is adjudged and decreed that the plaintiff is not entitled to have the defendants enjoined and restrained from the performance of duties imposed upon them by the statutes of North Carolina relative to assessing, levying, and collecting income taxes against the plaintiffs; that the bill is dismissed and the plaintiff be taxed with the costs, to be taxed by the clerk."

By agreement of counsel the necessity of a three-judge court was eliminated in the income tax cases and the cases were heard by Judge Connor on the final hearing. It is considered certain that an appeal will be taken directly to the Supreme Court of the United States by the railroads, and the question of granting a stay in collection of taxes pending that appeal will probably be the next question to come before the court.

EIGHTH POULTRY SHOW TO BE HELD IN GREENSBORO

EXPECTED TO BE EQUAL TO ANY EVER HELD IN SOUTH—MANY PREMIUMS OFFERED.

GREENSBORO, Nov. 15.—The Eighth Official State Poultry Show of North Carolina will be held in Greensboro December 13 to 16th, jointly by the North Carolina Poultry Association and the Central Carolina Poultry Association. This show promises to be the largest and best ever held in the state. No doubt breeders of thoroughbred poultry will be pleased to know that the show of 1922 is to be held in the central part of the State. Greensboro offers one of the best show rooms to be found and no community has ever shown more whole-hearted support than the business men and the civic organizations of Greensboro. Nothing will be lacking in the way of facilities for making this one of the most successful poultry show ever held in the South. Breeders of both exhibition and utility classes of poultry will come in for a share of the large offering of cash prizes and the attractive array of specials and loving cups. Exhibitors should write to C. A. Williams, Secretary, Greensboro, N. C., for a copy of the attractive program list now ready for mailing. Entries close Thursday, December 7th.