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HERTFORD COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEET.

The Board of County Commis-
sioners of Hertford County met on
the 4th day of January 1915, pres-
ent S. P. Winborne, C. E. Boyette,
H. H. Jones, J. N. Holloman, J. A.
Powell and E. J. Gerock.

Proceedings of last meeting read
and approved.

The following committees are
continued until next meeting of
the board, to wit:

Committee on Murfreesboro
Bridge.

Committee on building tenant
house at county home.

Committee on Hoggard Swamp
bridge and causeway.

Committee on repairing bridges
in St. Johns township.

Committee on wiring court house
for electric lights.

Committee on Barners Bridge
road.

Committee on checking up office
of Clerk Superior court.

Committee on building house
over engine and pump at jail.

Committee to look after Anna
Newsome.

On motion, it is ordered that the
Superintendent of county home
take Simon Debro to the home.

It is ordered that J. A. Powell
and H. H. Jones appointed a com-
mittee to see Dr. Thomas concern-
ing his log landing and make ar-
rangements to rent same for pre-
sent year and the committee is
given authority to subrent to other
parties.

On motion it is ordered that C.
B. Godwin in St. Johns Township
and D. N. Johnson, Harrellsville
Township be allowed to pay only
single taxes.

It is ordered that J. S. Law-
rence be given permission to list
for 1914 with the Register of
Deeds.

Jno. C. Taylor appeared before
the board and requested the
amount charged against Buck
Horn special school district for
commissions on taxes etc., be re-
funded to said district; the matter
deferred until next meeting of the
board.

The coroner elect, Dr. C. F.
Griffin tendered his bond, which
was unanimously approved and
accepted.

On motion it is ordered that the
Superintendent Health be given
authority to buy sufficient amount
of sulphur to disinfect all school
houses.

It is moved and carried that D.
B. McGlohon and H. H. Jones be
given authority to purchase a suit-
able desk and filing cabinet for the
office of Clerk Superior Court.

The report of Superintendent
Health received and filed.

Report of Clerk Superior Court
for fines and forfeitures etc., re-
ceived and recorded.

The following jurors drawn for
February term of court, to wit:

Hugh Lee, Wm. J. Fergerson,
Henry T. Edwards, R. O. Whitley,
W. B. Hedgketh, Auley K. Bryan,
Langley Liverman, C. T.
Griffith, B. B. Winborne Jr., W.
S. Nelson, M. E. Worrell, Jas. I.
Griffin, J. H. Warren, H. B. Vann,
T. L. Holloman, Jack Browne, M.
R. Herring, O. R. Outland, J. M.
Blow, W. H. Britton, R. G. Har-
rell, Jno. H. Harrell, M. E. Rid-
dick, J. J. Futrell, Jas. Liverman,
J. A. Slade, Hunter Holloman,
J. R. Lassiter, W. B. Gillam, J.
T. Williams, G. B. Overton, G.
T. Brinkley, A. G. Bazomere, J.
A. Williams, J. S. Leary, Solon
Jernigan.

The following amounts reported
turned over to the treasurer by
the several tax collectors:

W. J. Hill, Manays Neck
township.....\$ 607.00

J. J. Parker, Murfrees-
boro township.....1,000.00

W. L. Matthews, Wint-
on township..... 420.48

M. R. Sumner, St. Johns
township..... 651.00

B. N. Sykes, Harrellsville
township December..... 209.37

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Philathea Class Business Meeting.

The Philathea Class held its reg-
ular business meeting with Mrs.
M. D. Curtis Monday afternoon,
January 11th., 1915, with fourteen
members present. After scripture
reading by the president Mrs. R.
L. Phelps we were led in prayer
by Mrs. C. G. Powell.

The following committees were
appointed:

Volunteer:—Misses Dorris Jen-
kins, Venie Howard and Mrs. L.
I. Jernigan.

Memberships:—Mrs. C. G. Pow-
ell, Miss Lillian Boyette and Mrs.
S. E. Dilday.

Relief:—Miss Margaret Sessoms,
Mrs. Z. V. Bellamy and Miss
Minnie Sessoms.

Social:—Mrs. M. D. Curtis,
Misses Sarah Brett and Bettie Ses-
soms.

Nominating:—Mrs. C. G. Pow-
ell, Miss Nannie Newsome and
Mrs. S. E. Dilday.

The President then told the
duties of each committee and ur-
ged them to carry them out.

Miss Gertrude Modlin and Mrs.
Claude Greene were appointed as
assistant teachers.

It was decided to have a class
reorganization on third Sunday
in this month and all members are
specially urged to be present and
enlist on the new roll and see if
we can't do better work this year.

It was also decided to have two
rools, the active and inactive or
honorary.

The class voted to meet next
Monday night, January 18th., at
the church for the purpose of
practicing some songs.

After singing a hymn we were
dismissed.

The hostess served light refre-
shments to the guests.

The class will meet with Miss
Venie Howard on Monday after-
noon after the second Sunday in
February.—Reported.

How We Get The News.

The other day a perfectly nice
lady called us up and with tears
in her voice reproved us for not
mentioning the fact that she had
had a friend visiting her last week.

We told her that she had not let
us know anything about it and
therefore we did not know that she
had a visitor. Then she said,
"Well, you should have known.
I thought you were running a
newspaper." Wouldn't that rattle
your spines? Some people think
that an editor ought to be a cross
between Argus and Anna Eva
Fay. They seem to think that our
five senses are augmented by a
sixth that lets us know everything
that happens, even if we see,
hear, feel, taste or smell not.

Dear lady, editors are only human,
or at least almost human. If you
have a friend visiting you, if you
are going away, or have returned
from a visit out of town, if John-
nie falls and breaks his arm, if
your husband chops his toe instead
of a stick of wood, if anything
happens that makes you glad, or
sad, happy or mad, call us up.
Tell us about it. That's the way
to get it in the way.—Wadesboro
Assonian.

The Letter "E"

Some one has advanced the opin-
ion that the letter "e" is the most
unfortunate letter in the English
alphabet, because it is always out
of cash, forever in debt, never out
of danger and in hell all the time.
For some reason, he overlooked
the fortunate of the letter, as we
call his attention to the fact that
"e" is never in war and always in
peace. It is the beginning of ex-
istence, the commencement of ease
and the end of trouble. Without
it there would be no meat, no life
and no heaven. It is the center
of honesty, makes love perfect and
without it there would be no edi-
tors, devils or news.—Fourth
estate.

Warranty Deeds for sale at the
Herald office 25c. the dozen

WHOLESALE ROBBERY

Thieves Enter Store of Garrett &
Baker and Make Large Haul
of Dry Goods, Clothing
and Groceries

**ZEB HARRELL, COLLORED SHOT BY
ONE OF HIS GANG.**

One of the most daring robber-
ies committed in Hertford County
was that of last Saturday night
when three colored men entered
the store of Garrett & Baker,
Ahoskie. They made their en-
trance through a rear window
when a freight train was passing
through town. After they had
ransacked the store and helped
themselves to goods of every de-
scription and were in the act of
leaving with their booty, they
were taken by surprise when Eric
Garrett and Pembroke Baker came
down stairs from a room formerly
used for a bed room, and called to
them to halt, using a flash light
in their faces. It was then a scuf-
fle ensued and Zeb Harrell was
shot through the shoulder. Har-
rell afterwards stated that he
thought the shot was fired from a
revolver in the hands of Kelly
Vaughan, a leader of the gang.

After things had quieted down,
Vaughan having gone to his home,
it was thought that there was
another negro hiding in the store
and a search began. Low and be-
hold Possum Wynn, an old time
offender, was discovered hiding
behind an iron safe in the front
of the store.

Ross Holloman was also upstairs
with the young white men but be-
ing unarmed he did not come
down until things had quieted
down.

Sheriff Garrett and constable
Gerock were notified and were on
the ground in short order. Dr.
Walker was also sent for to look
after the wounded negro, whom it
is thought will recover.

A number of warrants were
issued and before sun up a dray
of the firm was pressed into ser-
vice hauling stolen goods back to
the store.

All day Sunday a crowd of on-
lookers was gathered around the
store eager to see the thieves and
learn the developments.

Six to Jail.

Up to Sunday night six had
been given a hearing and bound
over to Superior Court. They are
Zeb Harrell, Kelly Vaughan,
Possum Wynn, Geo. Harrell,
Henry Lewis and Russell
Vaughan.

No one knows but the rogues
themselves how long this has been
going on or the amount of goods
stolen from the firm.

Archibo Clarence Overton.

Many hearts were made sad on
Wednesday January 6th, when it
became known that Archibo Clar-
ence the 6 year old son of Mr. and
Mrs. A. C. Overton of Ahoskie,
was dead. His remains were taken
to the family burying ground at
the home of Mr. G. C. Overton.

After the funeral services were
conducted by Rev. C. L. Dowell,
he was laid to rest by his little sis-
ter Blanche, who died about 3 or
4 years ago. The writer knew
Clarence to be a bright and prom-
ising child, ever obedient and
loving to his parents, and to his
little sister and brother he was
devoted. It is hard to understand
why God took this precious bud,
and oh! it was so hard for the
broken hearted parents to give
him up, but God knows best, so he
took Clarence to be with him. So
grieve not fond parents for Clar-
ence is at rest.

"Not now but in the coming
years,
It may be in a better land,
We'll read the meaning of those
tears,
And there; yes there, We'll under-
stand."

A friend.

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Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor
ringing in head. Remember the full name and
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The Round Dozen Club.

The Round Dozen Club was en-
tertained by Mrs. J. W. Godwin
Friday on night January 8th.

The guests were ushered in by
Miss Ida Henry.

After a short business session in
which the books were exchanged,
dues collected a progressive game
engaged in, consisting of four
tables, at the first table the couple
who wrapped and tied the nearest
box was progressed, the second
table held a call bell and the guests
had to be blind folded and strike
the bell with a cane. The couples
at the third table had to guess the
contents of some boxes which had
been securely wrapped and tied,
and at the fourth table boxes had
to be shaped.

Then each gentleman had to
draw a route card and his partner,
together they had to follow direc-
tions of their route, and just as
each thought they had found the
object of search they found another
card directing them to another
place, after much fun and scram-
bling around each couple found a
little red box in which was a dain-
ty lunch which they were request-
ed to eat.

The guests spent a most enjoy-
able evening—music was rendered
by Miss Della Dowell and Mrs. J.
N. Vann.

Miss Janey Cherry invited the
club to meet with her next time,
January 22nd.

Those present were: Misses
Blanche Gerock, Della Dowell,
Ida Henry, Mrs. O. C. Kennely,
Messrs D. P. Boyette, L. T. Wil-
liams, J. H. Roberson, S. J.
Leary, Dr. L. K. Walker Mr. and
Mrs. W. L. Curtis, Mr. and Mrs.
J. N. Vann and Mr. and Mrs. M.
D. Curtis.

Reported.

Cotton Pool a Disaster.

Fort Worth, Tex., January 13.—
Peter Radford, National Lecturer
of the Farmers' Union, when asked
by a representative of the press
today if the farmers of the South
would apply for loans under the
terms of the \$135,000,000 cotton
pool, said:

"I do not know of a banker in
Texas or elsewhere who is willing
to lend money to the farmers at
six per cent under the provisions
of the pool and I do not think
many farmers would care to qual-
ify for a loan. It is to be regretted
that the officers of that movement
are not frank enough to admit
that the failure of the pool is due
to inherent defects of the plan. It
has not only failed completely, but
it has indirectly cost the Southern
cotton producers millions of dol-
lars. I think it can be truthfully
said that had the plan never been
suggested, several millions of dol-
lars would have been loaned
against cotton in the South by
many banks who subscribed to the
fund in good faith, and naturally,
with such a pledge becoming a
liability they might be called upon
to assume, they did not give con-
siderations to making direct loans
as the Southern banker has always
done, and as a result the pool cut
off the local money supply and
forced the cotton on the market.
I have no doubt the promoters
acted in good faith, but the move-
ment has been a serious disaster to
the South."

JURY DRAWN.

At the regular meeting of the
County Commissioners held the
first Monday in January the jury
for the February term of Superior
Court was drawn. The list ap-
pears under the heading of County
Commissioners Meeting.

CALENDARS RECEIVED.

We acknowledge receipt of cal-
endars from the following firms,
Farmers-Atlantic Bank, Bank of
Ahoskie, E. J. Gerock, of Ahos-
kie, Holloman Bros., Rich Square,
Grimes-Roberson Co., and Bank
of Robersonville, Robersonville,
N. C., accept thanks.

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Co., J. P. Taylor & Co., and Imperial
Company have buyers on this market.

Grimes-Roberson Co.
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tinuation of mutual prosperity.
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which you must have to be comfortable, as the season ad-
vances your needs must be supplied and we are in a position
to furnish the most of them, at interesting prices, so don't
fail to give us a call. This month makes ten years which
we have been in business, and we are proud to think we en-
joy the confidence of all with whom we have dealt.
Thanking you for your good will and patronage.
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