

Report of the Condition of

BANK OF AHOSKIE

AHOSKIE, N. C.

At the close of business December 27, 1916.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$177,009.12
Overdrafts secured, \$562.11;	
unsecured, \$270.47	832.58
North Carolina State Bonds	1,000.00
Premium on Bonds	20.00
Banking Houses, \$1,861.75; Fur-	
niture and Fixtures, \$2,066.56	3,928.31
All other real estate owned	167.50
Due from National Banks	30,559.96
Due from State Bank and Bankers	66,956.77
Cash Items	537.98
Gold Coin	537.00
Silver coin, including all minor	
coin currency	400.17
National bank notes and other	
U. S. Notes	10,436.03
Total	\$292,385.39

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$ 19,650.00
Surplus fund	19,650.00
Undivided profits, less current	
expenses and taxes paid	4,891.75
Deposits subject to check	130,059.55
Time Certificates of Deposit	63,762.58
Savings Deposits	16,944.11
Cashier's Checks outstanding	5,489.40
Certified Checks	6.00
Due to State Banks, Bankers and	
Trust Companies	31,932.00
Total	\$292,385.39

State of North Carolina—County of Hertford,
December 27, 1916.

I, W. L. CURTIS, Cashier of the above-named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
W. L. CURTIS, Cashier.

CORRECT—ATTEST:
E. J. GEROCK,
C. C. HOGGARD,
ERNEST HAYES,
DIRECTORS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 10th day of January, 1917.
J. A. COPELAND, Notary Public.

THE WEEKS DOINGS AROUND AHOSKIE

Whooping cough is still raging around town.

Mr. A. S. Mitchell, of Winton, was in Ahoskie Monday.

Mr. C. W. Carter, of Winton, was a visitor in Ahoskie Tuesday.

Mr. Clarence Blount spent Wednesday evening in Rocky Mount on business.

Mr. Howard Basnight has returned to Randolph-Macon Academy to resume his studies.

Attorney W. R. Johnson, and James Vinson were in Winton Monday and Wednesday on legal business.

The Tongue and Needle Club will meet with Miss Crews, at the home of Mrs. S. H. Leary, Thursday afternoon, January 18.

Mr. W. J. Hill, of Como, was a visitor to Ahoskie Tuesday. He paid the HERALD office a very pleasant call while in town.

Mr. J. P. Boyette, who has been confined to his room for several days with a cold, is again able to be at his place of business.

Mrs. M. D. Curtis and children, who have been visiting relatives here for the past two weeks, returned to their home in Washington, Tuesday.

Miss Annie Britton, who has been the guests of relatives in Ahoskie for several days, returned to her home in Cofield one day this week.

Miss Lila Hancock, of Scotland Neck, returned to her home Saturday. After having been the guest of Mrs. J. N. Vann for several days.

Miss Mae Zaise, who was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. House, last week, left Sunday afternoon for Rocky Mount, where she will spend some time with friends and relatives.

The Betterment Association will meet next Wednesday afternoon, January 17, at 3 o'clock, in the High School building. The President especially urges all members to attend this meeting.

Walter Jr., the little son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Curtis, has been suffering several days with the swelling of the glands. His condition has been serious for several days, but he is slightly improved at present.

A representative of the Radcliffe Chatauqua, with headquarters in Washington, D. C., has been in Ahoskie for the past few days endeavoring to book a three Chatauqua for this town.

Mr. S. Watson left the latter part of last week for Greenville, Tenn., where he will buy tobacco during the present season. Mr. Watson was one of the proprietors of the New Planters Ware house in Ahoskie during the past season.

The people of this town and community, on arising from their slumbers this morning, were greeted with a heavy snowfall. When we began writing this little notice the snow was still falling, and, yet before we conclude the snow falleth no more.

The attention of our readers is called to the condition of the banks in Hertford County. There is not one but what evidences wonderful growth, even since the last report, which was the best in the history of Hertford County's banks.

We are ready to take your order, large or small, for job work. Brand new equipment just installed affords us every opportunity by which to do your work with despatch. Our work in workmanship and quality, speaks for itself. If our prices are not right, then you can't get the right price. Send in your order NOW.

Notice of business Change

I, E. Brett, having sold one-half interest of my stock of goods at Mapleton, N. C., to Mr. J. E. Blades, the business will be conducted from now on, in the firm name of Brett and Blades. I am thankful to all my old customers for their patronage and earnestly solicit their future patronage, and that of the public generally.
E. Brett.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine. It stops the Cough and Headache and works the Cold. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 2c.

Teachers Meeting.

The teachers of Ahoskie and Winton Townships will meet at Holly Springs on Saturday, January 13, at eleven o'clock. Arithmetic is the subject for special study. Every teacher is asked to be prepared to enter into the discussion.

Observing week of Prayer.

The Womens' Missionary Society, of the Ahoskie Baptist Church, are observing this week as Week of Prayer. Special services, conducted by the Sunbeams, were held last Sunday afternoon. The service on Wednesday was conducted by the Young Women's Auxiliary.

The services were concluded Friday afternoon at the regular monthly meeting of the Missionary Society.

Wreck on Coast Line.

Eight freight cars and an Atlantic Coast Line engine were derailed last Sunday morning near Eure. Traffic was suspended on this division for several hours, the morning "Mail Train" arriving in Ahoskie just a few minutes after the afternoon train. No injuries were sustained on account of the wreck.

Several from Ahoskie went down to the scene of the wreck on the afternoon train Sunday, and returned on the night train. All passenger trains exchanged baggage, mail and express at the scene of the wreck, not being able to pass the scene of the wreck until Monday.

Legal Blanks at a Sacrifice

Owing to the lack of sufficient accommodations, the management of the HERALD will offer for sale at greatly reduced prices if bought in a lump, the following blanks: Deeds of Trust, Warranty Deeds, Chattel Mortgage and Agricultural Lien Bonds, combined, Transcript of Judgement, Magistrate's Judgements, Commitment of Defendant.

The legal blanks above listed are the only forms that can be bought at this office, and we are going to close out these in the next thirty days. If you are in need of any of these blanks, now is the time to get them at sacrificing prices.

Absolutely no printed legal blanks carried in stock here after thirty days from this date. Get yours NOW!

Stockholders Meetings

The Stockholders of both the Farmers-Atlantic Bank and the Bank of Ahoskie are holding their regular Annual Meeting this Morning (Thursday). They met this morning at ten o'clock. This paper expects to carry a complete report of the meetings of both these banks in its next week's issue.

The two local banks have enjoyed the best year since their establishment, and we call your attention to their statements as printed in today's paper. The Farmers-Atlantic Bank recently purchased the Mitchell lots, two doors from the Coast Line Railroad, and it is generally understood that they will construct a modern bank building as soon as weather conditions will permit. At their meeting to day, they are expected to decide on the size of the new building. The Stockholders of the Bank of Ahoskie are also expecting to erect a new bank building on their present site before a new meeting comes.

We rejoice with the stockholders and patrons of both banking institutions at their rapid and substantial development.

Notice of Sale.

By virtue of the power and authority given by a certain mortgage, executed by Luther Harrell to J. R. Garrett which is recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for the County of Hertford in book 87, page 571, the following property will be sold at Public Auction, viz:

Adjoining the lands of Kindred Hollomon old place on the East and North, on the West by the Henry Modlin heirs, on the South by the land of Andrew Harrell Alice Slaughter, and known as the Louter Harrell house place.
Place of Sale: In front of Court House, Winton.
Time of Sale: Feb. 5th 1917.
Terms of Sale: Cash.
January 3rd, 1917.
J. R. Garrett, Mortgagee

New Advertisements This week.

Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Association—Northampton Branch at Rich Square.

Garrett and Jernigan—Special Cost-Price Sale on men's and women's shoes.

J. P. Boyette—A House full of Fancy and Staple Groceries.

Gerock's, the Busy Store—Reduction Sale now going on.

W. P. Sumner—Announcing cut prices on all fall and winter goods, in order to make room for new goods.

J. R. Garrett—Two notices of sale of real estate, under mortgage.

R. C. Bridger, Attorney—Notice Sale of Land under Mortgage.

B. L. Sharp, Harrellville—Notice Sale of Land under Mortgage.

E. Britt, Mapleton—Announce the new firm of Britt and Blades, successors to E. Britt.

Report of the Condition of Farmers-Atlantic Bank

Ahoskie, N. C.
At the close of business Dec. 27th, 1916.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	105,852.14
Overdrafts unsecured	329.98
Overdrafts secured	None
All other stocks, bonds and mortgages	100.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,104.52
All other real estate owned	3,637.37
Due from National Banks	23,027.45
Due from state banks and bankers	31,569.11
Cash Items	109.45
Gold Coin	310.00
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency	534.33
National bank notes and other U. S. notes	5,224.00
Total	\$172,798.35

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	12,000.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	4,101.37
Deposits subject to check	103,857.56
Time Certificates of Deposit	37,291.77
Saving Deposits	10,622.62
Cashier's Checks outstanding	576.70
Certified Checks	951.40
Due to State Banks, bankers and trust Co.'s	3,892.93
Total	\$172,798.35

State of North Carolina, County of Hertford, as:

I, D. P. Boyette, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

D. P. BOYETTE, Cashier.
Correct—Attest:
W. W. Rogers,
L. T. Sumner,
T. M. Forbes,
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9 day of Jan. 1916.
F. G. TAYLOR, Notary Public.
My Commission Expires May 31, 1917.

Notice of Sale.

By virtue and authority given by a certain mortgage, executed by Charles Ashe to J. R. Garrett which is recorded in the office of Register of deeds for the County of Hertford, in book 37, page 570, the following property will be sold at public Auction, viz:

Beginning at corner of Rhea and Main Streets, thence westerly along Main St. twenty-five yards, to corner of M. C. Newsome's lot, thence northerly along said Newsome's line fifty yards to Charles Ashe's lot, thence easterly along said Ashe's line twenty five yards to Rhea Street, thence southerly along Rhea Street fifty yards to first Station and known as the place where Charles Ashe and wife now live.

Place of Sale: In front of Court House, Winton.

Time of Sale: February 15th 1917.

Terms of Sale: Cash.
January 3, 1917.
J. R. Garrett, Mortgagee

NOTICE!

I will, on the 19th day of January, 1917, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the residence of the late W. D. Newsome the following articles of personal property, to-wit: one peanut picker, one 5 H. P. steam engine, one 16 H. P. steam engine, log wagon, farm wagon, carts and double horse cultivator, and other farming implements, and hogs.

This 28th day of December, 1916
J. E. Hall.

Found a Sure Thing
I. B. Wilson, Farmers Mills, N. Y., has used Chamberlain's Tablets for years for disorders of the stomach and liver and says, Chamberlain's Tablets are the best I have ever used. Obtainable everywhere.

REDUCTION SALE

On Ladies' Suits, Skirts, Cloaks and Childrens Cloaks.

I have a few Suits, Cloaks and Skirts left that I shall close out at Cost. They are all new and up to date styles and good quality.

They must be sold during January and if you want the pick of the lot you had better make your selection today.

They Are Real Bargains.

Gerock's
THE BUSY STORE
AHOSKIE-N.C.

Shoes Must Go

For a few days only, we are offering Men's and Women's Shoes at greatly reduced prices.

Every one must go at **Cost Prices** to make room for new stock.

Walk in and Look Over the Display Show Case.

Ladies' Shoes 75c; Men's Shoes \$1.98.

Make your cents worth dollars by buying from

Garrett & Jernigan
Ahoskie, N. C.

YOUR 1917 GROCERIES

are right here in this store and await your inspection and purchase.

We are headquarters in Ahoskie for the best there is to be had in the line of fancy, as well as heavy groceries.

Everything purchased is absolutely sanitary.

For the best in grocery line come to

PURE FOOD STORE
W. H. BENTHALL, PROP.
AHOSKIE, - - - N. C.

Notice of Sale.

By virtue of the power and authority conferred by a certain Mortgage Deed, executed by D. L. Jones and wife and J. H. Watson and wife on the 18th of February, 1911, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Hertford County, N. C., in book 37, page 312, I will, on the 15th day of February, 1917, sell at auction for cash, at the Courthouse door, between the hours of 10. A. M. and 2 P. M. o'clock, the McLaughan tract of land, bounded by the Brooks-Eure's landing, public road, the lands of James

Cotton and Son, B. B. Robertson, H. M. Jones, H. H. Jones, and others; and containing 58 acres, more or less.
This 9th day of January, 1917.
B. L. Sharp, Mortgagee.
H. C. Sharp, Agent

No. 666

This is a prescription prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS & FEVER. Five or six doses will break any case, and if taken then as a tonic the Fever will not return. It acts on the liver, stomach and does not grip or sicken. 2c.

Please Careful in 6 to 14 Days
Your druggist will refund money if PAIN EXISTING fails to cure any case of Malaria, Chills, Headache or Fevering. (Dose 1 to 6 Doses). The first application gives relief and heat. 2c.

U. Vaughan's
"The Quality Store"
MURFREESBORO, N. C.

Unusual Values.

For 30 days we are offering all Ladies' Coat Suits and Ladies' Coats at

Great Reductions

It will be to your interest to take advantage of this opportunity.

We Guarantee Satisfaction.

U. VAUGHAN
Murfreesboro, N. C.