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## MEETING OF HERTFORD COMMISSIONERS

The Board of County Commissioners met on the 1st day of October, 1917, all members of the Board being present.

Proceedings of last meeting were read and approved.

The committee appointed on the boundary line of the County Court house property was continued; committee on placing pump in jail well is still continued.

H. H. Jones is appointed a committee to secure coal for the use of County.

On motion the County Attorney is instructed to investigate the taxes due from real estate and rental agencies in the County.

On motion W. D. Boone and H. H. Jones are instructed and given authority to receive the bonds of W. L. Matthews and W. J. Hill when necessary changes are made and they are presented.

The following tax collectors presented their bonds for collection of 1917 taxes which were unanimously accepted by the board, to-wit: B. N. Sykes, Harrellsville; S. E. Vaughan, Ahoskie, and M. R. Sumner, St. Johns Township.

On motion the Board orders the Tax Collectors to deposit what fund they have on hand every Monday with the Treasurer, the Bank of Winton.

Dr. J. A. Powell is given authority to repair the ferry house at Boone Harrell ferry.

On motion it is ordered by the Board that the sum of \$209 will be paid to J. S. Mitchell toward repairing the dam at his mill in Harrellsville township; this amount to be paid upon completion of work and the acceptance by J. A. Powell, commissioner.

The County Attorney advises the Board that the A. S. Nav. Co. declines to rent the Harrellsville wharf property after Nov. 1st, for \$14 per month and the attorney is instructed to follow up the matter of collection of the \$75.05 already due.

It appearing to the Board that the law regulating the commissions on tax collectors does not go into effect before Oct. 1st, 1918, the Board therefore rescinds its action making the commissions 3 per cent passed at its last session.

The Board decides to allow the Sheriff \$5.00 for holding July term of Court, 1917.

It coming to the Board that the physical examination of all prisoners must be made before admittance to the County jail, it is moved and carried that the County physician be allowed for each of these examinations the sum of \$3.

On motion Thenie Brown is allowed \$20 per month for keeping Parker's ferry.

H. H. Jones and J. A. Northcott are instructed to settle with O. H. Britton for building Hill's bridge.

H. H. Jones, Commissioner, is instructed and given authority to provide necessary equipment for the office of County Demonstrator.

The Supt. of Health made his regular monthly report to the Board.

The Finance Committee submitted report of all finances of the County and settlement was made with the out-going Treasurer, all funds being turned over to the Bank of Winton who is now the County Treasurer.

Road Supervisors of Harrellsville Ahoskie and Winton townships made reports requested by the Board.

The following account against the County presented and ordered paid: J. M. Forbes, work on bridge, \$19.85; C. W. Howard, bringing prisoners to jail, 1.80; John Sumner, repairing four bridges, 22.40; M. S. Sumner bringing prisoners to jail, .90; J. E. Jones, board prisoners, 34.45; E. W. Gaither, Demonstration work for Sept., 8.33; J. A. Northcott, computing tax list, etc., 600.00; Herring & Vann, printing for C. S. C., 4.25; Citowan & Rosnoke, Tel. Co. phone for County Home, 16.00.

## MENOLA NEWS

Our school is moving along nicely under the present management. A Literary Society would be of great benefit, and we understand that one will soon be organized.

Quite a number of our people attended the Chautauqua at Woodland last week. \$155.00 was realized for the Woodland school.

Mr. Stanley Brown has returned from Norfolk and is recuperating from the effects of an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Eley went to Norfolk on Monday to see "Ben Hur" at the Colonial. They were accompanied by Misses Lois Reid and Pauline Eley of Union.

The Menola women have recently become active in the Red Cross work. Last week they made comfort bags and sent to Winton for the Hertford County boys who were soon to leave for the training camps.

Little Louise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Snipes, has been very sick, but is much better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown, of George, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Maggie Brown.

Mrs. Holden and Miss Janie Brown, of Rich Square, met with the Menola bunch of the Red Cross on Tuesday afternoon and took supper in the home of Mrs. Harvey Brown.

Mrs. Harvey Snipes has been on the sick list, but is able to be out again.

Mrs. Laura Parker is spending some time with her son, Dr. C. G. Parker at Woodland.

Miss Pauline Eley spent the week end with her parents here. She was accompanied by Miss Lois Reid. In her home on Saturday evening she entertained Misses Estelle Beale and Ruth Brown, and Messrs. Jake Brown, Harvey Vinson and Henry Brown.

Mr. Oscar Snipes says he is to build a barn for himself, but it is whispered around that it will be plastered and painted and have several rooms, porches, etc. In fact, we are expecting to see something very much like a modern dwelling when finished.

C. & R. Tel. Co., phone for Courthouse, 30.00

J. E. Matthews, supplies to County Home, 16.28

Dodge Co., disinfecting candles, 9.00

E. R. Squibbs Co., antitoxin, 32.44

Mrs. M. M. Brown, sewing for County Home, 4.10

Walter Copeland, work at County Home, 11.60

M. M. Brown, keeping County Home, 3rd quarter, 68.75

Thenie Brown, keeping Parker's ferry, 3rd qr., 48.00

Dink Jones, keeping Hill's ferry 3rd qr., 69.00

Matthew Wilson, keeping Tar Landing ferry Sept., 22.50

Jack Collins, keeping B. H. ferry Sept., 22.50

G. W. Bryant, work on flat and bridge, 7.15

W. J. Dunn, supplies to Co. Home, 3.87

Paul Boyette, keeping M'boro bridge 3rd qr., 7.50

Junius Bell, work on bridge, 2.62

Daniel DeLoatch, work on bridge, 2.62

A. E. Garrett, holding Court, July, and subpoena jurors, 15.80

Matthew Wilson, building kitchen, ferry house, 5.00

H. H. Taylor, lumber, etc., 15.64

W. M. Marsh, supplies to Mary Lassiter, 3.00

J. C. Benthall, supplies to Carter children, 1.50

J. C. Benthall, supplies to Minton, 3.00

H. H. Taylor, supplies to Mrs Hill, 5.00

C. E. Boyette, supplies to Mary Vaughan, 2.00

H. V. Parker, supplies to Jno Griffin, 2.00

Judie White, support for Oct. Pauline Lassiter, support for October, 3.00

Adament Joyner, sup. for Oc. Starke Hare, supplies to Annie Burch, 2.50

No further business appearing before the Board, it adjourned to meet again on the first Monday in November, 1917.

S. P. Winborne, Chairman.

Jno. A. Northcott, Clerk.

## AHOSKIE POSTOFFICE ACCOUNTING OFFICE

The local postoffice has been designated Central Accounting Office of Hertford County, in accordance with a recent ruling of Postmaster General Burleson. Under the provisions of this latest innovation postmaster Sumner of the Ahoskie office will serve as accountant for the other offices in the County. This means that all other offices of the County will be under supervision of this office as regards responsibility of accounts. This office is in turn responsible for the accounts of other offices, direct to the Department at Washington.

The Ahoskie postoffice will furnish stamps, stamped stationery, and other supplies to the other offices in the County. In other words this will be Distributing as well as Accounting office for Hertford County.

One effect of this order will be an added duty for the Ahoskie postmaster, at the same time without receiving any extra compensation. The order is general and applies to all counties in the Nation alike. In the larger counties two or more offices are made to act as Central Accounting Office instead of only one as in this County. The appointment of postmasters is not affected by this ruling. Appointment of postmasters will be governed by another recent ruling of "Boss" Burleson.

The following offices are now accountable to the Ahoskie postoffice: Winton, Murfreesboro, Harrellville, Como, Cofield, Tunis, and Earleys.

## REWARDS PAID FOR CAPTURE OF SLACKERS

The following telegram of instructions has been sent to the District Exemption Boards, governing the capture of those who have failed to appear before the local exemption boards:

"Number 8215. A reward of fifty dollars is payable for the delivery at the nearest army camp or post of a deserter. This reward is in full satisfaction of all expenses incurred in said delivery. A person who fails to report to his Local Board for military service at the time specified in his order to report is a deserter. A person who fails to report for military service to the Adjutant General of the State by the date specified in the order of the Adjutant General to said person is a deserter. It is highly desirable from every standpoint that an effort now be made to round up all persons who are delinquent in reporting for military service. It is thought, that if the reward is given the widest publicity, we shall have a great force of police officers and even of individuals interested in bringing such delinquents under military control. If, after such persons have been brought to a military authority, it appears to the military authority that their delinquency is not willful, they will be forwarded to a mobilization camp, and their Local Board will be given credit. If it appears that the delinquency was willful, they will be prosecuted before court martial as deserters. In either case the reward is payable.

Crowder."

## Services at Baptist Church.

Rev. James Long, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Laurinburg will preach at the Ahoskie Baptist Church, Sunday morning, at 11 o'clock. All members of this church are urgently requested to attend; and visitors are extended a cordial invitation to attend.

Rev. C. L. Dowell, the present pastor, resigned several weeks ago, in order to allow the church to secure a pastor for whole time. Rev. Long is coming here Sunday upon the invitation of the local Pulpit Committee.

Send your job printing to the Herald, Ahoskie, N. C.

## WINTON WAVELETTES

The Chautauqua has come and gone. Every attraction was thoroughly enjoyed. Large crowds attended each performance. Special mention should be made of the helpful and uplifting addresses of Mrs. Helen Paulson and Dr. Alfred Huthchins, the platform manager. If we would only abide by what told us we would make better citizens and have a much better town or community. The Chautauqua was also a financial success. After paying all expenses thirty dollars was in the Treasury. The Chautauqua will come to Winton again next October.

The following paragraph copied from a letter written by a soldier boy who is "Somewhere in France," shows the true spirit of our boys who are over there: "Life over here sometimes grows monotonous; drilling eight hours a day, especially, when you have to carry the O. D. (olive drab) baby on your back, which consists of a blanket, poncho, shelter-bay, and other things too numerous to mention. I am enjoying it, though. After all, we haven't much room to complain, when we think what we are over here for, and what the French have suffered for the last three years. A man has only one time to die and, if he must die, it is as easy to die here as anywhere else. Don't you think that I am intending to die over here: that hasn't entered my mind. I am coming back."

At the regular communication of the Winton Lodge of the A. F. & A. M. on Thursday evening, October 4, the officers for the ensuing year were installed. After the installation service, ice cream and cake was served to the Masons and their families.

Revival services are being conducted in the Methodist Church this week. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Wright, is assisted by Rev. Asa Parker.

Several members of the Bed Cross met at the Courthouse Friday morning and accompanied the nine boys who were in this call to Ahoskie. A nice lunch was given each boy. W. L. Daniel was the only one to go from Winton.

Quite a number of people from here will go to Norfolk this week to see the play, Ben Hur.

Mrs. J. W. Boone and Miss Emily Clark left Tuesday morning for Kingston to attend the State meeting of the U. D. C.

Mrs. Emma Perry who has been visiting Mrs. D. R. McGlohon left for Norfolk Monday.

Misses Ina Mitchell and Helene Northcott, J. R. and W. Mills Jordan spent Sunday in Norfolk.

Prof. N. W. Britton was in Raleigh a few days last week on educational business.

E. M. Turner, who is a radio operator in the U. S. service, located at Ft. Oglethorpe, is spending a ten days furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Turner.

Mrs. Carrie Owen and daughter, Elva Owen, have returned from a visit to relatives in Powellsville.

Miss Jessie Piland, who is teaching school in Kelford, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Piland.

Mrs. R. C. Bridger left Tuesday for a visit to Kinston, New Bern, and other places, to be gone two weeks.

Rev. J. N. Bynum left Thursday, October 4, for his new home in Southport. Mr. Bynum's going away is regretted by many friends.

Mrs. C. F. Mitchell, who has been in the State Sanatorium for the past five months, will return home Friday. We are glad to state that Mrs. Mitchell has improved very much.

## Despondency

When you feel discouraged and despondent do not give up but take a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets and you are almost certain to feel alright within a day or two. Despondency is very often due to indigestion and biliousness, for which these tablets are especially valuable. Obtainable everywhere.

## IN MEMORY OF BRO. C. L. MCGLAUGHAN

A consistent member of Holly Springs Baptist Church; son of W. D. McGlaughan and Olivia McGlaughan; was born August 21, 1895. At an early age he professed faith in Christ and connected himself with Holly Springs Church, and he had consecrated his young life for the good of his church and for the upbuilding of God's kingdom. Even in boyhood he was made clerk of his church which office he held until God sent his Death Angel to take him home.

Bro. McGlaughan leaves a father, and several brothers and sisters, all of whom are prominent in society and church work, to moan their loss.

In the early part of this year Brother McGlaughan located in Norfolk, Va., and made many friends among his associates. Early in August of this year he was stricken with typhoid fever. All was done that could be done by physicians and friends in an effort to save this young and useful life, but God in his infinite wisdom saw fit to take him to himself, and on the 22nd. day of August he breathed his last farewell to the world.

"Blessed are the dead in the Lord. Yea saith the spirit; they shall rest from their labors and their works do follow them. There is rest beyond the grave. If our earthly house of this tabernacle were dissolved we have a building of God, an house not made with hands, eternal in the Heavens."

Why do we moan departed friends or shake when death alarms? 'Tis but the voice that Jesus sends to call them to his arms.

Now, therefore, be it resolved:

1. That we tender our deepest love and sympathy to the bereaved family and his beloved church, which he delighted so greatly in its service;

2. That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Hertford County Herald for publication, and a copy be sent to the bereaved family, and also a copy be spread upon our church record as a memorial to the deceased brother.

Committee:

J. R. Wilder

H. A. Piland

J. W. Perry

Dennie Eure.

C. R. Baker Married

The following news item appeared in last Sunday's issue of the Daily News, Greensboro, N. C.:

A marriage that will come as a surprise to their many friends was solemnized at the bride's home yesterday at noon, when Miss Mary Thomas became the bride of Charles Paker, of Richmond, Va. The bride is the daughter of Mr. C. E. Thomas and has a wide circle of friends. The bridegroom was originally of Reidsville. He is a well known tobacco salesman.

Miss Thomas wore a traveling suit of blue, with accessories to match. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Carl Craig, of Reidsville. The bridal music was furnished by Miss Pearl Rainey.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Baker last on train no. 36 for a bridal tour to northern cities. They will return to Richmond to make their home.

For a Muddy Complexion

Take Chamberlain's Tablets and adopt a diet of vegetable and cereals. Take outdoor exercise daily and your complexion will be greatly improved within a few months. Try it. Obtainable everywhere. Adv

## For Sale

Duroc Jersey pigs from registered stock. B. G. Williams, Cofield, N. C. t 11-4

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's. The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chilli Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

## EVERYBODY GET READY FOR THE GREAT CHOWAN FAIR

AT EDENTON, N. C., OCTOBER 23RD TO 26TH, 1917

Over \$4000.00 given away in premiums and prizes.

The management is doing everything to make this Fair the greatest fair ever held in this part of the State. Premiums have been increased in most all the Departments, especially in the Poultry and Agricultural Departments. Look the Premium List over and Everybody bring something to the FAIR.

Some of the Premiums offered in the Agricultural Department are:

For the best agricultural exhibit by any farmer of products grown on his or her farm or farms; First Prize, \$10.00, Second Prize \$5.00;

For the best agricultural exhibit from any School District, First Prize \$20.00, Second Prize \$10.00;

For the best County exhibit from Chowan, Bertie, Gates, Pasquotank Perquimans, First Prize \$30.00, Second Prize \$25 Third Prize \$20.00, Fourth Prize \$15.00, Fifth Prize \$15.00.

Benson and Berger Shows with their 10 carload outfit to be here. Special attention has been paid to getting some of the very best attractions for the Free Acts, and have secured for our Free Attractions Darling's Comedy Circus, consisting of 5 people, 1 Bucking Mule Act, 3 Trained Ponies, and 15 Trained Dogs. Also we will have "Minnie Meier" Champion Lady High Diver and some first class Acrobats and Trapeze performers.

Four Acts each day in front of the Grandstand by these high class performers. Something to please everybody and nothing to offend anyone.

Have also engaged an up-to-date, 12-piece Italian Band. Tuesday, October 23rd will be School Day; reduced rates for all school children from Chowan and adjoining Counties. Rates will be published later, but the rates will positively be much lower than the usual rate.

Exhibits of Agricultural Implements are earnestly solicited. Space free of charge.

Good horse racing each and every day. Some of the best horses from Virginia and North Carolina and other states are expected to be here Fair Week and the fastest and best racing ever seen on this track will be pulled off.

Let everybody come to the FAIR this year and make it the BIGGEST THING Chowan County has ever had.

F. W. HOBBS, Secretary.

## Three Pianos FREE!

Yes Positively FREE to Promote Agriculture.

Three persons entering the best specimen of Corn or Peanuts will win a nice Upright Piano in good condition, without further obligation. Conditions: One Piano for the best nine ears of corn, each ear separately wrapped with lint. One Piano for the best wrapped package. One Piano for the best nine pounds of peanuts. Members of Minton family cannot enter. Contestants can compete for one or more prizes with the understanding no entries can be returned. Contest closes December 1st, 1917. Entries must be sent charges fully prepaid to

SUSIE I. MINTON  
of Aulander, N. C.

## MRS. PHILIPS TAKES IRON IF BLOOD IS BAD

Suffered Two Years With Pellegra Couldn't Walk About the House Iron Built Her up

## TELLS WHAT KIND OF IRON TO TAKE

Everyone's energy, vitality and general good health depends so much upon the condition of their blood, and the normal functioning of the vital organs of the stomach, kidneys, liver and bowels the slightest irregularity should be corrected immediately.

Anyone troubled with their blood, for instance, is sure to sooner or later experience uric acid pains, weak, lame back, lost strength; nervousness; headaches; dizzy spells, or some other kindred symptoms, and iron has become so well known as the one best remedy everybody should use it. The question is, in what form? Iron is put up by the chemist in pills, liquid solutions, and mixed with all kinds of elements, including in some cases altogether too much alcohol for the good of the system.

The cheapest, strongest, most efficient remedy is plain, natural iron, highly concentrated, and bottled just as nature intended it to be taken. It is called Acid Iron Mineral, is sold by druggists in fifty-cent and dollar bottles. It goes from two to six times as far. It will help the digestion, stomach, kidney and blood. If the bowels are inactive a good liver pill like the A-I-M Pill at 25c. for a generous size box is recommended. People with normal bowels should

not use iron formed in combination with laxatives. Altogether too many remedies contain purgatives.

To indicate how quickly Acid Iron Mineral will cleanse the blood and tone up the general system and renew the wasted energy the statement of Mrs. N. E. Phillips of Kershaw, S. C. is quoted below:

"I began to be troubled with my bowels, stomach and blood a little over two years ago. It finally turned into pellegra and at the end of that two years suffering I couldn't even walk about the house. Mrs. Ella Hunter suggested I take Acid Iron Mineral and after taking it six weeks and using but four small bottles, I am up and about my work and gaining in strength every day. It has done me more good than anything I have ever tried and am glad indeed to recommend it to anyone who needs a good tonic or for pellegra or stomach trouble.

A teaspoonful of Acid Iron Mineral in a glass of drinking water after meals makes an unusual, powerful, economical and delightfully invigorating tonic, appetizer, blood and kidney remedy.

A large bottle if druggists hasn't it sent prepaid on receipt of price by the Ferrudine Chemical Corp., Roanoke, Va.

For sale by Z. V. Bellamy, Ahoskie, N. C. Adv.

## Taken Up.

One dark red cow, mark crop over right ear, half moon over crop Owner can get same by paying for upkeep and costs of advertisement. A. E. Cowan, Ahoskie, N. C., R. 1.

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