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County Commissioners

Taxes Levied, 84 Cents on Property, \$2.00 on Poll—Taxes in Special School Tax Districts—J. H. Tarpley Re-Elected Supt. of County Home—Bridge Over Staggs Creek Contracted For—Other Business Attended to.

The Board of County Commissioners met Monday in regular monthly meeting with the following members present: Geo. T. Williamson, Chairman, T. B. Barker, E. L. Dailey, J. E. Stroud and W. H. Turrentine, and the following business was transacted:

T. C. Johnston was refunded \$6.10 Graded School tax in Mebane Graded School for three years, erroneously listed and paid, amount to be charged to said school.

The special election held in certain territory in Melville and Haw River townships to vote upon the question of levying a special tax in the territory described in the order, and the returns showing that it was held in accordance with said order and that there were twenty-one registered voters in said territory and that twenty votes were cast for said tax and none against, it was ordered that said election be declared carried in favor of said special tax.

W. I. Braxton was granted free license to peddle medicines, etc., in Alamance county on account of infirmities.

C. L. Clapp of Graham township was allowed to list his tax for 1911.

W. B. L. Harrison was allowed to list his tax in Faucette township for the year 1911.

Walter Holt Garrison was allowed to list his tax in Faucette township for the year 1911.

A. T. Blalock was relieved of poll tax for the year 1910, being 50 years old at time he listed.

Upon complaint of J. P. and R. S. Shoffner, Sallie Coble and Zeb. Isley claiming damages to their lands by reason of opening a public road from Gaston Albright's to widow Mary Shoffner's. It was ordered that three disinterested free holders be summoned by the Sheriff of Alamance county, who shall give said land owners forty eight hours notice of the time and place where the jury will meet to assess the damages; said jury to be sworn and to make report as required by section 12, chapter 881, Laws 1899.

W. A. Dean was allowed to peddle in Alamance county free of license tax on account of disabilities.

The report of Dr. Geo. W. Long, Supt. of Health, was received and filed.

H. S. Dickey was authorized to furnish Rachel Allen in provisions to the amount of \$1.00 per month for one month.

J. R. Browning was refunded tax on \$700.00 for year 1910, an over-charge by listaker.

J. Q. Gant made complaint as to the valuation of his property in Burlington and asked a reduction of two thousand dollars. Reduction refused.

The petition for a public road in Coble's township beginning at a point near Grover C. Shoffner's to the Fayetteville road, ordered advertised and to be heard at next meeting of this board.

Lawrence Tickle is allowed to change the road on his land in accordance with the diagram presented to this board.

Ordered that the board borrow twelve hundred dollars from Sarah E. Dailey to meet necessary expenses.

J. H. Tarpley was elected Supt. of the County Home for a term of two years beginning Oct. 1st, 1911, at a salary of thirty dollars per month.

R. L. Holt was instructed to work the public road from the Dickey place to the Sutton place and present a bill for same.

H. C. Foster, Jr., of Burlington township, was relieved of \$750 solvent credits, erroneously listed.

R. N. Cook was allowed until the first Monday in September to make his settlement of the 1910 taxes with the board.

The contract for a steel bridge across Staggs creek, between Mebane and Cross Roads church, was given the O-we-go Bridge Co. at the price of \$720. The bridge to be complete and ready for travel. The county to build the substructure.

The graded school taxes were levied as follows:

That the license tax under schedules "B." & "C." to be the same for the county of Alamance as for the State, where not otherwise specified.

Taxes were levied as follows:

State and School Taxes.

Twenty-one cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of real

and personal property for the general State tax.

Four cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of real and personal property for State pension tax.

Twenty cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of real and personal property for a State school tax.

General County Tax.

Eighteen and one-third cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of real and personal property for the purpose of a general county tax.

County Road Tax.

Sixteen and two-thirds cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of real and personal property for the purpose of a county road tax.

County Debt Tax.

Four cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of real and personal property for the purpose of a county debt tax.

Poll Tax.

Two dollars on each taxable poll—one and 3-100 dollars of which is levied by the State and the sum of fifty-six cents is levied by the Board of County Commissioners, the proceeds of which are to be devoted to the purpose of education and the support of the poor as prescribed by law. The same shall be divided as follows: Pension, 12 cents; school, \$1.50; county, 38 cents.

License and Privilege Taxes.

License and Privilege taxes mentioned under Schedule "B" and "C" of the Revenue Act of 1911, to be the same for the County as for State purposes, where not otherwise specified.

Graded School Taxes.

The tax levy for the several Graded Schools for Alamance County on the one hundred dollars valuation of property and polls be as follows, viz:

Sylvan, 30 cts. property, 90 cts. poll.

Friendship, 30 cts. property, 90 cts. poll.

Hawfields, 33 1/2 cts. property, \$1.00 poll.

Aycock, 20 cts. property, 60 cts. poll.

Spring, 30 cts. property, 90 cts. poll.

Green, 25 cts. property, 75 cts. poll.

Mebane, 30 cts. property, 90 cts. poll.

Oakdale, 25 cts. property, 75 cts. poll.

Gibsonville, 30 cts. property, 90 cts. poll.

Maywood, 15 cts. property, 45 cts. poll.

Elon College, 30 cts. property, 90 cts. poll.

Saxapahaw, 15 cts. property, 45 cts. poll.

Shallowford, 15 cts. property, 45 cts. poll.

Elderment, 20 cts. property, 60 cts. poll.

Fairground, 30 cts. property, 90 cts. poll.

McCray, 30 cts. property, 90 cts. poll.

Glennhope, 30 cts. property, 90 cts. poll.

Elmira, 20 cts. property, 60 cts. poll.

Ossipee, 10 cts. property, 30 cts. poll.

Altamahaw, 10 cts. property, 30 cts. poll.

Bellefont, 20 cts. property, 60 cts. poll.

Woodlawn, 30 cts. property, 90 cts. poll.

Deafness Cannot be Cured by local applications, as they do not reach the diseased part of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by a diseased condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running ear and if it is not cured it will result in deafness. It is entirely curable if the inflammation can be taken out and the tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be restored forever, nine cases out of ten are cured by our method, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surface.

We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Sold by Druggists.

J. F. GIBNEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, The Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

L. M. Sandlin, of Wilmington, was convicted Tuesday, Aug. 1st, of the murder of his wife June 27. He shot her and then tried to kill himself.

\$100—Dr. E. Detchman's Anti Diuretic may be worth to you more than \$100 if you have a child who soils bedding from incontinence of water during sleep. Cures old and young alike. It arrests the trouble at once. \$1. Sold by Graham Drug Co.

J. L. Randleman and J. W. Neave have been appointed receivers for the Spencer Water Co., a private corporation chartered to furnish water to Spencer.

The Opal.

The superstition against the opal began with the stonecutters, each of whom would anxiously ask every other if he had had any luck in his cutting; for the opal contains 13 per cent water and is exceedingly brittle and therefore difficult to cut successfully.

Foley Kidney Pills will check the progress of your kidney and bladder trouble and heal by removing the cause. Try them. Sold by all druggists.

It is almost the worst thing for constipated men. Many of the "just-as-good" preparations contain as much as 20% of alcohol. Scott's Emulsion is not a drop. Insist on having Scott's Emulsion FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS

Alamance County S. S. Association.

Meets With Fairview Church, Between Ossipee and Altamahaw, Aug. 26 and 27.

Program.

Saturday Morning, 10:30 o'clock. Devotional Song and Prayer Service, E. O. Durant.

Welcome and Response, Rev. G. L. Curry, W. N. Taylor.

Business:

1. Enroll Delegates.

2. Appoint Committees.

1. On Nominations.

2. On Time and Place of next Meeting.

3. On Resolutions and Recommendations.

Conference First. Soul Winning For Christ.

1. Christ in Every Lesson, S. L. Morgan.

2. Personal Appeals to Every Student, G. E. Platt.

3. The Whole School Brought to Christ, Lonnie Foust.

4. General Discussion.

Recess for Dinner.

Saturday Afternoon, 2:00 o'clock. Song Service.

Reports of County Officers: President, Secretary and Treasurer.

Reports of Department Secretaries: Cradle Roll, Home Department, Teacher Training, Prof. J. B. Robertson.

Organized Classes, L. W. Holt.

F. B. R. A., A. C. Hall.

Reports of Committees (Written.)

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On Time and Place of Next Meeting.

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Conference First. Soul Winning For Christ.

1. Little Children, Rev. J. A. Burgess.

2. Boys, Rev. J. D. Williams.

3. Girls, Miss Sallie Summers.

4. Men, Rev. D. McIver.

5. Women, Miss Eula Dixon.

Recess for Supper.

Saturday Evening, 8:00 o'clock. Song and Prayer Service.

6. Teaching Knowledge and Love of Bible, Dr. E. C. Murray.

7. Teaching Love and Loyalty to the Church, Rev. J. D. Andrew.

8. General Discussion.

Announcement and Adjournment.

Sunday Morning, 10:30 o'clock. Devotional and Song Service, Rev. J. A. Ledbetter.

Conference Third. Soul Training for Service.

1. In Private and Public Prayer, G. E. Platt.

2. In Christian Liberty, Dr. W. T. Whitsett.

3. In Church Work and Worship, Rev. G. W. Holmes.

4. In Community Work, Prof. W. A. Harper.

5. In Temperance Work, E. S. W. Dameron.

6. In Missions—Home and Foreign, E. O. Durant.

7. General Discussion.

Recess for Dinner.

Sunday Afternoon, 2:00 o'clock. Song Service.

Financial Business. Pledges from Individuals, Schools and Townships.

Conference Fourth. Co-operative Agencies.

1. The Parent, Rev. P. H. Fleming.

2. The Pastor, Rev. J. W. Holt.

3. Church Officers, W. E. Sharp.

4. Church Members, J. H. Vernon.

5. General Discussion.

Farwell Words.

Song, Prayer and Benediction.

For free entertainment, address W. N. Taylor, Altamahaw.

ARNOLD'S BALSAM

Warranted to CURE Cholera Morbus by Graham Drug Co. Graham, N. C.

CALAMITY.

Constipation's calamities and who would have been happy? But, in truth, calamity leaves fully half of your life untouched.—Charles Duxton.

Loss of Time Means Loss of Pay

Kidney trouble and the ill it breeds means lost time and lost pay to many a working man. M. Baker, 1914 Little Paines, St. Streator, Ill., was so bad from kidney and bladder trouble that he could not work, but he says: "I took Foley Kidney Pills for only a short time and got entirely well and was soon able to go back to work, and am feeling well and healthier than before." Foley Kidney Pills are tonic in action, quick in results—a good friend to the working man or woman who suffers from kidney-ills. Sold by all Druggists.

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Crop Conditions Irregular.

Information gathered by the State Department of Agriculture indicates that crops in North Carolina this season are exceptionally irregular, making it next to impossible to form any accurate estimate of the probable yield.

Droughts that were pretty nearly State-wide one while seriously affected cotton, corn and tobacco, but for two or three weeks now, the season has been good in many sections and there has been great development. The most distressing news comes from the Charlotte section as to the drought's effects on the crops. Hereabouts there have been a number of fine rains lately and these have brought out the crops greatly.

At the Department of Agriculture it is believed that there will be an average yield of cotton with killing frosts held to anything like late fall. The prospects some weeks ago were for at least 25 per cent increase in the corn yield. Now droughts in several sections have cut down the status of the crop so that if there is a normal yield harvested it will be due to greatly increased acreage, as the indications are for reduced acre yields on account of the dry weather.

The most discouraging reports are as to the tobacco crop. Late and very irregular stands "queered" the prospects to start with, and the droughts have stunted the crop in the field in many sections. Added to this, there have been hail storms in several sections that have greatly injured the growing plants. There are many sections, however, that have fine crop prospects, and taken the State over, the farmers are in fine spirits with prospects for at least a normally prosperous year.

No Feeling Against the Judge on Account of His Brother.

Thomasville Division.

Mr. B. W. Parham is telling a noteworthy one on Judge Frank Daniels, brother the editor of the News and Observer. Shortly after Mr. Daniels' election to the bench he was riding on the day-coach of a Southern passenger train with Mrs. Daniels, who asked him to go back to the dining car for a lemon for her. But when the judge reached the end of the train he found, not the diner, but Vice-President Andrews' private car. The negro porter lounging in the door recognized the judge and asked him if he could be of service. His honor told him what he desired and the porter courteously volunteered to get some lemons from Col. Andrews' private stock, which he did. But when the judge ran his hand into his pocket the negro smilingly protested: "Dat's all right, judge. Ne' mine 'bout payin' fer 'em. Us is glad to 'commodate you. Co'se us don't get 'long very well wid yo' brother, sometimes, but us don't extend our feelin's to you. No, suh!"

Definitions of Man.

Man has been defined by Aristotle as "a reasoning animal," by Plato as "a political animal," by Dante as "a ridiculous animal," by Varchi and by John Fiske as "an improvable animal." Boerhaave calls man "mud worked up by the hand of God."

Do not allow your kidney and bladder trouble to develop beyond the reach of medicine. Take Foley Kidney Pills. They give quick results and stop irregularities with surprising promptness. Sold by all Druggists.

Lincoln Beachy, an aviator, flew from New York to Philadelphia Saturday, about 95 miles, in two hours and 23-5 seconds, winning a prize of \$5,000.

Deborah Was a Fighter.

Deborah Sampson was a young woman of Plymouth, Mass., who served with distinction during the Revolutionary war. She enlisted at the age of eighteen under the name of Robert Shurtcliffe. The military records show that the young private had a splendid war record. No hardship of battle was too trying for Deborah. The soon won the confidence of the officers, and was not infrequently called upon to perform the most dangerous enterprises. She was twice wounded. Toward the end of the war her sex was discovered, and she was given a honorable discharge from service. Later she received a pension and a grant of land.

Get Hint Courage.

The peculiar virtue of cat mint, one of the ten varieties of mint, is probably unknown to town bred folk. "The root, when chewed," says Miss F. A. Barwell in "The Herb Garden," "is said to make the most gentle persinative and carminative, and a legend is extant of a certain hangman who could never sever up his courage to the point of hanging till he had partaken of it."

Admiral Togo, of Japan, hero of the war between Japan and Russia, is visiting this country and is the official guest of the government in being wined and dined in Washington.

Foley's ORINO LAXATIVE

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS

A TROUBLESOME FEE.

It brought the Financial Genius of the Firm into Play.

A little cash in hand is sometimes worth a good deal in the future. A legal firm, says a writer in the Galveston News, proved the maxim in rather an amusing manner. The firm was composed of three young fellows who had come from small towns and by hard work had gone through the law school. Their first case of any real account was looking after the interests of a man named Davis, who, when his affairs were settled, made over a steamboat to his legal advisers as a fee.

It was not much of a steamboat, but as the firm decided, any kind of steamboat was better than no fee at all. On investigation it was found necessary to make repairs on the boat, which aggregated somewhat over \$70, and to pay a watchman \$25 a month to look after it.

The boat would not run, even after the repairs, and after the one short trip that was made other repairs became necessary. No customer could be found. Apparently no one wanted a steamboat.

Then one day McKetrick, one of the members of the firm, came in. He did not look happy.

"Boat's broken again," he said. "Something or other blow off."

"Let's sell it," said one partner.

"Give it away," said the other.

"No," said McKetrick. "I can trade it for a horse."

The others rose excitedly.

"Do it quick!" they said in unison.

"Not much of a horse," said McKetrick. "It's a Texas pony."

"That doesn't matter," said the others. "You can sell him."

When McKetrick came back he was radiant. He danced about in joy.

"I did it!" he said. "All by myself too! I traded with the fellow for his pony. Then I went uptown and sold the pony for \$15."

"Give me my five," said Barker.

"Me, too," said the other partner.

"Good for you!"

"Well," said McKetrick, "I had to take his note for ninety days, but he's good."

"That's all right, old man," said Barker.

"Nobody but you could have done it," said Hughes. "Why, if we'd kept that boat another month we'd have been in the poorhouse, all of us!"

"I might discount the note," said McKetrick thoughtfully. "I know a fellow that might give me \$10 for it."

"Go ahead, Jim," said the partner.

"You're done so well so far that you might as well finish the whole transaction."

Reconciliation That Failed.

James VI. of Scotland—afterward James I. of England—in 1587, being much perturbed by the constant quarrels among his nobles, determined to end all disputes by a summary process of reconciliation. Accordingly, having assembled the nobles on Sunday, May 14, at Holyrood, in the lodging of Sir James Maitland of Thirlstane, he drank to them and caused them all to shake hands. On the following day, after banqueting them in Holyrood, he caused the earls of Angus, Montrose, Mar and Glencairn, also the master of Glamis and many others—all deadly enemies to one another, to march hand in hand two abreast from the abbey to Holyrood along the Canongate and High street of Edinburgh to the town cross, where the provost and bailies had a table spread with wines and sweetmeats. Here the company once more drank to their eternal amity and separated. But a few weeks later they were lying in wait, as of old, to kill one another.

Eating When Tired.

Every one should know that to eat when tired is to place upon the digestive organs a burden which they are wholly unable to bear. When the body is in a state of fatigue the digestive organs are unable to perform their natural functions. The glands of the stomach will not form gastric juice, the saliva is deficient in quantity and the whole digestive apparatus is incapable of doing efficient work. When exhausted one should rest before eating. If a faint or sinking sensation is experienced relief may be obtained by drinking a glass of hot water or diluted fruit juice of some kind.

Wonderful Fireworks.

A manufacturer of pyrotechnics in Nagasaki, Japan, makes a rocket from which, when it explodes in the air, there flies away a large bird which resembles a homing bird in its movements. It is said that the secret of this wonderful production has been in the possession of the oldest child of the family for more than 400 years.

A Ballot Averted a Revolution.

When Bonaparte visited the Duke d'Anguena to death all Paris felt, so much horror at the event that the throne of the tyrant trembled under him, the Duke d'Anguena wrote a counter revolution was expected and would not probably have taken place had not Bonaparte ordered a new ballot to be brought out with the utmost speed at the opera. The subject he pitched upon was "Orestes, or the Bard." It is still recollecting in Paris as perhaps the grandest spectacle that had ever been exhibited there. The consequence was that the murder of the Duke d'Anguena was totally forgotten and nothing but the new ballot was talked of.

An ordinary case of diarrhoea, as a rule, is cured by a single dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. This remedy has no superior for bowel complaints. For sale by all dealers.

Attack Like Tigers.

In fighting to keep the blood pure the white corpuscles attack disease germs like tigers. But often germs multiply so fast the little fighters are overcome. Then sepsis, pneumonia, cholera, diphtheria and other diseases multiply and strength and appetite fail. This condition demands Electric Bitters to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to expel poisons from the blood. "They are the best purifier," writes C. T. Budahn, of Tracy, Calif., "I have ever found." They make rich, red blood, strong nerves and build up your health. Try them. 60c at Graham Drug Co.

After sleeping almost continuously for 105 days, Miss Hazel Schmidt, the 18-year-old girl, of Vandalia, Ill., whose strange case has puzzled physicians for weeks, was awake for five hours Sunday, a week, and ate three meals. She said