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WASHINGTON, N. C., SEPT. 15

LET THE NEWS FOLLOW.

Letting the news follow should not fall to let the news follow them daily with the news of Washington fresh and crisp. It will prove a valuable companion, reading to you like a letter from home.

MUST BE SIGNED. All articles sent to The News for publication must be signed by the writer, otherwise they will not be published.

THE FARMERS' MEETING.

Beaufort county farmers were on yesterday given an opportunity of hearing suggestions on farm culture and stock raising. The meeting proved to them of untold value.

Experts from the United States Department of Agriculture were present, at the instance of Congressman Small, for the purpose of engaging in a heart to heart talk on the great and vital theme of agriculture.

They came thoroughly conversant with their subject and gave their knowledge to our people freely and voluntarily, and that they made good in their suggestions, goes without saying. Such important questions as drainage, soil fertility, the proper crops for our people, stock raising, and other things were brought to the attention of the people, that was instructive and educative. No occasion in Washington in recent years was so well attended. It showed that the farmers of the county realize in order to be abreast of the times and on to everything that makes farming successful and profitable they must be informed, and there was no better avenue for this accomplishment than this farmer's meeting.

The farmers of the county owe Congressman Small a debt of gratitude for his efforts in their behalf. He was the instrument through which this meeting was made possible and its success is due to him more than to anyone else. He is doing a great work for the farmer.

It was a revelation yesterday to visit the courthouse and see this fine body of men listening to the wholesome words of advice given. They were there with one incentive, the learning of new and more advanced methods toward bettering the soil and the improvement of stock. The farmers are the backbone of our country; the backbone, the sinew, the hope. The News believes a new day is fast dawning and that our farmers will go forward in the future at a pace little dreamed of by the most sanguine.

A GREAT VICTORY.

As surmised in the Daily News some time ago, the citizens of Washington yesterday gave notice to the outside world their determination to keep up the pace of development and progress.

The voters rallied to the polls and cast sufficient votes to enable the city to spend \$25,000 on improving the streets. This amount of money will provide improved thoroughfares at least five miles, and possibly more.

The victory yesterday for streets is a long step toward greater things, broader things, and places the city fully abreast with her neighbors. To have lost the election would have meant more to the city than some imagine. It would have advertised us abroad as being a community unprogressive and backward.

There were some citizens that opposed the measure, they had good grounds, no doubt, for their opposition, but the majority of the people said by their votes, that Washington must have paved streets. This being so, it is now the duty of all to take the expression yesterday as final and bow to the will of the majority. The News believes that when those who were lukewarm see the new streets Washington is to have, they will be among the first to come out and say the election of yesterday was right and proper.

Yesterday was a great day for Washington, for a great victory was won—a victory that gives her an opportunity to push toward a higher mark in the scale of progress.

Now for the streets. The Raleigh milk commission has taken a lively hand in the work of eliminating the great stink, and is having very good success.

Farmers' Meeting Yesterday

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the soil should be exhaustive, humus waster, nitrogen waster. Feeding crop should also be exhaustive. This manurial crop is enriching. This is, or rather should be, a humus maker, a nitrogen gatherer. There should in addition be a cleansing crop, a weed destroyer. Last, but not least, you should cultivate cover crops, they are soil savers, humus makers and nitrogen makers.

The time of sowing red and crimson clover should be between September 15 and October 15. The vetch and bur clover can be sown at the same time.

Dr. Cooper Currier, of the Bureau of Animal Industry, United States Department of Agriculture, next addressed the farmers on the important subject of stock raising and how to find a suitable market for them.

The principal theme, and the advice given was good and timely, and if followed by the farmers and stock raisers in this eastern section of the State, will work greatly to their advantage and betterment. He referred to the stock law territory. He said that about three-fifths of the State of North Carolina had a stock law. A greater portion of this territory was under stock law prior to the year 1906. Mr. Currier at this point exhibited a map of North Carolina, showing the line of demarcation drawn across the State to evaluate that great pest to stock raisers, the cattle tick. Any farmer interested, and The News thinks all should be, can secure a copy of this map by writing the North Carolina Department of Agriculture, Raleigh, N. C. After securing one it should be carefully perused and studied. We should weigh the situation carefully and then ask ourselves the question, which side are we on. The free range is certainly conducive to disease and its spread. The stock law has clearly demonstrated the fact a prevention of this spread.

Mr. J. O. Wright, Supervising Drainage Engineer, of the United States Department of Agriculture, was presented. His subject was Drainage. Drainage is a problem that is agitating the entire section of Eastern Carolina, and the speaker's remarks were to the point and contained much practical and valuable information. He is no stranger to our people. He has been here before on several occasions and it is always interesting and with pleasure that our people hear him. He is thoroughly conversant with his theme. He referred to the meeting held here three years ago to create a sentiment among the tillers of soil for proper drainage, also to formulate a law for the relief of the farmers in this eastern section. The time will never come, said Mr. Wright, when all the people will agree upon every public improvement. He made special reference to the present drainage law and then explained the workings of it. This law provides for large drainage districts.

The meeting closed with an admirable address by Hon. John H. Small, the promoter and father of these farmer's meetings, which have been held in the various counties of this congressional district. Mr. Small, as usual, presented questions pointed and well taken. Do we need stock, he asked; how much meat is brought in from other places; how many cattle and hogs are shipped out of North Carolina? His address was delivered in a style pleasing and interesting. Suffice it to say, he held some, said Mr. Wright, when all the people will agree upon every public improvement. He made special reference to the present drainage law and then explained the workings of it. This law provides for large drainage districts.

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CAPSIDINE for "That Headache."

Out last night? Headache and nervous this morning? Hicker's Capsidine just the thing to fit you for business. Clears the head—braces the nerves. Try it. At drug stores.

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Table with 2 columns: Assets and Liabilities. Assets include Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, All other stocks, bonds and mortgages, Banking house, furniture and fixtures, Due from banks and bankers, Cash items, Gold coin, Silver coin, National bank notes and other U. S. notes. Liabilities include Capital stock, Surplus fund, Undivided profits, Dividends unpaid, Time certificates of deposit, Deposits subject to check, Due to banks and bankers, Cashier's checks outstanding.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of September, 1909. JNO. B. SPARROW, Notary Public. My commission expires August 6, 1911.

the undivided attention of his hearers.

NOTES.

The meeting yesterday was certainly the largest gathering of farmers in the history of the county. It shows a new era and that the people are more aroused and eager to achieve success with the soil.

Five years ago it would have been almost an impossibility to have secured such a gathering of our representative farmers from all sections of the county. How time changes things and conditions.

Those who are competent of judging pronounce the address of Prof. C. L. Goodrich, on soil fertility, one of the very best. It was plain, could be understood, and was greatly appreciated.

A more instructive and interesting talk on the soil has never been heard in Washington.

The address of Mr. S. C. Thompson, whose theme was the cattle and dairy industry, was another interesting speaker. His talk contained much food for thought and the farmers returned to their respective homes better prepared than ever to prosecute the raising of stock.

Of course it is understood that Mr. J. O. Wright made a good talk. He always does, and never fails to interest and elevate his hearers. Yesterday was no exception.

Mr. Small was most happy in his remarks. His advice was wholesome and to the point. The farmers certainly should be grateful, and are to him for inaugurating this farmer's meeting. It is one of the brightest pages in his congressional career.

Dr. Cooper Currier on stock raising and how to provide a market for them, was certainly an interesting address. All present were satisfied and helped. His advice, if followed, will result in much good.

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OYSTERS! PHONE 367. Delivered to any part of city 25 cents quart. Served in any style, steamed a specialty at 113 Market Street. Ocratke Fresh Dressed Mulllets. DOUGHTY & WYATT.

CAMPBELL'S CREEK ITEMS.

Mr. E. D. Lewis came near meeting with serious accident last week. He was hauling logs to the mill for our new school building and the bridge over Campbell's creek canal gave way, dropping his cart and load in the canal. His mules were saved from being dragged in the canal by breaking away from the cart. No serious damage was done.

Mr. J. D. Aldridge has been indisposed for the past few days. While walking a log several feet from the ground he fell across the log, bruising his side very severely. There was a meeting of the Bond's Creek Drainage Company held at Mr. T. M. Peele's last Wednesday. The purpose of this meeting was to provide ways and means for cleaning out and deepening the canal. Mr. J. W. Chapin was elected chairman, and J. W. Mayo, Jr., secretary of the meeting. Mr. T. M. Peele was elected to oversee the work, and W. I. Austin was elected collector and treasurer. Let those who are interested put up the "dough" and see the good work go on.

Quite a large crowd gathered at Mr. Stephen Wheaton's last Sunday morning to look at a large bear which was killed in Mr. Granville Jones' field Saturday night. There have been right many of these bears coming in the fields of Mr. C. D. Jones, Mr. Wheaton and Mr. Granville Jones, and they destroy considerable corn. If they get much more numerous we will invite our wild cat friends of the Progress over to help us exterminate them.

The many friends of Mr. J. H. Simmons, editor of The News, were glad to shake his hand a few days ago. Come to see us often.

W. B. WINDLEY, Clerk of the Board of Canvassers.

Official Returns of the Canvassing Board City Election. Whereas, an election was held in the city of Washington, N. C., on Tuesday, the 14th day of September, 1909, being a special election authorized by the act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, passed at its regular session in 1907, at which time there was submitted to the qualified voters of said city the question of the issue of \$25,000 in bonds for street improvements, and Whereas, those who voted in favor of said proposition voted a ballot entitled "For Street Improvements," and those voting against the proposition voted a ballot entitled "Against Street Improvements," and

Table with 2 columns: Third Ward, Fourth Ward, First Ward, Second Ward. Columns include Number of qualified voters in said ward, Number of ballots voted "For Street Improvements", Number of ballots voted "Against Street Improvements", Number of qualified voters not voting.

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