

The Courier

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WM. C. HAMMER, EDITOR

There is some disposition to discontinue demonstration work in Randolph county.

The Courier during all the years the county has had a farm demonstrator, has encouraged and given aid to the work. In fact, before the county had a farm demonstrator the Courier kept up a crusade in favor of this important work. The work has steadily grown until we have seen the dreams and the prophecies of boyhood days come true in the realization of the fact that this county will produce not only all kinds of fruits and vegetables, but that all kinds of grasses of the temperate zone will grow here. The numerous grass plots and experiments have demonstrated this. The county demonstrator has done much to encourage grass growing, but he should do much more. He should see to it that there are grass plots along every public road and in every school district in the county. The people must be taught this by doing. Every day of the twelve months of the year should be devoted to improving the condition of farming. Cattle raising should be made the most important industry in the county.

HARTNESS A CANDIDATE FOR SECRETARY OF STATE.

Mr. James A. Hartness, of Statesville, gave out a statement in Raleigh Saturday that he is in the race for the democratic nomination for Secretary of State. This is the first definite announcement made through the press.

Mr. Hartness, though it has been understood for some time that he would be a candidate.

Mr. Hartness is the clerk of court of Iredell county, and has been active in the political life of the State for many years. In 1887 he was licensed to practice law. He established and became the editor of the Statesville Mascot, later the Statesville Sentinel, which he now owns. In 1896 he was elected to the legislature, representing Iredell from the Fusionists and Republicans who had carried the county two years before. He was the author of the "Fellow Servant" bill which became a law in 1897. Since 1898 he has been the chairman of the democratic executive committee of Iredell county. In 1908 he was elected president of the North Carolina Anti-Saloon League.

Mr. Hartness is a native of Iredell, born and reared on the farm, and now lives on his farm in the suburbs of Statesville, being engaged in practical farming.—Davidson Dispatch.

TO OUR READERS.

Every family in this country is now a subscriber to various magazines and newspapers. The total amount of money paid for these publications probably amounts to several thousand dollars annually. It is money well spent, of course, because we must have something for the family to read. But if you can save about 75 per cent of this money, and still have all the papers and magazines you want, it is worth considering, is it not?

We have made arrangements whereby we can save this community hundreds of dollars by merely ordering their reading matter through our office. Our best offer is a club of four magazines and The Courier for only \$1.50 a year.

You will find this big offer advertised on another page of this paper. Look up the advertisement and read all about this remarkable offer. Send us your order right in—mail it, telephone it, or bring it to us, and we will fix it up at once so that you can get your magazines.

If there is anything in the advertisement you do not understand, drop into our office sometime and let us explain all about it. It's the best clubbing offer we have ever heard tell of, and we are anxious to have every reader take advantage of it.

QUEER QUIRKS OF NEWS.

Representatives of a large wholesale firm in Cape Town, Africa, have placed an order with the Lexington Chair Company, at Lexington, for \$7,500 worth of chairs. These chairs will be shipped to New York and thence directly to their destination by shipboard.

Kirby, Vt.—Frank C. Grant, of Santa Monica, Cal., who taught school here years ago, went to the old school house, rang the bell, and nineteen of his thirty-six former pupils, gray-haired and bent, responded to the call.

Puyallup, Wash.—Unable to use her arms because of paralysis, Miss Mahé Igo painted with her feet a picture which won first prize in the amateur contest at a fair. Miss Igo is thirty-five years old, is a poet and has won prizes for painting for five years.

HONOR ROLL WORTHVILLE

First Grade: Josephine Giles, Annie May Jarrell, Ruth Ward, Gertrude Groce, Ernest Scarborough, Bessie Williams, Rufus Cranford, Howard Moody, Essie Foster, Katherine Ward, Eva Staley, Josephine Moody, Lonnie Hudson, Beatrice Hurley.

Second Grade: Raymond M. Donald, Annie Kirkman, Ruby McDonald, Madge Marley, Leslie Cranford, Raymond Ward, Winfred Kennedy.

Third Grade: Bethea V. Cannon, Cody Aldridge, Glenn McDonald.

Fourth Grade: Chloe H.

Fifth Grade: Dornat Murray, Blanche Marley, Ray Fontaines.

Sixth Grade: Truitt Prevost, Ray Fontaines, Claire Aldridge.

Seventh Grade: Vera Wade, Bernice Fontaines, Callie Dean, Fay Glass, Inez Hinshaw.

CEDAR FALLS NEWS.

The Moonlight school at this place is progressing nicely under the management of Prof. H. B. Parks.

Mr. T. M. Jarrett has moved his family to his farm near here.

Mr. W. P. Hall has completed one of his apple and ale vending machines and has placed it in Greensboro for demonstration. Mr. Hall has another vending machine ready to be filed in the patent office.

Miss Sallie Redding, of Fredonia, Kan., visited her brother, Dr. A. H. Redding, of this place, the past week.

Mr. P. L. Bostick spent Friday in Greensboro on business.

Miss Blanche Wrenn visited friends in Ramseur Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. J. S. McAllister, of Greensboro, spent Monday and Tuesday in town on business.

Prof. H. B. Parks spent Saturday and Sunday with homefolks near Parks X Roads.

Mr. W. L. Craven spent Saturday and Sunday with his son, Mr. G. L. Craven, of Gibsonville.

Mr. Laee Reese, of Franklinville, was in town Saturday afternoon.

Mr. John B. Trogon, of Asheboro, R. I., was in town Saturday morning. Messrs. James Alfred and Lennie Jones, of Franklinville, were in our town Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ferree and little son, of High Point, visited at Mr. S. H. Ferree's the past week.

Miss Maude Ferree, who has been visiting home folks for the past two weeks, returned to her work in Washington, N. C., Saturday.

YOUR PHOTO ON A PILLOW TOP.

We will enlarge your photo on a pillow top, handkerchief, necktie, or anything else. Write for circular and prices. Also bargains in toilet articles, etc. Write to

A. R. SANDERS, Farmer, N. C.

MULES WANTED—I want to trade a good young horse for a pair of mules or will trade a Ford auto for the Harris Birkhead Perchen Colt for one or more mules.

E. G. MORRIS, Asheboro, N. C.

NOTICE.

Any farmer on any breeder of dairy cattle in this county having registered stock or high grade dairy cattle for sale will do well to confer with the County Farm Demonstrator at once. I think I can help you as well as the other fellow.

J. H. FOUST.

FOR SALE—Two young, well-trained dogs for con, opossum and rabbit hunting.

OTTIS OSBORNE, St. Randleman, N. C. R. F. D. 3

Strayed of stolen Tuesday night blue speckled hound dog. If found please notify D. M. SHARPE, Asheboro, N. C.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of D. W. Spoon, deceased, late of Randolph county, North Carolina, before J. M. Cavness, Clerk of the Superior Court for Randolph county.

This is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to exhibit them to the undersigned at Asheboro on or before the 17th day of November, 1915, or this notice will be plea in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate are expected to make immediate payment.

This the 16th day of Nov. 1915. JAMES T. WOOD, Public Adm. of the estate of D. W. Spoon, deceased.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank through the columns of The Courier the people of North Asheboro for the kindness shown us during the sickness and death of our dear wife and mother, Mrs. M. L. Frye. And we pray that God's richest blessings may rest upon each and every one of you.

M. L. Frye and children.

PROVIDES FOR COUNTY ROAD SYSTEM.

County Board of Road Trustees Issues Order For Roads To Be Built Provided People Subscribe Proportionate Part—System Covers County.

WHEREAS, The Board of Road Trustees of Randolph County is desirous of providing a systematic method for handling the road improvement work in Randolph County, believing that the best interest of the public will be promoted by having some definite plan to work to.

NOW THEREFORE, It is ordered by the board that for said purpose the plan hereinafter mentioned and set forth be and the same is hereby adopted that is to say:

1st. Whenever the citizens of Randolph county shall become sufficiently interested to assist in the payment of the costs and expenses of the construction of any one or more of the roads hereinafter specially mentioned as hereinafter provided, the Board of Road Trustees of Randolph county proposes to proceed to the construction or improvement thereof.

2nd. None of said roads shall be improved under this order unless people or corporations from private means will contribute as much as \$250.00 per mile for the work. Whenever contributions amounting to as much as \$250.00 per mile, for each of said roads, shall be subscribed from other sources, the said Board of Road Trustees will contribute an equal amount, and for every dollar in excess of \$250.00 which shall be subscribed from private sources, the said Board of Road Trustees will contribute two additional dollars up to the full amount that can be expended to advantage in the construction of the said road.

3rd. Before the work of construction or improvement shall be actually started a survey shall be made by some competent person or persons who shall be designated by the Board of Road Trustees, and the said survey shall be made so as to indicate the exact route to be followed, together with the gravel, method and details of construction, having in view the amount which is to be expended for the work, and the costs of any such survey outside the part thereof which may be defrayed by the state or national governments shall be paid out of the funds provided as aforesaid.

4th. The roads designated below are those which the Board of Road Trustees considers as of primary importance or as leading roads of most interest to the public and because of that designates them as the roads which shall or may be improved as herein provided.

5th. These roads are as follows:

(1) The road beginning at Old Salem church between Franklinville and Ramseur and running thence northward by White's Chapel, Sandy Creek church, Melancthon church, Randolph church, Red Cross and thence northward to the Guilford county line.

(2) The road beginning at the Simmons place between Asheboro and Franklinville, thence northward by Cedar Falls, White Memorial church, Grays chapel to near Randolph church to Julian.

(3) The road from Melancthon church through the town of Liberty and continuing east to the Alamance county line following the public road leading near the Cox pond.

(4) The road from the Hill Cross place two miles North of Asheboro through Central Falls, Millboro to an intersection with the road next mentioned.

(5) The road from Grays Chapel in a northwestern direction following the old Greensboro road until it crosses Little Pole Cat Creek and thence nearly west to an intersection with the Greensboro road just south of Level Cross.

(6) The road from New Salem crossing Pole Cat Creek at the bridge and continuing in a northeastern direction along the direction of the old Hillsboro road to Red Cross.

(7) The road leaving Randleman by St. Paul Street by Brown's Cross road, Sophia, New Market through Glendon, Archdale, and on to the Guilford county line.

(8) The road from the present gravel road somewhere in the vicinity of Flint Hill church, and running in a northwestern direction, crossing Uwharrie River and passing near the John Dorsett place and continuing on in the direction of Thomasville to the Davidson county line.

(9) The road from L. C. Parrish mill on Uwharrie river in a direction west of North passing Tabernacle church, Fuller's Mill, Thayer's Mill, and on to the Davidson county line in the general direction of Thomasville.

(10) The road from Farmer in a northwestern direction, passing near Wood's store and Nance's store, Taber Church, thence northwesterly to the L. C. Parrish mill on Uwharrie River.

(11) The road from Gray Cross Roads, crossing Caraway Creek Uwharrie, thence to Nance Store place.

(12) The road from Bombay School house in a southern direction passing New Hope, Liberty Church and on togomery county line.

(13) The road from Mechanic in a direction west of south by Hill's store, Union church, Eleazer and on to the Montgomery line.

(14) The road leaving the old plank road south of Asheboro, thence by way of West Bend church and following the general direction of the Mac Lewellen road, passing near Hopewell church, the Grey's Mine and on to Strleby.

(15) The road from Ulah passing near Rocky Ridge school house, Piggah, Cox's Mill and on to the Montgomery county line.

(16) The road from Asheboro in a southeastern direction passing Ralph, near Piney Ridge and Erect, Mt. Olive, Brovers Mill and on to the Moore county line.

(17) The road from Christian Un-

Report of the Condition of THE BANK OF LIBERTY

At Liberty, N. C., at the close of business Nov. 10, 1915.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts \$75,872.73
Overdrafts 465.91
All other stocks, bonds and mortgages 1,000,000
Furniture and fixtures 3,145.00
Due from National Banks 3,701.49
Due from State Banks and Barbers 9,738.72
Cash items 433.25
Gold coin 862.50
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency 1,630.75
National bank notes and other U. S. notes 2,958.00
Revenue stamps 16.24

Total \$99,824.14

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in \$10,000.00
Surplus fund 8,000.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid 1,227.41
Deposits subject to check 31,433.69
Savings deposits 48,797.41

Total \$99,824.14

State of North Carolina, County of Randolph, ss:
I, A. E. Lewis, President of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. E. LEWIS, President.

CORRECT—Attest:
JAS. P. PICKETT,
R. M. BROWER,
G. A. FOSTER, M. D.,
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 23rd day of November, 1915.

A. F. STEVENS,
Notary Public.
My commission expires April 2, 1917.

Report of the Condition of THE BANK OF RANDOLPH

At Asheboro, N. C., at the close of business November 10, 1915.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts \$201,304.93
Overdrafts 621.68
Asheboro School bonds 8,000.00
Ranking houses and furniture and fixtures 5,000.00
Due from National Banks 39,235.26
Due from state banks and banks 24,347.68
Cash items 2,216.63
Gold coin 5,642.50
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency 4,814.24
National bank notes and other U. S. notes 6,302.00
Revenue stamps 42.99

Total \$297,526.00

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in \$21,409.00
Surplus fund 25,000.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid 24,521.36
Deposits subject to check 225,625.80
Cashier's checks outstanding 997.84

Total \$297,526.00

State of North Carolina, County of Randolph, ss:
I, W. J. Armfield, Jr., Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. J. ARMFIELD, JR.,
Cashier.

CORRECT—Attest:
D. B. McCRARY,
F. H. MORRIS,
T. H. REDDING,
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 22nd day of November, 1915.

J. D. ROSS,
Notary Public.

According to a story which is ready for the publishers, giving a biography of Booker T. Washington and a history of Tuskegee Institute, the college grew out of the desire for political advancement of an ex-Confederate colonel, of Alabama. The New York Post vouches for the statement that the ex-colonel sought the negro vote in order to get into the legislature, and obtained it by the offer to get an appropriation for a negro educational institution. The appropriation was secured in return for the support of the negro vote, but it is to be hoped that this biography, of which one of the authors is the grandson of Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe, will not attempt to give the impression that the Alabama legislature gave the appropriation merely to get the negro vote.

(An church in a northerly direction by Albright's store to Cross Roads school house on the Sengrove-Ramseur road.

(18) The road from the gravel road near A. S. Pugh's in an easterly direction crossing Deep River at Buffalo Ford, thence in a northerly direction near Cox's Chapel, York & Frazier Store, Parks Cross Road to Brown's Cross Road.

(19) The road from Ramseur in a southeasterly direction by the Cox Mill place and H. T. Bray's, Concord church and on to Cheeks.

(20) The road from Concord church passing through Coleridge and continuing in a westerly direction to an intersection with the present gravel road from Ramseur to Erect.

(21) The road from Cedar Falls through Franklinville and there crossing the river and continuing in a direction east of south to an intersection with the gravel road from Ramseur to Erect.

It is to be understood that each of the roads enumerated and separately numbered above is to be considered as whole and the appropriation will not be made for less than the whole length thereof.

This proposition will be withdrawn on the first day of June, 1916, in all cases where advantage has not been taken of the offer previous to that time.

RANDOLPH ROAD TRUSTEES,
ARTHUR ROSS, Chmn.
CLARENCE PARKS, Sec.

STANDING OF CONTESTANTS

(Continued from first page.)

District No. 1

District No. 1 comprises all the territory west of the Norfolk-Southern, and Southern railroads, including all of Asheboro.

Asheboro. Mrs. J. Bart Robbins 1010,800

Asheboro Route 2 R. J. Pierce 997,000

Trinity Miss Maud Phillips 514,000

Miss Daisy Jordan 223,000

Caraway Route 2 Mrs. Clarence C. Ridge 43,500

Mechanic Miss Ina Ellington 20,100

Trinity Route 1 Miss Letha Royals 428,000

Salem Church Mrs. Lee Kearns 905,800

Eleazer Mrs. G. E. Carter 133,600

New Hope Academy Mrs. Jeze Luther 8,500

Pipe Miss Jennie Lassiter 10,000

Randleman Route 3 Miss Angie Spencer 16,200

District No. 2

District No. 2 comprises all of Randolph county east of the Norfolk-Southern, and Southern railroads with Randleman

Miss Hannah Johnson 1000,000

Ramseur Miss Elise Grimes 998,500

Kanoy Miss Rosa Owen 985,600

Seagrove Route 1 Miss Hester Stuart 995,100

Franklinville Mr. H. B. Dule 990,000

Erect Miss Alma Leach 91,200

Climax Route 1 Mr. Boyd Barker 113,000

Seagrove Miss Bertha M. Luck 225,000

Cedar Falls Miss Eunice Wrenn 18,800

Asheboro Route-1 Miss Essie Cox 36,400

Randleman Route 1 Miss Claudia Frazier 15,200

Coles Store Miss Sue Lambert 33,600

High Point Route 3 Miss Lola Shelly 21,000

Brown Miss Grace Brown 21,300

District No. 3

District No. 3 comprises all the territory outside of Randolph county.

High Point Mrs. W. H. Dowdy 724,000

Miss Carrie Low 71,000

Miss Elsie Sink 10,600

Jerry Thurber, R. 3 477,500

Denton Mr. Frank Surratt 25,000

Siler City Miss Hazel McAdams 24,800

Mt. Gilead Mr. J. A. Liak 22,300

Thomasville Mr. Julian Bailey 16,200

Capelsie Miss Mabel Chisholm 21,200

Ether Mrs. Eli Freeman 8,500

Spies Miss Nora Baldwin 725,800

Biscoe Miss Nannie Asbell 270,000

Miss Emily Dowd 18,100

Candar Mrs. Emma McCaskill 12,000

Troy Miss Myrtle Seawell 4,500

Greensboro Mr. Coy Bell 16,200

Miss Ulah Glasgow 21,600

Report of the Condition of THE BANK OF RAMSEUR

At Ramseur, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business Nov. 10th, 1915.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts \$108,377.88
Overdrafts secured, none; unsecured, none
Banking houses, \$2,000; furniture and fixtures, \$2,000 4,000.00
Demand loans 67,075.00
Due from National Banks 15,718.62
Cash items 22.34
Gold coin 4,227.50
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency 1,616.96
National bank notes and other U. S. notes 2,728.00

Total \$203,766.30

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in \$12,000.00
Surplus fund 12,000.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid 84.93
Deposits subject to check 57,525.12
Demand certificates of deposit 11,073.00
Time certificates of deposit 109,690.30
Cashier's checks outstanding 1,067.95
Accrued interest due depositors 325.00

Total \$203,766.30

State of North Carolina, County of Randolph, ss:

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

I. F. CRAVEN,
Cashier.

CORRECT—Attest:
E. C. WATKINS,
A. H. THOMAS,
E. B. LEONARD,
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 22nd day of November, 1915.

H. B. MOORE,
Notary Public.

BUSINESS BUILDERS

McCall's patterns for sale at R. C. Johnson's.

"Arrow" Mill Feed, best on the market, \$1.30, at both Lambert Stores.

BRAN—75lb sack, \$1.20, at both Lambert Stores.

Fine Spencer variety of Sweet Pea Seed for sale by

MRS. Wm. C. HAMMER,
Asheboro, N. C.

FINE SAND HILL FARMS FOR SALE—Will produce tobacco, cotton, corn, forage crops, melons and fine fruits. For information regarding farms write

C. U. HINSHAW, Vass, N. C.

THE LAMBERT STORES are selling 75lb bag Richmond feed at \$1.30.

I am agent for C. W. Jennings, florist, Greensboro, and am able to supply cut flowers and funeral designs at any time. Your patronage is solicited.

Mrs. W. C. Hammer, Asheboro, N. C.

75lb bag bran