

FOX HOUNDS GAIN NATION-WIDE FAME

Articles in Nationally-Circulated Sporting Journal and N. Y. Herald-Tribune Praise Moore Dogs.

This section of North Carolina, Rutherford and Cleveland counties, long famous for fine dogs, last week received nation-wide publicity as the home of champion fox hounds and bird dogs due to two magazine articles.

One article, the detailed story of the National Foxhunters Association's field trials recently held in Kentucky, appeared in The Chase, nationally circulated hunting journal, and the other, a story on bird dogs by Tom Dixon, native Shelbyite and famous author was published in The New York Herald-Tribune magazine.

The dogs of the Golden Valley Kennels at Forest City, owned by the Moore family and others, were not only pictured and praised in the magazine story but were also given much praise in the editorial columns of The Chase. In his article in the New York paper, Tom Dixon declared that the bird dogs he had secured in this section from Henry and Will Carroll and Ernest Spangler were so smart that they could understand nearly every spoken order in the human voice.

Moore's Present.

The main story of the national field trials carried a picture of Danger's Fancy, the Forest City foxhound, which won first place in the Tenth Chase Futurity, the highest honor that a foxhound can win. Danger's Fancy also won prizes in the training, speed and driving, and endurance contests. In the all-age class Long Hunter, another Forest City hound, won second honors and was pictured. Ruling Chief, another Golden Valley Kennel hound, was among the first day leaders in the Futurity. "Susan Moore", said the magazine writer of the Golden Valley hound, "did something this year that no hound has ever done, whelped the Futurity winner and is the dam of Long Hunter, second place winner in the All-Age."

S. L. Woodridge writing an editorial survey of the national meet had the following to say of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Moore and Mr. Summey who carried their prize-winning dogs to the meet: "Sitting quietly on a divan, you could not help but notice the trim-cut, well groomed man talking to an unusually pretty woman, whose gracious smile and gentle manner had made friends with everyone she met. This couple was Mr. and Mrs. Terry Moore, of Forest City, N. C., part owners of the Golden Valley Kennels, whose great hound Danger's Fancy was running in the Futurity stake. They were discussing her work with S. A. Summey, who had helped handle her." Referring to Danger's Fancy's victory, the editorial writer said: "She (the hound) had met all the crack hounds of Kentucky, Virginia, Tennessee and other states and had beaten them at their own game. There was a look from Mrs. Moore to her husband that meant everything."

Has Dogs' Etching.

The Tom Dixon article was a general resume of his hunting experience with smart bird dogs. Along with the story was a photograph of two of the dogs he secured in Shelby, the photo being made from an etching of the two dogs by a famous artist for the Dixon home in New York. The outline of the dogs in the field made an unusually beautiful scene, and when a copy of the magazine arrived in Shelby the Carrolls and Spangler immediately recognized the two dogs they had sold the author.

Mr. Dixon was unusually complimentary about the dogs he had secured in Shelby and also of his hunting experience as a boy and later in life in his native state.

The same fox hunters' magazine which carried the story of the Moore hound's victory had an article on fox hunting by H.E.C. (Red Buck) Bryant, native of Mecklenburg county who is the Washington correspondent of The New York World and well known here. Mr. Bryant's favorite hobby is foxhunting.

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BANK DEPOSITORS HOLD MEETING

Another Meeting of Depositors of Defunct Banks Called for Monday, December 22.

Rutherfordton, Dec. 16.—Last Friday there was a mass meeting of the depositors of the defunct banks of Rutherford county, but owing to its not having been advertised long, the "mass" was not very large. The object of this meeting was chiefly to see if the depositors could not raise funds to secure competent legal counsel to represent the interests of the depositors in the special term of court which will be held shortly after the first of the year.

Any thinking person will realize that though we have a most able and conscientious solicitor, for the rights of the depositors to be protected, there must be local counsel and the services of a disinterested, outside man, who will be absolutely unbiased.

To secure these men, E. H. Walker suggested that each depositor be assessed 10c on the \$100. Many thought that entirely too low an estimate of assessment, but most of the people feel that they have already lost as much as they can afford to lose, and do not feel like throwing good money after bad.

Monday, Dec. 22nd has been set for another meeting at 2 p. m., in the Court House.

Dr. A. B. Holland of Caroleen, was chairman of the meeting while Mrs. J. C. Hampton of Ruth was secretary. The following committee was appointed to confer with Dr. J. D. Biggs, liquidating agent as to when he could make a report to the depositors, etc., viz: J. H. Gibbs, R. M. Twitty and E. H. Walker.

It was further agreed that each and every depositor that will, pay his or her part will be made a party to the suit, otherwise they will not be heard.

About \$1,000 is needed to properly prosecute the suit and to get justice. Anyone who will contribute to this fund can leave it with any of the above committee and it will go into the proper channels. It is very important that funds be raised at once and every depositor is urged to help and then attend the meeting here next Monday at 2 p. m.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM AT PROVIDENCE SCHOOL

Forest City, R-1, Dec. 16.—A Christmas program will be given at Providence school house Friday afternoon at 2:30. The parents are cordially invited and also the public.

The program is as follows: Song, Joy to the World. Song, Silent Night. Recitation. Play, A Christmas Fairy. Dialogue, "Truly Believers." Duet, Up on the House Top. Play, A Visit to Santa Claus.

"BE GOOD CHILDREN."

I tell you little children, You better do right. You better be careful, To not have a fight.

For when Christmas day has come, And all the boys around Are bouncing balls and having fun, And jumping up and down.

But you sitting by the fireside And crying loud and strong And wishing that you had been Good and never done wrong.

My daddy told me the other day As he was making a light, That I wasn't going to get a toy this year, For having that great big fight.

I scratched Jim's nose and body up, And didn't make a whimper But he went home a crying Because he lost his temper.

—EVELINE ROBBINS,

Fourth grade, Harris school. Age 10.

Automobile glass replaced while wait. Farmers Hardware Co.

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The live merchants of the home city bid for your business by advertising on a basis of price, quality, service and mutual benefit.

They have merchandise that is in every way satisfactory.

It is of high quality, dependable, and the prices are right.

You run no risk or take no chance when you buy in the home city.

Buying at home has a direct bearing and beneficial influence on commercial conditions in the home city. It directly benefits the city and the surrounding country.

Local advertisements keep you informed of all the newer merchandise offerings.

The advertisements help you in your personal buying and also help

you solve the problems of buying for the household.

The majority of the public reads the many interesting, money-saving merchants announcements.

By reading the ads and buying from the local stores that advertise their wares, you can make every dollar you spend buy a full dollar's worth of goods.—Franklin Press.

Sixteen to eighteen months will probably elapse before there is an upward trend in the price of farm commodities, said Dr. L. H. Bean, of Washington.

Economic conditions in North Carolina would have been worse than they are had not North Carolina increased its supply of food and feed-stuffs by 19 million dollars in 1930.

Make Your Christmas Gifts This Year Gifts of Service



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Monday Morning, December 22nd, at 10 O'clock ON THE PREMISES

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THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN DIVIDED INTO LOTS AND SMALL FARMS.

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