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HELPING THE FARMERS.

Congressman Small has Arranged for Big Farmers' Educational Meeting at Winton.

Hon. John H. Small, one of the most useful members of Congress, who devotes his entire time to serving his people, has arranged for another Farmers' Educational Meeting in Hertford County, in the First District, to be held at Winton on Saturday, August 5, 1911. There will be a morning and afternoon session. The morning session will open promptly at 10 o'clock.

The purpose of the meeting is to benefit the farmer, the man who makes his living out of the soil by raising crops and stock. He is entitled to be educated just as other men. He wishes to make more money and have a comfortable home for his family. The meeting is intended to help him do both.

SUBJECTS TO BE DISCUSSED.

The ever important subject of drainage, both open and tile. The restoration of worn-out soils and how to maintain their fertility. Legumes and winter cover crops. Seed selection. Rotation of crops. A special lecture on corn and cotton. Good roads. The subject of a County Good Roads Association will also be considered.

The principal lecturers will be Prof. C. L. Goodrich, Agriculturist in Charge Farm Management; Prof. I. O. Schaub, Special Agent, Farmers Co-operative Demonstration Work, and Mr. A. G. Smith, Scientific Assistant. All of these gentlemen are from the United States Department of Agriculture, and are among the best equipped lecturers on farm topics in the United States. Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, State Geologist, is also expected to be present and make a special talk on good roads.

It is hoped a large number of farmers from Hertford and adjoining counties will be present. Remember the meeting opens promptly at 10 o'clock A. M. on Saturday, August 5, 1911.

Wiley Hits Public Smoking

Christian Work and Evangelist. Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, the Government pure food and drug expert, has joined the Non-Smokers of America, an organization whose object is to discourage smoking in public. "I predict that within twelve years smoking and tobacco chewing in public will have become obsolete," said Dr. Wiley. "A man has a perfect right to drink, chew or dip snuff in his private sanctum, but he has not the shadow of a right to inflict unwholesome smoke and his vile breath on the community at large. There should be a strictly enforced law prohibiting smoking and chewing in public places or on the cars where other persons are obliged to be. College students, a brand of animal that is not noted for daintiness or regard for feeling of others, will crawl under the grandstand to take a pull from the bottle that curses. Even these fellows will not drink openly so that their fellow-citizens can watch them, and the same thing will come to pass as regards tobacco within the next few years."

Avail Sparks.

The Christian Herald. Resting on the promises is not making a bed of ease out of them. The hour of worship should be a time of refreshing to the soul, not a siesta.

The Northampton County Teachers' Association.

Friday, July 21, marked the close of the most successful Teachers' Institute that has ever been conducted in Northampton county. Before the teachers separated, an hour was devoted to the reorganization of the Northampton County Teachers' Association. The following officers were elected for the coming school year: President, F. M. Williamson of Conway; Vice-President, Mr. P. J. Long; Secretary, Miss Margaret C. Brown of George. The other offices will be filled at the regular meeting of the Association.

Our Association, heretofore, has been a potent factor in the school work of this county but we feel that our work has been handicapped to a great extent by waiting till the short term schools open to begin our meetings. The disagreeable weather and the distance that many of the teachers live from the meeting places make it impossible for them to attend. In organizing this time we adopted a plan by which we hope to make the Association an invaluable aid to every teacher in the county. At the first regular meeting, the county will be divided into districts and a vice-president of the Association will be appointed for each district. It will be the duty of these vice-presidents to call meetings of the teachers in their respective districts at convenient places and organize district associations which will hold meetings as often as will be practicable.

One of the greatest obstacles in the way of school progress in our State is lack of uniformity in methods of work. In one district one method is being used and in an adjoining district an entirely different work is being done. Also the teachers are constantly changing places and as often as this is done a different method is put into use. Especially is this so in the primary grades. Our Association is going to try to adopt, as far as is possible, some definite methods for our schools and have them worked out by the teachers in the district meetings.

In our Teachers' Institute, Mr. Coon aroused all of us to a sense of our duties as we have, perhaps, never been aroused before and we know that every good teacher in the county is going to co-operate with us in the work we have undertaken.

F. M. WILLIAMSON.

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Saw Wood and Say Nothing.

Wilmington Star

The Durham Herald correctly observes: "For a wonder none of them are denying that the National platform said it."

Anyhow, who brought in that lumber plank and what interest demanded free lumber?

Who's got millions invested in the lumber business in Canada and wants a nice free market in the country which they deserted for Canada?

What part of the United States wants protection on every blasted thing it has to sell to other people and doesn't want even a revenue duty on what it has to buy from North Carolina and other people?

Who went from the South to the National Democratic convention and didn't know enough to keep from getting hit over the head with the lumber plank?

Who didn't find out that Billy Patterson was struck till they returned to North Carolina and heard him yelling in the piney woods?

Who is a hog for protection on what it manufactures and sells to the South, and is two hogs for free raw material from the South?

Who wants both feet in the feed trough and his head in the fodder rack, all at the same time?

Who wants to buy free raw material cheap and sell protected manufactured products at the highest prices that a trust can fix them?

Who is the Simple Simon that wants to play in an "open and shut game" when it is the other fellows game?

Who simply wants fair play when Congress levies a tariff for revenue or a tariff for revenue and protection?

Who winks the other eye when they plainly see a chump?

Who wrote the lumber circular, and why?

Who saw it first, that free lumber had knot holes in it?

What two Senators and nine Congressmen vetoed right when they saw the Aldrich game playing protected manufactures against Southern free raw materials?

What North Carolinian will give the other fellow a stick to break his head?

Who thinks the majority of North Carolinians are nutty?

Who thinks a 7 per cent duty on lumber is protection enough to buy a gangplank?

Who had better quit monkeying with the buzz-saw?

Keep Watch on Both.

Rowland Sun.

"Does prohibition prohibit? I refer to the law prohibiting burglary. It seems impossible to stop burglars. Shall we license them so as to at least get some revenue out of what we can't prevent?" A correspondent has this to say in the Wilmington Star. The communication is short, but full of sound logic. The law against selling liquor and the law against burglary are both violated. There is no man living that would say repeal the law against burglary, and yet there is as much sense in repealing that as in repealing the law that says no whiskey can be sold within the State. And it is just as much an officer's business to run down blind tigers as it is to run down burglars.

Many a tongue that seems to be well bridled balks when it should speak out for God.—Christian Herald.

SUCCESSFUL NORTH CALONIANIAN.



STEPHEN A. FUTRELL.

We take pleasure in giving our readers a likeness of one of the ROANOKE-CHOWAN TIMES family, now residing in another state.

The above is a picture of Mr. Stephen A. Futrell, a native of

Rich Square, son of the late Exum Futrell who lived here and later at Jackson. After he grew up Mr. Futrell was a salesman in Rich Square for some time for his uncle, Mr. Albert Vann, and then went to Texas with his father and finally located in Rosebud, Texas, and engaged in the lumber and hardware business and has been very successful and

has built up a large business, known as the Futrell Lumber and Hardware Co. He is also a leader in the Baptist church, and is Secretary of the Masonic lodge of his town.

Mr. Futrell is now on an extended trip to New York, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Washington, Philadelphia, Richmond, Norfolk, and on to Rich Square and Jackson where he will remain a few days with relatives and friends. It has been nearly 19 years since Mr. Futrell left Rich Square and his many friends here will be glad to see him again.

Who Can Explain It?

Greensboro Record.

Charlie W. Ball in his "In the Good Old Days" says—"Girls wore summer bonnets that were as sweet and simple as they were inexpensive. I can explain the mysteries of the Aurora Borealis; I can analyze the rings that encircle Saturn; I can solve the intricate problems of algebra, geometry and Calculus, and demonstrate the Fourth Dimension; I can compute the return of Halley's Comet and explain the gymnastic stunts by its evanescent tail; I can even forecast with comparative accuracy what a small boy is most likely to do under given conditions; but I can not tell you why a young woman, married or single or even a woman whose age is enshrouded in a halo of mystery, will gad about the streets, take horseback or auto rides in all sorts of weather with nothing on her head but a collection of store hair; while that same maiden or matron will attend church wearing a hat so large that a full grown man has to stand on the back of the bench to see the preacher. Neither can I explain why she will appear on the street with her sleeves rolled above the elbows as if she had just been washing dishes and forgot to roll them down, while the same day she will attend a pink tea, nobody present but women, with gloves on as long as a parasol handle." The last is explainable—she is afraid the woman next to her will ascertain the exact size of her arm and tell it, or locate the tip of the elbow which may or may not be marked with something that might be removed with soap.

As you meet with others in traveling upon the highway of life, always turn to the right. Over-caution is cowardice.

Getting Rid of Fear.

"What is meant by auto-suggestion?" Writes a correspondent. The phrase simply signifies self-suggestion to good ends. For instance, if one particularly dislikes to do something one ought, one may conquer the disinclination by resolutely saying over words expressing the necessity of doing the thing at once and with pleasure. The person who is afraid to go upstairs in the dark may, it is said, overcome this fear by saying, "I am not afraid, darkness is friendly, nothing can hurt me." The underlying idea is that the mind is the real ruler of the body, and that by allowing the mind to take command of a situation from the higher and not the lower point of view, ill may be vanquished.—The Christian Herald.

Reunion of Confederate Veterans.

Through the kind invitation of the J. Norfleet Harrell Chapter of the U. D. C.'s of Murfreesboro, N. C., and the citizens of said town, the reunion of the Confederate Veterans will be held in said town on Wednesday, August 23, 1911. Committee appointed to select a speaker for the occasion, viz: Judge B. B. Winborne, Judge W. P. Shaw and Hon. W. P. Taylor.

Done by order of

A. I. PARKER, Chm.,
Exec. Com. Con. Vets. of Hertford County, N. C.
JAS. P. FREEMAN, Secty.

The atmosphere of prayer invigorates for toil.—Christian Herald.

Notice--Land Posted.

All persons are hereby forbidden to hunt with or without gun or dog night or day on the Albert Jacobs farm situated in Roanoke Township adjoining the lands of Jerre Brown, Edmund Parker and others, under the penalty of the law.

DAN'L W. WARREN.