

STOKES BOY WRITES FROM OREGON.

Considers the Reporter A Treat and Fully Worth \$1.50 A Year.

Portland, Oregon, May 22.
Editors Reporter:

Enclosed please find subscription for paper also a word or so of comment for the wonderful improvement you have made in the paper within the last year.

The Reporter should be very much appreciated by the farmers of Stokes and adjoining counties and by the number of people that have lived in those counties but are now scattered all over the different States of the union.

The farmer should appreciate it from the fact it gives some extra good "tips" on farming that if they would try and practice they would be much wiser and considerably better off financially.

It cannot be impressed on the farmers' minds any too much that it is useless to grow so much tobacco, for you will be a slave to the Trusts as long as you grow it. You can live better without the dirty stuff. Some poor fellow will say no we can't live without it, when his crop did not pay his grocery, fat-back, and fertilizer bill. I say yes, and he would too if he could take a little journey over some of the farms in Oregon where the chances for a variety crop is not as good as in North Carolina, and see how those German, Swede, Norwegian and Italian farmers live. They live happy and have plenty at home and a good bank account. They raise everything that is good to eat. There are a number of farmers out here that raised tobacco in Virginia and North Carolina that have found that grain, dairy, hay, fruit, poultry and root farming "skins" tobacco. To put the same time and energy to the above products that you do to tobacco in a few years you will have jingling twenties where you now have jingling pennies.

Shake hands with Mr. I. G. Ross for the ideas he has conveyed to you on farming through the Reporter, also Messrs. Harris and

Mo. Put them into practice and prosper.

The reason we people who have left Stokes and adjoining counties consider the Reporter a treat and fully worth the \$1.50 per year, is that we get news from our friends and of different things that occur that we would never be able to know if it were not for those pleasant little community correspondence of the Reporter. We always look forward to its coming, and throw aside all other papers to scan its pages first.

L. C. DAVIS.

Stokes Citizen Writes From Durham.

Durham, May 25

Dear Reporter:

I don't suppose you have had very many letters from Durham readers of the Reporter. As I have recently subscribed for the Reporter, I will write a few items from Durham. Durham is a very nice place. It has tobacco factories, cotton factories, hosiery mills, bag mill, high schools and colleges, street cars and motor cars and many things that I haven't space to mention. A motor car makes two round trips to Chapel Hill every day.

Well, I wonder how the boys and girls are getting along on Tobaccoville Route 2. I am from that section, and would like to see some letters from some of the boys and girls. There are some as pretty girls in Durham as you see anywhere and as many as any other places.

I see a letter about every week in the Reporter from "Me" at Dalton. Looks like some of you could be as smart as "Me" some time. I think I saw one little piece in the paper from Tobaccoville the first week I got the Reporter.

I presume the farmers of Stokes are having phones put in their homes, which will be a great advantage to them.

"ME TOO."

Masters Sidney Allen and Geo. Apperson, of Winston, went to Piedmont Friday to visit the family of Mrs. S. E. Allen.

NEW WAY TO PULL FODDER.

A Stokes Man Up In Ashe County Travels Four and a Half Miles To Get One Mile.

Glendale Springs, Ashe County, May 24.

Editor Reporter:

I wish I had a Reporter to read today. It is like getting a letter from a friend to get the Reporter, as I know so many of the contributors to it. Of course there is lots of stuff that gets into the Reporter that is not interesting to everybody, such as "broad smiles," "J. goes down the road," and "best girl," etc. All such is not interesting to the average reader, and is no good to anyone.

I came up here over the State road yesterday from North Wilkesboro. It just costs you fifty cents to drive over it. It is the best grade I think I ever saw according to the land. It is made at one place so you drive 1/4 miles to make one. It is very high and cool up here.

I want to tell the farmers something about pulling fodder that a farmer in Wilkes told me about. He had the nicest fodder I think I ever saw. I asked him how he saved it. He said he pulled it the usual way but did not tie it. When he gets his hands full he takes out two or three blades, wraps them around the tail ends of the blades, then twist them and slips between the ear and stalk and let the butts hang down. He said he could take it up one day sooner and never have any molded butts. It certainly is worth trying. It is the nicest looking fodder I ever saw.

D. S. W.

FRANCISCO.

Francisco, May 23.

Editor Danbury Reporter:

While it has been pretty generally accepted that prohibition should not be made a political issue, yet the supporters of Mr. R. D. Reid for Congress would like to know how he stands on prohibition—on which side of the fence he is. Hoping to see it in print in the Reporter.

Yours respectfully,
J. W. SHELTON.

ENDORSED BY THE HARRIS.

A Member of the Firm Was Present At Meeting of the Board of Trade When Resolution Was Passed.

Winston-Salem, May 27.

Editor Danbury Reporter:

I asked a question of Mr. Brooks while he was speaking there on Wednesday of your Court: whether he had advised the sending of a telegram to me in March, 1907, to which telegram the firm of Robt. Harris & Bro. was party, and he said that he had not.

I saw a communication in the Reidsville paper the other day from Mr. Brooks in which an affidavit appeared from Robt. Harris stating that he had signed no telegram to me. Today I wired Mr. P. D. Watt, of Reidsville, asking him if a member of the firm of Harris & Bro. was present at the meeting of the Board of Trade held in Reidsville March 6, 1907, when a resolution was adopted asking me to prevent the passage of the bill pending before the Senate known as Section A of the Reid Bill.

In reply I have received an answer dated today from Mr. Watt, who was a member of the committee, together with J. H. Burton and Z. V. Gwynn, committee appointed by the Board of Trade which passed the resolution, in which he says that a member of the Harris firm was present at the meeting and raised no objection to the passage of the resolution.

I send this in justice to myself for the purpose of showing that while a member of the firm did not sign the telegram, he was present at the meeting and raised no objection to the passage of the resolution and thereby became a party to it and endorsed it.

Respectfully,
J. C. BUXTON.

Prohibitionists Ask for Thanksgiving Services and Special Collections.

Raleigh, N. C., May 28.—The executive committee of the North Carolina Anti-Saloon League, which had the direction of the state prohibition campaign through Chairman John A. Oates, is preparing to issue an appeal to the churches of all denominations in the state for thanksgiving services to be held either next Sunday or the earliest Sunday thereafter that is convenient for the respective congregations, when thanks will be given for the prohibition victory and collection taken for meeting deficit of about \$2,000 of the prohibition campaign fund, obligations to that amount having been incurred that much in excess of the funds available. It is understood that State Chairman Oates gave his personal assurance to printers and others who rendered the services that the money would be forthcoming soon after the election.

Chairman Oates was busy today closing his office here preparatory for returning to his home in Fayetteville, where he will retain official state prohibition headquarters and keep up the state organization.

DANBURY ROUTE 1.

Danbury Route 1, May 26.—The farmers of this section are very busy with their work.

Mr. N. O. Petree, of Danbury, made quite an interesting talk on prohibition at Mabe & Son's store Monday. He was accompanied by Mr. N. E. Pepper.

Services were held at Snow Creek church Sunday by Elders Barnard, Stone and Fagg. One admission to the church, Mrs. Jettie Roberson.

Mr. Everett Hartman, Miss Lilla Young, Mr. Banner Young and sister, Miss Jettie, visited relatives on Campbell Route 1 Sunday.

Miss Lula Oakley spent Sunday evening with Miss Dovie Coleman. Mrs. W. R. Bennett visited her mother Monday, who is quite ill at her daughter's, Mrs. Oakley.

News Notes From Mizpah Route 1.

Mizpah Route 1, May 27.—People are planting tobacco right along. I think the most of them are aiming to plant a large crop this time.

Miss May Bell Smith is visiting her sister, Mrs. Sid Kiser, at Winston. Hope she will have a good time.

Messrs. Fount Southern and Walter Holland called on Misses Novella and Ethel Salley Sunday. I guess they had a nice time.

Mr. J. P. Salley called on Miss Dellar Smith Sunday evening. I think the wedding bells will be ringing some sweet day.

Mr. Arthur Southern was sporting Miss Rosa Carroll Sunday. I guess they enjoyed their trip to Haw Pond Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Holland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Green.

We are sorry to hear that the children of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fowler, who has pneumonia, are improving slowly.

Mrs. Ellea Carroll left Monday for Pine Hall, where she expects to visit her brother, Mr. Tillotson.

WALNUT COVE.

Walnut Cove, May 26.—Some people in this section are most done setting out tobacco. Corn is looking well through here.

Messrs. Oscar Shelton and John Lowellyn visited at Mr. Grover Neal's Sunday.

Miss Sadie Shelton returned home Monday from a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Laura Cromer, who has been very low, but is better now, we are glad to note.

The Sunday School at Mt. Pisgah is progressing nicely.

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DEMOCRATIC CO. CONVENTION.

Called to Meet at the Court House In Danbury on Saturday, June 6, 1908, to Elect Delegates to the State and Congressional Conventions.

A Convention of the Democratic party of Stokes county is hereby called to meet in the Court House in Danbury on Saturday, June 6, 1908, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the State Convention, which meets in Charlotte on the 25th of June to nominate candidates for Governor and other State offices, and to select delegates to the Congressional Convention which meets in Greensboro on June 10th, to nominate a candidate for Congress and District Elector, and to transact such other business as may come before the Convention.

We hope there will be a full attendance from all the precincts in the county.

This the 14th day of May, 1908.
J. H. ELLINGTON,
Chm. Dem. Ex. Com. for Stokes County.

WALNUT COVE.

Walnut Cove, May 25.—Mr. Ed Cookers has planted 20 thousand hills of tobacco, and one thousand hills of cabbage, and five bushels of Irish potatoes.

Mrs. Rosa Golden's bees come very near stinging Mr. Cookers and horse to death the other day. Mr. R. T. J. East and Miss Cora Carter took a buggy ride Sunday.

Mr. Amcs Rominger's baby is very sick this week.

Mr. Ed Booth visited his best girl at Moore's Sunday.

Mrs. Cookers visited her mother last week, returning home Monday.

Mr. Tom Hairston happened to the misfortune to get his wagon turned over Sunday, and his horses much damaged. Nobody seriously hurt.

GRAY CAT.

Mr. William Gordon, of Germanton Route 1, was a Danbury visitor Saturday.

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Yours respectfully,
E. D. WEBSTER.

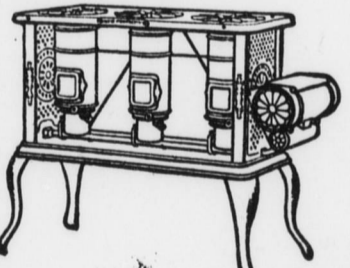
Yuma, Colo.
Gentlemen:—In regard to the threshing outfit bought of you last summer, the little 12-horse engine and 32x48 separator is hard to beat for its size. There are 3 steam threshing outfits in this part of the country, and we threshed more grain and did better work than any of them. There was a 25-horse engine and 33x66 separator in our neighborhood, and we threshed two bushels to their one right along through the season. We think the Huber the only rig.

Yours truly,
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