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MANY CASES TRIED HERE THIS WEEK

Four Men Sentenced To State Prison—Others Go To Road—Latter Will Be Worked On Stokes Highways.

At this week's term of Stokes criminal court three men were sentenced to the State prison and several others given road sentences.

The cases disposed of at this time by the court are as follows:

Charlie Cook, retailing, not guilty. Frank Mabe, having whiskey for sale, judgment suspended upon payment of the cost.

Ernest Chapman, having whiskey for sale, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

Jack Hicks, charged with murder, nol pros with leave.

Oakey Ferguson and Lucy Deshazo, f. and a., one year on road for Ferguson, prayer for judgment continued as to Lucy Deshazo.

J. J. Sheppard, assault, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

Will Shuff, having whiskey in his possession. To appear before court for a period of 1 year to show good behavior, and pay cost in case.

Charles Smith, c. c. w., fined \$50 and the cost.

Jack Wilkins, c. c. w., fined \$50 and the cost.

Tom Bullin, a. d. w., judgment suspended upon payment of the cost.

Georgia Sisk, retailing, sentenced to road for term of 6 months.

Willis Moran, receiving liquor, fined \$100 and the cost.

Jess Joyce, retailing, sentenced to 6 months on the road.

Will George, Clyde Carter, B. W. Brooks, larceny, two years each in State penitentiary.

Willie Martin and Bud Martin, a. d. w., judgment suspended upon payment of the cost.

Reid Martin, operating automobile while intoxicated, fined \$50 and cost.

Colonel Abbott, manufacturing whiskey, not guilty.

Guy Brim, Frank Hughes, Clinton Brim, Carl Brim and Buster Ziglar, disturbing public worship, each fined \$10 and cost.

Wesley Smith, a. d. w., not guilty.

Neal Bullin, c. c. w., fined \$50 and cost.

Dossie Young, manufacturing whiskey, 3 months on county road and cost of action.

Fred East, a. d. w., \$50 and cost.

Grady Joyce, c. c. w., \$50 and cost.

James Massey, c. c. w., \$50 and cost.

Warren Ashby, a. d. w., fined \$25 and cost.

Grady Joyce, a. d. w., not guilty.

Rosabelle Foddrill, a. d. w., judgment suspended upon payment of the cost.

Len Smith and Ernest Dalton, making liquor, six months each on the county road.

James Z. Martin, seduction, judgment suspended upon payment of the cost.

Frank Collins, giving liquor to a minor, fined \$25 and cost.

Charles W. Blaneett, a. d. w., judgment suspended upon payment of the cost.

Ernest Dalton, c. c. w., thirty days on the road.

Bo Young, retailing, judgment suspended upon payment of the cost.

Presley and Walter Palmer, a. d. w., not guilty.

Gid Baker, operating automobile while intoxicated, fined \$50 and cost.

Rosa James, selling cigarettes to minor, fined \$25 and cost.

Delma Clark, injury to property, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

Nat Roberts, retailing, fined \$500 and cost and to appear each first Monday for one year to show good behavior.

Will Tuttle, injury to property, fined \$25 and cost.

Nat Roberts, manufacturing liquor, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

Sam East and Troy East, a. d. w., judgment suspended upon payment of the cost.

Tilden Duncan, Jr., larceny and receiving, three years in State penitentiary.

Sam Baker, operating automobile while intoxicated, fined \$50 and cost.

Gilmer Duncan, a. d. w., fined \$25 and cost.

DR. GRIFFIN'S MAKES ADDRESS

Welcoming Winston-Salem Delegation To Stokes County Fair At King Last Wednesday.

King, Oct. 23.

Editor Reporter:

I have been asked repeatedly by friends to have published in the Reporter approximately my address of welcome to the Winston-Salem delegation to the Stokes County Fair, delivered on Wednesday, Oct. 18. They said there were many people who would be glad to read it as they didn't have the opportunity to hear it.

The following is the nearest approach to the original: Ladies and Gentlemen and Fellow Citizens:

Having been practically reared in the Twin City and having been a resident within her borders for more than 25 years during my youth and young manhood's palmy days makes it a peculiar pleasure and a special delight to me to have the honor, the opportunity and the privilege to greet and to welcome this delegation of her distinguished, progressive and representative citizens to the Stokes county fair. Indeed it imparts a thrill of joy to be a participant in celebrating Winston-Salem day, and to convert this happy and auspicious occasion into a "get-together" and a "better-acquainted" meeting. Many of our sons and daughters have left their native heath and have gone to live within the portals of the metropolis of North Carolina. Many of them have made their mark in civic and in industrial affairs, some of them have achieved marked success in their various fields of endeavor and have contributed their part to build the splendid, magnificent and colossal city under discussion. Thus you see, ladies and gentlemen, we have a vital interest in her future welfare.

It is quite a unique distinction to be a dweller within the domain of old Stokes county inasmuch as she is the banner county and the largest producer of high-grade golden leaf tobacco of any county in the State.

Since good roads, education, sanitation, co-operation and progress in general are the distinctive and prevailing slogans of the hour, we feel that King, Stokes county, is a suburban village of the capitol city of Forsyth county.

To prove to you beyond cavil and beyond equivocation that actions speak louder than most eloquent and fluent diction, we now extend to you the freedom of the fair grounds and hand to you the golden and embellished key that unlocks and gives you access to the municipality of King.

DR. ERNEST M. GRIFFIN.

"Night Life" At the Tobacco Warehouses

The "night life" around the tobacco warehouses in the towns of North Carolina is rapidly disappearing. Good roads and the automobile have all but done away with it. It was a bustling and wholesome kind of life, says an exchange, with which we don't agree, especially as to the wholesomeness. Up to a few years since hundreds of farmers spent the night at the warehouses each time they carried a load of the weed to market, arriving at all times of the night and day. Crude bunks with musty germ-filled bed clothing were always available on which they perhaps could snatch a few hours sleep. Free stables sheltered their horses. Rustic dances done to the music of fiddles and banjos often entertained the farmers far into the night. The farmer always returned home with reddened eyes from his experience with the dust and other things and the loss of sleep.

Things have changed. Now the farmer leaves home in the morning with a load of the weed on his car or truck and if he gets in on first sales he can be home at his work by noon or soon after on the same day, minus the red eyes, the cold, etc., which he invariably got when he had to spend the night.

George Shaffer, a. d. w., judgment suspended.

OFFENDED BY INSOLENT LETTERS

John G. Fulton Says All of the Good People Didn't Vote For Turpin—Correspondents Contentions Are Not True.

Walnut Cove, Oct. 23.

Editors Danbury Reporter:

I have never felt inclined to write for publication. Always have found it profitable to work at my own business regularly. Would not write now, but I have stood the insult to myself, family and a host of good people all over Stokes county just as long as any gentleman can stand it without speaking out in meeting. The insult is the many letters being printed in your interesting paper laying claim to the fact that all good people of Stokes county voted in primaries and the convention for one Hampton Turpin. If there was any truth in the claim of the many correspondents or letter-writers, I would hang my head and never speak, but such statements are not true. Below you will find a list of names that voted for J. F. Dunlap in the primary in east Walnut Cove, also a list who stood up to be counted for D. C. Taylor, besides a good number that supported Dixie Nunn. Dunlap's friends in primary east Walnut Cove, just a few, such as I can remember, follow: M. T. Chilton, J. H. (Dick) Fulton, each superintendents of successful Sunday schools here, Dr. R. G. Tuttle, J. P. Voss, Mrs. Voss, Mrs. J. E. Cook, Mrs. Isaac Zimmerman, Mrs. James Williams, the writer's wife and daughter, the latter the young woman who made a talk in convention in support of Mr. Dunlap, and many, many other men and women voted for him. Taylor's forces were headed by no less a personage than Mr. J. Wesley Morefield, of our city, a good number voted for Mr. Nunn. On the two sides of our precinct, east and west Walnut Cove, one hundred and fifty people, out of this number fifteen voted for Turpin, the remaining one hundred and thirty five, agreeable to claims made by scribbles, are bad people. I tell you fearlessly, all of the one hundred and fifty in attendance on this primary were good people, nothing less, and not a single one of them are unkindful of these insolent letters.

Of all the many privileges accorded us under our form of government, the one nearest my heart is that privilege of personal freedom—act in all things just as you like so long as you stay within the pales of the law. And I would not for a moment undertake to dictate to any individual. But to Republicans, those among us who are not in position to hear the truth, I would say this: Keep open both eyes and ears, the truth is out, by listening you will hear it for yourselves, each and every one of you, and being Republicans you will need no persuading on election day as to who to vote for. Truth is mighty and must and will prevail. Those among our citizens who believe what has been written about all "good people" voting for Turpin, when the votes are counted printed results in cold type—Fry's vote, Dunlap's vote, Turpin's vote—will at once begin to look around for the good neighbors with whom they have associated so long, pleasantly, and say where are all the good people?

JOHN G. FULTON.

J. G. H. Mitchell Ill At Walnut Cove

Winston-Salem, Oct. 21.—Sam Mitchell, a well known colored citizen of this city, went to Walnut Cove today to see his old master, Gideon Mitchell, who is seriously ill at his home there. The latter is 87 years old and has been in feeble health for several years. "Mr. Gid, who raised me, was the youngest of thirteen children," said Sam this morning.

Mr. Mitchell owns valuable farm lands in Stokes and for many years has been one of her leading citizens. He is a Democrat of the old school. He had passed the three-score and ten mark when he married, his wife dying a few years ago, leaving four children.

W. R. PETREE ON SHERIFF FIGHT

Makes Appeal For Sheriff Turpin On Account of Fact That He Has Made County Better and Safer Place.

Germanton, Oct. 23.

Editors Danbury Reporter:

Through your columns we have had several good letters from different parts of the county from men and women expressing their views on the political situation now existing in the county, also one particularly good letter from a former citizen, now of Winston-Salem. The argument of this former citizen in favor of Mr. Turpin's candidacy should appeal to every good citizen. He tells you that this man Turpin has made a record for law-enforcement not excelled by anyone in the State, quoting the State prohibition enforcement head. If I had no other appeal to make for Mr. Turpin except that he was not fairly treated by the Republicans in their convention, I would not make an appeal for him, notwithstanding the fact that the Republicans had established a precedent of giving a faithful officer a second term, and the opposition brought charges against him on the convention floor, but to the contrary the man who put Mr. Dunlap's name before the convention frankly admitted that Mr. Turpin had done his duty. I say that I shall not appeal to you on account of these facts alone, but I appeal to you, men and women, to elect Turpin that we may have a better county to live in, a better county in which to bring up your boys and girls.

The opposition say that Mr. Turpin has done his duty—can they say more for him? Then why do they wish to turn him down? Is it because either of the other candidates could excel him in law enforcement? If I thought either of them would do so I would be willing to make the change.

I have been told that many false rumors are being circulated in order to injure Turpin's chance of election. One among them is that Republicans who are for him will desert him at the last and vote for Dunlap, and another is that Democrats who are for him will desert him and vote for Mr. Fry. Also the opponents of Turpin say, so I have been told, that those who vote for Turpin cannot vote for anyone else because Turpin is an independent candidate. Don't let anyone deceive you in regard to these matters because the good Democrats and Republicans who have stated that it is their purpose to vote for Turpin will do so regardless of their past party affiliation, and because they place the welfare and good name of their county above the success of any political party, and, too, anybody who wishes to do so can vote for Turpin and candidates for all the other offices. Let them be Democrats or Republicans, men or women, this is not a political fight, but a fight for law-enforcement, a fight to redeem the county's good name. Let's stand together like true men and women and we will teach both political parties that they must come clean if they want our votes in the future.

W. R. PETREE.

Mr. Spruill Popular In Davidson

Davidson County Dispatch.

In addition to working to put over the county ticket in the coming election the Democrats of Davidson county are very much interested in the candidacy of Hon. J. F. Spruill for Solicitor to succeed Hon. John C. Bower, and it now appears that this county will give him a very flattering vote. Stokes county will of course go Republican but Guilford is expected to roll up the usual Democratic majority. It is estimated by the most conservative of the leaders that Mr. Spruill will defeat his opponent by several hundred majority. Mr. Spruill has an unusually strong following in this county and in addition to carrying the full Democratic vote he will undoubtedly get a good number of Republican votes, being popular with both parties.

Mr. E. P. Newsom, a prominent citizen of King, was here Monday attending to business matters.

BAPTIST MEETING AT WALNUT COVE

G. T. Baker and D. V. Carroll Committee In Charge of the Meeting—Program Includes Some Interesting Discussions.

The regular union meeting of the Pilot Mountain Baptist Association will be held with the Walnut Cove church Friday, Saturday and Sunday, October 27, 28 and 29. All pastors in the association are urged to attend and see that three delegates from each church are present.

G. T. Baker and D. V. Carroll compose the committee in charge of the meeting. The program follows:

Program Friday.

10:30—Devotional, Pastor J. L. Powers.

10:45—Organization.

11:00—Sermon, J. F. Carter; alternate, P. E. Downs.

1:30—Enrollment of delegates.

2:00—Should the pastorates of our churches be lengthened? If so, why and how?—L. U. Wilson and C. C. Haymore.

2:45—Should a church or Sunday school have bazaars, festivals, other amusements to raise funds either for their support or for benevolence?—V. M. Swain and J. B. Stanley.

3:00—Under present economic conditions are we honorably bound to pay the 75 million pledges? and should this fund be used for any other purpose than those specified?—H. W. Baucom and L. W. Burrus.

7:00—Song service.

7:15—Devotional, S. F. Morton.

7:30—Sermon, J. R. Jester.

Saturday's Program.

10:00—Devotional, E. W. Turner.

10:15—Shall we increase our Baptist intelligence by putting the Biblical Recorder in the homes of our people?—T. C. Keaton and E. L. Smoak.

10:45—Shall we ask the Sunday School Board to prepare a catechism on Bible training and Bible doctrines as Baptists hold them?—J. R. Jester and L. P. Soots.

11:15—Duties of Pastors and Deacons—Led by W. D. Spinx, followed by general discussion.

2:00—How may we enlist the unenlisted membership in our churches?—J. Mason Richardson and R. A. Sullivan.

2:45—The importance of family worship and early home training—J. T. Byrum and J. H. Fulghum.

3:30—Temperance: What should be the attitude of the Christian citizenship toward enforcement of the Eighteenth Amendment and Volstead Act?—Dr. J. T. Taylor, J. T. Kirk, J. H. Hall, and D. W. Pool. Open discussion.

Sunday.

10:00—Sunday school.

11:00—Sermon, Fred N. Day; alternate, F. L. Fiddler.

Bad Teaching For Public Schools

We are well aware of the fact that it is an easy matter to find fault, but in some cases it may serve a good purpose to "butt in" and ask questions about matters of general interest. Our attention has been called to the fact that the new "Physical Geography, by Ralph S. Tarr, Professor of Dyma Mic Geology and Physical Geography in Cornell University," is one of the text books used in graded schools throughout the State.

In that book, page 369, chapter 19, on "Man and Nature," we find something like this: "The origin of man is not known, although scientists generally agree that he has developed, by the process of evolution, from some high form of animal," etc.

In the book of Genesis, 1:26, 27, we read as follows: "And God said, let us make man in our image, after our likeness, and let him have dominion over the fish of the sea.

"So God created man in His own image, in the image of God created He him," etc.

So those who believe the Bible do know the origin of man, and it seems to us that there should be ringing protest sent up against teaching anything in our public schools that gives the lie to God's word.—Monroe Enquirer.

MAN AND STILL TAKEN YESTERDAY

Lum Sisk Placed Under \$500.00 Bond—Thirty-Two Barrels of Beer Destroyed In the Smithtown Section Sunday.

Lum Sisk, of the Campbell section, was arrested yesterday by Deputy Sheriff J. D. Hole and R. L. Lawson while at a distillery near his home and was placed under a bond of \$500.00 for his appearance at the next term of court here on the charge of manufacturing whiskey.

The still and a small quantity of brandy were also captured and some beer destroyed. The copper was brought here and placed in the county jail. Sisk furnished bond and was released.

Sheriff H. D. Turpin and deputies made a raid in the Smithtown section Sunday afternoon. Thirty-one barrels of beer were destroyed by the officers but the still had been removed before they arrived. One man was arrested but later released for the lack of evidence against him.

IS STOKES COUNTY BEING NEGLECTED?

Citizen Wants To Know Why Contract Has Not Been Let For Last Lap Of Danbury-Westfield Highway.

Westfield, Route 1, Oct. 23.

Editor Reporter:

The survey of that part of the Danbury-Westfield highway lying between Danbury and Clemmons ford bridge was begun early in June and was finished in August. Since the completion of the survey the State highway commission has had two lettings of contracts for road construction in the several districts. If you can will you not explain to the people who are interested in this road why it is that contract for the construction of the road has not been let?

Some say that it is because the highway commission is not interested in the welfare of Stokes county; that our representative in the last legislature voted against the road bill, etc., but some of us could not help this and we are suffering for the misdeeds of the other fellow, if the above be true.

If some one will persuade the highway commission to complete our road we will be very thankful as we need it badly.

INTERESTED CITIZEN.

Parent-Teacher Association Meets

A number of interested school patrons met with the teachers at the school house last Thursday night for the purpose of re-organizing a Parent-Teacher Association. Mrs. R. R. King was elected president, Miss McCollum vice-president and Miss Morefield secretary-treasurer.

Talks were made by Mrs. J. S. Taylor and Mrs. N. Earl Wall. They emphasized the great importance of teachers and parents working together for the good of the school.

Ways of interesting parents who do not send their children to school were discussed. There are many bright boys and girls who are growing to manhood and womanhood without an education, when they would make much better citizens if they would attend school and take advantage of the opportunities offered them.

The next meeting of the association will be held on the 16th of November.

Another Automobile Accident This Week

Berkley Sheppard and Claud Tiley were each right badly hurt early this week when the wheel broke on a car they were driving to Walnut Cove and threw the automobile in a ditch near the home of R. A. Hedgecock. Young Sheppard was hurt probably the worst, having his nose broken and being otherwise hurt. The young men had a load of tobacco on the car and had started to Winston-Salem. They reside on Danbury Route 1.