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MUCH TOBACCO AT KING POOL

Co-Ops Warehouse Is Being Kept Busy—C. J. Newsom Ill—New Home For J. Wilson Mitchell—Personals.

King, Nov. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Caudle, of Winston-Salem, spent Monday here with relatives.

Born unto Mr. and Mrs. Vestal Kiser, a son. The youngster, whose name is Joe Winfred, arrived last week.

Mr. R. C. Meadows has subdivided a part of his farm lying just west of town and will sell it at public auction on Dec. 1.

The co-operative warehouse here will close on Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 28th, for the Thanksgiving holidays, opening again on Monday, Dec. 3.

A force of men are at work excavating for the foundation of a new home for Mr. J. Wilson Mitchell, just west of town.

Mr. A. S. Boles, of Washington, D. C., is spending a few days with his parents, who reside near here.

The King High School basketball team defeated the Pinnacle High School team here Friday and the score was 20 to 13.

Dr. Lee Kiser, of Statesville, was among the visitors here Sunday. Dr. Kiser is a chiropractor and is enjoying a nice practice, we are told.

Mr. C. J. Newsom, who resides two miles south of town, is very ill with paralysis of the brain.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Tuttle, of Rural Hall, spent Sunday with Mrs. Tuttle's parents near here.

Clark Bros., trained animal shows will exhibit here Wednesday, going from here to East Bend.

The co-operative warehouse here had its best day today, receiving approximately forty thousand pounds of tobacco.

Mr. Paul Fulton, of Walnut Cove, was among the visitors in town today.

Epworth League Organized Here

On Monday night, Nov. 19th, several of the young people of Danbury met at the home of Miss Josie Pepper for the purpose of organizing an Epworth League, and the following officers were elected:

President, Miss Mabel Hardesty, Vice-Pres. Miss Josie Pepper, Sec.-Treas. Miss Luna Taylor, First Dept. Supt. Mrs. W. G. Petree, Second Dept. Supt. Mrs. N. A. Martin, Third Dept. Supt. Mrs. W. E. Joyce, Fourth Dept. Supt. Mrs. J. W. Hall.

Today our League is only in its chrysalis but tomorrow we hope to be accomplishing things that will make us live long in the hearts of the young people of Danbury.

Our meetings are to be held every Sunday night at the Methodist church and we shall be delighted to have all the young people present.

PRES. HARDESTY,
SEC. TAYLOR.

Fine Tobacco Sale.

R. C. Booth made an excellent sale of tobacco on the Winston-Salem market yesterday, selling two thousand pounds for a little over \$800. His average was 41

COURT BEGINS HERE MONDAY

One-Week Term For Trial Of Civil Cases Only—Judge C. C. Lyon To Preside—Names Of Jurors.

The special term of Stokes Superior court for the trial of civil cases, recently granted by the Governor, will open here Monday morning, Dec. 3rd. Judge C. C. Lyon has been assigned to preside over the term. It is hoped to clear up the congested docket in Stokes during this term of court.

Jurors drawn to serve at next week's term of court are as follows:

M. O. Knight, G. R. Leake, L. M. Mitchell, M. C. Joyce, U. S. Jones, W. I. Bennett, W. O. Baker, O. S. Martin, J. E. Dalton, Wick Owens, L. R. Mabe, A. G. Cromer, James R. Caudle, T. S. Oakley, H. H. Williamson, W. P. Bowman, W. A. Joyce, A. R. Hooker, W. S. George, Elijah Wilson, W. W. Roberts, J. W. Shelton, John H. Martin.

POPULAR COUPLE GET MARRIED

Miss Mamie Smith Weds Mr. Clemmie Abbott—News and Personal Items From Germanton Route 1.

Germanton, Route 1, Nov. 26.—Miss Mamie Smith and Mr. Clemmie Abbott, both of the Palmyra section, were quietly married last Saturday at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. J. T. Ratledge officiating. Mrs. Abbott is the attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Smith and has a wide circle of friends who will learn of her marriage with interest.

Mrs. King Lewis, who has been suffering with erysipelas for the past week, is very much improved, her many friends will be interested to learn.

Ernest Hill, of Randolph county, spent Sunday with friends here.

Messrs. Ollie White and Joe Boles, of High Point, spent the week-end with homefolks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley White and small daughter and son spent Sunday with Mrs. T. J. Boles.

H. L. Hartgrove had the misfortune to lose a fine cow several days ago.

Miss Verlie Fowler entertained a number of her friends on last last Thursday evening.

The Friendship school is progressing nicely under the management of Misses Ruth Simpson and Luella Reid.

Rev. E. L. Smoak filled his regular appointment at Friendship Baptist church Saturday and Sunday.

Ralph Bowman, of Route 2, spent Sunday with friends here.

Charlie F. Madison, was here today. Mr. Fagg is a former citizen of Stokes and is now residing in North Carolina.

FARMERS TO GET \$3,000,000 SOON

Co-Ops Will Pay This Amount On 1922 Crop—Payments To Be Madg On Dec. 21st and Jan. 10th.

Raleigh, Nov. 26.—Co-operative tobacco growers will share in a third payment amounting to \$3,000,000 in eastern Carolina and the "Old Belt" of North Carolina and Virginia, according to an announcement following today's meeting of the board of directors of the co-operative.

Members in eastern Carolina are to receive their third payment on last year's crop December 21, while the "Old Belt" growers are to get their checks on January 10. This payment is made possible because of recent sales of redried tobacco by the association which is now in process of delivery.

Although it is stated that this is not a final settlement on the crop of 1922, in making these two payments to members the finance department of the association states that it will be necessary to calculate more than 100,000 accounts, since many members made more than one delivery to the association last year.

ONE OUT OF 12 ON PUBLIC PAYROLE

The Situation Is Bad and It Promises To Get Worse, Says Dearborn Independent, Mr. Ford's Paper.

Our greatest industry, says the Kansas City Times, is not the steel industry, the farm industry, the automobile industry nor the motion picture industry; our greatest industry is government! "One-twelfth of the working population of the United States is engaged in the business of government." For every twelve persons, one is working at "government." Every American works fifty days in the year to support this great host. Fifteen per cent of every American dollar is sliced off to pay them.

Every Congress sees scores of attempts to increase this army of the public pay roll. Even babies cannot be born now without representatives of the government near by. If another bill passes, children cannot learn their Three R's without representatives of the federal government near by to watch them. We are establishing with dangerous rapidity a class whose interests are so intimately connected with the continuance of things as they are, that the people will be helpless. Already this government class has completely lost the idea of being servants of the people; they do not exercise service toward us, they exercise control over us. The situation is so bad, and promises to grow so much worse, that someone must risk the reputation of being a calamity howler in order to call attention to it.

"Too much government" always means not enough good government. —Dearborn Independent.

BRUNSWICK STEW AT GERMANTON

New School Building Nearing Completion—Dr. G. F. Petree Will Remove To King—Personal Items.

Germanton, Nov. 26.—A Brunswick stew will be given here on Saturday evening, Dec. 1, by the Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church. A nice supper will be served at a very small price and an invitation is extended to all who will come. The proceeds will be used for the benefit of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Kurfes, of Winston-Salem, were back in town a short while Saturday.

Rev. E. A. Long filled his regular appointment Sunday morning and night at the Baptist church here.

Dr. and Mrs. G. F. Petree are preparing to move to King where Dr. Petree will be located in his profession as optometrist.

The new school building is nearly done and the schools now at Red Bank, Chaffin's, Petree's and Horsehead expect to consolidate with Germanton after Christmas. Heat and lights are being installed in the building and everything that goes to make a modern and comfortable school house.

Mrs. S. M. Jones, who has been sick is very much improved, we are glad to note.

Several of the local members of the Knights of Pythias are planning to take in the big Dokie Ceremonial which is to be held at Winston-Salem next Thursday.

Next Sunday is the regular day for Service at the Episcopal church. Mr. Wright, of Walnut Cove, will preach.

Keeping Money and Making the Car Go

It's a secret to me, and I'd like to know how you can keep money and make a car go. At every town through which you pass you have to buy oil and you have to buy gasoline. Something about it is always breaking, just like the owner—and that's no joke. I had some money and sugar in my gourd, but that was before I traded for my Ford. Now my hands are dirty and my duds are torn; I'll own another, that I've sworn. It won't eat hay and it won't eat corn, but it'll gobble up money as sure as you're born. Now, when I am called to cross the bar, I hope Saint Peter won't own a car, but will bear me away to that peaceful shore where the sound of the Ford is heard no more. —WALTER BLUE, Troy Montgomerian.

Fire At Meadows Saturday Night

A large feed barn, about forty bales of corn, some wheat, several stacks of hay, and several small buildings, the property of Dr. J. W. Neal, at Meadows, was destroyed by fire Saturday night about 1 o'clock. The residence near the stable, which was occupied by Joseph Martin, came very near burning. The origin of the fire is unknown.

STOKES CITIZENS BACK FROM HUNT

Ex-Sheriff H. D. Turpin and Others Had Great Time Hunting Foxes In Richmond and Scotland Counties Last Week.

Ex-Sheriff H. D. Turpin, of Pinnacle, who was a visitor here Monday, told of a big hunting trip he had in Scotland and Richmond counties last week. Mr. Turpin was accompanied on the trip by Bob Stone, Roy Gordon, Walter Fowler and others. On the hunt they captured two large grey foxes after long exciting races. One fox squirrel was caught, and lots of deer tracks were found.

The party drove through in cars and the trip was a very enjoyable one.

PILOT MOUNTAIN TURNS ON LIGHTS

Power Plant On Ararat River Completed Last Week—Co-Ops Warehouse Is Nearing Completion.

Pilot Mountain, Nov. 24.—The power plant is now completed and the lights were turned on Thursday night for the first time. The plant, which is located on the Ararat river not far from town, develops about seven hundred horse power, which will be offered to manufacturers who desire to locate here.

The co-operative warehouse here is nearing completion and will be opened next week. The building is made of cement blocks and steel and is considered one of the best storage houses in the State.

Texas Has A Golden Rule Sheriff

A newspaper man writing from Gatesville, Texas, says:

Sheriff W. W. Hollingsworth never was rough with a prisoner—never ever spoke harshly to one, in fact.

He never pulled a gun, never had a fight.

He never swore, nor drank, nor smoked.

He lives by the Golden Rule. Yet he always "gets his man" and he has never let a captive escape.

A Texas Sheriff, at that!

Sheriff Hollingsworth was a Baptist clergyman until his election eight years ago. He hasn't had time to preach since, but he says he thinks he does more good as Sheriff than he could do in the pulpit.

What's more his Golden Rule methods have proved a success. Crimes have fallen off in Coryell county under his regime and the criminal dockets are absolutely clear. Which is unusual anywhere in the United States.

The Stokes County Highway Commission will meet here Monday to award contracts for a number of bridges to be built in the county.

STOKES ROAD GETS LOW BID

Contractor Wants \$111,128.40 For Building Highway From Danbury To Clemmons' Ford Bridge—Structures \$14,676.

Raleigh, Nov. 27.—Barely less than two and one-half million dollars in road and bridge construction resulting from today's low bids were announced tonight by the State Highway Commission.

There were 18 projects bid on in the nine districts of the State. More territory was covered than at any other previous letting, except one.

Bidders were present from afar, these coming to North Carolina to take advantage of our all-the-year working weather and big building program.

The lowest bid put on the construction of the road leading from Danbury to Clemmons Ford bridge was \$111,128.40, J. F. Mulligan being the bidder. The distance between Danbury and Clemmons Ford bridge is given at 6.83 miles.

For the bridges on this road the Piedmont Construction Co. made the lowest bid, \$14,676.80.

Judging from the figures of the bid on bridges it is more than likely that bridges will not be erected across Dan river at this time but the present bridges will be used. The bridge work mentioned is no doubt for the small streams between Danbury and the river.

The only other bid on road work in this district was the road from the Forsyth county line to Yadkinville, a distance of 13.40 miles, and the low bid was \$76,266.50. Bridges on this road \$39,225.50.

The State Highway Commission will go over the bids today and announce their acceptance or rejection in each case at once.

Much Sickness In Campbell Section

Campbell, Nov. 26.—Misses Nina and Elsie Tuggle, of Campbell, visited Miss Ruth Etta Spencer Sunday afternoon.

We are sorry to say that there has been very much sickness this fall, Master Murry Handy, son of J. C. Handy, has been seriously ill with pneumonia for the last two weeks, but glad to say that he is improving.

DIMPLES.

Stokes Boys At Business College

In this issue of our paper, is shown a group picture of more than 400 students attending Roanoke National Business College, Roanoke, Virginia. North Carolina is represented in the student body of this well-known institution by the following young people: Junius Lawson, E. A. Carroll, Glenn Forrest, D. M. Pyrtle, J. G. Lawrence, Grady Nunn, Cecil Fields, R. F. Christian, Margaret Parbush and William