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FARM AGENT TO START WORK JULY 1

Prof. Trevathan, Graduate Of State College and With Wide Practical Experience, Has Been Secured To Do Demonstration Work In Stokes—Will Reside At Walnut Cove At Present.

Prof. Trevathan, who has been engaged in farm demonstration work in Virginia and other States for some years, and who is a graduate of the State College in Raleigh and is well qualified for the work, has been secured by the county authorities to do farm demonstration work in Stokes and will enter on his duties next Monday, July 1. Mr. Trevathan was secured on the recommendation of E. S. Millsapps, district farm agent for the State and who feels that we are getting one of the best qualified men to be had anywhere for this important work.

While Mr. Trevathan with his family will have their residence in Walnut Cove for the present, he will maintain an office in the court house and occupy it on all public days, as well as at other times, though the greater part of his time will be spent in the field, working in all sections of the county.

A little later on a farm committee or county board of agriculture, composed of two or three representative farmers from each township of the county, will be named. These men will meet with the farm agent probably once each month and the best methods of farming and other matters relating to the farm will be discussed with the idea of improving farming conditions, etc.

Meeting Of King Missionary Society

King, June 24.—The Woman's Missionary Society met with Mrs. C. O. Boyles Saturday. "Standing on the Promises of God" was used for the opening song, after which Mrs. Boyles read an appropriate scripture lesson. Next was a prayer by Mrs. W. H. Hauser. The topic for the day was youth and the changing age. The discussion of the lesson was led by Mrs. C. D. Slate. Mrs. O. L. Rains read an article on mission study which was very helpful. Mrs. R. S. Helsabeck read from the Recorder one of Dr. H. A. Brown's write ups. It was a real inspiration for everyone present. The meeting closed with a prayer by Mrs. J. H. Hutchins. The next meeting will be with Mrs. O. L. Rains on Thursday after the third Sunday in July. After the business session was over the hostess, assisted by little Doran Now, Louise Helsabeck, Dorothy Boyles and Sue Mae Slate, served tempting refreshments. Twelve members and five visitors were present. Personal report was good.

Ice Cream Supper

An ice cream supper will be given Saturday night, July 6, at the Buck Island filling station. A string band will furnish music and there will be boat riding for those who desire it. Everybody cordially invited.

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GRANDMOTHER AT THE AGE OF 29

King Lady Has This Distinction—Saved Child From Run-away Team—Boys Leave For Kansas Wheat Fields.

King, N. C., June 24.—Mack Caudle, of the United States coast guards, who is stationed at Baltimore, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. R. Caudle, in Walnut Hills.

The following births were registered here last week: To Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lee Fulp, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. David Cheek, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Goodwin, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Love, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Sid Culler, a son, and to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Aldridge, a son. Mrs. Aldridge's age is fifteen years while her mother who is now a grandmother, is only twenty-nine years of age.

James R. W. Rierson, of Winston-Salem, is spending a few days with relatives and friends here. Mr. Rierson was formerly a resident of King, having moved to Winston-Salem several years since.

B. Frank Pulliam, who has been very sick at his home here for several weeks, is able to be out on the street again, we are glad to note.

Jack, the four-year-old son of Ruskin Holder, broke his arm just above the wrist Friday while at play with other small boys. Doctors Stone and Helsabeck set the broken member. He is reported to be getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Kiser, of Winston-Salem, spent the week-end with relatives here.

C. A. White, who holds a position at Winston-Salem, spent Sunday with his family in Woodland Heights.

The King Tigers lost to Walkertown in a game played on the King diamond Saturday. The final score stood four and two.

S. J. Webster has just returned from Olivia, Harnett county, where he spent several days on business.

H. H. Leake, cashier of the Bank here, spent the week-end with his mother near Lawsonville.

Mrs. S. R. Slate and her little grand daughter, who reside two miles east of town narrowly escaped with their lives Saturday. Mr. Slate and his son-in-law Nathaniel Spainhower, were hauling up wheat when the team of mules became frightened and ran away. The small child was playing in the road in front of the home. Mrs. Slate saw the team coming at a terrific speed and at the same time she sighted the child in the road in front of the oncoming runaways, she made a dash across the road, grabbing the child as she ran and narrowly cleared the road as the wagon swept by her. If it had not been for the heroic deed of the grandmother the child would in all probability have been killed.

Rev. J. T. Saunders, of Winston-Salem, delivered a very interesting sermon at the Christian church here Sunday morning at eleven o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Wilson, of Gormanston, were among the visitors here Sunday.

H. D. Pulliam, who holds a position at High Point, spent Sunday with his family here.

Master Ralton Griffin spent the week-end in Winston-Salem as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Moore.

Messrs. Homer Tuttle, Norman White and Robert Newsom left Sunday for the state of Kansas, where they go to work in the wheat harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Wright, of Mount Airy, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Kirby in Walnut Hills.

Hints For Motorists

Slow leaks are often due to a loose nut at the base of a valve. The important clamp nut should always be tightened with a wrench or pliers before a tube is inserted in a tire. This insures a tight joint where the valve is attached to the tube.

SERIOUS CHARGES AGAINST FUNK

Prohibition Agent, Operating In Stokes and Adjoining Counties, Is Charged With Accepting Bribes and Will Be Dropped From Service.

Prohibition Agent John S. Funk, who has been working in Stokes and adjoining counties for some time, with headquarters in Winston-Salem, will be dropped from the U. S. Prohibition Enforcement Service July 1st, according to information coming from Winston-Salem this week.

Mr. Funk is charged with accepting bribes from prohibition violators, it has been learned from reliable sources.

Specifically, Funk is charged with having accepted a bribe or bribes from a bootlegger living at Liberty, Randolph County, it was indicated last night. The bootlegger, the story goes, drew the check for \$150, payable to a go-between, who completed the transaction. The malfeasances are reported to have been under way since last fall. The investigation, it appears, has only been under way for the past two months.

HANES WITHDRAWS HIS RESIGNATION

Winston-Salem Man Will Continue to Be Seventh District Commissioner.

Raleigh, June 20.—Governor O. Max Gardner today announced that he was highly gratified by the action of A. S. Hanes, highway commissioner from the seventh district, in withdrawing the resignation which he submitted several weeks ago.

Mr. Hanes' action was in accordance with the request of the Governor and other members of the commission, who asked him to remain on the commission by formal resolution.

Revival Begins Here June 30th

The Methodist revival begins Sunday morning, June 30, and will continue at least through the first ten days of July. Mrs. C. E. Steidly, well known evangelist of the Methodist church, will do the preaching, beginning Monday night, July 1st. She is loved by people of all Christian denominations, and people from Winston-Salem have promised to come to hear her. Come and make thyself at home in this meeting, and the Lord will bless thee.

ELLSWORTH HARTSFIELD, Pastor M. E. Church.

An undersupply of good roughage, especially legume hay, is one of the most serious drawbacks to successful dairy farming in North Carolina. Our cows are better bred than fed, says John A. Arey.

TOBACCO SALES MAY START EARLY

Association Meeting At Virginia Beach This Week Will Fix Opening Dates For Warehouses.

The impression is prevailing among tobacco warehousemen and others interested in the leaf tobacco business that sales in the warehouses in this part of North Carolina will begin earlier this year than usual. Probably the principal reason for an earlier opening is that the tobacco crop is earlier than usual. Infact farmers will be priming tobacco and curing the weed in a very few weeks.

The tobacco association is holding a three-day session at Virginia Beach this week, and before adjourning opening dates for this and other tobacco belts will be fixed.

Program For Sunday School Convention

The Sunday School convention for Sauratown, Beaver Island and Snow Creek townships will be held Saturday, June 29, beginning at 10:30 o'clock, at Pine Hall Presbyterian church.

The program for the meeting follows:

Song.
Devotionals by Rev. J. W. Campbell.

Welcome by Rev. H. W. Hudspeth.

Response by township President.

"Purpose and Good Derived From the Sunday School," Rev. H. B. Johnson.

Program by Fulp Memorial Church.

"Ways of Increasing S. S. Attendance," Rev. Hartsfield.

Program by Bethesda church.

Finding and training teachers and officers, Rev. J. W. Campbell.

Reading the minutes of last meeting.

Appointment of nominating committee.

Dinner at the church. Everybody come and bring a basket.

Afternoon Session.

Devotional by Rev. Hartsfield.

Song.

Program by Rose Bud church.

The Home and S. S. How They Help Each Other by Rev. T. J. Glenn.

Program by Pine Hall Presbyterian church.

Duty by Rev. H. W. Hudspeth.

Reading the reports of the S. S.

Report of nominating committee and election of officers.

Time and place of next meeting.

A word from anyone.

Adjourn.

T. H. GERRY, Sec.
F. D. YOUNG, Pres.

C. E. Vaden was here Saturday.

STOKES WILL GET \$26,850 AUGUST 1

Our Share of Funds Accumulating From One Cent Tax On Gasoline—Money To Be Applied On County's Road Indebtedness.

On or about August 1st the State will send to the several counties of the State their first allotment from the money derived from the one cent per gallon tax on gasoline, and from this source Stokes will get \$26,850, according to Charles Ross, attorney for the State Highway Commission.

At the last meeting of the Stokes board of county commissioners it was the decision of that body to apply this money coming from the one cent tax on gasoline to the payment of interest and principal on the road bonds of the county, rather than the reduction of the tax for the maintenance of roads in the county.

Statements are now being prepared by the highway commission to be sent to the 109 counties each month showing each county just how much of the fund has accumulated to its credit. Under the plan of distribution worked out, the counties will then issue requisitions upon the commission for the funds available, which may be applied to either the bond debts of the county or to road maintenance.

Wake county, which will receive \$68,400 according to the allocations, the largest amount allocated any county in the State, has notified the highway commission that it will apply its funds to pay interest on bonds. Only 14 of the 69 counties heard from so far have indicated that their fund will be used for maintenance, the others requesting that the money be applied on local road bonds.

Revival At Delta Church Begins 7th

A series of revival meetings will be held at Delta M. E. church, at Prestonville, beginning on the first Sunday night in July. Pastor T. G. Williams will be assisted by Rev. J. W. Conliss. Preaching each night at 8 o'clock. All are invited to attend.

Rev. D. A. Oakley will preach at Delta on the fifth Sunday night in June at 8 o'clock.

Luncheon At Piedmont For Fine Arts Club

Mrs. J. C. Bower, of Lexington, president of the sixth district of Federated Clubs and Miss Judd, treasurer of the Womens' Club, of Lexington, were guests of the Fine Arts Club at a delightful luncheon at Piedmont Springs Tuesday. The regular meeting of the club was held immediately after the luncheon and Mrs. Bowers made a short talk on club work.

MORE BUILDINGS FOR SCHOOLS

Lawsonville and Francisco Will Get Duplicates Of the Sandy Ridge School Building If Money Is Available—School Budget Approved By County Commissioners At Joint Session of Boards.

If funds are available from either the regular school building fund established by the Legislature or from the literary fund of the State, Francisco and Lawsonville will each have erected nice brick school buildings as soon as possible. This was the decision of the Stokes county boards of education and commissioners at a joint session held at the court house the past week, when the school budget was approved on the conditions as outlined above. And it is more than probable that the money will be forthcoming from the State.

According to the present plans of the county authorities the buildings at Francisco and Lawsonville will be exact duplicates of the Sandy Ridge building, which was erected last year, and which is one of the best school buildings in the county. It is likely that these buildings will be ready for the fall term of school if things run smoothly.

With the completion of these buildings and the Westfield building, which has already been authorized, it is stated that every section of the county will have modern school facilities, and the county authorities are being commended in their efforts to give all sections of the county equal school advantages.

Sandy Ridge Items

Sandy Ridge, June 24.—The people of this section are having a lot of rain, and streams overflowing on the bottoms destroyed some corn.

The crops in this section are doing fine at present.

There was a birthday dinner at Mr. Jimmie Nunn's last Sunday, a large crowd of friends and relatives being present.

Mrs. R. I. Ward, of High Point, spent the past week with her daughter, Mrs. Jimmie Nunn, of Madison.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kington and children spent Sunday at East Bend.

Miss Bettie Dunlap spent Monday night with her sister, Mrs. S. H. Ward, of Prestonville.

Rufus Duggins, of Virginia, spent Saturday night with Len Wilkins.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ward and little daughter, of High Point, spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dodson.

The Danbury Roller Mill ground its first new wheat for the season yesterday and the quality of the grain was good.