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MEETING OF TAX-PAYERS

Next Tuesday, Aug. 19, the Tax Payers Association will meet with citizens in the court house in Danbury to remedy tax situation.

Officials of the organization for the promotion of a Stokes County Fair are this week mailing out a letter to citizens of the county reading as follows:

The farmers and business men of Stokes county are joining hands in the promotion of a Stokes County Fair. We are building up our organization on a non-profit basis, our whole aim being the promotion of the agricultural welfare of Stokes county. Farmers of every township of Stokes county have purchased stock in the fair on this basis. This assures the interest and co-operation of the farmers in the development of a successful fair.

Quite a number of registered Guernsey cattle have been recently brought into Stokes county. The Stokes county fair will bring together the largest number of registered Guernsey cattle ever exhibited in this county.

Our catalog is now in the making. We will distribute 2500 or 3000 copies among the leading citizens of Stokes county. This catalog will be read by nearly every reading person in Stokes county. An advertisement in it will be a good investment. It will pay you well to have us reserve space for you. We believe you will do this in a spirit of co-operation, and at the same time you will realize that what you spend for advertising in this catalog will be a good business investment.

Our representative will call to see you within a few days. We hope you will give us your order for advertising space, when our representative calls. Thanking you for your co-operation in promoting the Stokes County Fair, we are

Yours very truly,
WM. F. MARSHALL,
Sec'y Stokes County Fair.
J. E. TREVATHAN,
County Agent.
Chm. of Catalog Committee.

Pajama Party.

Walnut Cove, Aug. 11.—Misses Carolyn Fowler and Ruth Bell were charming hostesses to a number of friends at a pajama party Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Bell, honoring Misses Evelyn Marshall and Dorothy Jenkins, of the Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem.

A profusion of lovely garden flowers and hollyhocks were scattered throughout the home, making a very attractive setting.

The guests were very attractive in their pajamas, the prize going to Miss Willie Marshall for the prettiest pair of pajamas which were worn and worn.

During the evening bridge playing was enjoyed, after which the hostesses served refreshments and sandwiches to the guests.

Miss Evelyn Mitchell, Dorothy Jones, the honor guest, Miss Lillian Fowler, Nell Taylor, Voss, Mary and the hostess, Claudie Neal, Alice Fulton, Evelyn Woodruff, Gertrude Croak, Thelma Peterson, Thelma Taylor.

FAIR CATALOG NOW IN MAKING

Stokes Farmers and Business Men Joining Hands In Promoting County Fair—Citizens of Every Township Purchasing Stock.

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Burke county farmers have ordered a car of ground limestone to be used in demonstrations with growing legumes for food and soil improving purposes this winter. Most of the lime will be used under alfalfa.

Four acres of Irish potatoes produced 624 bushels of marketable tubers on the farm of John J. Katchford of Catawba county. Considering the prevailing drought, this is considered an excellent yield.

Robert Akers, of Batesville, Ark., complained to police that somebody stole his wooden leg while he slept.

BIG LION MEET FRIDAY EVENING

Stokes County, Mt. Airy and Kernersville Clubs Will Hold Joint Session At Piedmont Springs—Steak Fry To Precede Meeting.

On Friday evening of this week, at Piedmont Springs, a joint meeting of the Lions Clubs of Stokes County, Mt. Airy and Kernersville will be held in the ball room at that place and the clubs will be addressed by entertaining speakers of the several clubs on various and sundry subjects.

While the meeting will be in the main a social affair, the Lions expect to discuss several subjects of importance and a full attendance is desired and expected.

Preceding the business session of the clubs there will be a steak fry, and the food will be served by the wives and lady friends of the members of the clubs, after being prepared by experienced cooks.

Following the repast the members, their wives, sisters, daughters and numerous invited guests will dance in the ball room to music furnished by Charlie Bodenheimer and his 10-piece orchestra.

Hail Destroys Crops Near King

King, Aug. 13.—Misses Fannie and Lillie Goff, of Winston-Salem, are spending a few days with relatives here.

C. S. Newsom has accepted a position with the Wilson Motor Co. and has already entered on his new duties.

A severe hail storm covering a small area in the Chestnut Grove section last Tuesday completely destroyed the tobacco crops of several farmers.

The King Tigers lost to Mr. Airy in a game played at Pinnacle Friday. The final score stood seven and four.

The following births were registered here last week: To Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Edwards a daughter and to Dr. and Mrs. Floyd Stroupe a daughter.

Homer Slate has accepted a position with the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey White, of Roanoke, Va., are spending a few days here the guests of relatives.

Miss Rema Allen, of High Point, is spending her vacation here. She is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Allen.

A game which was very interesting and exciting all through was played by the King Tigers and Oak Ridge at Walnut Cove Saturday resulted in a score of two and one in favor of the Tigers.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith and Captain and Mrs. J. C. Northcott and Miss Greta Tillotson are spending their vacation at Virginia Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Lawton and their little daughter are spending a few days here. They are the guests of Mr. Lawton's brother, L. G. Lawton, in Walnut Hills.

T. S. Petree, of Winston-Salem, was among the visitors here Sunday.

Rev. John Spainhower delivered a very interesting sermon at the Baptist Mission Sunday morning.

Miss Opal Ingram, of Winston-Salem, is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. C. G. Ingram, who resides near here.

FIERCE STORM AT WESTFIELD

Buildings Damaged by the Wind, Barns Unroofed, Trees Uprooted—Crops Improved By the Rain—Highway No. 661 Being Hardsurfaced.

A terrific wind and electric storm occurred in the Westfield community Saturday evening. A smoke house at the home of S. P. Christian was wrecked by the wind, while a portion of the roof on his residence was blown off. A number of tobacco barns were unroofed. A heavy rainfall accompanied the storm, benefiting the growing crops of tobacco.

Highway No. 661, leading from Smith's filling station to Rural Hall, via Reynolds school, is being hardsurfaced with crushed granite and tar preparation.

NEW SURFACE FOR ROAD HERE

Danbury-Buck Island Highway Getting a New Coat of Gravel and Tar at the Hands of the State.

State Highway forces arrived here this week and are now giving highway No. 89 between Danbury and Buck Island bridge a new coat of gravel and tar.

This road, which had already had one coat of tar and gravel, was becoming full of small holes, but with a new surface of the same material on top of the present one, it is believed that it will stand up under the traffic.

Since this road was surfaced a year ago it has been subjected to very heavy traffic, especially by the hauling of poplar and oak chunks, a majority of these loads being unusually heavy. It is the opinion of many that these heavy loads were mainly the cause of the surface breaking through so quickly.

Family Reunion.

The reunion of the Duggins family will be held at the home of W. M. Duggins in Mayodan on the 4th Sunday in August, 1930, instead of the 4th Sunday in September as heretofore held. All relatives and friends are invited to be present.

Ants may be driven from a dwelling by applying sodium fluoride around all places where the insects are observed coming into the kitchen or pantry.

Fifty-one poultry growers of Davidson county, made a trip of inspection to the leading poultry farms of the county on July 25.

The upland corn in Wilkes county is dried beyond all hope but the lowland corn will produce a fair crop reports A. G. Hendren, county agent.

PRICE OF TOBACCO GETTING BETTER

Lumberton Market Sells 119,432 Pounds At Average Of \$9.55 Per Hundred.

Lumberton, Aug. 11.—With the quality of tobacco somewhat better the Lumberton warehouses sold 119,432 pounds of tobacco today at an average of \$9.55 per cent pound. It was the best average of the season here.

\$9.75 Per 100

Fair Bluff, Aug. 11.—Fair Bluff warehouses sold 56,000 pounds of tobacco today at an average of \$9.75 per hundred pounds. Prevailing light sales are expected to continue through the week.

Prices Advance.

Fairmont, Aug. 11.—Prices of all grades of tobacco when sold for \$8.00 per hundred pounds or better last week appeared to advance on the Fairmont tobacco market today. Sales totalled 209,930 pounds at an average of \$9.76 per hundred pounds.

STOKES 4-H CLUB AT RALEIGH

County Agent Trevathan Pilots Goodly Delegation to Capital City.

Danbury Reporter:

Stokes county was represented this week at the North Carolina State 4-H Club Short Course which was held at State College, Raleigh, by the following 4-H Club members:

Winifred Robertson, Fred Ashburn, and Bill Ashburn, of Pine Hall; Lindsay Hawkins, of Sandy Ridge; Berkley Priddy, of Danbury Route 1; Mae Pitzer, and Miss Mary Neal, of Meadows; Louis Trevathan, Stedman Mitchell, Sam Jones, William Trevathan, Walter Sands, Jesse Trevathan, Jr., and County Agent, J. E. Trevathan, of Walnut Cove. The delegation returned to Stokes county Saturday.

Mrs. J. E. Trevathan and her three younger children are spending the week at Rocky Mount and Tarboro with relatives while Mr. Trevathan and the three older boys attended the State 4-H Club Short Course in Raleigh.

J. E. TREVATHAN,
County Agent.

Dr. R. C. Hewlett, of Manchester, Eng., called to attend a child, found the mother had baked a live mouse in a pie, believing that this would cure the measles.

Because the court of appeals refused to lighten his bigamy sentence if he returned \$25,000 he had gotten from numerous wives, George Leslie of London, kept the money.

Palm Tippy, 8 years old, is a swimming instructor at St. Petersburg, Fla. At the age of 3 she saved a baby from drowning and was awarded a Carnegie hero medal.

VIRGINIA CROP IS CUT SHORT

Survey Made By Richmond-Times-Dispatch Indicates Tobacco Crop Is Short Forty Per Cent.

A survey published this week by the Richmond Times-Dispatch with the co-operation of the county farm agents, indicated that not counting storm damage the Virginia tobacco crop had been cut 40 per cent. of the estimated yield by the drought.

DELIGHTFUL TRIP TO STATE CAPITOL

Four-H Club Members Attend Short Course at State College—Lecture by Gov. Max Gardner.

Twelve members of the 4-H club, with their county agent, J. E. Trevathan, and the county leader, Miss Mary Neal, spent a most enjoyable week attending the 4-H Club Short Course at State College in Raleigh. Those enjoying the trip were:

Winiford Roberson, Berkley Priddy, Bill Ashburn, Fred Ashburn, Lindsay Hawkins, Stedman Mitchell, Louis Trevathan, Jesse Trevathan, William Trevathan, Sam Jones, Walter Sands, Mae Pitzer.

The girls and boys think this is one of the most beneficial ways to spend our summer vacation and we hope more of our members will make a great effort to attend the Short Course next year.

We were kept very busy with classes, sight-seeing trips, and we were also honored with a lecture by Gov. Gardner.

Our trip to and from Raleigh was made on a school bus. You can imagine the fun we had.

Begin planning now to attend this course next year. It is worth all we put in it.

Yours truly,
MAE PITZER, C. M.

After plowing under a field of sweet clover and planting the land to wheat, C. S. Martin of Iredell county harvested an average of 22 bushels as compared with eight bushels an acre before using the sweet clover.

Ball Game At Walnut Cove

Get ready for a big ball game Saturday at Walnut Cove. Mayodan and Pinnacle are scheduled for a game on the Walnut Cove diamond at 3:30 o'clock. Come on and see these crack players.

Elmer Kasteen of Chicago, defaulted in alimony payments to his wife, but sent her a valuable wolf-hound for a present.