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COUNTY DRY ORGANIZATION

EFFECTED AT MEETING HERE WEDNESDAY. ATTENDED BY CROWD OF PROMINENT PEOPLE — TO HAVE ORGANIZATION IN EVERY PRECINCT.

Mrs. Nellie M. Taylor is chairman of an organization for the retention of the 18th amendment. Mrs. Jessie P. Christian is Secretary and Mrs. H. H. Davis, Treasurer.

A meeting was held in the courthouse and was called to order by George P. Burnett, of Greensboro, of the executive committee of the United Dry Forces of North Carolina. Mr. Burnett delivered an address to the meeting in which he outlined the plans of the State organization.

H. R. McPherson, of Walnut Cove, Rev. Mr. Hood of Sandy Ridge and C. M. McKinney were elected vice chairmen of the county. The six officers of the county organization will also constitute the executive committee. It is proposed to have a chairman in every precinct in the county.

Among the prominent dry forces of the county the following were present:

J. T. Welch, W. T. Jones, Mrs. H. H. Davis, Mrs. W. A. Neal, Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Fitzgerald, Mrs. E. S. Zimmerman, Mrs. Dr. C. J. Hebsbeck, B. F. Johnson, Mrs. J. B. Needham, Miss Claudia Rierson, Mrs. C. M. Burton, Mrs. C. M. Jones.

Mrs. Nellie M. Taylor, Mrs. Jessie P. Christian, Mrs. Mary J. Pepper, Mrs. Christine Stultz, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Joyce.

Unemployed Urged To Register

Lucile Martin, who represents the federal agency for the relief of unemployment in the county, will have an office open in the N. A. Martin former store building on Thursdays and Fridays.

Here Miss Martin will receive applications from unemployed persons, all of whom are urged to register at once.

New Lawyers.

Chisman Hanes and Joe B. Neal have each recently been licensed to practice law by the Supreme Court, having passed the examination with honors. These are two young Stokes boys. Hanes the son of Dr. and Mrs. J. Louis Hanes of Pine Hall; Neal the son of Dr. J. W. Neal of Walnut Cove.

Their friends predict for them much success, which they deserve.

Baptising.

The ceremony of baptism was administered by the Rev. Mr. Long, the pastor, to two candidates at the Baptist church Sunday night.

This was followed by a sermon by the minister.

Three new trench silos have been dug in Caldwell county this summer. Haywood Powell has recently completed one of 20 ton capacity in his barn.

Chance To Win \$1,000 A Year For Life

A chance to win an income of \$1,000 a year for life and other cash prizes amounting to many thousands of dollars will be offered next Sunday in The American Weekly, magazine distributed with the Atlanta Sunday American and other Hearst Sunday newspapers.

The amount of the first prize is greater than the average annual incomes of entire families in many states in the United States. It will be paid at the rate of \$1,000 a year each year the winner lives after the award is made and may amount in all to \$50,000 or more if the winner should live that long. The second award is to be \$500.00 a year for life and eight other awards will be large sums of cash to be paid annually.

These big gifts of money are to be made simply for an idea, a few words will be suitable for a slogan or subtitle to be used by The American Weekly, the magazine which goes into more than 5,000,000 American homes every Sunday.

The contest, as it will be outlined in next Sunday's American is one of the simplest ever conducted by a newspaper and the easiest to enter. No subscriptions will be required in order to qualify for a prize, no puzzles to work, word lists to build or anything else tedious or troublesome.

If you want to win \$1,000 a year for life, with all the possibilities of travel, education, pleasure, security from worry or unemployment that such an assured income will give, just see next Sunday's Atlanta American for full information about the contest.

A Sunday Arrest.

Brother Smith, Irvin Shelton and a young man by the name of King (son of Chester King) were arrested Sunday evening near Piedmont Springs by Sheriff J. J. Taylor, Deputies A. G. Sisk and Bert Smith and Constable W. R. Young.

Brother Smith was charged with resisting the officers, and on failure to provide a \$200 bond was committed to jail, being bound over to court. King was bound over to court on the charge of driving under the influence. He gave \$200 bond and was released. Shelton was released on payment of cost. The hearing was before Justice N. E. Wall.

The officers had been on a visit to the Yarbro plantation when they accidentally met the trio who appeared to be drinking heavily, while the car was being driven recklessly.

Brother Smith became quite abusive of the officers, and struck Constable Young twice, so Young arrested.

Timber Wolf Killed Near Cove

A timber wolf was shot and killed by a farmer near Walnut Cove last week. This animal which had been causing some little excitement in the neighborhood, is thought to have escaped from a show.

Wilkes county dairymen are digging trench silos and remodeling old barns as a part of the new program of dairy farming in that county.

KING SIGNS N. R. A. 100 P C

YADKIN TOWNSHIP COOPERATES IN RECOVERY PROGRAM — CHILD RUN OVER BY CAR — WALKER M'GEE REUNION — TANDY WHITE FALLS DOWN STEPS — MANY BIRTHS RECORDED.

King, Sept. 6 — The business houses here have signed up the N. R. A. one hundred per cent.

Edwin Caudle, of Winston-Salem, was among the visitors here Sunday.

Theodore Newsom has received his commission as field deputy of the Modern Woodmen of America. Mr. Newsom will devote most of his time to this work.

The King Tigers took one away from Walnut Cove's crack nine on the King diamond Saturday. Final score 13 and 5.

Miss Hope Jones has returned to her home here after spending a few days with Dr. and Mrs. Floyd J. Strupe near Rural Hill.

Our old friend, John Abe Newsom, veteran tobacco auctioneer of Winston-Salem, was here last week shaking hands with relatives and friends. Mr. Newsom has been with Browns and Piedmont warehouses for the past 37 years. He is associated with Taylor's Warehouse this year.

Misses Irene and Laura Boyles and Mrs. C. R. Newsom entertained a large number of friends at a chicken stew on Tuesday night. A string band made music for the occasion. The band was composed of the following: Grady and Coster Collins, Reynard Griffin and Grady Newsom.

The three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Holder, Jr., was run over by an automobile in front of their home Friday evening. While the child was bruised and lacerated, fortunately he was not seriously hurt.

The Fidels class of the Baptist Sunday school gave a chicken stew at the home of Mr. William Hartgrove Friday night. About forty were present to enjoy the occasion.

The Home Cafe, which has been closed for some time, opened for business again Friday morning.

Miss Treva Ashburn has returned from an extended trip to Washington, D. C., where she was the guest of her sister.

Wilson Brown, member of the C. C. Camp at Pisgah Forest is spending a few days with his parents here.

The Walker-McGee annual reunion will be held at the home of W. E. McGee on the old Germantown road the fourth Sunday in September. All relatives and friends are invited to attend with well filled baskets.

S. J. Kirby, of the Government Agricultural department, will speak to wheat and tobacco growers here next Friday night at 7:30.

The King Junior League team lost to Jefferson at Jefferson Saturday by a score of 8 and 7.

Thomas Hauser, of Siloam, was here on business Saturday.

Tandy White, aged 82 years, fell down a flight of cement steps at the home of his son, R. C. White.

NO CIVIL COURT FOR OCTOBER

BUT CRIMINAL TERM BEGINS OCTOBER 16 — JURY LIST DRAWN — LAND WILL NOT BE SOLD FOR TAXES TILL DECEMBER 1.

At the regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in session here Monday, it was decided to have no fall term of civil court, but the regular criminal term will begin Monday, October 16. The docket is large, and a week will be required to try the cases.

Jurors for the criminal term were drawn as follows:

Yadkin township — W. E. Kiser, W. L. Shainhour, P. E. Slate, W. O. Spainhour, R. S. Cromer, S. H. Kiser, J. H. Cromer, R. C. Lane, S. P. Bennett, T. C. Baker, E. F. Stone, M. L. Jones, Roy Ingram, J. E. Spainhour, W. E. Duggins, Sandell Wall, S. F. Edwards.

Snow Creek township — Linzie Mabe, Joe Woolwine, G. T. Shelton, Willie Mitchell, W. H. Joyce, Joel W. Priddy, S. A. Amos, R. T. Vernon.

Big Creek township — J. H. Hill, G. W. Durham, L. A. Nelson, F. A. Christian, Sam Lawson, W. H. Overby.

Quaker Gap township — W. A. Bennett, Sam Wilson, G. R. Hunter, Meadows township — S. O. Watts.

Beaver Island township — John A. Williams, J. E. Dalton.

Sauratown township — D. A. Roeminger, P. G. Alien, Danbury township — P. C. Campbell, Osa Smith.

The advertising of land for taxes was postponed by the Board until November, sales to be made December 1.

Saturday evening breaking four ribs.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Furches, of Seward, visited relatives here Saturday.

Raleigh Southern is seriously sick at the home of his brother, Joel Y. Southern here.

Grover Stone, while doing some carpenter work at his home Saturday, stepped on a nail which penetrated the bottom of his foot. In trying to catch he fell and stuck another nail in his hand. Antitoxin for lockjaw was administered.

The following births were recorded here last week: To Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hauser, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Julius Cook, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. William Tuttle, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. John Woodliff, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Robertson, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Nat Pratt, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Otis Watts, a son, and to Mr. and Mrs. Landis Newsom, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Newsom spent Sunday with Mrs. Newsom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ham Kiger near Donaha.

Keever Newsom, of the C. C. C. Camp at Mount Sterling, N. C., is spending a few days with relatives here.

James Wall and family, of Bryant Station, Tenn., are spending a few days with relatives and friends here.

JOYCE WRITES CHMN. JEFFRESS

DANBURY CITIZEN CALLS ATTENTION TO HISTORICAL INTEREST OF PROPOSED ROAD IN WESTERN STOKES.

Danbury, N. C., August 30th, 1933

Mr. E. B. Jeffries:

My Dear Sir:

Just a little of your time please.

Since there is a prospect of a highway from here to Pilot Mountain and from here to Madison to connect with the highway from there to Wentworth, it makes us the more anxious to see the letting of this contract. Danbury, midway between the two extreme points, has been my home for 76 years, and knowing the advantages it would give the public, and the development of the country intervening, I have no hesitancy in saying that it would be a great boon and incentive to the people of this northwestern section of North Carolina. The linking together of Surry, Stokes, and Rockingham county sites is what was contemplated a few years back, and from past experiences and observation it is not the best business to abandon a bright project.

We are on Highway No. 89 going north west to Mt. Airy from Winston-Salem. The hard surface end in front of my home. The road we want would start east to Madison at east end of our town going nearly a straight course by way of Shepard's Mill 18 miles to Madison to connect with road from Wentworth just completed. The west end would start at Piedmont Springs on No. 89 (two miles from here) would go 18 miles to Pilot Mt. Then running parallel with Sauratown mountain to connect with No. 268 from Dobson. Sauratown mountain starts here at Danbury, 10 miles to Quaker Gap is our game Preserve, stocked with deer, turkey, pheasant and quail.

One mile from here on No. 89 is the beautiful Isaac Walton lake abounding in game fish for the angler, a place frequented by pleasure seekers at a club house.

One mile from there (on No. 89) is Piedmont Springs, the popular resort for health and pleasure where parties from Greensboro, Winston-Salem and Mt. Airy have cottages. The above resort dates back to civil war times, when servants came with their masters in livery.

West on our survey 3 miles is Lewin's Cascade in the gorge of the mountain. The scenery is hardly surpassed anywhere.

Two miles on our survey, west is Moores Springs, another popular resort for health and pleasure. The water is shipped extensively on account of its curative properties.

Two miles west on our route is Vade Mecum, Mecca of the Episcopal Church assembly from North Carolina and adjoining states.

I was there a few days ago with a party and it was delightful mixing with the elite of our state.

Near by is the Tory Den, a beautiful cave in the side of the mountain. That afforded much history when the Tories kidnaped a girl

TOBACCO GROWERS MEET AT DANBURY

PROTEST SENT TO WASHINGTON AGAINST LOW PRICES FOR TOBACCO — DELEGATES ELECTED TO RALEIGH TO ATTEND STATE-WIDE MEETING — COUNTY ORGANIZATION EFFECTED.

Tobacco growers were in mass meeting at Danbury Saturday, protesting against the low prices being paid for tobacco on the eastern markets. A resolution was passed endorsing the Governor's closing of the warehouses, and urging him to keep them closed until relief for the tobacco growers is effected. The resolution set forth the desperate condition of tobacco growers, declaring that even when the necessities of life were much cheaper farmers were unable to pay their taxes, or to provide a decent living for their families. But now when flour, meat, clothing, shoes, etc., are daily becoming higher in the face of falling prices for tobacco, help for our people becomes imperative on the part of the government.

The Governor of North Carolina, U. S. Senators and Congressman Hancock were urged to take the matter to President Roosevelt. The federal government is requested to grade the farmer's leaf, and fix the prices on the same.

John L. Christian, H. McGee and A. R. Phillips were named as delegates to a State-wide meeting at Raleigh Wednesday, which will discuss measures of relief. Alternates were elected as follows: W. R. Peetree, E. L. Alley and R. C. White.

A county organization to cooperate with the State and federal government was elected as follows: J. L. Christian, chairman; J. E. Trevathan, secretary.

from the Rock house near by.

The Rock House, a two story structure built out of native flat rock gathered on the surface of the adjoining hills by John Martin brother of the first Gov. of North Carolina. This place has afforded much history and is a resort for tourists and picnics. Near by is a deposit of Flexible Sandstone, only two places found, here and in South America. From all the points above mentioned looking south, we have a beautiful picture of Sauratown Mountain. Hanging Rock is a drop of 150 feet in comb or ridge which is solid rock then a valley to the west half a mile to the east to Moores Knob, the highest point east of the Blue Ridge.

Three miles north of Quaker Gap on the highway from Winston-Salem to Stuart, Va., is the fine Reynolds Memorial School building. Don't forget Danbury was the home of two of our Governors, Glenn and Bicket.

For 20 miles west of here the contemplated road opens up a panorama unequalled anywhere in our beloved North Carolina.

We want to keep in the front ranks of progress and nothing will get us there faster than good roads.

Excuse length of this letter, but had to do it to present places of interest along the route.

Kindly yours, etc., H. M. JOYCE.