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\$16,000 ANNEX TO BE BUILT

WPA PROJECT FOR COURT HOUSE WILL SUPPLY MORE ROOMS AND OTHER CONVENIENCES—WORK TO BEGIN IN A FEW DAYS.

Work will start in a few days on the new \$16,000 annex to the court house, which will supply several additional rooms, as well as other conveniences for the use of the public.

These additions are badly needed for the use of various officials, as well as for the public's comfort and convenience. It is a WPA project and will cost the tax-payers of the county between three and four thousand dollars, the balance being paid by the federal government.

The improvements have been recommended by several judges.

Stokes Farmers Ouder Phosphate

A car load of triple superphosphate was ordered last week by several leading Stokes county farmers. This material is being secured under the Grant of Aid provision of the 1939 Agricultural Conservation Program and will be applied to legume crops and permanent pastures. Farmers ordering phosphate are J. J. Taylor, John M. Taylor, R. R. Mills, B. B. Walker, Jacob Fulton, W. C. White, N. S. Mullican, R. C. White, G. F. Stone, A. R. Phillips, Miss Laura Ellington, Mrs. J. H. Ellington, Paul Taylor, W. O. Dobson, J. L. Mitchell, W. W. Smith, J. L. Dalton, O. O. Grabbs, A. M. Caudle, and E. L. Conrad.

This material is known as triple superphosphate analysing 48 per cent. and is being requisitioned through the Agricultural Adjustment Administration. Farmers applying phosphate will receive one unit credit on their soil building goal for each 100 pounds used. Other farmers may secure phosphate by placing their order with the county office or one of the committeemen.

Orders have also been received for approximately 175 tons of ground limestone which is to be purchased through the grant of aid provision of the farm program. Some of the farmers who are ordering lime in this way are: R. C. White, A. R. Phillips, E. L. Conrad, W. W. Smith, W. O. Dobson, John M. Taylor, Moir Flippin, W. M. Jessup, R. L. Jones, C. H. Martin, C. R. Priddy, A. C. Payne, L. F. Martin, Lindo P. Pell, D. R. Stewart, James Chilton, Mrs. R. E. Botes, L. O. Spainhower, and I. G. Gentry. Lime can be delivered to the farm anywhere in Stokes county at a price of \$2.50 to \$3.25 per ton which includes cost of the lime. Under the grant of aid provision of the farm program, farmers may secure an advancement on their 1939 payments of \$2.40 on each ton of lime used up to 90 per cent. of their soil building allowance. A credit of

HONOR ROLL

RECENT PAID-IN - ADVANCE SUBSCRIPTIONS TO DANBURY REPORTER.

C. C. Cox to May 27, 1940.
Joe Hart to Sept. 1, 1939.
Kennis Pulliam to Sept 15, '40.
Joe Alley to May 12, 1940.
J. G. Durham to June 5, 1940.
R. R. Collins to Nov. 5, 1939.
P. O. Fry to June 15, 1940.
Rev. L. F. Cowan to June 6, '40.
Mrs. Ella Simmons to Sept. 15, 1939.
Mrs. Joe D. Anderson to June 7, 1940.

Fort Bragg C. M. T. Camp To Open On June 14th

Preparations are rapidly being completed for the reception on June 14th of approximately 650 young men at Fort Bragg, N. C., for a month's training with the Citizen's Military Training Camp. A great deal of interest has been shown this year by the return of a large number of men who have attended the camp at Fort Bragg in previous years.

Extensive plans are being made to make this year's camp both beneficial and pleasant for the trainees. The camp will be organized as a regiment of light artillery consisting of two battalions of three batteries each. The batteries will be equipped with the "French 75," gun, one of the finest weapons in use during the World War. Supervised athletics will be held for all men in camp and numerous competitions will be held in such sports as swimming, boxing, tennis, volleyball and track.

The Camp Area is under the command of Brigadier General Birdon who is in command of Fort Bragg. Lieutenant Colonel James A. Lester, 17th Field Artillery, will be Camp Executive and, under his direction, a small group of regular army officers and enlisted men will carry on the administrative functions of the camp, while instructions in military subjects will be given chiefly by officers of the 334th, 335th, and 336th Field Artillery.

W. R. Stovall

Constable Will R. Stovall of Sandy Ridge section was here Wednesday. He was telling the Reporter about the wonderful pig pen which J. E. Nelson has lately built. It is constructed of flint rock and is 7-feet high, cemented in the bottom and is modern and sanitary. Mr. Stovall thinks everybody ought to go to see it.

Mr. Stovall is considering the advisability of opening an office in Danbury, where he can meet his customers and friends to attend to business. He says it looks like all other lawyers, magistrates and officials here are doing well. Why can't he?

\$2.00 per ton is allowed under the program for the use of lime as a soil building practice.

J. F. BROWN,
County Agent.

JESSE SHAMEL DIES NEAR KING

DEBS HOLDER MOVES INTO NEW HOME—NEGRO WOMAN GIVES BIRTH TO 28-OUNCE BABY—OTHER NEWS OF KING.

King, N. C., June 8.—"In the Heart of the Piedmont Tobacco Belt".

Last rites were said for Jessie Shamel, aged 62, at Mount Pleasant Church Saturday at 3:00 P. M. The deceased, who was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Shamel, is survived by the widow and several children.

Debs Holder has moved into his new home on north Depot street.

Mrs. Lawrence Reeves and children of Sparta are spending some time with relatives here.

The stork had light sailing last week, only two calls made. They were to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bennett, a son, and to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burgess, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Cladie Newsom have returned from a several days vacation at Carolina Beach.

Miss Irene Edwards is spending some time in Richmond, Va., where she is the guest of relatives and friends.

E. W. Pulliam of Winston-Salem was a business visitor here Friday.

Mesdames P. H. Newsom and Annie Walker shopped in Winston-Salem Friday.

The following patients underwent tonsil removal operations here last week: Carlton Burrow of Germantown, Edward Tate of Rural Hill and Claxton Lewis of Vade Mecum Springs.

P. H. Newsom and Herbert Petree have returned from an extended business trip to Virginia and Tennessee.

Theodore Newsom went to Winston-Salem Friday to attend to some business matters.

Everette Spainhower of King, and Miss Almata Merritt of Rural Hill motored to Hillsville, Va., Saturday where they were united in marriage.

Homer Newsom of Charlotte was a week-end visitor to relatives here and at Tobaccolville.

The wife of Lonnie Scales, colored, is the mother of a 28-ounce baby born last week. The attending physician states that he thinks with the proper care the infant will survive.

Austin Garner has moved into his new home recently completed on Dan River street. Mr. Garner is engaged in school work.

James Burge of High Point spent Sunday here the guest of his sister, Mrs. Alvin White on Meadowview Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Vest of Denton, Md., and Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Vest of New York City, are visiting relatives in this section.

The King Tigers split a double-header baseball game with Stoneville in the King ball park Saturday.

HANGING ROCK NEEDS MORE LAND

STATE DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT MAKES REQUEST OF STOKES COMMISSIONERS, WHO TAKE THE MATTER UNDER ADVISEMENT.

Bruce Etheridge, chairman of the State Department of Conservation and Development, was before the board of county commissioners in session here Monday, with the request that the commissioners assist in getting 2,000 more acres of land to be added to Hanging Rock park development. Mr. Etheridge was accompanied by Thos. F. Morse, park engineer and a committee from the Winston-Salem chamber of commerce as follows: W. T. Ritter, E. S. Heffner, Jr., Ray Johnson, Ira Eline and Chas. F. Benbow. The Winston-Salem delegation represented the Winston-Salem chamber of commerce, the junior chamber of commerce, the Winston-Salem foundation, the Kiwanis and Civitan clubs.

A plea was made by Chairman Etheridge to the commissioners to provide the needed land to round out the park project. Some 2,000 additional acres will be necessary, and it was urged that steps be taken at once to secure the land needed for the entrance road to the park. If this land is obtained in the near future plans will be made for opening the park to the public this summer.

The Hanging Rock Park, Etheridge told the commissioners, has the greatest possibilities of any park in the Southeast area. "The Hanging Rock Park," he said, "from a scenic standpoint leaves nothing to be desired. "Its accessibility should make it the playground for Piedmont North Carolina."

Commenting on park projects in neighboring states, he called attention to the fact that Virginia has made it possible to develop six or more state and national parks. These parks are regarded as among the chief assets of that state, attracting thousands and thousands of visitors each year. The thought was expressed that the Hanging Rock Park will bring Stokes county back into its own as a vacation spot, the area at one time being regarded as one of the country's outstanding resorts. The point was made that so famous had the area become that all railroads throughout the country sold low-rate excursion tickets, of a fare and a third, to travelers to Piedmont Springs, Moores Springs and Vade Mecum, three resorts within a few miles of Hanging Rock Park.

It was stated at the conference that more than \$500,000 has already been spent by the government and the state on the project. This amount was paid out for CCC labor and materials and supervision. When completed the park will represent an expendi-

FARMERS RECEIVE 2000 CHECKS

PAYMENTS TOTALING \$60,425.12 BEING HANDED OUT BY COUNTY AGENT—MORE COMING.

Payments totaling \$60,425.12 under the Agricultural Conservation Program have been received and are being distributed to cooperating farmers throughout the county, according to an announcement by J. F. Brown, County Agent.

Approximately 2,000 checks for 1,020 farms have been received, which, according to Mr. Brown, represents about one-half of the applications to be paid. It is requested that those farmers who have not received a notice please not call at the office until he is notified his check has been received as all the checks have not been received and just as soon as they are, notices are mailed to the producers.

Mrs. Woodrow Taylor and young son, John, of Patesburg, S. C., are visiting Mrs. J. Fred Gerner this week. They arrived in Danbury last week and will remain here through Sunday. Mrs. Taylor plans to visit relatives in Winston-Salem and Reidsville before returning to S. C.

Rev. T. H. Houck made a business trip to Duke University today.

Wherever a similar park has been built the land has been furnished by the county in which it is located. Winston-Salem citizens and Stokes county provided some 3,500 acres for the present stage of development. Chairman Etheridge asked the Stokes county commissioners to provide the additional land needed to give the Sauratown Mountain section a recreational facility which will be the most outstanding of the state park system.

The Stokes county commissioners expressed keen interest in the project and gave assurance to Chairman Etheridge that the matter of furnishing the necessary land would be taken under consideration and a decision arrived at as early as possible.

H. L. Gibson, chairman; H. H. Brown and H. S. Johnson were the Stokes county commissioners present.

After the conference Chairman Etheridge and Engineer Morse took the Winston-Salem delegation on an inspection tour of the park. Members of the Winston-Salem group were not only amazed at the facilities that have thus far been provided in the way of a 15-acre lake, large bathhouse built of rough hewn timbers and native stone and a sandy beach. Under construction are trails and bridal paths and a road leading to the cottages, of which there will be fifty in number and which may be rented for weekly periods.

BUCK WALL DAY NEXT SUNDAY

FATS AND LEANS TO PLAY SOFT BALL AT RIVERSIDE PARK—PROCEEDS TO BE GIVEN FOR BUCK WALL'S OPERATION AT DUKE HOSPITAL.

The Fats and Leans of Stokes county will play a Soft Ball game next Sunday afternoon at Riverside Park in Danbury before the baseball game between Danbury and Brown-Rogers-Dixon baseball team of Winston-Salem. Carl Ray, Connie Mack's old pitcher, will be on the mound for the Leans while Big Bill Fulton, Ace pitcher in the City Soft Ball League of Walnut Cove, will be on the mound for the Fats. This game will be more fun than the Donkey game played at Riverside Park last year. Buck Wall will umpire for the Leans and Big Jim Lasley will umpire for the Fats.

The Fats will be managed by Bill Bailey and Ed Taylor will manage the Leans.

FATS ROSTER

Bill Fulton, Dennis Alley, Jacob Fulton, Jim Lasley, Paul Fulton, William Marshall, John Taylor, Dallas Kirby, Dr. Moorefield, Dr. Stone, Dr. Chester Helmsbeck, Wesley Linville, Tom Preston, Sam Jessup, Joe Hooker, Jess Nelson, Claud Boyles, Bailey Walker, Jim Voss, Oscar Fallin, Leonard Crews, Norman Dunlap, Ralph Mills, Boley Tuttle, Dill Dodson, Bill Bailey, Mush Johnson, Martin L. Mitchell.

LEANS ROSTER

Bill Jones, Odell Jones, T. C. Houser, Joe Sands, Carl Ray, Leonard van Noppen, Ralph Scott, All Ellington, (Scrub.) John Levellyn, Cleve Lawson, Everett Wagoner, Ernest Hutchinson, Jack Gentry, Mack Caudle, Jesse James, Jim Craig, Reid Forrest, Gid Mitchell, Leak Lovin, B. P. Bailey, Ed Rankin, Fred Pepper, Rob Powell, N. E. Pepper, Ed Taylor, Ed Mitchell, Manley Dunlap.

Immediately after the soft ball game there will be a baseball game between Danbury baseball team and Brown-Rogers-Dixon baseball team of Winston-Salem.

The proceeds of both games will go to defray expense of recent operation undergone by Buck Wall at Duke Hospital. Buck is one of Danbury's most popular baseball players and star of the Walnut Cove high school basketball team.

Admission: Adults 25; children 15.

Come one, come all, join in the fun.

Farm agents of the State College Extension Service in mountain counties say pastures and meadows limed and phosphated in the past two years hold up better during dry periods than untreated land.

Tom Gray was in Danbury Wednesday from Lawsonville.