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SPRING COURT CONVENES MARCH 31

JUDGE WILSON WARLICK WILL PRESIDE — TWO WEEK'S TERM WITH UNUSUALLY LARGE DOCKET — LIST OF JURORS DRAWN.

The regular 2-weeks spring term of court will convene here Monday, March 31, with Judge Wilson Warlick on the bench, and Solicitor R. J. Scott prosecuting for the State.

The first week will be devoted to the trial of criminal cases, while the second week, which begins on April 7, will be for the hearing of civil actions.

The Board of County Commissioners in session here last Monday, ordered the following jurors summoned to serve:

FIRST WEEK (CRIMINAL)

Big Creek township — R. E. Forrest, J. E. Hutchens.

Yadkin township — R. S. Redding, W. F. Lawson, W. D. Rier-son, Curtis Boyles, C. Fount Law-son, H. C. Jones, W. S. Holder.

C. D. Boaze, L. O. Spainhour.

Snow Creek township — A. T. Steele, Moir Amos, Thalma L. Hall, J. E. Joyce, T. H. Sheppard.

Sauratown township — W. L. Nelson, D. G. Richardson, Albert Miller, L. R. Warner, J. C. Hut-cher-son, George D. Richardson, W. Neale.

Meadows township — G. W. Bow- man, Paul Southern, W. R. Smith, A. M. Carroll, J. P. Tut-tle, S. C. Lewellyn.

Quaker Gap township — W. I. Bennett, J. H. Keaton, T. M. Smith, Paul Martin.

Danbury township — J. B. Prid- dy, Jack Alley.

Peter's Creek township — C. M. Moore, J. T. Manring, Morris Rob-ertson, J. Arthur Mabe.

Beaver Island township — J. Wyatt Duggins, W. J. Flynn, A. L. Mar- tin.

SECOND WEEK (CIVIL)

Sauratown township — C. S. Fal- mn, Sefton Lewellyn, J. C. Red- man.

Quaker Gap township — M. H. Waden, J. R. Hall.

Yadkin township — Samuel F. Edwards, J. O. Payne, Wiley Jones, W. R. Cox, Robert James, J. E. Kirby, J. W. Johnson, J. W. Coon, R. W. Barr.

Danbury township — Clyde Prid- dy.

Meadows township — Hardy Carroll, P. O. Bennett, P. A. Ted- der.

Big Creek township — J. L. Frances, R. Arthur Slate, R. F. Christian.

Peter's Creek township — Her- bert Ray, J. Wesley Hall.

Snow Creek township — S. R. Ward.

Death Of

J. Irving Bolt

News is received of the death in Florida of J. Irving Bolt, well known figure here for years past. No details were learned. He was a son of the late Dr. Bolt of Florida, and was unmarried.

FARM AND HOME SHORT COURSE

TO BE HELD AT COURTHOUSE MARCH 13-14—ALL FAMILIES WELCOME—PROMINENT SPEAKERS ON THE PROGRAM

To all Farm Families and Interested Citizens:

On Thursday and Friday, Mar. 13 and 14, we will hold our Third Annual Farm and Home Short Course for Stokes county at the courthouse in Danbury beginning promptly at 10:00 a. m.

Dean I. O. Schaub, extension director, N. C. State College, a former Stokes county boy, will deliver the principal address Thursday, 1:30 p. m., using as his subject, "The State of Agriculture and National Defense." Miss Anamerle Arant, northwestern district agent, will discuss the status of "The Home Life In National Defense" on Friday, March 14, at 10:00 a. m.

Our program will feature O. E. McCrary, district agent and other specialists on poultry, dairying, home furnishings, foods for the family, home beautification, lime, phosphate and pasture improve-ment, clothing and the re-caning of chairs.

All families will be welcome at the short course. It is felt that the program will be interesting and instructive throughout. If you have problems and questions, bring them along and the specialist will be glad to give you help. There will be picture shows illustrating farm and home improvements morning and afternoon each day. There will be on display farm and home equipment.

Each of you are urged to join your neighbors for this two-day period of education and recreation which is sponsored by the County Extension Service and interested citizens.

Picnic lunch will be served at noon from the well-filled baskets; each of you are reminded to bring. Hot coffee will be furnished here.

Hoping to see you, we are

Sincerely,

MRS. LILA T. PEARCE,

Home Agent.

L. F. BRUMFIELD,

County Agent.

J. H. VANSTORY,

Assistant County Agent.

THE WAR

The war in Europe and Asia grows more serious.

Germany has occupied Bulgaria with a great army, and has demanded that Greece make peace with Italy on Italy's terms. Greece has refused the demand.

Hitler announces to induce Turkey to join the Axis. Turkey declines and makes ready for war.

In Asia, Japan is forcing Indo-China to make peace with Thailand.

In Africa the British still drive the Italians, taking more thousands of prisoners.

The British has landed troops in the Mediterranean which have clashed with the

ALFORD'S RECORD ON GOV'T LOANS

Field Supervisor Makes Nearly 100 Per Cent. Collections—Money Available Now to Farmers—Officials From Columbia And Raleigh Visit Local Office.

R. H. McElveen, regional manager of the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan office, Columbia, S. C., and A. E. Rozar, State supervisor, Raleigh, visited the local office in Danbury Wednesday afternoon in conference with G. H. Alford, field supervisor for Stokes county.

The officials expressed complete satisfaction with regard to the number of farmers that are being served by their agency and stated that Congress has appropriated sufficient funds to take care of the needs of farmers who are eligible for emergency loans; however, preference is given to the needs of farmers who require a small loan; the maximum loan is limited to \$400.00.

Mr. Alford reports that more than five hundred farmers living in Stokes county receive loans each year and that the four years as field supervisor his collection record by years is as follows: In 1937, more than 98 per cent; 1938, 99.99 per cent; 1939, more than 98 per cent; and in 1940, approximately 98 per cent., although he is still making collections on 1940 loans and the ultimate results should be comparable to prior years.

Applications are being taken daily in the courthouse in Danbury and in Walnut Cove in the Real Estate office of Mrs. Gladys McPherson.

I. M. Gordon Not A Fifth Columnist

"I am right with you in advocating the doing of all possible, and that in a hurry, to assist Great Britain in her terrible struggle to save the world for decent conditions on earth. It is not important that we even charge her on the books for all the fighting equipment that we can furnish and she can use, for she is surely fighting our battles, and all the 'skin' she can take off will be that much less for our men to account, even if she should finally be defeated, and let us all hope and pray that she will finally conquer the ravenous dictators of Europe.

"Yours truly,
"I. M. GORDON."

The great blitzkrieg is expected to start soon either in the Balkans or in the effort to invade England—or both.

Congress still debates the lease-lend bill, with Wheeler, Reynolds, and others trying to prevent it from aiding

FLOYD BOYLES LEASES NEW CAFE

Suicide Of Albert Tuttle — Flu Epidemic Abates—Other King News Items.

King—There are larger ones, but no better ones—March 6.—Relatives here have been notified of the critical illness of John Hampton at his home in High Point. Mr. Hampton formerly resided here.

T. G. New, Jr., who underwent an operation for appendicitis in a Winston-Salem hospital last week, is sufficiently improved to be removed to his home here.

E. P. Newsom went to Winston-Salem Tuesday to attend to some business matters.

Floyd Boyles has leased from Fowler and George their new cafe and service station which is nearing completion at the corner of Broad street and George avenue. Mr. Boyles, who has moved his family here from Winston-Salem, will open the new business within the next few days.

The girls' basketball team of the ninth grade played the eighth grade of King high school Friday. Final score, 7 and 3 favor the ninth grade.

Vesta Kiser is recovering from a recent illness at his home west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Holyfield of Winston-Salem visited friends here Friday.

Lloyd White, who holds a position at Holly Ridge is spending a few days with his family here.

J. Robert Cook is undergoing treatment in the Duke Hospital at Durham.

John Kirby, planter of the Dry Springs section, was here Saturday looking after some business matters.

The stork had a much heavier week's work last week. The following calls were made: to Mr. and Mrs. Homie Lankford, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Tuttle, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scott, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Austin Dezean, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lawson, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Mabe, a daughter and to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Vaden, twins, both boys.

The epidemic of influenza in this section has about subsided.

Thomas E. Smith, who holds a position at the new powder plant at Radford, Va., is at home sick.

Mrs. Alva Smith, who resides in west King, underwent a tonsil removal operation in the Stone-Helsabeck Clinic Friday.

Miss Rebecca Rains of Greensboro was a week-end visitor to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Rains on Railroad street.

Albert Tuttle, aged about fifty, committed suicide at his home in Rural Hall Sunday morning by shooting the whole top of his head off with a shotgun. Mr. Tuttle had been in failing health for some time. He had been a bus driver for twenty years and

HOW TO OVERCOME BLUE MOLD

R. C. White, Successful Farmer, Gives His Experience With The Tobacco Disease

Feb. 21, 1941, King, N. C.

To the Editor of The Reporter: Please allow me space in your paper to advise the farmers who are bothered with blue mold on their tobacco plant beds to boil the cloths 10 to 15 minutes before covering their beds. You can take a hog scald and boil them rapidly 10 to 15 minutes, then spread out to dry. Fold when dry till time to use. If a person does this and sees the water after the cloths have boiled, they will have a general idea of where blue mold is created from year to year.

I have tried this and I think if the people will do the same, they will usually get their crops planted before the blue mold strikes the bed so badly.

For example a person wouldn't take a blanket off a tuberculosis patient's bed and put it on a healthy person's bed.

I do not advocate using straw on a plant bed to keep cloths off the ground. In just a few days the straw gets wet and moldy and the small plants have to come up through it. I think it is best to use small wickets to keep the cloths off the ground and to let the sun hit the soil. I sincerely believe that straw is the cause of blue mold. It doesn't cost anything to try this simple remedy—just a little extra effort.

Yours truly,
R. C. WHITE.

Carl Ray Flinchum Is Appointed Game Warden For Stokes

Carl Ray Flinchum of Danbury has been appointed game warden for Stokes County. He will enter on his duties at once. Chas. H. Martin, former game warden, resigned this office some time ago and is now in Panama engaged in governmental work.

Marshall Recommended As Postmaster at King

Washington. — Representative Alonzo D. Folger yesterday announced he had recommended the appointment of Herbert Marshall as postmaster at King. Marshall will succeed Mrs. Trilby L. Tuttle who has resigned effective March 31.

Zeb W. Stuart, district highway engineer, of Winston-Salem, was here Wednesday.

Herbert Tuttle, aged about fifty, had an accident. He had driven for the county and people for several years.

The deceased is survived by his widow and four children.

Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Tuttle of Rural Hall were among the visitors here Sunday.

STOKES LAWS IN THE HOPPER

SENATOR MARSHALL AND REPRESENTATIVE TAYLOR EACH INTRODUCE BILLS — MEASURES TO INCREASE PAY OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, REGULATE FEES OF CERTAIN OFFICERS, TO PROTECT LIVE STOCK, ETC.

Senator William F. Marshall has introduced S. B. No. 123 in the General Assembly, providing as follows:

"To Regulate the Fees of Certain Officers in Stokes County", (County Commissioners to receive \$10 per day for each meeting and 5 cents per mile traveling expenses; sheriff to receive one dollar for each juror served, and \$50 for attendance at each term of court.) This bill has passed second and third readings in Senate.

Senator Marshall also introduced the following bill, S. B. 194:

"To Amend Chapter Four Hundred Sixty-Five of the Public-Local Laws of One Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirty Nine, Relating to Officers' Fees in Connection with the Enforcement of the State Liquor Laws in Stokes County." (Would allow, in addition to fees allowed by law, \$35 for capture of vehicle used in transportation of intoxicants, sum to be taxed as part of costs and constitute lien upon vehicle, provided that special deputy for purpose of enforcement not be entitled to sum.)

This bill has been reported favorably by Senate committee on salaries and fees. The following bill, H. B. No. 537, was introduced by Representative Edwin M. Taylor:

"Relative to Officers Making Arrests in the Town of Walnut Cove in Stokes County." (Would require arresting officer to cite defendant to appear before mayor or any J. P. in Sauratown township for hearing, but defendant retains right of removal to another J. P. in township, or, if none there, to another in county.)

This bill has been sent to committee on judiciary 2.

Representative Taylor has also introduced this following bill, H. B. 588:

"Providing for the Protection of Live Stock, Dogs, Poultry and Other Fowls and Animals by Regulating the Setting of Steel Traps in Stokes County." (As a misdemeanor the person permitting or advising to set, steel or spring traps in county, except in running streams, on dwelling or outhouse, for the protection of livestock, domestic animals or poultry against wild animals, such traps may be set on another's land only with written permission of landowner.)

This bill was sent to committee on agriculture.

Z. O. Johnson was here Monday from King.

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