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TESTING THE PUBLIC

For the first time in many years the various North Carolina fairs will depend for patronage absolutely on their own merits.

We can remember the time when a rough midway was regarded as an absolute necessity if a fair was to succeed. By degrees the rougher elements were eliminated until now the midway are respectable, as midway go.

But with the great interest in agricultural production, the desire to see what good farmers have done throughout the state, there is every reason to believe that the attendance on fairs this fall will be as good as formerly. Wholesome entertainment can be provided for those who attend for amusement purposes only.

We don't believe this will be the case in Hickory—even if the attractions should not arrive.

WHAT ABOUT KORNILOFF?

What will be done with General Korniloff, leader of the Russian rebellion? All the world is asking.

To spare the head of the movement Kerensky would be laying himself open to charges that he was willing to take the lives of the common soldiers while allowing an arch traitor, so far as the state is concerned, to escape.

Napoleon in the first days of the directory dealt leniently with offenders against the state and this was his policy for a time during the French revolution, however arbitrary and vindictive he became later in life.

And yet when one goes against the government in times like these he cannot hope to be trusted again. Had Korniloff merely resigned, his case would have been a simple matter.

The appointment of Roland F. Beasley, editor of the Monroe Journal, as commissioner of public welfare—a position created by the last general assembly—will be well received throughout the state.

We hope Mr. Fry will make enough out of his toll bridge at Horseford to pay him for the time and expense of replacing the part that was washed away. The tolls will be reasonable and the public, which has been denied the use of the bridge for over two weeks, will not complain.

When one considers the throes which France passed through during the revolution—discords within and powerful enemies without—he can understand the difficulties of Russia at the present time. The troubles of Kerensky and his crowd are greater than those of France during the revolution.

Mr. J. B. Duke, multi-millionaire, arrived in the city Saturday in his special car and hired a Ford automobile for the day. That's not a joke.

Just a little over a week before the fair. Are you ready?

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS

To J. W. Elliott, O. G. Wolf, Lyster Estate, E. Lyster, Agent, W. R. Bradshaw, M. P. Sharp and L. P. Fields Estate, J. F. Allen, Agent; property owners on 11th avenue, between 15th street and 16th street, you are hereby notified that the City Council at a regular meeting Sept. 4th, 1917, declared the above named district a permanent improvement district and have set Tuesday, Sept. 18th, 1917, at 7:30 p. m., as the time for hearing abutting property owners interested in the above improvement to appear and show cause, if any, why such assessment should not be made.

This Sept. 8th, 1917. JOHN W. BALLEW, City Manager

ITALY'S CHANGED VIEWS OF THE WAR

Christian Science Monitor. One of the most interesting questions in Italy at the moment is the change which has come over the country within the last year in regard to the war. This change has been noticed by many and it could hardly be better summed up than it was recently in an article by Signor Tovini in Unita.

The summary is just enough. In the early days of the struggle in Europe most Italians were naturally neutral. They had just emerged from a war of their own with Turkey and they knew from hard experience just exactly what war meant.

Thereafter, over many months, there followed the long drawn out struggle between the neutral party and the war party, the efforts of the former being everywhere supplemented by those unseen influences at Rome, with which every one who has any knowledge of Italian politics is familiar.

Italy continued her work, and as the intentions and purposes of Germany became more apparent, as the submarine warfare drew more nations together in a bond of common indignation, Italy began to see her ambitions in the Trentino and elsewhere as after all, only of secondary consideration. Her statesmen of many other countries, of the war for humanity, and, finally, when Russia revolted against autocracy, and the United States entered the great struggle on the side of the allies, Italy did not fail to show in many unmistakable ways that she, too, participated in the general recognition that the war was, indeed, as Signor Tovini declares, a war for "the democratization of states."

ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING ISSUANCE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BONDS.

"Whereas, public safety and convenience require the permanent improvement of the roads, streets and highways including the sidewalks, of the City of Hickory:

(a) That the city treasurer has filed with the city manager, an office city clerk a statement of the debt of the "City of Hickory" pursuant to the "Municipal Finance Act of 1917," and that same statement is now in the office of the city manager and is open to public inspection.

(b) That the average assessed valuation of property subject to taxation by the "City of Hickory" for the years nineteen hundred fourteen, nineteen hundred fifteen and nineteen hundred sixteen is two million, one hundred eighty-one thousand, six hundred forty-two dollars, and sixty-six and two-thirds cents (2,181,642.66 2-3), as is shown by said statement.

(c) That the average assessed valuation of property subject to taxation by the "City of Hickory" for the years nineteen hundred fifteen, nineteen hundred sixteen and nineteen hundred seventeen are the three fiscal years in which taxes were last levied.

(d) That the amount of the net debt of the "City of Hickory" outstanding, authorized and to be authorized (including all proposed bonds) is two hundred two thousand, eight hundred forty-three dollars (\$202,843.00), as is shown by said statement.

"The street improvement bonds of the maximum principal amount of thirty-five thousand dollars, bearing a rate of interest not exceeding six per centum per annum, be and are hereby authorized to be issued by the "City of Hickory" a municipal corporation in Catawba county, State of North Carolina, entirely for the purpose of paying that portion of the cost of permanent improving, constructing and reconstructing the surface of the city's roads, streets, and highways, including the contemporaneous permanently improving, construction and reconstructing the sidewalks, curbs, gutters and drains that has been and is to be assessed upon properties benefited.

"That the maximum period within which the street improvement bonds aforesaid shall mature is and shall be twenty years, which is the probable period of the usefulness of the improvement aforesaid.

"That special assessments upon properties benefited and a tax sufficient to pay the principal and interest of the bonds aforesaid shall be annually levied and collected.

"That this ordinance shall take effect upon its passage and shall not be submitted to the voters."

The foregoing ordinance was passed on its first reading on the 7th day of August, 1917, and was passed on its second and final reading on the 14th day of August, 1917, and was first published on the 20th day of August, 1917.

Any action or proceeding questioning the validity of this ordinance must be commenced within thirty days after its last publication. JOHN W. BALLEW, City Manager and ex-officio City Clerk.

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In many instances—Persons have suffered untold agony for years doctored with nervous weakness, stomach, liver or kidney disease or some other ailment when their real trouble was lack of iron in the blood. How to tell? New York, N. Y.—In a recent discourse Dr. E. Hester, a Boston physician who has studied widely both in this country and in great European medical institutions, said: "If you were to make an actual blood test on all people who are ill you would probably be greatly astonished at the exceedingly large number who lack iron and who are ill for no other reason than the lack of iron. The moment iron is supplied all their multitude of dangerous symptoms disappear. Without iron the blood at once loses the power to change food into living tissue, and therefore nothing you eat does you any good; you don't get the strength out of it. Your food merely passes through your system like corn through a mill with the rollers so wide apart that the mill can't grind. As a result of this continuous blood and nerve starvation, people become generally weakened, nervous and all run down and frequently develop all sorts of conditions. One is too thin; another is burdened with unhealthy fat; some are so weak they can hardly walk; some think they have dyspepsia, kidney or liver trouble; some can't sleep at night; others are sleepy and tired all day; some fussy and irritable; some skinny and bloodless; but all lack physical power and endurance. In such cases, it is worse than foolishness to take stimulating medicines or narcotic drugs, which only whip up your flagging vital powers for the moment, maybe at the expense of your life later on. No matter what any one tells you, if you are not strong, and well you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of ordinary Nuxated Iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see for yourself how much you have gained. I have seen dozens of nervous, run-down people who were ailing all the time double, and even triple, their strength and endurance and entirely get rid of their symptoms of dyspepsia, liver and other troubles in from ten to fourteen days time simply by taking iron in the proper form, and this, after they had in some cases been doctoring for months without obtaining any benefit. You can tell as you please about all the wonders wrought by new remedies, but when you come down to hard facts there is nothing like good old iron to put color in your cheeks and good sound, healthy flesh on your bones. It is also a great nerve and stomach strengthener and the best blood builder in the world. The only trouble was that the old forms of inorganic iron, like tincture of iron, iron acetate, etc., often ruined people's teeth, upset their stomachs and were not assimilated, and for these reasons they frequently did more harm than good. But with the discovery of the newer forms of organic iron all this has been overcome. Nuxated Iron, for example, is pleasant to take, does not injure the teeth and is almost immediately beneficial.

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