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MR. ANDERSON AT WAKELON HIGH SCHOOL

Will Speak on Mon-
day, November 29,
at 7 P. M.

Community Speak- ings Have Been Arranged

Mr. Anderson (Wake county agricultural agent) will be at Wakelon High School Monday, November 29, at 7:30 p. m. He will discuss the Model Farm Poultry House. All who are interested in poultry should come out to hear Mr. Anderson.

One farmer in Wake county last year made a net profit of more than \$1,500.00 from a flock of 200 hens. This farmer used the type of house which will be discussed by Mr. Anderson. If we can get a few standard poultry houses in our community and a few large flocks of purebred poultry, they would help to tide us over the low price of cotton.

Every one should come out to hear Mr. Anderson. Remember, ladies, as well as men, are urged to come.

This is the first of a series of lessons on poultry production. There is considerable interest in regard to establishing a large hatchery in our community. This enterprise would greatly encourage more and better chickens.

Community Meetings

Community meetings for farmers and business men have been arranged as follows:

December 13th—Mr. Pate, on Fertilizer; Mr. Holeman, Pyrotal (farm explosives).

We hope to get a car load pyrotal shipped to Zebulon.

January 3rd—Tobacco Diseases, by a specialist from North Carolina State College.

February 7th—Dairy Cows—Mr. Kinney, from Extension Department of North Carolina State College.

March 7th—Importance of good seed on the farm—Dr. Winters, from North Carolina State College.

April 4th—Hogs, by Mr. Shay, from North State College Extension Department.

All of these men are specialists in their fields of work and can give us valuable information.

We are very fortunate in having these men visit our community to help us. One for each month.

DEATH OF S. M. WHELESS

Early last Saturday morning occurred the death of one of our most prominent farmers and original settlers in the Zebulon community, that of Mr. S. M. Wheless. Mr. Wheless has not been well for a year or more, and his death though a great shock was not wholly unexpected at this time. The immediate cause of his death seems to have been neuralgia of the liver, which doubtless affected his heart.

He was buried in the Zebulon cemetery Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Davis, of the Baptist church, followed by the burial ritual of the Masonic fraternity of which Mr. Wheless was a member. A very large number of people attended in sympathy with the family and to show their appreciation of the life of a good man.

Mr. Wheless was 68 years old. He was a member of the Baptist church, and because of his long and faithful service as a deacon, was made a deacon for life a few years ago by the church. He was a quiet, unassuming man, a good citizen, a faithful Christian and a loving father and husband. He leaves a wife, two sisters, three brothers and four sons, besides numerous friends to grieve his departure from this life. These words from another express most simply and truly his life: "He was a good man."

SPECIAL SALES AND LOW PRICES

Most of the merchants of Zebulon have on special sales such, that to find the best bargains, it is not necessary to go to Raleigh, Rocky Mount or elsewhere.

THANKSGIVING UNION SERVICE BAPTIST CHURCH

Held Thursday Even-
ing at 7:30 O'clock
in Zebulon

Contributions for All Orphanages Will be Received

Two years ago it was decided by the churches of Zebulon to have a union Thanksgiving service instead of services at each church. In accordance with this arrangement, the service this year will be held Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Baptist church. Rev. E. M. Hall, pastor of the Methodist church, will preach the sermon and the choirs of the churches will lead the music.

This is the only time during the year when all Christian people come together for worship in our community, and it is hoped every one who can will be present to give thanks to God for his many blessings. An offering will be taken for the benefit of the orphan children in our orphanages. Envelopes will be used and each giver may indicate the orphanage to which he prefers his gift to go. The loose collection will be equally divided among the churches participating.

It is hoped the offering will be liberal. Our people usually respond generously to the appeal for charity. One fine man, we understand, offers to give \$25.00 if another less able will give \$5.00. Let each of us follow these commendable examples and give a worthy offering and make an acceptable expression of our thanks to God on this Thanksgiving Day, Thursday evening, at the union service in the Zebulon Baptist church.

FARMERS' UNION MEETS JANUARY 11-13, 1926.

The General Assembly should be carefully watched, in the opinion of R. W. H. Stone, of Guilford County, president of the North Carolina Farmers' Union, who Saturday issued the call for the annual convention of the Union. It will be held in Raleigh, January 11, 12 and 13.

The Legislature will be in session, Mr. Stone points out, and he wants the farmers who attend the convention to go around and talk to the members of the Legislature from their county.

Next year is going to be revaluation year, Mr. Stone said, and he wants "the burden of taxation equalized."

Also, the Legislature will be busy making appropriations, and that will need the careful eye of the farmer, he thinks.

While his call was being issued, the farmers' locals were meeting and electing delegates, in all the counties of the state where there are locals. These delegates will attend the convention.

Mr. Stone would like to see something done to help the price of cotton without "pushing the farmer farther in debt." Interest on borrowed money has been a terrible drain on farming operations, he says in the call, and has been the chief thing that has made farming unprofitable.

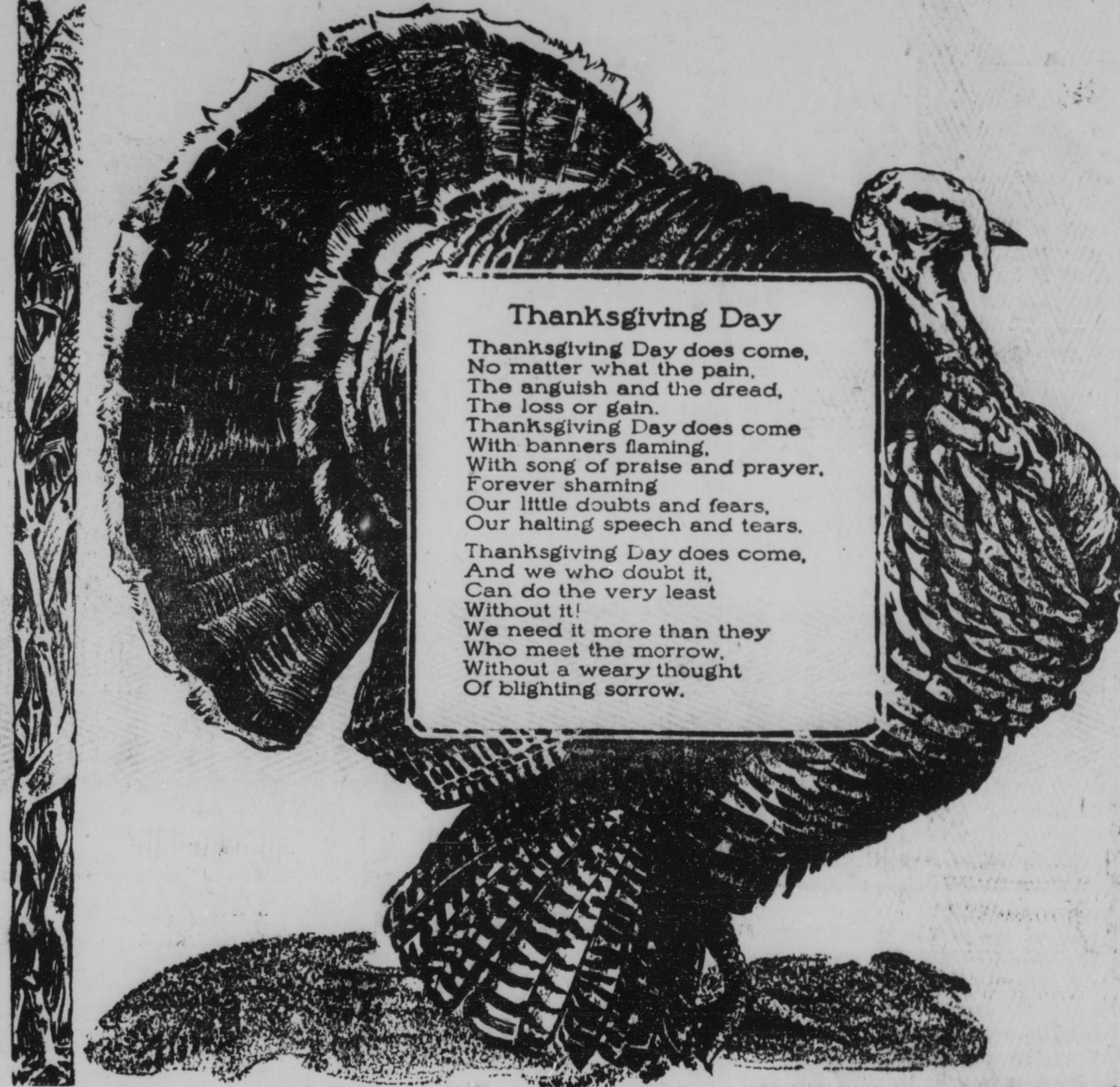
And do not for a minute think that people are going to rush out and help the farmer just for pure charity and brotherly love, the Farmers' Union president says. The other fellow has his own load to pull and can't pull his own and the farmers'. Whatever is done for the farmers' benefit, the farmer will have to do it, Mr. Stone thinks.

The other fellow has sense enough to organize and keep all other classes out of his organization, Mr. Stone said. The farmer should have sense enough to do the same, he thinks.

Fellows watching the girls go by frequently engage in a joint discussion.

The amount of life insurance some persons carry stamps them as rank egotists.

Yes, Ben Bolt, the modern Sweet Alice, doesn't "tremble with fear at your frown."



Thanksgiving Day

Thanksgiving Day does come,
No matter what the pain,
The anguish and the dread,
The loss or gain.
Thanksgiving Day does come
With banners flaming,
With song of praise and prayer,
Forever shaming
Our little doubts and fears,
Our halting speech and tears.
Thanksgiving Day does come,
And we who doubt it,
Can do the very least
Without it!
We need it more than they
Who meet the morrow,
Without a weary thought
Of blighting sorrow.

NEW STAR ROUTE WILL BE ESTABLISHED

A star mail route will be established between Rocky Mount and Franklinton on December 13, it was announced last week by Postmaster G. T. Matthews, of Rocky Mount.

The new route will serve Nashville, Louisburg, Castalia and Franklinton with mail coming in on the Atlantic Coast Line to Rocky Mount and all mail coming to points on the route from the Seaboard will go to Franklinton and be sent by the new route to Rocky Mount and other points.

The schedule proposed for the route follows:

Leaves Franklinton for Rocky Mount at 7 a. m. and 3:15 p. m.

Arrives at Rocky Mount at 9 a. m. and 5:15 p. m.

Leaves Rocky Mount at 9:15 a. m. and 5:30 p. m.

Arrives at Franklinton at 11:15 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

SERVE SUMMONS IN CO-OP. SUIT ON F. B. WEBSTER

Summons in Colonel Willie M. Person's suit against the North Carolina Cotton Growers' Co-operative Association was served last week on F. B. Webster, assistant secretary of the organization. Mr. Webster accepted service in the absence of U. B. Blalock, general manager of the association.

Col. Person, attorney for P. L. Parham, of Nash county, has started suit with the avowed purpose of bringing about the dissolution of the cotton association. No complaint has been filed yet, it is said.

Officials of the cotton association at Raleigh declared a few days ago that they feared nothing from the suit and welcomed an opportunity to lay the affairs of the association before the public. P. L. Parham, the plaintiff, they declared, is a mighty small member of the association as far as deliveries of cotton go.

Col. Person, however, was the originator of the movement which finally overthrew the tobacco association after several initial reverses. He is an arch enemy of co-operative market, it said, although a member of both the tobacco and cotton associations.

Experts in touch with the situation are of the opinion that the cotton association was laid on a much more solid basis than the tobacco association.

The late Duke of Orleans, French pretender, bore a decided resemblance to Buffalo Bill.

A Pensacola hotel advertises itself as the "Oasis of West Florida," if you know what that means.

TUBERCULOSIS SEAL SALE

As chairman of the National Tuberculosis Christmas Seal sale in this community, I take this opportunity of announcing that for the first time this year no seals are being sent out to individuals by the officers of the National Tuberculosis Association. If any who have been accustomed to receive these seals should be mistake get some again, they will please return them to the sender with the explanation that they are going to buy from the local committee in charge of this sale.

Ten per cent of funds received from the sale of these seals will be kept in the community for local welfare work. We expect to launch this sale Sunday, November 28th, and it will continue to December 25th.

See this paper next week for further information about this great movement, and make up your mind to buy only "Tuberculosis Christmas Seals" for your letters and packages at this Christmas season.

MRS. W. K. PHILLIPS,
Chairman.

VETERANS' LOAN ACT IS NOW A PROBLEM

Now that the World War Veterans' Loan Act has passed by a majority ranging from 30,000 to 40,000, what is going to be done with it? Who is going to get the job of commissioner, with the salary of \$3,500 a year that goes with it, who will get the other incidental jobs attached to it, and will the few hundred veterans entitled to benefit by the act take advantage of it, or will the \$2,000,000 loan fund created by the act go begging, and combwigs gather on the swivel chair of borrowers? A Raleigh dispatch asks these questions.

So as soon as the act has been certified as having been enacted, the machinery for the administration of the act can immediately be set up, and the \$2,000,000 in bonds issued, since the power to do this is vested in the advisory board, named in the act, consisting of the secretary of state, the ex-officio chairman; the commissioner of agriculture, the attorney-general, the commissioner of labor and printing and the treasurer of the State of North Carolina.

WHITE-JONES

Mr. Eugene Jones and Miss Grace White, of Bunn, were married Saturday afternoon.

A LITTLE GIRL

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John May, of Wakefield, a nine-pound baby girl, on Sunday morning, November 21.

SAYS 1927 TO BE PROSPEROUS YEAR

"North Carolina will be in as good, if not better, condition next year than any state in the union, with four big projects alone going on in the State which will total around 50 million dollars," Frank D. Grist, Commissioner of Labor and Printing, state a few days ago. "I look for it to be an extremely busy year, and one of the most prosperous years we have ever known," he added.

Two of the four projects to which Mr. Grist referred have already been launched, and the other two are expected to commence during the first part of the coming year. The Carolina Power and Light Company plans to erect a big plant on Pigeon River in the extreme western part of the State, on which they expect to begin work soon after the first of the year, he stated.

The other projects which will be launched next year is the extension of the Piedmont and Northern Railroad from Gastonia to Spartanburg, and north from Charlotte via Winston-Salem, High Point and Greensboro, which will involve a total expenditure of about 20 million dollars.

The Tallahassee Power Company at Baden has already started construction on a 10 million dollar project, while the Carolina Power and Light Company is building a big dam at Norwood.

There is of course the possibility that the Legislature will authorize some millions of dollars worth of roads and a number of smaller projects are slated for the coming year.

The demand already exceeds the supply for day laborers, Mr. Grist stated, and while there are a few day laborers without jobs they are the kind that don't want jobs. There are few enough "white jobs," Mr. Grist admitted, but recalled a time in his youth when he turned to digging ditches when several thousand miles from home and broke.

SNOWS IN ASHEVILLE FOR SEVERAL HOURS

On November 21 snow visited the mountain section, in and around Asheville, falling for several hours. The ground was blanketed with white but a high wind cleared the streets of the town of the fine driven flakes by nightfall. Indications are that more snow will put in appearance shortly.

FIDDLER'S CONVENTION

There will be a Fiddlers' Convention at Pine Ridge School on Friday evening November 26. Admission, 15 and 25 cents. Everybody invited to enter for contest playing.

OTTO WOOD, DESPERADO, IS STILL AT LARGE

Escaped From Peni-
tentiary Last Mon-
day Morning

Was Serving 30 Years For Murding A. W. Kaplan

Otto Wood, who Monday made his third escape from State Prison since beginning a thirty-year sentence for the murder of A. W. Kaplan, of Greensboro, was still listed among the missing in law enforcement circles Tuesday night.

Although officials in every section of the State had been notified of Wood's escape, and although press association wires carried to other sections the story of his third escape, prison officials at the penitentiary were without information as to Wood's doings since he made his get-away early Monday morning. Incidentally, there were no reports reaching Raleigh of hold-ups or daring automobile thefts, such as are usually staged by the intrepid Wood in his days "on the outside."

From Winston-Salem came the only advices as to even reports of Woods' trail since leaving the walls of the prison at Raleigh. The fact that Woods brother and former wife live in the Twin City gave wide circulation to the report.

To identify Wood is not difficult in that his left hand has been amputated at the wrist joint, but to keep up with or even get a line on the man who has spent his past several years "doing time," escaping and writing the story of his life, is, as usual proving more than difficult.

Wood's escape Monday resulted in the discharging of two guards, Joe and Starling Hux. The former was on guard at the backyard gate during the night and Starling at the time of the bandit's escape.

INTEREST GROWING

The revival meeting that is being conducted by Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Patterson, of Asheville, N. C., at Union Tabernacle, continues to grow in interest. Services are conducted each evening at 7:30. Crowds are increasing each night. A special feature at each evening service is the duet singing by Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, accompanied by the guitar.

There will be two services at the Tabernacle on Sunday—3 p. m. and 7:30. No morning service will be held. There will be special singing at the 3 o'clock service. All are cordially invited to these services.

LITERARY AND MUSIC DEPART- MENT OF WOMAN'S CLUB

The Literary and Music Department of the Woman's Club will meet with Mrs. Chas. E. Flowers, November 30, at 3:30 p. m. Please bring club books.

WILL SERVE SUPPER AT BAZAAR

The ladies of the Zebulon M. E. Church will serve supper in connection with a bazaar, Thursday, December 9. They will appreciate your co-operation in helping to make this a success. Further notices will appear in this paper.

SONG SERVICE ON STREET SATURDAY P. M.

Next Saturday afternoon about 3 o'clock, Rev. Sherman Patterson and wife will hold a song service on the street at the corner of Arendell and Vance, next to the Bank building.

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson are noted singers and it will be a great treat to hear them. They are now engaged in series of services at Union Tabernacle, near Richardson's store, south of Wendell.

Mrs. Joseph Churchill, of Hollister, Cal., who bore 14 children before she was 26, is still living and does her own housework at the age of 107.