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FARMERS' UNION AND GOOD ROADS MEETING

Tuesday a Red Letter Day for Martin County Farmers -- Instructive Addresses by Experts-- Largest Crowd in History of Institutes-- Congressmen Small in Charge of the Meeting-- Much Good Accomplished

Not in the history of the crusade for better farming have so many tillers of the soil assembled in Martin County as on Tuesday to listen to addresses by men sent out by the Agricultural Department under the supervision of Congressman Small. The number of men was estimated to have been about five hundred. The City Hall in which the meeting was held was full, both auditorium and gallery.

At ten o'clock, Congressman Small called the meeting to order. Justus Everett, of Palmyra, was chosen chairman and W. C. Manning, editor of THE ENTERPRISE, was elected secretary. The purpose of the meeting was briefly outlined by Mr. Small.

E. H. Matthewson was the first speaker and discussed tobacco, its seed selection and fertilization. To those who raise the weed in the county, which is famous for bright tobacco, his words were both interesting and instructive. L. E. Boykin followed in an able presentation of the question of good roads. He advocated the only method that will ever give good roads to the county. Upon this subject the people need plenty of light and it is the duty of the lawmakers to give the matter earnest attention.

The first speaker at the afternoon session was J. P. Campbell, the Georgia plow boy. He intelligently gave an outline of the Demonstration Work of the Department of Agriculture, dwelling especially on soil improvement and legumes. One of the most interesting addresses was that made by A. G. Smith on proper drainage. This subject appealed especially to the farmers present in view of the fact that the crops have been so seriously damaged by the heavy rains this season. He told how lands in Illinois had increased in value from \$25 to \$200 per acre because proper drainage had been given at a cost of \$10 to \$12 per acre. Following his method closely would render the crop safe from being flooded.

Prof. John E. Ray, of the Blind and Deaf Asylum, spoke in behalf of the Institution, and asked for the names of any who needed to be trained in the school. A resolution of thanks was given Mr. Small for his efforts to help the farmers in the county. A vote was taken asking for another meeting next year.

Thus closed the most successful and enthusiastic meeting ever held by the farmers of the county. Great good will come from the seed sown in the minds of the people, and farming in the future will be on a higher and more profitable scale.

"Don't be afraid," said a mother to her child at a fair show, "the lion is stuffed."

"Very likely," responded the lad, "but perhaps he could find room for a little boy like me."—Ideas.

In buying a cough medicine, don't be afraid to get Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. There is no danger from it, and relief is sure to follow. Especially recommended for coughs, colds and whooping cough. Saunders & Fowden.

Mr. W. B. Watts Host

On last Friday evening Mr. W. B. Watts gave a progressive tete-tete party at the residence of his parents in East Williamston in honor of Misses Mary Shelburn and Ethel Skinner, of Greenville, who are favorites here. The spacious veranda was prettily lighted by Japanese lanterns and the hour was an ideal one for enjoyment of the guests. Alexander's orchestra rendered sweetest music, while the guests enjoyed cream and cake elegantly served. The host never gave more delight to his friends and they enjoyed every moment spent in his hospitable home.

Those present were: Miss Mary Shelburn with Dr. H. B. York, Miss Ethel Skinner with Willie B. Watts, Miss Elizabeth Gordon with A. D. Mizell, Miss Irene Smith with Rev. W. J. Gordon, Miss Annie Lamb with B. A. Critcher, Miss Essie Peele with Leslie Fowden, Miss Delha Lanier with J. Dillon Simpson, Miss Katie Blount with L. C. Bennett, Miss Lettie Critcher with John W. Hassell, Miss Pattie Dowell with C. A. Baker, Miss Louise Fowden with Julius S. Peele, Miss Carrie Alexander with Luke Lamb, Miss Mildred Alexander with Frank F. Fagan, Miss Daisy Wynn with W. H. Gurkin, Miss Florence Hornthal with Maurice D. Watts, Miss Eve Wolfe, with D. E. Gurganus, Miss Anna Pope with George J. Dowell, Jr. Stags: Haywood Knight, Grover C. Godwin and Paul Jordan.

—On Wednesday evening the young men of Williamston gave a dance at Staton and Daniels' mill in honor of the visiting young ladies, Misses Skinner and Shelburn, of Greenville, Misses Alexander, of Elizabeth City and Miss Kate Blacknall, of Kittrell. Music furnished by Alexander's orchestra. Lunch was served on the lower floor during intermission. Everybody reported an enjoyable evening.

Life on Panama Canal

has had one frightful drawback—malaria trouble—that has brought suffering and death to thousands. The germs cause chills, fever and ague, biliousness, jaundice, lassitude, weakness and general debility. But Electric Bitters never fail to destroy them and cure malaria troubles. "Three bottles completely cured me of a very severe attack of malaria," writes Wm. A. Fretwell, of Lucama, N. C., "and I've had good health ever since." Cure Stomach, Liver and Kidney Troubles, and prevent Typhoid. 50c. Guaranteed by Saunders & Fowden.

Sunday Services

In the absence of the pastor there will be no services at the Methodist Church Sunday morning. Rev. George J. Dowell will fill the pulpit of the Methodist Church Sunday evening at 8:15 o'clock. All are cordially invited to hear him.

There will special services at Vernon next Sunday at 3 o'clock. A full attendance of the membership and the public generally is desired. There will be several short interesting addresses.

C. L. READ.

Stagers Sceptics

That a clean, nice, fragrant compound like Bucklen's Arnica Salve will instantly relieve a bad burn, cut, scald, wound or piles, stagers sceptics. But great cures prove it a wonderful healer of the worst sores, ulcers, boils, felons, eczema, skin eruptions, as also chapped hands, sprains and corns. Try it. 25c at Saunders & Fowden.

OAK CITY ITEMS

W. A. Ayers went to Ayden last week.

Henry Daniel and wife are in town this week.

Hugh Smith, of Greenville, was in town Sunday.

Robert and Spear Crookin spent Sunday in town.

Art Sherrod, of High Point, was in town Monday.

Miss Lizzie Johnson, of Palmyra, with J. H. Johnson.

Herman Hedgepeth, of Hobgood, was in town Sunday.

Acie Johnson and John Rook were in town Sunday.

Simon Everett and mother are visiting H. S. Everett.

Jack Taylor, of Robersonville, was on our streets Sunday.

Miss Nannie House, of House, is visiting Miss Pearl House.

Miss Georgia Henry, of Wendel, is visiting Miss Charlotte Casper.

Z. M. Whitehurst, of Greenville, was in town Tuesday on business.

Mrs. W. A. Burnett, of Berkley, is visiting her brother, J. J. Piland.

Miss Hellen Wooten, of Shelmerdine, is visiting Miss Bettie Council.

Miss Emma Allsbrooks, of Portsmouth, Va., is visiting relatives here.

Miss Blanch Daniel, of Robersonville, is visiting her brother, J. T. Daniel.

Cartright Taylor, wife and little son spent Sunday with Mrs. C. M. Hurst.

Paul Allsbrooks, mother and sister, of Scottsville, Va., are visiting J. J. Long.

Miss Lula Jones, of Rocky Mount, is visiting J. R. Council and family.

Miss Pearl Williams, of Aulander, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. H. Harrington.

Mrs. R. J. Nelson, of Robersonville was the guest of Mrs. C. M. Hurst Saturday.

Mrs. Debbie Hyman and son, Edward, of Palmyra, spent Sunday with J. W. Hines.

Miss Lila Philpot, of Williamston, was in town Sunday visiting Miss Lizzie Harrell.

The young men of the town are organizing another secret order founded on Stonewall Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Armstrong, son and daughter, spent Sunday is visiting Mrs. H. J. Ethridge.

Misses Olive and Fannie Earley were in town Friday to meet Miss Bessie Wooten, of Shelmerdine.

Misses Bessie and Thelma Beverly and Mollie Edmondson, of Bethal, are visiting Mrs. C. M. Hurst.

Prof. F. C. Nye, of Winterville, was in town last week in the interest of the Winterville High School.

Justus Everett and Charlie Johnson went to Williamston Monday to attend the farmers meeting on Tuesday.

Miss Bessie Harrell and aunt, Mrs. Bud Walker, of Conetoe, spent Sunday with Misses Bessie and Charlotte Casper.

Revs. T. J. Crist, of Conetoe, and A. V. Joyner, of Tarboro, are holding a series of revival services here this week.

We are glad to see so many attending the meetings this week and hope the young and old people will take an interest in the work which Rev. A. V. Joyner is teaching them.

EVERETT ITEMS

J. E. Barnhill went to Bethel Tuesday.

H. O. Daniels was here Sunday from Robersonville.

A. C. Barnhill and family went to Robersonville Sunday.

Mr. Harrell, of Norfolk, was here Tuesday on business.

J. W. Blythe, of Tarboro, was here Tuesday on business.

Miss Ella Burroughs was here Sunday from the country.

Nathan Rogers and wife, of Bear Grass, were here Sunday.

Dr. J. W. Williams went to Wilhamston Tuesday evening.

A. D. Barnhill and Joe Cherry went to Bethel Wednesday.

J. G. Barnhill and family were here Sunday from Robersonville.

Messrs. Ellison and Harris of Washington, were here Tuesday.

Miss Berta Gardner, of Williamston, was here Saturday and Sunday.

A number of our people attended the farmers meeting in Williamston Tuesday.

If your liver is sluggish and out of tone, and you feel dull, bilious, constipated, take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets tonight before retiring and you will feel all right in the morning. Sold by Saunders & Fowden and all dealers.

Republicans Meet

A small number of Republicans met at the Court House on Tuesday at noon to choose delegates to the State Convention. Duncan was endorsed for State Chairman and Adams received words of praise. The Convention was harmonious and of one mind.

Dysentery is a dangerous disease but can be cured. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has been successfully used in epidemics of dysentery. It has never been known to fail. It is equally valuable for children and adults, and when reduced with water and sweetened, it is pleasant to take. Sold by Saunders & Fowden and all dealers.

He is Glad

And Johnson licked Jeffress. I'm glad of it. In the realm of brutality I want negro for a king, and hope that Johnson will "knock the block off" any other white man who lowers himself to enter upon combat with him. Practically it was fake fight, for Jeff knew he was all in; but he got tens of thousands of dollars out of it and it were possible to associate Alfred Tennyson with a ruffin, I might quote:

"And the jingling of the ginnea helps the hurt that honor feels."

I am glad that the nigger won on another account. It shows that the race prejudice is just as intense at the North as it is at the South, and the increasing exodus of the South to the North will soon make the question acute and then it will be settled. — Savoyard.

When the digestion is all right, the action of the bowels regular, there is a natural craving and relish for food. When this is lacking you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain Stomach and Liver Tablets. They strengthen the digestive organs, improve the appetite and regulate the bowels. Sold by Saunders & Fowden and all dealers.

Talk Your Business

"Truth," says Dr. Charles W. Elliot, "is the new virtue."

Let the truth be known about your business.

The only man who should not advertise is the one who has nothing to offer in the way of service, or who cannot make good.

All such should seek the friendly shelter oblivion, where dwell those who, shrouded in Stygian shades, foregather gloom, and are out of the game.

Not to advertise is to be nominated for membership in the Down-and-Out Club.

The Adscrips and the Adcrafts are opposition societies to the Mummy Trust, symbolized by the Philadelphia Club—that hoary, hoarse, senile and babbling bunch of barnacles who having lost their capacity to sin, alternately blab of a Goodyear virtue and boast of the days that are gone.

About the best we can say of the days that are gone is that they are gone.

The science of advertising is the science of psychology. And psychology is the science of the human heart.

The advertiser works to supply a human want; and often he has to arouse the desire for his good. He educates the public as to what it needs, and what it wants, and shows where and how to get it.

The idea of the "ethical dentist" who refrains from advertising was originally founded on the proposition derived from the medicos, that advertising was fakery. This view once had a certain basis in fact, when the only people who advertised were transients. The merchant who lived in a town assumed that every one knew where he was and what he had to offer. The doctor the same.

This no longer applies. We are living so fast and inventing so fast, and changing so fast, and there are so many of us, that he who does not advertise is left to the spiders, the cock-roaches and the microbes.

The fact that you have all the business you can well manage is no excuse for not advertising.—Sel.

Subscribe to THE ENTERPRISE

Be sure and take a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with you when starting your trip this summer. It cannot be obtained on board the trains or steamers. Changes of water and climate often causes sudden attacks of diarrhoea, and it is best to be prepared. Sold by Saunders & Fowden and all dealers.

Indiana's Walking Saloons

Indianapolis Sun.

He walks along the streets on Sunday, a covered basket on his arm, a brazen gaze for all "coppers" and a sly wink for all dry drinkers. He is the "walking saloon," brought into being by Mayor Shank's Sunday closing order. The police are looking for him, but thus far have found only two of him. Two hundred more of him are said to be tramping the streets on Sunday.

The walking saloon does not confine its efforts to Indianapolis. He may be found in any dry territory in Indiana at any and all times, and more than three-fourths of the State is dry.

The walking saloon does not carry a license; his only incumbance is a big basket. He gets it on Saturday and peddles it on Sunday in the highways and byways of the city and the State. He is a puzzle to the police, for all basket carriers are not walking saloons, although all walking saloons are basket carriers.

ROBERSONVILLE NEWS ITEMS

Local Happenings and People who are Coming and Going, Here, There and Yonder as Gathered by our Regular Correspondent.

W. H. Everett returned home Friday.

Miss Blanche Daniel is visiting in Oak City this week.

J. H. Blight, of Tarboro, was in town Monday evening.

Mrs. Lela Everett and children spent Monday in the country.

Miss Geneva James spent several days in Williamston this week.

Misses Maude and Ethel Peele are visiting friends in Rocky Mount this week.

Miss Mary Bell Ellison, of Suffolk, is visiting Mrs. H. H. Pope this week.

Miss Nina Roberson and Annie Mooring are visiting near Grindool this week.

The many friends of A. S. Roberson regret very much to learn of his sickness.

Mrs. Richard Jenkins, who has been visiting relatives here, returned home Saturday.

Miss Myrna Hight and Cecil Everett spent Sunday near Hassell with Hilda Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Perkins, of Washington, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Purvis.

Jessie Haywood Everett, who has been visiting Northern cities, returned home Saturday.

Quite a number of people from here attended the Missionary Bap-tion at Oak City Sunday.

Miss Ellen Wynn, of Williamston, who has been visiting relatives here, returned home Sunday.

N. T. Young and family left Tuesday for Washington, which place they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Parker and little daughter, Lulee, left Tuesday morning for Morehead City and other points.

Misses Jesse and Marce Satten, who have been visiting Miss Bettie Roberson, left Saturday morning for Kinston.

Struck a Rich Mine

S. W. Bends, of Coal City, Ala., says he struck a perfect mine of health in Dr. King's New Life Pills for they cured him of Liver and Kidney Trouble after 12 years of suffering. They are the best pills on earth for Constipations, Malaria Headache, Dyspepsia, Debility. 25c at Saunders & Fowden.

Craigie-Latham

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rives Alley of Washington, D. C. announce the marriage of their sister Bessie Rives Latham, to George Scater Craigie of Glasgow Scotland, Friday July 29th Rev. Charles E. Buck of Saint Paul Episcopal Church performing the ceremony. After a trip of two weeks they will be at home at No. 3436 14th Street North West.

Mrs. Craigie is the youngest daughter of Mr. T. J. Latham, formerly of this place, and has many friends and relatives here who wish for her a happy married life.

"An ounce of preventative is worth a pound of cure." Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has been the "preventative" for thirty years. Nothing so good to keep you well and make you well. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Saunders & Fowden.