

NUMBER FOREST FIRES INCREASING

Fire Near Hazlewood Burns Over 250 Acres; Much Valuable Timber Being Destroyed

District Forester L. A. Carter stated yesterday that the present time is the busiest season of the year for rain brings relief within a short time there will be a tremendous loss from this source in Bertie County.

A big fire was reported in the Hazlewood section, near Connarita, last Sunday. The Forester stated that at least 250 acres had been burned over and that much valuable timber had been destroyed.

Besides the damage done to timber by fires at this time, Mr. Carter stated that small game also suffered very greatly as a result of the destruction of cover, and the fertility of the soil of burned-over lands is lessened to a large extent.

COLORED WOMAN IS 119 YEARS OLD

Tells Census Enumerator She Can Remember Happenings Long Before Civil War

Probably the oldest woman in Bertie County, if not in the entire State, is Jane Harmon, colored, who lives near Dempsy's Filling Station on the Windsor-Aulander highway, according to H. Gilliam Parker, one of the Bertie County census enumerators, who ran across her Monday while taking the census in that section.

She told of seeing a battle between two gunboats on the Chowan River during the Civil War, stating that she was then a grown woman and was working in a field along the river banks.

CONDUCTING SONG SERVICE FOR GATESVILLE REVIVAL

Mr. R. F. Pope, local mfn, is conducting the song services in a revival at Gatesville this week. Rev. George W. Perry is occupying the pulpit in the Methodist church there.

WANTS

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GOOD MILK COW FOR SALE—ready for milking about 8 weeks. Geo. E. Roberson.

WORK WANTED—WOULD LIKE to have work of any kind or description. Robert Brown, (col.) Washington Street, m-9-3t

WANTED: ROOMERS & BOARDERS. See or call Mrs. T. W. Thomas, Hattin Street. ap-25-4t

Home Garden Boosts Cotton Farm Income

The old argument that it is easier to plant 2 or 3 more acres of cotton and buy the necessary fruits and vegetables for the family is faulty, according to W. R. Beattie, extension horticulturist of the United States Department of Agriculture, because many farmers do not have the opportunity to purchase the fruits and vegetables and the family goes without.

If every cotton farmer will set aside enough of his cotton land to supply his family with garden vegetables, he will add to his net income and improve the diet of his family, Mr. Beattie says. The products of the vegetable garden are just as definite in importance as though the actual cash were received for cotton or other crops grown on the land and the money applied to the family living.

It is important to get the garden started early, Mr. Beattie says, and it is equally important to keep the garden thoroughly occupied throughout the summer. So many cotton farmers plant a garden in the spring and after the early crops have gone the garden grows weeds until fall, then, perhaps, some late fall crops are planted. There is absolutely no excuse for allowing the garden to run to weeds during the summer, because there are several crops that can be kept growing throughout the heated period.

Weeds are bound to grow, especially during spells of rainy weather, and it means some work to keep the garden clean, but a clean garden is the only one that will produce its whole share of vegetables for the table.

If every cotton farmer will see that his family is well supplied the coming season with fruits, vegetables, pork, poultry, and dairy products, all produced on his own farm, there will be less occasion for complaint regarding conditions of cotton farms at the end of the season, Mr. Beattie concludes.

REMEDY FOR COCCIDIOSIS IN YOUNG CHICKS

Several farmers have reported that they were losing their three to eight week old chicks recently. The disease is peculiar in that it affects chicks at this age, after the danger from bacillary is past. Unless control measures are used, heavy losses may result. The remedy being used is to separate the sick chicks from the well, clean droppings every day and use one-third teaspoonful each of crude cateche and potassium permanganate to the gallon of drinking water. Sour milk should also be kept before the chicks to drink. Give plenty of sunlight and green feed. Each farmer using this remedy has reported effective results. Young chicks should always be raised on new soil.

LAWN FERTILIZER

For many years bone meal has been used quite extensively as a fertilizer for established lawns, but experiments conducted by the United States Department of Agriculture have shown that a mixture of three parts of cottonseed meal and one part of ammonium sulphate gives much better results. This fertilizer should be applied in the spring and early fall at the rate of 12 to 15 pounds for 1,000 square feet.

CANDIDATES' CARDS

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER To the Democratic voters of Martin County:

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of County Commissioner. I will appreciate your support in the primary on June 7th. If nominated and elected I shall endeavor to render as good and faithful service as I am able to give.

Respectfully, JODIE D. WOOLARD.

FOR SOLICITOR OF RECORDER'S COURT

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Solicitor of the Martin County Recorder's Court, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, on June 7, 1930.

Any support accorded me, will be heartily appreciated. H. O. PEELE.

FOR STATE SENATOR

I wish to announce my candidacy for the office of State Senator from the Second Senatorial District, subject to the wishes of the voters in the Democratic primary, June 7th. If nominated and elected to that important position, I shall endeavor to render such service as the trying needs of the people of the State demand. Respectfully, ELBERT S. PEEL.

FOR COMMISSIONER

After considering the matter at length, I have decided to announce my candidacy for the office of county commissioner, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held June 7th. Assuring my grateful appreciation for any support accorded me, I promise my best efforts if elected to serve the people. H. S. EERETT.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER Being thoroughly acquainted with the county's business, and realizing its needs, I hereby announce my candidacy

Officers Capture Two Liquor Stills Yesterday

Officers Coats and Roebuck, raiding in Bear Grass township, yesterday afternoon captured two liquor stills, both being of the steam type. The first plant apparently had been deserted some time ago as there was no mixed beer and very little equipment found. The second plant had been fired up and the mash was beginning to boil when the officers arrived. The operator made his escape when signals were fired from the road. About 1200 gallons of liquor and small equipment was destroyed.

for county commissioner, subject to the Democratic primary to be held June 7, 1930. Upon the assurance of my best service to the county and its people, I earnestly solicit the support of the voters. T. C. GRIFFIN.

FOR SHERIFF To the Democratic voters of Martin County:

In response to the requests of my many friends, I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Sheriff of Martin County, subject to the Democratic primary, June 7. If nominated and elected, I shall give my best efforts to the performance of the duties of that office. ROBT. B. BROWN.

FOR SHERIFF To the Democratic voters of Martin County: I take this means of announcing my candidacy for the office of sheriff. I wish to thank the people of the county for the many favors shown me since my appointment a few months ago. In consideration of your support in the June primary, I assure you every service and consideration possible. CHAS. B. ROEBUCK.

FOR TREASURER To the Democratic Voters of Martin County:

In response to the many requests made by many splendid men and women, I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of treasurer for Martin County, subject to the Democratic primary June 7. I feel as if these requests are deserving of my fullest consideration, and I have decided to make the race in the hope that I may be of real service to the people of Martin County, and if nominated and elected I shall give my best efforts to the performance of the duties of that office. JNO. E. POPE.

FOR TREASURER I hereby announce my candidacy for the Democratic nomination as County Treasurer, subject to the action of the primary on June 7. Any support accorded me will be heartily appreciated. This 24th day of April, 1930. GUS HARRISON.

ANNOUNCEMENT I take this method of announcing myself a candidate for the House of Representatives, in the Democratic Primary.

Having, for a number of years, been interested in farming, I believe I am familiar with some of the farmer's problems, and, if nominated and elect-

ed, will use my best efforts in the solution of some of them, and in becoming a candidate, I have no idea or motive other than to be of service so far as I am able to the people of Martin County and State of North Carolina, and regardless of the outcome of my candidacy I am, always have been and shall ever remain a Democrat. J. C. SMITH.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF MARTIN COUNTY: I hereby announce my candidacy for Treasurer of Martin County, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the June primary.

I wish also to thank the people for their confidence in me as shown in my appointment to fill my father's unexpired term, and to pledge them the continued honest and efficient administration of the office should it be their will to nominate and elect me. W. H. CARSTARPHEN.

FOR SOLICITOR I hereby announce my candidacy for the Democratic nomination as Solicitor of the Recorder's Court, subject to the action of the primary to be held on June 7th. I shall appreciate any support accorded me. This 5th day of May, 1930. WM. H. COBURN.

FOR COMMISSIONER I hereby announce my candidacy to again fill the office of county commissioner before the Democratic primary to be held June 7, 1930. If nominated and elected I shall endeavor to serve the people of the county honestly and faithfully. L. P. HOLLIDAY.

FOR CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT To the Democratic Voters of Martin County:

In response to the many requests made by many splendid men and women, I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of clerk of the Superior Court, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, June 7. I feel as if these requests are deserving of my fullest consideration, and I have decided to make the race in the hope that I may be of real service to the people of Martin County, and if nominated and elected I shall give my best efforts to the performance of the duties of that office. JNO. E. POPE.

In response to the many requests made by my friends, I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Clerk of the Superior Court of Martin County, subject to the action of the primary on June 7th. Any support accorded me will be greatly appreciated. This 28th day of April, 1930. JOHN L. RODGERSON.

FOR CORONER I take this method of announcing to the Democratic voters of Martin County my candidacy for the office of coroner. I will appreciate all favors and support extended me. B. S. COURTNEY.

FOR JUDGE OF THE RECORDER'S COURT I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Judge of the Recorder's Court of Martin County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. Expressing my grateful appreciation for each and every favor extended me and for the general support accorded me by the voting public, I re-pledge myself to the faithful performance of the duties connected with the office

should I again be honored by the majority expression of the people. JOS. W. BAILEY.

FOR COMMISSIONER I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of County Commissioner in the Democratic Primary to be held on the 7th day of June. I assure the voters according me support will be highly appreciated by me. VAN G. TAYLOR.

FOR COMMISSIONER To the Democratic voters of Martin County: I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of county commissioner, subject to the action of the primary to be held June 7, 1930. J. HAYWOOD ROGERS.

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Our Optometrist, Dr. G. C. Hodgens, will be in adjoining office to Dr. J. M. Kilpatrick, Rober-sonville, N. C., the Second Wednesday of Each Month.

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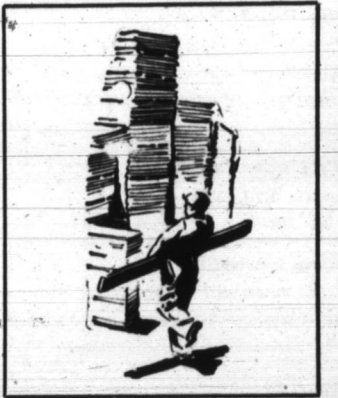
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IN COOPERATION WITH THE State Board of Health IS OFFERING PROTECTION AGAINST Typhoid Fever and Diphtheria

Typhoid Fever is gradually being reduced, but there must be no let-up in vaccination. Now is the time to protect yourself against it. The season is at hand. Take the treatment every third year.

Diphtheria can be prevented by taking Toxin-Antitoxin. Have your children immunized against it. It takes about five months to get the protection, so now is the time to take the treatment to be protected this fall.

There is no excuse for even a case of typhoid fever when perfect immunization for two years at a time may be obtained through attendance at the clinics held the month of June. It is the duty of every intelligent citizen to become inoculated towards all preventable diseases, specially typhoid fever for their own protection as well as the protection of their neighbors. It is also their duty to do all in their power to persuade others to take preventive measures. Typhoid fever being frequently fatal, is a useless economic waste, as it is so easily preventable.

MONDAYS, JUNE 2, 9, 16, AND 23

- Sandy Ridge School 8:30 A. M. Jamesville School 10:00 A. M. Farm Life School 10:30 A. M. Oak City School 10:00 A. M. Hamilton School 3:00 P. M.

TUESDAYS, JUNE 3, 10, 17, 24

- Smithwicks Creek School 10:00 A. M. Lilley's Hall School 8:30 A. M. Macedonia School 11:00 A. M. Parmelle School 10:00 A. M. Hassell School 10:00 A. M. Dardens School 10:00 A. M.

WEDNESDAYS, JUNE 4, 11, 18, 25

- Bear Grass School 9:30 A. M. Bear Grass School (Col.) 11:30 A. M.

THURSDAYS, JUNE 5, 12, 19, 26

- Everetts School 8:30 A. M. Everetts School (Col.) 10:00 A. M. Cross Roads School 11:30 A. M. Gold Point School 10:00 A. M.

FRIDAYS, JUNE 6, 13, 20, 27

- Williamston School 8:30 A. M. Williamston School (Col.) 10:30 A. M.

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To the Voters of Martin County Finding the duties of the office so pressing just at this that my time is very limited, I take this method of soliciting your support in my behalf for the office of Sheriff of Martin County in the primary, June 7. It is with regret that I find it impossible to call on the good people of our county in person, but in writing, I pledge my best and humble service if nominated and elected to serve you. With the assurance of a sincere appreciation of any support accorded me on June 7, I ask to remain, Yours very truly, Chas. B. Roebuck