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Commissioners Vote For Canning Club Girls

Make Appropriation For Full Time Demonstrator And Put Pasquotank On Record For Progress

The County Commissioners of Pasquotank county today made the appropriation complete for a full time Home Demonstrator for the county.

All of the commissioners except W. A. Pinner of this city, were present. Mrs. Cam W. Melick appeared before the commissioners and asked that they reconsider all previous action in regard to this work and put Pasquotank in the class of leading counties of the State in farm life activities.

Commissioners who had opposed the movement in its initial beginning, and had continued to oppose it through many meetings at which the matter had been presented again and again, today spoke of it in high terms, saying 'Sentiment has changed all over the county. The people want it now. They have seen what it means, and we are glad to reverse our vote.'

Voting for the appropriation today were: J. C. James, Jr. of Salem township, H. W. Bright of Newland, Elihu Ownley of Mt. Hermon.

Only two commissioners, J. M. Jennings of Providence and Mr. W. F. Jennings of Nixonton, voted against the measure.

Mr. Pinner, who was absent, is in favor of the appropriation, as is also Mr. Fearnez, who is chairman of the Board and, therefore, did not vote.

Will Adjourn On Wednesday

(By United Press) Washington, Sept. 4 — The adjournment of Congress at six o'clock Wednesday was the decision reached today.

Air Of Warfare Still Lingers

(By United Press) Washington, Sept. 4 — A lingering air of warfare still clung about the railroad brotherhood headquarters here today.

Though reasonably confident that the eight hour bill is now a law, which means a year of peace on the railway lines, the Brotherhood men frankly said that there would be a strike if the transportation chiefs ever attempt to restore the ten hour day.

They expressed the opinion that the railroads may test the constitutionality of the measure, but declared that if the courts should deem it unconstitutional and the lines should try to revert to the ten hour system, they would call a strike at once.

The more optimistic say that the wage commission created by the bill will find the men's cause just and in this event the railroads will scarcely overturn the law whether it is unconstitutional or not.

Mr. Frank Venters is at home from a visit to relatives at Pactivus

Look for The City Drug Store's Ad. in this paper. Of interest to R. F. D. readers.

PATIENTS FROM NEAR AND FAR

Opened Only Last Year and Now Well-Known People from Other States Seek its Doors

The fame of the Elizabeth City Hospital has extended far beyond the limits of the city or the immediate section.

In the past few months there have been patients there from Virginia, South Carolina and Georgia as well as from the many sections of North Carolina.

Mrs. Martin Hoke of York County Pennsylvania, the wife of a prominent Pennsylvania physician, has just undergone a very successful operation at the Hospital and is getting along well.

Dr. John Saliba who is at the head of the Hospital here has a reputation as a surgeon which extends beyond the limits of the United States, and to his personal labors and wise direction are attributed the marked success and growing reputation of the city's modern hospital.

The handsome building and the beautiful location of the Elizabeth City Hospital on the bend of the Pasquotank are pointed out to every visitor who comes to the city, and the story of the building and the growth of the institution are told at home and afar.

Not only is it no longer necessary for the people of this city and section to go to other cities for hospital treatment and operation, but many people are coming to Elizabeth City for surgical and medical aid, all of which has happened in the short time intervening between the opening of the hospital in January, 1915, and the present day—scarcely more than a year and a half.

LITTLE GIRLS IN FLAGS

LEAD COLUMBUS LABORERS

(By United Press) Columbus, O. Sept. 4—Sixty small girls dressed in red, white and blue today led 1,200 members of 44 labor organizations through Columbus' downtown streets, in the annual Columbus Federation of Labor's workingman's day parade.

FARMERS ATTEND WITH THEIR WIVES

Increased Interest And Marked Progress in Agricultural Activities Through-out State

(Special Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 5.— There has never been a more enthusiastic and successful meeting of farmers in this State than that which has just been held at the A. & M. College here—the 14th annual convention, with nearly a thousand delegates attending. Never were the farm women so much in evidence as on this occasion, and the speakers, both men and women, comprised a galaxy of celebrities more brilliant than ever before. The farm women's convention was particularly successful and inspiring and every woman who attended the meeting is better equipped than she was a week previously, and the fact will prove valuable to every farm which these women adorn with their fine practical sense and management of the departments of endeavor which come within their jurisdiction.

These conventions following on the heels of the big showing made by the corn club and pig club (etc) boys, proclaim unprecedented activity for more knowledge and additional equipment among that great body of Tarheels who constitute 80 per cent of the population of North Carolina. Farming is progressing, everything the farmer grows is in greater demand at higher prices than in a generation, and there are still "better times" for the skilled farmer in the future than ever before.

EXHIBITS AT STATE FAIR

One of the good results likely to follow along this line of activity among the farmers is an appreciable increase in the number of counties making "county exhibits" at the State Fair — one of the best methods of attracting desirable newcomers to such counties to aid in building up the communities.

Secretary J. E. Pogue appeared before the farm demonstrators at the A. & M. College meeting, by request, and explained the preparations which the State Fair management is making for the various

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ther. Take it from me, you need a four season repertoire, a bathing suit, a mackintosh and a bottle of Mothersilk if you contemplate a brief trip down this way. Food for thought and also for the fishes is the necessity for Mothersilk. Heavy garments are essential because June, July and August are the winter months in Buenos Aires, and brides and roses bloom contrariwise in December. Thin clothes are needed because Rio has a tropical climate, smogging as it does just within the torrid zone. A mackintosh comes in handy because as you sail near the equator, where often the coolest weather of the trip is encountered, the showers are as frequent and fleeting as any of our April best. As for the bathing suit, it is indispensable first of all because of the advent on board of Neptune and his daughter Aphrodite. They appear as the equator is crossed and initiate into the mysteries of Neptune's court all those innocents who never have crossed the line before. They cross the line but they do not draw the line and no mere sex will gain you exemption from the rites. Neptune's vigilant police are no respecters of the apparel and though you duck run in all the grandeur of your festive toge, they trail you to your stateroom's latr and lead you to be ducked again. 'Tis a neat and sim

Presiding Elder G. T. Adams. The interment took place in Hollywood cemetery.

The pall bearers at the funeral were eight nephews of Mrs. Williams. A. F. Toxey, C. D. Toxey, M. F. Toxey, M. N. Toxey of Shiloh, Gaither Toxey of Weasaville, C. G. Gregory, W. M. Forbea of Shiloh, and S. T. Jones of Du Point, Va.

NEW MEAT MARKET

A new meat market has just been established on South Road street at the corner of Ehringhaus. Victor Jenkins, formerly with Charles Davis on Bondstreet, is proprietor, and with his many years of experience in his business will, it is believed make a success of his new undertaking.

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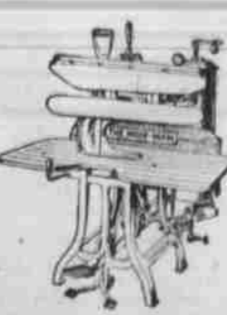
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