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Farmville Township Will Vote \$50,000 For Road Improvement September 21st.

FARMERS TO MEET SEPT. 1, AT GREENVILLE

Arrangements have been perfected to hold a Farmers' Meeting at Greenville for Pitt county on Wednesday, September 1st, 1915.

There will be a morning and an afternoon session. The morning session will begin at 10 o'clock promptly.

The subjects to be discussed and the men who will lecture, will make this a notable and an educational meeting.

One of the distinguished doctors in the U. S. Public Health Service will discuss some local and vital health problems.

Every intelligent man realizes the importance of growing more and better stock. How may it be done cheaply and profitably? An expert from the Bureau of Animal Industry will tell you.

A picture is often more impressive than the spoken word. A stereopticon will be used to throw large pictures on a screen, illustrating the health talk and showing pictures of stock, cattle dipping and other phases of farm activities, all from real life.

We need inspiration and encouragement in our work. Our ideas need re-sharpening. We need help in getting out of the ruts of life. A distinguished gentleman from the Bureau of Rural Organization will talk about the better things in rural life.

At this meeting a very special attraction for the ladies has been provided. One of the most efficient women of the South will talk to women about the Home and Home-Keeping. The ladies are urged to attend. There will be a special session for them.

There will be a basket picnic at the noon recess. Take a cold lunch with you. Tables will be arranged on the grounds, and all will lunch together.

Firemen's Mass Meeting.

Every one is requested to attend a meeting in Turnage's Opera House Friday evening Aug. 27th, at 8:30 p. m. This is a very important meeting and all citizens are urged to attend. Also the ladies! The purpose of this meeting is to strengthen our fire department, and Mr. Sherwood Brockwell of Raleigh, who is an expert fireman will be present and deliver a lecture.

Ben. A. Joyner, Mayor.

Notice Ladies.

The ladies are cordially invited to attend a Firemen's meeting in Turnage's Opera House, Friday evening, Aug. 27, 8:30 p. m. Would like to see a large number present.

Ben. A. Joyner, Mayor.

WANT STATE CONVICTS ON PUBLIC ROADS

Asheville, N. C.—The Good Roads movement gets another boost in the agitation just started by the Asheville Board of Trade to work all able-bodied male convicts on the public highways of the state. At a recent meeting the resolution following was unanimously passed:

"Recognizing that substantial growth and prosperity follows the construction of good roads, and the growing interest in their value as exemplified in the 'Land of the Sky', the state of North Carolina and the entire country, together with the increasing demands of the people for better roads, and

"Believing that this great question has become one not only of statewide but of nationwide importance,

"We, the Directors of the Asheville Board of Trade, representing nearly six hundred business and professional men of Asheville, Western North Carolina, do most earnestly request and urge the people of North Carolina to demand the working of all able-bodied male state convicts on the public roads throughout the state under the general supervision of the State Highway Commission and such rules and regulations as may be necessary to secure the greatest efficiency therefrom.

"That a copy of the above be sent to the Governor and other Officials, to the editors of newspapers throughout the state, and to the various civic organizations, with the request that every effort be used to arouse public sentiment to the enormous value of the above policy."

Everybody urge the state authorities and next legislature to "work state convicts on public roads."

ROBERT S. JONES, President.
J. E. RANKIN, Chairman Good Roads Com.
N. BUCKNER, Secretary.

Notice Firemen.

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R. E. Belcher, Chief.

Notice Colored Citizens.

You are invited to attend a Firemen's meeting in Turnage's Opera House Friday evening at 8:30 p. m. Part of the Opera House will be reserved for you.

Ben. A. Joyner, Mayor.

NOTICE.

The fire alarm whistle will blow each day at 12 o'clock, the whistle has to be used or it will become out of order.



Mr. Clay Bardin, of Wilson, was in town Thursday.

Mrs. Fannie L. Joyner is visiting relatives in Kinston.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben. A. Joyner spent Sunday in Wilson.

Mr. W. J. Turnage has gone north to purchase goods.

Miss Mary May, of Sanford, is visiting Mrs. B. S. Smith.

Don't forget Taylor's Studio, in front of Horton Hotel.

Mr. Guy Taylor of Hookerton was a visitor here Thursday.

Mr. Rufus Shaw is spending a few days at his home in Halifax.

Miss Annie Perkins spent several days visiting friends here this week.

Mr. David Lang returned from Baltimore Wednesday night.

Mrs. Allen A. Joyner is spending several days here with relatives.

Mrs. Almata King, of New Bern, N. C., is visiting Mrs. Nan Moore.

The next series of Farmville Building and Loan will be open Oct. 1st.

Miss Martha and Daisy Fields, of Fieldsboro, were in town Tuesday.

Dr. Paul E. Jones went to Norfolk Saturday night and returned Monday.

The Misses Sutton, of La Grange, are visiting relatives and friends in Farmville.

Mr. W. C. Joyner spent last Sunday in Rocky Mount and returned Monday p. m.

Mrs. G. M. Holden spent Wednesday and Thursday with her parents in Snow Hill.

Mr. T. E. Joyner and Van Hughes went to Wilson Thursday afternoon on business.

Mr. W. A. Wells, of Kinston, is spending a few days here with his sister, Mrs. J. Wells Smith.

Quite a number of Farmville people attended the yearly meeting at King's X Roads Sunday.

Mrs. A. B. Deans, of Wilson, is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Ben. A. Joyner.

Miss Tabitha DeVisconti is spending a few days in the country. Someone is mighty lonely.

Elder Isaac Jones will conduct services at the Primitive Baptist church in Farmville Friday night.

Attorney E. M. Cox, spent the first of the week in Greenville in attendance upon Superior court.

Mr. W. A. Pollard went to Norfolk Wednesday. Masters Willie and Mack accompanied him.

Miss Gertrude Eason, of the Lizzie section of Greene, is spending a few days here with friends.

Solicitor J. Loyd Horton spent the first few days of this week in Greenville on professional business.

Mr. Haywood Smith has gone to Baltimore to spend a few days, he was accompanied by his father.

Mr. Morrill Mewborn, of Kinston, who has been doing some electrical work here, has returned home.

Misses Gretchen Winstead and Emma Braswell, of Elm City, are the guests of Misses Sue and Minnie Thorne.

Mr. Ellis Joyner of Littleton, who has been visiting his aunt Mrs. W. M. Lang, returned home Tuesday afternoon.

Messrs. Wiley Dildy, Hubert Joyner, W. Leslie Smith and Mr. Forte, went to Seven Springs Monday on Mr. Smith's car.

Mr. J. G. Smith left for Baltimore Saturday night to purchase the fall line of millinery for his wife Mrs. J. Wells Smith.

Mr. B. E. Howard, one of Wilson county's progressive farmers shipped a car load of wheat to Burlington, N. C. some few weeks ago.

Miss Mamie Ruth Pollard and guest, Miss Jeannette Cox, of Winterville, are spending a few days with Miss Helen Smith, at King's X Roads.

Mr. Marvin Jones, a former Farmville boy, but now of Richmond, Va., is spending a few days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones.

Her many friends regret to learn that Miss Alice Tankard has been confined to her room with illness this week, and are glad to see her out again.

Davis Horse & Mule Exchange is showing a line of fine horses and mules. Mr. Christman recently returned from the West and brought them with him.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Johnson entertained a number of their friends of Farmville and vicinity at their country home Friday night. All report a merry time.

Mr. M. Cohen, who for the past few months has been up in New York state, returned to Farmville Tuesday, and went over to Snow Hill Wednesday.

The farmers are very busy these days; some few still curing tobacco, and most of them are taking advantage of this nice weather and saving their fodder.

We wish to call your attention to the ad in this week's issue of the Hub Hardware Co. They are offering their entire stock of glass, china, crockery and enamel ware at greatly reduced prices.

Mrs. W. M. Lang, Miss Annie Perkins, Mrs. Paul E. Jones and Masters Jack and Robert Lang spent Wednesday and Thursday with relatives and friends in Kinston.

Mr. Hubert Joyner, Hugh Barrett and several whose names we are unable to get, went on the excursion to Norfolk Wednesday. About twenty tickets were sold from here.

Supt. H. H. McLean received a telegram Tuesday announcing the death of his uncle in Blacksburg Va. Monday and he left for Richmond Tuesday night to attend the funeral.

Remember the Pastime Theatre will begin it shows each night of interesting movies next Monday at 8 o'clock with a special 5-reel feature. The price will be 10c. to everybody, and you can expect something good.

Mr. Sherwood Brockwell, of Raleigh, is here training our firemen. Mr. Brockwell was chief of the fire department in Raleigh until he was employed by the state to train and instruct fire companies all over the State.

Rev. N. M. Wright, accompanied by Mr. Preston Wright, left Thursday for his old home in Scotland county to spend a few days with relatives. He made the trip in his Ford Roadster which he purchased recently.

FARMVILLE'S BUSINESS MEN ORGANIZE.

On last Tuesday night about thirty of Farmville's representative business men met in Turnage's opera house and organized Farmville's Business Men Credit Protective Association. The following gentlemen were elected officers for a term of one year:

Pres. Ben. A. Joyner; 1st vice-pres. J. R. Davis; 2nd vice-pres. T. C. Turnage; Sec. & Treas. J. Loyd Horton.

The purpose of this Association is to get a rating on everybody in the town and country, and to ascertain whether they are good pay, prompt pay, slow pay or no pay; and everybody's name will be published in the rating book, showing in what manner they meet their obligations. The Association will also endeavor to promote the best interest of Farmville in general. The next meeting will be held in the Town Hall Thursday night Sept. 2nd, 8:30 P. M.

Notice Town Commissioners.

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Ben. A. Joyner, Mayor.

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Notice to Public—I will be in my Photograph Gallery in Farmville again next week on Thursday, Friday and Saturday Sept. 2nd, 3rd and 4th.—E. A. Parker, Photographer; Gallery located up stairs over Joyner Furniture Co.

See the advertisement in this issue of Mr. J. T. Harris, local agent for the famous "Jeffrey" Four. He will be glad to demonstrate to you the many features of this high class car at any time. Read the advertisement and see him for further particulars.

The Hub Hardware Co. are moving their stock of China, Glass, Tin and enamel ware in the store recently vacated by Cohen and Pearson, and are offering it for sale at prices we have seldom seen on this class of goods. It will pay any housewife to visit this store.

See the advertisement elsewhere in this issue of the U. S. Woolen Mills Co. They will have a special representative here next Monday and Tuesday to give a fall and winter tailoring opening. The opening will take place at the store of Mr. G. E. Moore. Read the advertisement for further instructions.

The Cubans That Don't Attack The Head because of its tender and sensitive effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause dizziness and ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of Dr. W. GROVE, etc.

THE PASTIME THEATRE
WILL OPEN MONDAY,
AUG. 30TH, WITH A
PARAMOUNT PICTURE
"The Only Son"
A COMEDY DRAMA In 5 Parts
By Jesse L. Lasky
FEATURING:
Thomas Ross
Show starts promptly at 8 o'clock
10c. TO ALL