

Agricultural Board Meetings
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actively directing attention to the urgent need of a solution of the marketing problem, which, he said, as at present handled resulted in greatly restricting production in the county. He stated that there should be no more difficulty in disposing of all the products that Polk county could possibly raise and at good prices than he had experienced in marketing his apples from the Overbrook Orchard, but that, in order to do this, the farmers of the county would have to organize, and create the machinery to do the work. It was, he felt, useless to depend upon any of the agencies to do this work, it must be done by the farmer, and until the farmer tackled this proposition himself he would have the greatest difficulty in disposing of the present very restricted output of his farm.

J. R. Sams followed with an impassioned appeal to the farmers of Polk county to follow the lead set by the farmers of Buncombe county, who had organized and built one warehouse, which had proven so successful that two or three more were now in process of construction. He outlined the methods of the Buncombe county farmers which briefly, were the organization of a corporate body, with a capitalization sufficient to erect a warehouse on the railroad, and the employment of a capable man to handle the products from the farms. The subscription to stock in this enterprise would be on a basis of fifty dollars per share, with ten dollars paid in. The stock would be a 6 per cent investment, and the dividends, together with the profits of trading should there be any would be supplied to payment of the balance until the full fifty dollars should be in the treasury.

The method of operation was as soon as the warehouse should be erected, and a man employed for the farmers to deliver their products and receive payment on a basis to be agreed by the board of management. Products would be received from every farmer in the county, regardless of membership, or possession of stock, and a commission would be charged for handling it, and sufficient to pay operating expenses and a guaranteed dividend of say 6 per cent. At the

end of the year any profit over and above the dividend payment and cost of running the plant, would be distributed to owners of stock in proportion to the quantity of farm product each had marketed through the warehouse. He felt, of course, that this should be a community co-operative work, and that every farmer in the county should take stock. No risk was involved in it. It has proven successful in Buncombe county. It has been thoroughly tested out in the state of Minnesota, where there were over three thousand cooperative associations, which had resulted in marvelously increasing production on the farms of the state. Moreover, the association would not only sell the product of the farm, but it would also buy and furnish supplies for the farmer at the low prices that could be secured by purchasing in large quantities, instead of as now, each individual farmer buying for himself, and paying retail prices for his supplies, while he only got wholesale prices for what he raised on his farm and found the greatest difficulty at times in disposing of his very limited production. He called attention to the fact that 20 pounds of butter would glut the market at Tryon, Saluda or Columbus, and the same in other lines, but with proper warehouse facilities, and the right man to run it, shipment of the products of Polk county farms would be made in car lots, and the farmer would not be obliged to go round as he does now peddling the trifling things he ventures to raise because of the utter impossibility of disposing of larger quantities.

J. R. Sams' address was listened to intently by those present, and frequently punctuated with applause.

J. W. Dunn, secretary of the Saluda Board of Trade addressed the meeting, dealing in a very comprehensive manner with the

present conditions in Polk county, so far as regards agriculture; the limitations it is now suffering under; the possibilities of the agricultural development of the county; their effects upon all phases of community life religious, educational, social, and particularly on the home life of the tiller of the soil. He spoke enthusiastically in favor of the plan submitted by J. R. Sams, and urged the farmers of the county to give grave and due consideration to the plan, which, he believed, was the only one that would result in building up Polk county.

A short recess was taken for dinner. On resumption of the meeting, a resolution was offered endorsing the proposition, and carried unanimously, the Advisory Board was instructed to hold educational meetings on the subject in the various townships of the county, and to call a mass meeting for the 1st, Monday, in June at Columbus where, it is hoped, arrangements will be completed for a permanent warehouse and selling organization. A number of shares were taken at the Green's Creek meeting, and little doubt is felt that when the farmers realize the full meaning of the movement sufficient stock will be subscribed to put the proposition on a sound financial basis, and immediately thereafter a campaign will be started to get the farmers of the county to raise larger crops to be handled through the warehouse.

An Extravagant Dresser.

The late czar of Russia had the reputation of being the most extravagant of European monarchs as regards dress. The bill of his civil tailor is said to have bordered on \$10,000 a year, and that of the military tailor, \$15,000.

New Guinea Love Tokens.

When a New Guinea woman falls in love with a man she sends a piece of string to his sister, or, if he has no sister, to his mother. Then the lady who receives the string tells the favored man the particular woman is in love with him.

PUT WASTE PLACES TO USE

Good Idea During the Winter to Plan for Improvements to Be Made Next Spring.

Every city, village and hamlet has the total of a great area of land which is not only non-productive, but which is rendered hateful to the sight and deterrent to the vicinity, as a haven for rubbish and a breeding place for noxious weeds. These waste areas and the unbecoming spaces commonly denominated as back yards, as a rule, are not fit for garden work in their present condition. But this condition readily can be changed with some intelligent exertion. The addition to this unpromising soil of manure, of the fallen leaves from the trees, and, sometimes, of ashes sifted from the furnace, soon renders it workable and productive. For a time the co-operation of the community officials might be necessary as a means of encouragement, but each such waste place transformed into a productive garden of vegetables and flowers and small fruits would serve as a compelling example, and in very few years the results would be beyond calculation.

The benefits to be derived from this conversion of waste places into productive beauty spots cannot be measured alone in dollars and cents. An even greater benefit would lie in the improved morals of the community, in the cultivation of habits of industry on the part of the young especially, and in the beautifying thrift and beauty are the rewards waiting these communities which wholeheartedly and intelligently cultivate in the people the natural garden instinct. A national propaganda in this direction would work wonders.

Young Trees in Winter.

All very young trees require some attention the first winter; after that they will be established and be able to take care of their own welfare. Therefore, all recently planted trees will be benefited by the hilling of a mound of earth around them, tramping it very hard. This keeps the tree from rocking with the winter winds. If this precaution is not taken with newly planted stock the trees are apt in swaying back and forth to work a hole around the trunk which reaches clear down to the roots, and it is often fatal to the newly planted tree. A row of silver maples, one of the easiest of all deciduous trees to transplant, for lack of this precaution were all killed during last winter.

Building Bungalow Towns.

In London, as in America, the shortage of homes has resulted in a remarkable expansion of bungalow land. On Canvey island, for instance, homes built chiefly of wood, concrete slabs or, most common of all, corrugated iron, are being run up in all directions. A good many folk are building their own homes, camping meanwhile in tents; others have resorted to converting pantechions and such like into homes. What prices are like on the island may be gathered from the fact that a concrete bungalow of four rooms is offered for sale at \$600, a pantechion with two rooms for \$150 and a gypsy van for \$75.

Why Mr. N. Windsor (R. I.) Put Up with Rats for Years

"Years ago I got some rat poison, which nearly killed our fine watch dog. We put up with rats until a friend told me about Rat-Snap. It surely kills rats, though house pets won't touch it." Rat-Snap dry up and leave no smell. Prices, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by E. E. Missildine and Carolina Hardware Co.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Kate Panther, deceased, late a resident of Polk County. All persons having claim against the said Kate Panther, deceased, are notified to present verified statements of the same to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of April, 1922, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are notified to settle same forthwith. April 1st, 1921. JOHN PANTHER, Administrator.

SALE OF TOWN PROPERTY FOR TAXES

By virtue of my office as Tax Collector for the town of Saluda, I will sell for cash at Saluda on Monday, at ten o'clock, May 2nd, 1921, the following property described, for taxes due thereon, with all costs added, as prescribed by law to wit:

M. L. Breland, one lot	3.75
G. D. Gilbreath, one lot	3.00
Mrs. F. A. Kracke, one lot	10.00
Mrs. St. Julien Ravenel, one lot	18.00
H. P. Green, one lot	8.75

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Will Atkins, one lot	17
Rebecca Atkins, one lot	39
Isaac Means, one lot	11.50
D. R. Walker est. one lot	1.48

R. M. HALL, Tax Collector.

SALE OF COUNTY PROPERTY FOR TAXES

By virtue of my office as Tax Collector for the County of Polk, in the State of North Carolina, I will sell for cash at the Court House door in the town of Columbus, N. C., on Monday, May 2, 1921, at 12 o'clock, M., the following property described, for taxes due thereon, with all costs added, as prescribed by law, to wit:

Greens Creek Township

Bryant, R. P., 66 acres	27.66
Cudd, A. R., 40 acres	26.30
Cantrell, H. T., 13 acres	15.76
Covington, T. P., 30 acres	6.76
Covington, R. O., 58 acres	12.20
Edwards, T. C., 10 acres	5.92
Eplee, J. F., 25 acres	20.39
Greenway, W. G., 127 acres	69.38
Gosnell, Willie, 37 acres	9.16
Gosnell, W. S., 40 acres	10.75
Head, O. L., 28 acres	23.70
Harris, J. S., 15 acres	8.62
Head, F. C., 25 acres	14.35

Harris, E. M., 28 acres	18.09
Horn, J. P., 165 acres	96.73
Head, S. E., 55 acres	34.43
Jackson, J. B. & J. P., 97 acres	41.78
Johnson, M. J., 65 acres	21.79
McMillin, C. C., 531 acres	169.98
McClain, D. T., 450 acres	38.80
McFarland, J. W., 71 acres	10.86
Neal, Mrs. Rhoda, 75 acres	19.27
Prince, R. H., 73 acres	18.12
Prince, R. C., 46 acres	36.72
Steadman, O. R., 30 acres	24.93
Splann, D. L. & A. C., 50 acres	8.70
Smith, Mrs. S. A., 80 acres	35.14
Thompson, David C., 300 acres	75.25
Weaver, S. B., 125 acres	55.61

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Burgin, Mossie, 8 acres	2.97
Foster, Frank, 48 acres	15.15
Lyles, Floyd, 34 acres	9.15
Liles, C. C., 52 acres	28.26
Lynch, R. H., 32 acres	9.70
Miller, T. V., 4 acres	2.70
Moore, Richard, 12 acres	3.70
Moore, Joseph, 47 1/2 acres	14.60

Columbus Township

Arlidge, J. A., 41 1/2 acres	26.54
Brisco, Lionell, 88 acres	35.60
Barnette, W. M., 40 acres	15.86
Brown, J. C., 45 acres	16.32
Conner Heirs, 6 acres	5.16
Champion, Mrs. Mary, 214 a.	48.43
Davis, J. Mat, 43 acres	31.12
Dillard, W. O., 50 acres	25.38
Hamilton, R. G., 500 acres	151.95
Jones, Bessie, 55 acres	15.28
Moss, Mark, 50 acres	25.14
Martin, Furman, 40 acres	14.90
Mills, N. T., 102 acres	10.84
McMurry, Celina, 35 acres	25.76
McMurry, A. L., one town lot	8.30
Owens, 65 acres	16.53
Pack, Otis, 86 acres	25.00
Pitman, E. L., 53 acres	6.84
Searcy, J. N., 58 acres	20.12
Searcy, Elbert, 51 acres	16.26
Shields, J. A., 49 acres	22.17
Searcy, Govan, 26 acres	5.90
Sharp, Mary E., 140 acres	39.68
Shore, C. E., 12 acres	73.39
Turner, McD., 110 acres	35.31
Toney, Mrs. S. C., 65 acres	25.22
Thompson, W. J., 37 acres	19.81
Turner, Mrs. McD., 101 acres	22.13
Stewart, J. Williams, 40 acres	12.01
Wing, W. H., two town lots	4.74
Williams, Florence R., 21 acres	84.96

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Allen, J. L., 30 acres	11.60
Hannon, John H., 10 acres	3.31
Jackson, Eli, 10 acres	5.41
Moore, George, 105 acres	24.20
Wilson, 21 acres	7.62
Wilson, J. W., 21 acres	6.29

Tryon Township

Cowan, A. J., 238 acres	172.37
Cawthry, E. B., 28 1/2 acres	11.59
Dempsey, L. A., 4 acres	10.80
Fisher, Mrs. F. E. Estate, 100 acres	48.41
Fisher, A. N., one town lot in Lynn	2.47
Gains, W. J., four town lots in Tryon	113.81
Hellon, J. E., Estate, 59 acres	10.75
Howard, J. Wilson, 18 acres	15.60
Howard, Archie B., 3 acres	5.90
Johnson, L. D., 55 acres	42.16
Kuchner, Mrs. J., 23 acres	15.85
Kuykoll, J. L., 23 acres	15.07
Laughter, Mrs. M. A., one lot in Lynn	12.98
Leish, Mrs. Joseph, 107 acres	16.32
Martin, G. E., 16 acres	23.56
McFarlan, Emma S., one lot in Tryon	2.22
Neil, Mrs. Rhoda, one lot	10.80
Oakland Heights Co., three lots	3.73
Owens, Lindsey, 2 acres	17.12
Panther, Gaither, 1 lot in Lynn	3.82
Pane, James H., 8 acres	9.05
Price, Mrs. Ella, one lot	5.75
Parris, M. H., Estate, one lot	3.73
Richardson, Isallo B., 14 acres	10.78
Rankin, Mrs. F. C., one lot	25.95
Staton, Gertrude M., one lot	15.85
Turner, David J., 7 acres	3.07
Tryon Country Club, 50 acres	48.63
Tryon Hotel Co., 1 lot in Tryon	461.63
Wilson, W. A., 17 acres	11.62
Ward, W. C., one lot in Tryon	16.00

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Cary, Jack, one lot	7.73
Cheek, Ben, one lot	24.00
Edwards, J. K., 1 acre	9.27
Fox, J. W., 1 1/2 acres	9.27
Holbert, Sam, 1 acre	1.87
Jones, G. R., one lot	6.63
Miller, Rev. J. S., one lot	10.06
Patterson, Charlie, one lot	11.87
Peak, Henry, one lot	6.02
Morris, Catherine, 1 acre	4.86

Coopers Gap Township

Bailey, Hix, 60 acres	13.46
Bradley, Mrs. Eliza, 30 acres	5.32
Blanton, Robert L., 6 acres	6.21
Blanton, J. R., 100 acres	18.88
Dimsdale, Mrs. Eliza, 83 1/2 A.	11.07
Dimsdale, J. P., 51 1/2 acres	12.59
Edwards, A. A., 116 acres	42.45
Earley, Thomas, Est., 49 acres	3.92
Edwards, J. T., 75 acres	14.63
Gilbert, S. P., 66 acres	24.11
Green, J. M., 72 acres	11.81
Gibbs, M. S., 75 acres	24.14
Green, G. C., 41 acres	15.78
Hill, Carson, 100 acres	8.18
Haynes, Will, 40 acres	8.61
Haynes, J. B., 20 acres	2.56
Halford, A. H., 10 acres	9.91
Jackson, J. P., 43 acres	3.92
Jackson, D. C., 40 acres	2.83
Laughter, J. C., 19 acres	26.24
McCraw, J. R., 50 acres	10.64
McGuinn, Lee, 10 acres	2.48
McCraw, Mrs. J. B., 77 acres	7.78
Nix, M. A., 58 acres	5.07
Price, Zeb B., 10 acres	1.94
Ruff, Harrison, 18 acres	1.77
Sherman, Mrs. J. M., 62 acres	4.78
Search, W. P., 103 acres	15.54
Thompson Heirs, 700 acres	24.49
Thompson, D. H., 112 acres	11.85
Wamack, F. P., 65 acres	28.45
Whitesides, E. L., 30 acres	4.96
Logan, E. L., 25 acres	6.30
Logan, Marion, 25 acres	5.68

White Oak Township

Arlidge, C. Jr., 100 acres	10.46
Arlidge, Herbert, 75 acres	10.75
Arlidge, G. H., 110 acres	20.59
Brisco, P. G., 127 acres	41.60
Byars, Mrs. Lizzie, 40 acres	15.35
Culbreath, J. A., 101 acres	10.73
Collins, Rufus	8.37
Edwards, J. L., 40 acres	7.80
Fowler, W. M., 217 acres	62.20
Green, H. T., 132 acres	54.91
Green, W. G., 48 acres	21.23
Horton, T. D., 36 acres	10.16
Laughter, Pelza, 33 acres	13.20
Pritchard, W. A., 44 acres	14.44
Pritchard, J. A., 68 acres	14.96
Pack, W. M., 53 acres	18.98
Russell, W. M., 50 acres	84.37
Splann, Mrs. Ella, 200 acres	10.64
Turner, W. R., 9 acres	10.36
Williams, N. E., 50 acres	8.79
West, C. F., 44 acres	18.25

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Check, Harriell, 40 acres	11.49
Flack, L. A., 51 acres	31.85
Haden, T. C., 21 acres	11.71
King, John, 36 acres	60.86

Miller, Frank, 58 acres	27.40
Moore, Belton, 39 acres	15.84
Mills, Annie L., 24 acres	12.30
Taylor, Mary, 26 acres	10.20
Whistnant, P. S., 678 acres	9.70
Saluda Township	154.41
Arlidge, Robert, Estate, one town lot	13.00
Aiken, J. Morgan, one town lot	1.82
Bushnell, Mrs. A. M., two town lots	22.40
Bell, Mrs. Jessie T., 1 town lot	23.10
Choice, Will, 180 acres	6.44
Davis, M. W., Estate, 1 1/2 acres	2.30
Emery, J. T., Estate, 118 acres	5.82
Foster, G. W., 134 acres	28.20
Frost, Dr. F. L., 12 acres	81.24
Garrette, E. E., 39 acres	1.70
Hearson, J. M., per mother et al one town lot	28.10
Heatherby, Ed., 60 acres	8.80
Heatherby, James, H. one town lot	14.14
Hill, Mrs. Mary P., 120 acres	18.51
Homer, Walke A., one town lot	56.70
Johnson, W. L., 64 acres	7.75
Johnson, Mrs. M. J., 2-2-10 A.	5.82
Johnson, Jake H., 15 acres	15.54
Knox, F. H., 55 acres	16.83
Lanning, E. Fuller, 33 acres	4.13
Pearson, J. E., 215 acres	41.76
Pearson, C. W., Est., 130 acres	15.64
D. D. Patey, 25 acres	4.01
Pearson, G. W., 330 acres	47.74
Price, Tom R., 50 acres	10.48
Pace, D. D., 206 acres	16.49
Pagan, Mrs. M. M., 1 town lot	4.80
Pace, J. W., one town lot	5.24
Pace, James A., one town lot	17.10
Parris, O. R., one town lot	13.67
Rollins, D. M., Estate, 75 acres	8.90
Sowers, G. D., 5 1/2 acres	3.56
Staton, Thomas M., 1 town lot	4.20
Thompson, H. F., 58 acres	8.80
Thompson, A. B., Est., 100 A.	14.13

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Jackson, G. Duff, one town lot	3.50
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SALE OF TOWN PROPERTY FOR TAXES

By virtue of my office as Tax Collector for the town of Tryon, I will sell for cash at the Town Hall in Tryon, on Monday, ten o'clock, May 2nd, 1921, the following property described, for taxes due thereon, with all costs added, as prescribed by law to wit:

White

D. D. Bradley, 1 dwelling & lot	8.46
W. H. Ford, 1 lot	3.80
Helen Gilbert, 1 lot	1.00
W. J. Gibson, 1 lot	8.00
Belton Gosnell, 1 lot	1.27
I. B. Melton, dwelling & lot	9.20
Rhoda Neal, 1 lot	12.50
Ella Price, 1 lot	2.60
Mrs. Vital Kirchner, household furniture	6.50
American Tel. & Telegraph Co. apparatus	2.74
Mrs. Eliza Thurston, 1 lot	3.08
J. T. Waldrup, dwelling & lot	10.60

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Ben Cheek, dwelling & lot	3.38
Wm. Clowney, dwelling & lot	3.80
Jno. Edwards, dwelling & lot	3.90
Elias Fields, dwelling & lot	4.48
Mattie Mooney, dwelling & lot	5.40
W. O. Miller, dwelling & lot	2.60
Lavinia McDowell, 1 lot	11.20
Katherine Norris, dwelling & lot	2.20
Henry Peak, dwelling & lot	2.20
Furman Miller, dwelling & lot	3.00
Robt. Owens, dwelling & lot	4.81
Chas. Patterson, dwelling & lot	4.85
Will Simmons, dwelling & lot	1.84
Jno. Tyson, dwelling & lot	3.18
Wofford & McDowell, dwelling & lot	3.80

M. G. Blake, Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH

The Board of Commissioners of the Town of Tryon do ordain:

Section 1. That it shall be the duty of the Health Officer of the Town of Tryon to require all hotel-keepers and boarding-house keepers and all other persons letting rooms for rent within the corporate limits of the Town of Tryon to fumigate all rooms within their hotels, boarding-houses and residences as soon as same are vacated, whenever said rooms shall have been occupied by any person who was confined thereto by sickness, or who is known to have had any contagious or infectious disease, and the cost and expense of all such fumigation shall be borne by such hotel-keeper, boarding-house keeper or other person letting rooms for rent, and all such rooms shall be fumigated under the direction and supervision of the health officer of the Town of Tryon.

Section 2. That all hotel-keepers, boarding-house keepers and other persons letting rooms for rent within the corporate limits of the Town of Tryon be, and they are hereby required to notify the health officer of the Town of Tryon as soon as any room in their hotel, boarding-house, residence or other building is vacated, whenever same has been occupied by any person who was confined thereto by sickness, or who was known to have any contagious or infectious disease, and to fumigate said rooms, under the directions of the health officer of the town, before allowing same to be occupied by any other guest.

Section 3. That any hotel-keeper, boarding-house keeper, and other person letting rooms for rent within the corporate limits of the Town of Tryon, who shall fail to notify the health officer of said Town whenever any of their said rooms shall have been vacated by any person or persons, who were confined thereto by sickness, or who were known to have any contagious or infectious disease, or who shall fail or refuse to fumigate said rooms whenever required by the health officer of the Town of Tryon, or who shall permit said room or rooms to be occupied by any other guest before said room or rooms are fumigated, unless permission be given by the health officer of the Town, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined not more than fifty dollars, or imprisoned not exceeding thirty days.