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Appreciation To Our Subscribers

The Times wants to thank the subscribers who came to our rescue when we asked those in arrears to help us on their subscriptions.

Many of our friends have helped us when it was a sacrifice to do it and have given us produce and cash to settle their accounts.

There are still a great many who have not paid their subscription whom we feel could help us with very little effort.

We are getting our equipment back in order as fast as possible and will be able to print as before within a short time, however, it takes money to accomplish these things and we still are in bad need of cash.

We want to continue our efforts until the entire county will be proud of their county paper as being one of the best in the country.

Please keep us in mind and bring us cash or anything you have to spare to settle your past due account. We will not mention the things we would like for you to bring, just bring anything you have and we will allow you market price.

The Value Of A Dog

Some people never realize the value of a dog. One that works and receives credit enough, but usually there is really a need for seldom the dog that is not worth one meal is the one that gets more petting and good food.

Numbers of people in the county who are asking help from the relief fund have from one to four or five dogs to feed and in most cases the dog is only a boarder and a pet of the family. This kind of dog is worthless and usually is underfed and is more apt to be connected with the destruction of sheep and goats than one that is properly fed and has work to do.

About two weeks ago, Mr. W. P. Thompson had thirty-three goats killed by some dog. He is not positive about whose dog it was, however, there has been a wild dog seen numerous times in his neighborhood and no one is able to get near him. He is a large German police and is as wild as a fox. This perhaps is the very dog that killed Mr. Thompson's goats. This dog belongs to someone and it is very doubtful if the owner pays a cent to the county for him, yet the county will have to pay Mr. Thompson in the neighborhood of \$50.00 for these goats and not likely get one cent tax for the murderer.

A heavy penalty should be imposed upon all persons allowing their dogs, whether valuable or not, running around over the county and funds from this source should be applied to pay some competent man to look after stray dogs. This in our judgment, would save the tax payers of the county many dollars in the course of a year.

The situation is getting worse every year and despite all the efforts on the part of the Board of County Commissioners to combat this menace.

A person applying for help from the relief fund should be required to dispose of all dogs in his family before this help should be granted.

Dogs of no value should be taxed so high that the owner had rather dispose of him than pay the tax and a close check should be made to see that each dog in the county is listed for taxation and the tax rate at the time of listing in the order of the worth of the dog.

So many people have what they term guard dogs, and at least half the time the dog is strayed away from home in some kind of mischief instead of being at home to guard it like the owner would have you believe.

Practically every year the commissioners pay out for sheep that have been killed by dogs, far more than they receive from the dog tax and we are reasonably sure that at least half the dogs in the county are not listed on the tax books at all.

It seems that in these days of hard times when everyone is of necessity forced to economize, that the value of a dog should be taken into consideration, and save hundreds of dollars that it costs to ignore the present dog situation.

Church News

Methodist

Regular services will be held at Sparta at 11 a. m.

Services will be held at Walnut Branch Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

Missionary Baptist

Rev. J. L. Underwood will fill his regular appointment at Scottville next Sunday at 11 a. m.

FARM NEWS

By W. B. COLLINS, County Agent

The State Welfare Agencies have informed us that there is no money in sight for relief work next winter. They have cautioned all the counties of the state that it will be necessary for people who have been depending on relief work, to grow a large garden and plenty of food and feed stuff for the coming year.

People who are depending on work by the day for a living, no doubt will see many a hungry day next winter, unless they plant a crop this spring to insure sufficient food for the coming year. From all indications we are facing the hardest year we have seen since the depression started. We have heard of the depression before, but in my opinion we will feel it this year. The family who does not grow enough garden and food crops to last through next winter will feel the depression with an empty stomach.

At a meeting of the county officials, county welfare officer and county agent on Monday of this week the following committee were appointed for each township to find tillable land for families in their communities who do not have sufficient land to cultivate this year and to impress them with the importance of growing a large garden.

Glade Creek: Mrs. M. A. Higgins, Mrs. Mack Wagoner, W. H. Handy, Glenn Evans, Kenny Truitt and Pack Murphy.

Cherry Lane: Mrs. J. T. Inskēep, Miss Lillian Bryan, Rev. C. W. Irwin, Daniel Wagoner and P. C. Collins.

Gap Civil: Mrs. T. J. Carson, Miss Ruby Woodruff, Carl Irwin, Calton Sparks, Coy Joines, Jessie McCain, Tom Rector, James Wagoner and F. H. Jackson.

Whitehead: Mrs. Will Pugh, Mrs. Bess Spicer, Marion Joines, Lee Caudill, Jim Brown and Joe Wagoner.

Cranberry: Mrs. W. F. Doughton, Mrs. Avery Waddell, M. E. Reeves, Glenn Taylor, Van Miller and Hort Miller.

Prathers Creek: Mrs. Mack Sanders, Mrs. Dan Jones, John Richardson, W. H. Weaver, C. E. Jones, Charlie Edwards and Charlie Mitchell.

Piny Creek: Miss Pearl Fields, Miss Edna Fletcher, John R. Halsey, Mack Rutherford, C. F. Osborne and Emerson Black.

It is urgently requested that the members of the above committees, render and service they can in securing sufficient tillable land for the families in their communities who do not have enough land to cultivate.

I have an order for sixty thousand pounds of bird-eye and kidney beans. Farmers who have beans to sell should get in touch with me immediately.

NEW FORD CENTER OF MUCH INTEREST

Is On Display At Show-room of Alleghany Motor Sales

The first of the new Ford V-8 cylinder, 112 inch wheelbase motor cars, placed on display here Saturday morning in the Alleghany Motor Sales showroom, has attracted wide attention and interest among local motorists.

The new V-8 is the largest and most powerful Ford ever built. It has new and distinctively modern lines, a most attractive front end, longer wheelbase, larger and roomier bodies, faster acceleration, increased power and speed and is exceptionally economical in operation. With its 75-horsepower, V-8 engine, the New Ford is capable of a sustained speed of 80 miles an hour.

The styling of the 14 body types expresses the new mode in motor car building. The modern note is found in the sloping Vee radiator grill, the skirted fenders, newly-designed head-lamps, cowl lamps and bumpers, the curve of the hoodside ventilators, the 20 degree slant of the windshield, the curved roof header, the reverse curve of the rear quarter and the backward sweep of the apron masking the gasoline tank.

The new all-steel bodies are materially wider, almost a foot longer and consequently much roomier. The attractive instrument panel is directly in front of the driver, with a large package compartment at the right side of the instrument board. Front seats in closed cars are fully adjustable. Interior fittings are luxurious. Options in upholstery and a wide choice of body colors are available.

The improved V-8 engine is fitted with all-aluminum cylinder heads, one of the most noteworthy forward steps in motor design in many years. Because aluminum dissipates heat more rapidly, the use of the aluminum cylinder heads permits higher compression pressure and results in increased speed, power and smooth-

ness, faster acceleration and added fuel economy.

LEAS SAID "TRICKED"

Col. Luke Lea and Luke Lea, Jr., said Sunday that "having been tricked and trussed" in North Carolina and railroaded to a conviction without any evidence of guilt, they had been "unwilling to take chances involved in remaining in Nashville" before their extradition hearing and for that reason had come to Jamestown, Tenn.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER EXECUTION

State of North Carolina, County of Alleghany, In the Superior Court Before the Clerk B. O. Choate and P. L. Choate, Plaintiffs.

vs. Claude Pruitt and M. A. (Artis) Pruitt Defendants By virtue of an execution directed to the undersigned from the Superior Court of Alleghany county in the above entitled action, I will on Monday, the 3rd day of April, 1933, at one o'clock P. M., at the courthouse door of said county, sell to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said execution, all the right, title and interest which the defendant M. A. (Artis) Pruitt has, or had at the time of the levy attachment, in the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lying on the waters of Little River, adjoining the lands of L. V. Richardson, W. P. Maxwell and others, being the land conveyed by M. T. Pruitt and wife to the defendants, which deed is recorded in Book 29, page 99 of the office of the register of deeds of Alleghany county, which tract of land contains approximately 100 acres.

This the 13th day of February, 1933.

R. B. McMillan, Sheriff

NOTICE

State of North Carolina, County of Alleghany.

By virtue of a Deed of Trust, executed to the undersigned on Dec. 4, 1922, by William Watson and wife Docia Watson to secure the payment of a bond, executed by John Choate, Guardian of Marjorie Choate, in the sum of \$350.00, due twelve months after date, with interest thereon, on which note there is a balance due of approximately \$375.00, and in default of the payment of the same, and upon demand of the said John Choate, Guardian, I will, under the powers contained in said Deed of Trust, offer for sale at public auction for cash to the highest bidder at the courthouse door at Sparta, N. C., at one o'clock p. m., on Monday, March 6th, 1933, a certain tract of land described in said Deed of Trust lying on the waters of Little River adjoining the lands of L. C. Caudill, Lester Waddell, E. Leff Wagoner, Reeves Watson and others, being the land conveyed by John F. Watson and wife to Will Watson, on Feb. 24, 1916, and embracing in two tracts aggregating approximately 27 acres, 22 square rods, more or less, the same being specifically described in the said deed from John F. Watson and wife, recorded in Book 29, page 136 of the office of the Register of Deeds of Alleghany county to which deed and record reference is hereby made for specific calls.

This Jan. 31, 1933. C. W. EDWARDS, Trustee.

PROGRAM LYRIC THEATRE ELKIN, N. C.

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Fri.-Sat.— "Under Cover Man" with Geo. Roft Serial-Comedy—Adm. 10c-30c

Next Week—Mon.-Tues.— Clara Bow in "Call Her Savage" Admission 10c-30c

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By Albert T. Reid



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