

ADOPT PLANS FOR REDUCING TOBACCO CROPS NEXT YEAR

Mass Meeting of Business Men, Bankers and Tobaccoists Features Reduction Here Today ONE-HALF REDUCTION OF ACREAGE IS CONSIDERED ABSOLUTELY IMPERATIVE

Township Delegates to be Sent to Meeting of Tobacco Growers' Association in Raleigh.

Radical reduction of tobacco acreage throughout this section of the state was given decided impetus at a mass meeting of tobaccoists, bankers and business men conducted at the court house in this city today.

Prominent tobacco growers from many parts of the country as well as members of the Eastern Carolina Tobacco Warehousemen's association were present at the opening session this morning and what they had to say regarding present conditions left a lasting impression with those who have been interested in future of the crops.

Resolutions were adopted urging farmers to consider the matter seriously, as it was conceded that another large crop would ruin the entire industry for several years, prolong recovery and place the producer in a position that would be considerably worse than the present.

The meeting was presided over by J. F. Brinkley, of Greenville, who at the outset declared that proposed reduction was the only definite plan for restoring the industry to its former level and that co-operation of every person interested would be necessary.

Resolutions adopted: Resolutions passed by the North Carolina Tobacco Warehouse Association, at Wilson, N. C., December 23, 1920.

WHEREAS, the normal supply of bright tobacco is approximately three hundred million pounds annually and where as it is evident that there will be carried over from the 1920 crop fully 300,000,000 lbs.—enough to supply the needs of the world if not a single pound is raised in 1921, and

WHEREAS, the interests of the Warehousemen and the Farmers are identical in respect to the amount of tobacco to be planted, and we feel it our duty to give the Growers the facts in our possession that they may be saved from bankruptcy which may follow the planting of even a normal crop in 1921.

THEREFORE, it is resolved by the North Carolina Tobacco Warehouse Association 1. That the proposed reduction of one-third in acreage as recommended by the Tobacco Growers' association is not a sufficient reduction—that the reduction should be at least 50 per cent, and that any amount planted in excess of one-half of the normal crop will invite disaster.

11. That we feel it is the duty of the Tobacco Warehousemen to reach the tobacco growers in person and to urge (Continued On Page

MISS ESTRID OTT



Miss Estrid Ott, nineteen-year-old Danish girl scout, who is making a world-circling trip. She says she wants to prove for all girl scouts "that a girl can travel safely and cheaply over the world."

PLAN TO EXPLORE MOTHER EARTH IN INTEREST SCIENCE

Sixteen Exploration Expeditions Planned After Four Years of Inactivity and War.

New York, Dec. 29.—Sixteen exploration expeditions are now in progress or in contemplation after four years of inactivity in the line of scientific research due to the Great War. Most of these enterprises have been undertaken or projected since the armistice and they recall the fact that Mother Earth still has important biological, zoological, geological, ethnological and meteorological problems which are still unsolved.

One of the most important of these enterprises is the British Antarctic Expedition, headed by Commander John Lachlan Cope, F. R. G. S., formerly of the British Navy. It is financed for \$750,000, includes five ships, 125 men, several airplanes and extensive wireless apparatus. The undertaking is to require five years and its objects are the circumnavigation of the Antarctic Sea, a dash to the South Pole, the locating of new whaling grounds, and the discovery of supposedly rich gold, silver, coal and ruby fields.

Captain Roald Amundsen, who discovered the South Pole in 1911, left Nome, Alaska, last August in an attempt to reach North Pole. His ship, the Maud, last August in an attempt to reach the Arctic, north of Asia and Europe, and had successfully made the Northeast Passage. He expected the Maud to be locked in the keelcap and to drift toward the Pole when the Arctic winter ended. In negotiating his way to Nome he was frequently compelled to blast a path through the ice.

The other interesting expeditions projected or now under way are as follows: Siberia—Captain Axel Landmark and Captain John Vathek, in a 50-foot power boat are on a 4,000-mile voyage to the Kolyma river, using a primitive chart made in 1878 by Nordenskjöld, a Swedish explorer on his voyage from Norway to Japan via the Arctic Ocean. Greenland—Knud Rasmussen, Danish explorer, who returned from the East coast late in 1919, after studying Eskimo tribes, is preparing for another expedition of five years' duration. Lange Koch, another Dane, is planning a scientific survey of North Greenland, his main purpose being to establish Danish sovereignty in that territory.

SCOTLAND VOTING ON PROHIBITION IN REMOTE DISTRICTS

Question Has Been Holding Attention of Public Opinion for More Than Month.

MAJORITY OF SECTIONS VOTE FOR NO CHANGES IN OLD-TIME SYSTEMS

"Pussyfoot" Johnson Says Britain and Scotland Should Be Dry Within Ten Years.

London, Dec. 29.—Voting on the prohibitions question in Scotland has been going on in the more remote districts for a month or more, and the final result will probably not be known until the end of the year.

The latest returns are: 196 localities for no change in the present system; 24 for limitation of saloon licenses and 23 for the abolition of existing licenses.

W. E. "Pussyfoot" Johnson, the American "dry" campaigner, stated to an interviewer at Bradford the other day that he was satisfied with the results so far, which meant the closing down of 292 saloons in Scotland.

Asked how long he thought it would take to make Britain dry, Mr. Johnson said he believed that England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales would be bone-dry in 10 years.

The Cambridge Union, the well-known university society, held a debate the other day on prohibition and voted against prohibition 211 to 208.

Toy makers eagerly seized upon the "pussyfoot" notion for the Christmas season, and all sorts of toys, dolls and mechanical devices have been adapted to the idea.

Tonight the various churches will hold the closing prayer meeting services of the year. It is a time when there should be a large attendance.

NUMBER MEMBERS ADMITTED BY CLUB HERE LAST NIGHT

Monthly Meeting of Carolina Club Features In Optimistic Discussion of the Future.

Several matters of importance were taken up at the regular monthly meeting of the Carolina club conducted in this city last night, including admission of new members and discussion of activities for the approaching year.

The meeting probably was one of the most enthusiastic in several months, as presiding officers expressed great confidence in the business outlook for the future, and particularly, continued development of the city along commercial and industrial lines.

Admission of several new members marked an eventful era in the club's history and it was generally agreed that the organization had been so strengthened that much work would be accomplished in the future. Old members appeared more optimistic than ever and expressed themselves in a pleasing manner concerning the outlook for greater co-operation and service. It was decided that a meeting of executives should be conducted monthly so matters requiring immediate attention might be disposed of quickly as possible.

AUTHORITIES FEAR AMERICA'S RIGHTS MAY BE EXCLUDED

Bill To Be Introduced in Dutch Parliament May Deny Interest in Djamba Oil Fields

TERRITORY GREATEST PETROLEUM DISTRICT IN DUTCH EAST INDIES

Field Has Long Been Scene of Commercial Rivalry Between English and Americans.

The Hague, Dec. 29.—United States authorities here fear that American interests will be excluded from the great Djamba oil fields in the Dutch East Indies if a bill introduced in the Dutch Parliament be adopted. This measure proposes to give the concession to these fields to a subsidiary of the Batavia Oil Company. The territory to be included in the concession is described as the most valuable petroleum ground in the Dutch East Indies.

The field has long been the scene of commercial rivalry between Dutch-English and American oil groups. Americans here say that the only way in which American interests could obtain representation there would be for the Dutch government to permit them to subscribe to the stock of the proposed handling company to be formed to handle the concession.

In this holding company, the Dutch East Indian government and the Batavia company would, by provisions of the bill, be joint stockholders, the government sharing largely in the profits. The government, however, will have a majority on the board of directors.

According to the Amsterdam Handelsblad, the preferred shares, giving a right to vote as to the control but not as to the direct management, will be mostly under government control, but in order to placate foreign, particularly American interests, a certain proportion of what are known as the "B" shares, may be sold to foreigners with the consent of the government.

AMERICAN PUPILS IN ENGLAND SPEND HAPPY CHRISTMAS

Students Admitted to Home of Many Nobles to Enjoy Greatest Season of Year.

London, Dec. 29.—American students in England are enjoying Christmas season hospitality at the homes of notable English personages, as well as of American residents in England. Scores of Rhodes scholars have laid aside their caps and gowns and have departed from their Oxford college to be guests at English and American homes in England during the Christmas "vac." as the two-weeks' vacation period is termed in English scholastic slang.

English home life is the chief glory of the land, according to Englishmen and, as a result of the desire of those interested in American students here, opportunity has been given to many young Americans to experience this life at its best, the Christmas season. Many other students are guests at American homes here.

Prominent American and British women, members of the women's advisory committee of the American University Union in England, arranged for the entertainment of the students during the Christmas season, students having been invited to teas, evenings, week ends or the entire vacation period.

Pay Up And Trade Weeks Campaign To Close Here Saturday At Three O'clock

STROTHER CLOSES CONTRACT TO NET HIM \$450 DAILY

"Human Spider" Signs Contract With Richmond Agency to Fly at Fairs Throughout Country.

Bill Strother, who has been amusing people of this city for the past several days with daring aerial stunts, has just signed up a contract with Monte Stone, of the United Fair Booking Association, of Richmond, for playing state and county fairs in the United States and Canada. The contract covers a period of five months and nets Strother \$450 daily, or say \$50,000 for the entire five months' contract.

It was one time thought that Ruth Law, famous aviatrix, would sign Strother for training young women, and while her representative has been here several days endeavoring to secure the services of the "Human Spider" the contract with the Richmond booking agency was accepted without hesitation. The new field of endeavor will take Strother in many sections of the country, including Canada where the first exhibitions will be staged. His feats will be performed only at state and county fairs, and will include only that of changing from an automobile to aeroplane going at the rate of 100 miles an hour.

Mr. Strother has made arrangements with the management of White's theatre for the showing of his pictures tomorrow night. The young dare-devil will be shown climbing some of the tallest buildings of the country and also changing from automobile to aeroplane at the Virginia fair. There are two reels of pictures, and each feature will be explained by the acrobat himself.

EVANGELIST PLANS PHYSICAL CULTURE CAMPAIGN LOCALLY

Rev. Frank Scattergood to Give Free Instruction in County Schools After January 1st.

Rev. Frank Scattergood, county evangelist of the Presbyterian denomination, has announced that he will give instructions in physical culture in various schools in the county beginning January 1st. Every school will be visited from time to time, but not daily, on account of his inability to cover the county in a day's time. A regular schedule will be arranged after the first round has been made and each school will be informed as to when the instructor may be expected.

Mr. Scattergood proposes to organize each school thoroughly so that when he is not present callisthenics exercises may be carried in regularly by the teachers. He will organize clubs tending to promote physical development of hundreds of children in rural districts who have never been instructed along this line owing to congestion of schools and lack of teachers. Baseball, basketball and football clubs will be organized in every school where there is material for such, and in many instances, where there is no material simply to expand the movement for development of student bodies.

The movement will be received with great interest in virtually every school, for it forms a diversion that readily appeals to young manhood and womanhood in each community. Mr. Scattergood will carry on the work without pay, and is to be highly commended for the splendid interest in betterment of community life.

Prizes to be Awarded at Five Points At Four O'clock by Smallest Man in the World.

COUPON BOXES TO CLOSE PROMPTLY AT 3 O'CLOCK SATURDAY, JANUARY 1

Four Members of Merchants' Association to Roll Hogshead From Court House to Five Points.

"Pay-Up and Trade Weeks" campaign will be brought to a close in this city Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and at 4 o'clock prizes will be awarded at Five Points by a representative of the Meditation Cigar who has the distinction of being the smallest man in the world. Each ticket box will be closed promptly at 3 o'clock, dumped into a large hogshead, and rolled from the Courthouse to Five Points. The Merchants Association has appointed President R. L. Crow, J. K. Young, E. L. Willard, and Claude Tunstall to do the rolling stunt, and as each is an interested member of the campaign, it is needless to say that the hogshead will be shoved along Evans street at record-breaking time.

The campaign, up to this time, has been a decided success, according to numbers of business men who have been watching sales carefully, and it seems generally agreed that it will shape itself into a complete success by the closing hour Saturday. Trading has been active and settlement of accounts in many instances entirely satisfactory. The public has manifested much interest since the opening day, and there has been very few instances when a coupon was not requested in exchange for a dollar paid in cash or on account. Such exchanges were made gladly and in virtually every case the customer seemed as much satisfied as the merchant.

Numbers of coupon boxes are today practically filled, although there is still room for thousands more tickets. The boxes in drug stores probably are more completely congested than those in other places, but considering the number of coupons each will hold, it looks mighty like the campaign will be one of the most successful in this part of the state. In fact, that was looked forward to at first, but few had any idea the closing days would witness such keen interest as manifested by people even in remote sections of the county. "Who will win the Ford automobile, or one of the other prizes?" is the question being considered in hundreds of homes today. Some say the person with only one ticket will be in luck, while others are convinced that the holder of the greatest number of tickets will carry off the honors of the day. However, and fortunately, no one will know who the lucky person is until Saturday shortly after the midget mounts the hogshead and draws out the lucky ticket. There will be many disappointed, but everyone cherishes the hope of getting that Ford, even if it is a "Tin Lizzie."

NEGRO QUESTION CAUSES EXCITING SCENE TODAY IN THE LOWER HOUSE

Washington, Dec. 29.—Charges by representatives of association that negroes have been unlawfully denied suffrage in the South led to a somewhat exciting scene today when Southern members of a committee took issue with witnesses and a representative from Texas declared that he was tired of the States being insulted on the strength of hearsay evidence. One of the spectators insisted on getting into the discussion and Chairman Siegel finally told him that if he did not sit down he must leave the room, declaring there was nothing in the laws discriminating against the negro voters. Representatives from the South suggested that spokesmen of the association take their complaints of alleged discrimination against the negroes to courts rather than to congress.

All notices of entertainments for profit, whether for schools churches lodges or any other institutions, also cards of thanks, obituary notices and resolution of respect will be charged for at the rate of one-half cent word, and must be paid in advance.

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Wednesday, December 29, 1920.

Don't forget that your New Year's resolution must omit hard times.

Occasionally we hear Greenville policemen referred to a patrolman. That's a very dignified title, but how about the patrol,

D'Annunzio probably finds that taking over Fiume is no easy matter. Particularly since receiving a painful wound.

Pitt County has over four thousand automobiles. And judging by the way they run along the principal streets in Greenville most of them are joy wagons.

It is pleasing to note that railroads of the country are not going to ask for another increase in rates. This fact at least will help sweeten the bitterness of taxation.

Germany seems to be suffering from effects of disrupted trade relations. Yet, suffer as much as she will in this way the price of war still remains unpaid.

Cuba is seeking the friendly assistance of the United States. She is not alone either, for it begins to look like the whole world wants to share in American prosperity.

Mrs. McAldoo will head the national campaign to raise \$300,000 for St. Mary's school, at Raleigh. This certainly speaks favorably for the institution and insures success of the campaign.

It is not surprising that Democrats should have launched a bitter attack against emergency tariff bill before the senate. In fact, tariff no longer sets well with those who have seen enough to be disgusted.

Provisions of the bill for a proposed bonus for soldiers will cost the nation two billion dollars, according to Secretary Houston. The issue undoubtedly appeals to the soldier, but if he is much of a taxpayer it is deprived of its most pleasing features.

The sixty-fourth birthday of President Wilson was celebrated quietly at the White House Monday. In a few years, however, it will be celebrated nationally, if not almost universally. He is today one of the greatest men of the times, and will go down in history as the greatest character ever occupying the White House.

Forty-eight armed prohibition agents have been sent to Hurely, Wisconsin, to clear the town of bootleggers. Yet North Carolina takes the blame for being the greatest booze center in the country. It's comforting to know that there's strong competition in the field.

Japan, it is said, intends to withdraw opposition to the California law prohibiting acquisition by Japanese of title to real estate in that state. This is certainly pleasing in every way, for the question created much attention recently and should be a source of great relief to the entire country.

Another man has killed himself as a result of despondency over business conditions. That's a mighty poor way to get out of trouble, and if some would stop to think where they are headed for, suicide would also experience a wonderful decrease in this country, where there is little reason for anyone becoming so rash.

FOREIGN TRADE OF U. S.

The foreign trade of the United States makes a new "high record" in 1920. The record of eleven months and the knowledge of what is going on in the foreign trade in the twelfth month justifies, says a statement by the National City Bank of New York, the belief that our foreign trade in the calendar year 1920 will be "the biggest ever" and exceed \$13,000,000,000 as against a little less than \$12,000,000,000 in 1919, slightly more than \$9,000,000,000 in 1918, and \$4,250,000,000 in the fiscal year 1914. Exports will apparently cross the \$8,000,000,000 line as against \$7,920,000,000 in 1919 and \$2,305,000,000 in the year preceding the war, while imports will exceed \$5,000,000,000 as against \$3,904,000,000 in 1919 and \$1,894,000,000 in the fiscal year 1914.

These increases occur, on the import side, in all of the three great groups "raw materials for manufacturing," "foodstuffs" and "manufactures." The demand in the first half of the year 1920 for raw materials abroad was very large, and the prices were very high. The value of raw material imported for use in manufacturing will be apparently about \$1,750,000,000, an increase of about \$250,000,000 over the preceding year. Crude foodstuffs show no material increase, but in foodstuffs "partly or wholly manufactured" which includes the item of sugar, the total is more than double in value that of 1919. Finished manufactures will show a big advance, standing for the ten months ending with October at \$757,000,000 against \$300,000,000 in the same months of the preceding year.

On the export side, the striking characteristics are a big gain in the exports of manufactures, a material increase in the value of raw material, an increase in wheat and other grains but a big fall off in meats and dairy products as against about two and a half billions in the preceding year, and the grand total of manufactures of all kinds, including the group "manufactures for further use in manufacturing," will be over four billions. Raw material for manufacturing which consists chiefly of cotton, will apparently exceed 1918 by about \$900,000,000, and crude foodstuffs, which means wheat, rice, and corn, and other articles of this character, will show an increase of \$250,000,000 while foodstuffs "partly or wholly manufactured" show a big fall off, and the total for the year will apparently be only a little over one billion dollars against \$1,963,000,000 in 1919 which was, by far the highest record of exports of this class of foodstuffs. This startling decline in exports of meat and dairy products is illustrated by the fact that bacon exports in the ten months ending with October were only 510,000,000 pounds against 1,066,000,000 in the same months of the preceding year; and in other articles a similar decline.

Secretary Daniels thinks it advisable that some movement should be initiated looking to an international conference for reduction of armaments. If this is not done, he declares it is absolutely imperative that the United States have a navy second to none. His argument is along the same line advanced several days ago. It shows conclusively that he does not believe the nation is safe outside the league of nations unless adequately protected by a navy surpassing that either of Great Britain or Japan. And he is right. No one will dispute the fact, for there is no argument against it, armament is necessary to any country not bound together in some organization tending to promote peace and protect its members, and if the United States is to continue to ignore functions of the league, in which forty-eight nations are involved, it is perfectly natural Mr. Daniels should not anticipate pleasant relations. If it is impossible to reach an amicable agreement as to future disarmament America will do well to heed advice of those who have not been quite so quick to assume a state of peace when, really, there is no peace.

London papers seem to think the United States, Great Britain and Japan should curtail naval expenditures as much as possible in order that Great Britain may not be forced into providing greater funds for this measure. That is mighty fine for Japan and Britain too, but for America there is very little to it unless the league of nations is accepted. The two other nations are in shape to meet the future, but America so far is in a state of unpreparedness and must face this fact in its true light.

Continued reports of reduction in wages causes one to realize more than ever that the reconstruction period is with us. But no one regrets the fact, because with industry restored to normal working basis everyone should be better off in finding a relief from social unrest, low wages and prices, which are the main causes. No country can prosper under conditions such as American people have experienced, and it is best that at least one is able to talk freely without having his breath taken away by high wages and extortionate prices.

FOREIGN TRADE OF U. S.

It's not too late to donate to relief funds for the starving children of Europe. Donations will be received today by a committee, and you may rest assured they will be appreciated. Several thousand dollars are yet needed to insure comfort for those in need and should this be given there is little reason to believe the future will not be as bright as some have painted it. The next harvest season will bring relief, and if America can provide adequate funds for this purpose civilization will have received direct blessing.

The country might start the New Year right to resolve to have streets around the courthouse lowered. This permission was granted sometime ago, but so far nothing has been done. It would improve the appearance of the courthouse and make things feel better anyway.

The lack of casualties of Christmas season to some extent helps relieve the serious toll of life by the automobiles. Yet there is plenty of room for improvement if one gets down to truth of the matter.

NORTH CAROLINA, Pitt County, In Superior Court.
Ed. McGee

NOTICE.

—vs.—
Millie W. McGee
The defendant, Mollie W. McGee, will take notice that an action as above entitled has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony. And the defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, in Greenville, N. C., on the 28th day of January, 1921, or within 20 days thereafter, and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

This the 27th day of December, 1920.
J. F. HARRINGTON,
Clerk Superior Court of Pitt County.
Julius Brown, Atty. for Plaintiff,
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Social And Personal

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Turner have returned from Old Point Comfort, Va., where they spent Christmas.

Mr. Frank Nottingham, of Norfolk, is spending Christmas with his aunt, Mrs. T. A. Person.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Tilghman left yesterday for Weldon, Richmond and other points.

Attorney Kenneth Pittman, of Ayden, spent several hours in Greenville yesterday.

Mr. J. B. Duncan, of Raleigh, is numbered among visitors here today.

Messrs. H. M. Jenkins and J. W. Taylor, of Washington, were in Greenville Tuesday afternoon.

Messrs. W. L. Perry and T. B. Setters, of Windsor, were in the city several hours Tuesday.

"Sax" Barnes, former pitcher of the Greenville baseball club, is spending several days in the city.

Van Stringfield, former player of the Greenville baseball club, is spending the holidays here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Burnette and children returned yesterday evening from Rocky Mount where they spent Christmas holidays.

Mr. F. M. Bradley, who has been at home for the holidays, left today to return to school in Dayton, Va.

Mr. C. W. Davis, who has been spending the holidays with his sister, Mrs. R. L. Humber, left today for West Virginia.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Turner returned this morning from Old Point Comfort.

Messrs. Larry Jones and Walter L. Whitehead and Misses Ada James and Emily Moye went to New Bern yesterday evening.

NEW MEMORIAL BAPTIST PASTOR ARRIVES THIS WEEK

Rev. Leland W. Smith, of Richmond, who has accepted the call to become pastor of Memorial Baptist, will arrive this week with his family and begin his work next Sunday. He would have been here the middle of the month but was detained by the sickness of one of his children.

Dr. A. P. Pugh, who has been serving the church as supply pastor during the past two months, with Mrs. Pugh, will leave tomorrow for their home in Tampa, Fla. They have won a host of warm friends during their stay in Greenville.

Many Greenville Shriners are attending the ceremonial in New Bern today and tomorrow.

Only two more days to get coupons for the automobile and cash prizes to be given away by the Merchants' association Saturday.

ATTENTION

To the Members of the Merchants' Association and Chamber of Commerce.

Any member of the Chamber of Commerce and the Merchants' association desiring to use the Chamber of Commerce rooms after 5 o'clock can get key from either of their secretaries.

PITT COUNTY'S EVANGELIST

Rev. Frank Scattergood, Pitt county evangelist.

Morning service, Ayden, N. C., 11 o'clock. Theme—"Forward."

Afternoon service, Mason's School House, Sunday school, 3 o'clock. Lesson—"The Child of the Kingdom." Sermon, 4 o'clock. Theme—"A Right Start."

You are most cordially invited to attend these services. Attend church somewhere.

TEA FOR THREE TO BE PRESENTED AT WHITE'S THEATRE

Musical Comedy Company Scheduled For One Night Engagement Here Tonight.

In the course of each theatrical season there are perhaps a dozen plays produced which stand out in bold relief from all the others. The success they score is so marked that it is instantly and universally recognized. And those are the plays which in years to follow go on and on, bringing pleasure to thousands and eventually millions of the atregoers.

One of these rare plays is Roi Cooper Megrue's, "Tea For Three," which The Sliwyns present at White's Theatre on Wednesday, December 29th, coming direct from Norfolk, where it scored one of the most emphatic hits of recent years.

When first presented at Maxine Elliott's Theatre, New York, "Tea For Three" sprang into instant favor. The theatre was thronged for months. The comedy, before its engagement was finally brought to an end played one entire year. And now it is touring the country, its very presentation being a veritable triumph.

The Sliwyns present Bert Leigh in the leading role and in support have assembled a great cast which includes Millicent Hanley, J. W. Cowell, Margaret Tyler, Ernest Hickok, etc. So far as the stage presentation is concerned "Tea For Three" will be seen here exactly as it was presented during its long engagement in New York.

To describe it briefly, it is a brilliant comedy, rich humor, resplendent with scintillating dialogue and withal, dramatic to an extreme. Other than to disclose it as a strictly modern play which cuts out a slice from real life for presentation back of the footlights would be to deprive its audiences of much of the pleasure in store for them.

If the word of hundreds of critics may be taken, "Tea For Three" is most decidedly worth while. It is a gem of the finest cut, dramatically, and the atregoers will do well to mark carefully the date of its presentation. They should not miss it.

Seats on sale at White's Piano Co., Monday.

DAUGHTERS OF CONFEDERACY TO MEET THURSDAY

The George B. Singletary Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy will meet Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. B. Ficklen on Fifth street.

RENEW YOUR SUBSCRIPTION THIS WEEK OR NEXT

Readers of The Reflector should take advantage of the opportunity to renew their subscriptions before the close of "Pay-Up and Trade Weeks", December 31st. For every dollar paid in that time, a coupon will be given entitling you to an equal number of chances to win the automobile or one of the cash prizes to be given away on January 1st by the Merchants' Association. Even if you are paid some ahead, it will pay you to extend the time for another year and get the coupons.

If not convenient to come to the office, send your subscription by mail and a coupon for each dollar sent will be put in one of the prize boxes for you. Do not wait until it is too late to take advantage of this opportunity. You cannot get another daily paper at the low price charged for The Reflector, and by paying now you may also get one of the prizes.

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NO DOPE—NO ACETANILIDE
10¢ 30¢ 50¢
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ORANGES FOR SALE

Car of fancy bulk Oranges for sale at N and S depot.
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SHE DOES WHAT OTHERS CLAIM TO DO

Get a true history of your life read by Scientific Palmist. This gifted woman will read your life, character, fortune and bent of your disposition by the Science of Palmistry. She Reads Your Life Like a Book. Has been consulted by the most famous men and women of the country and guarantees satisfaction. Her work speaks for itself. If you have been crossed in love, if interferences have broken your dearest and tenderest ties, in every affair it is wise to consult a Palmist who gives you reliable and important advice on business changes, journeys, sickness, wills, deeds, mortgages, love, courtship, marriages, divorce—tells you if you will marry the one you love.

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Pine Wood, Stove Wood lengths, \$2.50 per load. Prompt delivery, any place in town.

PITT LUMBER CO., or Phone 8

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NOTICE!

To the people of Greenville and Vicinity, I offer GREAT REDUCTIONS in SHOE REPAIRING.

White Oak Leather Sewed on \$1.50
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All Rubber Heels 50c.

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5th and Ford Streets in West Greenville.

For
HEAVY HAULING

Call 421, or see
George Cherry, Jr.,

WHITE'S THEATRE

THURSDAY

Monte Blue and Mabel Julienne Scott In
"THE JUCKLINS"

In a photoplay of sentiment, romance, pathos and humor "The Juncklins" is an adaptation of Opie Read's story of the same name—A picture that radiates happiness Matinee 3:45 Adm. 10 & 25c

TONIGHT

"TEA FOR THREE"

One of the best farce comedies of the season.

Adm. 55-83-\$1.10 & \$1.65 War tax included.

Several Reasons

Why you should buy your shoes from Pitt Shoe Co., before Friday night of this week.

We are the only shoe store in town that can give coupons. Friday is the last day of

"Pay-Up and Trade Weeks"—Friday is the last day of our HALF PRICE sale. If

you expect to buy shoes any time soon—

—don't put it off because prices for high grade shoes, the kind we sell, won't be any

less in a long time.

Pitt Shoe Co.

Next Claude Tunstall

LEGAL HOLIDAY

Saturday, January 1st., being a legal holiday, the three banks in Greenville will be closed.

The Farmers Bank
The National Bank
The Greenville Bank
& Trust Co.

WANT

WANTED TO RENT—Five, six, or seven-room house at once. Address P. O. Box 243, City. **tf.**

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—Furnished room. Good location and bath desired. Address W. J. care Reflector, 20-1f.

WANTED TO RENT—Five or six room house, conveniently located, J. F. Stokes, care Reflector. **tf**

FOR SALE—Detroit Vapor Oil stove, slightly used; \$65 stove, price \$25. William Dupree, 22-29.

FOR SALE—Six room house located on Greene street between Fifth street and Dickinson avenue. Reasonable price. W. W. Pittman, care Greenville Drug Co. **ed jan1**

TAKEN UP—On my farm near Greenville, a butt headed brindle colored cow age about seven or eight years. R. L. Dudley, R. F. D. 5 Greenville, N. C. 4 t e

LOST—Monday evening, either in White's Theatre or on the streets, brown wolf neck piece. Liberal reward to finder if returned to Mrs. J. K. Wooters, 1006 Evans street, or this office. **2t***

LOST—Christmas Eve night a white and light brown spotted, slender built female setter. Finder return to J. H. Leary, Sanitary Barber Shop and receive reward.

LOST—Bunch of keys, with aluminum tag with No. 1337. Finder return to E. B. Ferguson and receive reward. **27 3 t**

LOST—In White's Theatre or between White's Theatre and H. A. White's office, Childs Fur Neck Piece. Finder please return to J. S. Willard at H. A. White's office. **28-it***

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Rowlett, of Petersburg, who have been visiting relatives here, returned home today.

Subscribe to the Reflector.

Cabbage Plants FOR SALE

Thorough level frost proof Jersey Wakefield and Charleston Wakefield Cabbage Plants, twenty-five cents per hundred. Two dollars per thousand f. o. b. Greenville. Can fill orders of any size. Special prices on large quantities

L. C. ARTHUR.

HEATING

GENERAL REPAIR WORK PROMPTLY DONE. L. G. CONGLETON 417 Cotanch Street. Phone 550.

SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

North Carolina, Pitt County By virtue of sale contained in a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Heber Cox and wife Pleasant Cox to Z. N. Tripp dated 19th day of December, 1918, and recorded in the register of deeds office of Pitt county in book L-12, page 271, the undersigned mortgagee will expose to public sale before the court house door in Greenville to the highest bidder for cash, on Saturday the 8th day of January, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon, the following described real property, to-wit:

Lying and being in the county of Pitt and State of North Carolina adjoining the lands of Woody McLawhorn, Bryan Tripp and others and containing 57.71 acres more or less and being the same land formerly conveyed to Heber Cox and Pleasant Cox by Z. N. Tripp and others.

This sale will be made for the purpose of satisfying the terms of said mortgage.

This the 7th day of December, 1920. Z. N. TRIPP, Mortgagee. HENRIETTA COX, Owner of the debt.

F. C. HARDING, Attorney, 9 4w

FLOWERS

FOR EVERY OCCASION Special attention given to funeral designs and flowers for weddings. Orders receive prompt attention. MRS. O. F. CLARK, Phone 70 and 411-L. Agent for O'Quinn of Raleigh.

JOHN BARRY



When President Garfield was shot at the Sixth street station, Washington, July 2, 1881, John Barry was driving the carriage. During the past 43 years Barry has driven every secretary of state with the exception of Secretary Colby.

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ADOPT PLANS FOR REDUCING TOBACCO CROP NEXT YEAR

(Continued From Page One)

1. The absolute necessity of cutting their tobacco crops at least one-half—and that if they plant tobacco at all they should not plant "Make All," "Big Gem" and "Pinkney Arthur," but should confine themselves to the staple varieties which have given Eastern North Carolina its reputation in the past.

2. That they abandon the west as their "Smoke-house and Corn Crib" and pledge themselves honestly to make an effort to live at home in 1921.

3. That the Tobacco Warehousemen of North Carolina pledge themselves in co-operation with the Tobacco Growers' association to form committees of their strongest men who shall visit every grower and landlord in their respective territory and secure pledges to carry out the recommendations herein submitted.

N. C. Tobacco Growers Association
S. H. Anderson, Pres.
B. H. Cozart, Sec.

NUMBER DEEDS OF TRANSFER RECORDED HERE TUESDAY

The following deeds of transfer have been filed in the office of the Register of Deeds for registration since reports of yesterday afternoon:

- J. R. Smith, wife, et al. to Knights of Pythias, consideration \$450.
- J. S. Holton and wife to J. R. Spier, consideration \$500.
- D. S. Morrill to Margaret Gamilton, consideration \$10.
- G. E. Moore and wife to W. J. Turnage & Company, consideration \$600.
- G. E. Moore and wife to W. J. Turnage & Company, consideration \$925.
- J. A. Briley, commissioner, to R. H. Moore, consideration \$3,500.
- J. J. Mills to Sudie Mills, consideration \$2,500.

SEVERAL MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED HERE DURING TUESDAY

The following marriage licenses have been issued by the Register of Deeds since reports of yesterday afternoon:

- Miss Hilda Britt, of Martin county, to C. B. Cleloff, of Statesville.
- Miss Fannie Kittrell to M. D. Dall, both of Greenville township.

Colored.

- Ada Pitt to Tom Barrett, both of Fountain territory.
- Della Ebron to Rich Laughinghouse, both of Greenville township.
- Clyde Lang to Robert Barrett, both of Beaver Dam community.
- Lucy Marshall to Clifton Pitt, both of Bethel township.

WANTED—Room and board by man and wife with private family preferred. J. F. Brinkley Jr., 29 6 t

THOS. J. MOORE, District Agent Equitable Life Assurance Society of U. S.

LIFE ACCIDENT and HEALTH General Fire Insurance OFFICE NO. 306 EVANS ST.

YOUNG'S CHAIN STORES

EXTRAORDINARY MONTH END SALE

Sugar, any quantity 9 1-2c lb. Boy's pants worth \$2.00 now—98c.

Men's all wool heavy pants worth \$4.00 ----- \$2.95

\$8.00 Blankets now ---- \$3.88

\$2.00 yd. wide Taffeta silk 98c

Men's \$6.00 all wool serge trousers ----- \$3.95

Red Star, best made diaper cloth 27 inch 10 yds ---- \$1.98

Children's hose 25c value - 15c

Sale of Men's suits formerly worth \$45.00, now ---- \$19.95

Best yard wide Percale yard 18

Best 30 suiting beautiful patterns ----- 13 7-8c yd.

Outing, all colors, good quality ----- 15c yd

Extraordinary sale of Ladies Ready-to-Wear Coats, worth up to \$75.00 \$9.95, \$14.95 \$19.95

Dresses worth up to \$30.00, now ----- \$8.95

Coat Suits, worth up to \$60.00 \$14.95 and \$19.95

YOUNG'S CHAIN STORES

Holiday Merchandise

At Bargain Prices. Reductions Ranging From 20 to 50 per cent. As a Further Inducement We Will Give Coupons for Every Dollar Purchase, and for Every Dollar Paid on Account, From December 16 to 31, inclusive.

WITH THESE COUPONS

Win a Ford

or \$70, \$35, \$25, \$15, \$10, \$5, \$5, \$5 in CASH

PAY UP AND BUY DURING PAY-UP WEEK YOU GAIN TWO WAYS BY SO DOING

C. T. Munford

404 EVANS STREET

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Quinn-Miller & Co

- 1st. - We sell it cheaper.
 - 2nd. - We allow 5 percent discount on all bills paid up in full.
 - 3rd. - We are the only furniture people that give coupons in the contest.
 - 4th. - Should the winner of the FORD win it with our coupon we will give to the lucky one a \$75 Columbia Phonograph.
- Remember, Friday is the last day of the contest. Come to see us for your coupons.

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