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The Weather

Partly cloudy and colder to night. Thursday fair colder in east portion, moderate to fresh westerly winds.

STILL SEEKING HARD COAL STRIKE END DEADLOCK

Arbitration Still Remains Big Question to Be Settled by Miners and Operators

New York, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Anthracite miners and operators today still sought to get somewhere to end the deadlock in the hard coal industry, although the situation is such that a break may come at any time.

After nearly five hours of futile argument yesterday the joint ways conference recessed in the hope that some new thought would be brought out today that would lead to an agreement. Both sides realized the seriousness of ending negotiations and are determined to seek a way out.

So fixed are the six operators and six miners in their respective views on the provision for a new contract that little hope was expressed before they went into conference, that the day would bring any material progress. Arbitration remained the big question to be settled. The miners declare so far as they are concerned, arbitration is out of the question. The operators however, continue to urge it as the only way out of the difficult situation.

While the Federal Government is keeping in touch with the situation, no word has come from Washington as to whether any move will be made from there in the event the present negotiations fail. The miners, it is believed, would welcome a move on the part of Washington designed to end the deadlock.

The representative of the workers and employers read with interest the action of the Senate yesterday in adopting the La Follette resolution calling upon the Treasury Department for information on tax returns made by the Anthracite producing companies.

Auction Tobacco Warehouse Reopened Goldsboro Tuesday

Goldsboro, Jan. 6.—(AP)—The three auction tobacco warehouses here were reopened on Tuesday, after having been closed since December 18. For more than 4,000,000 pounds of the weed has been marketed on the local floors since the season opened in September, and total sales of more than 8,000,000 pounds are expected before the close of the season. Sales last year were slightly in excess of 4,000,000 pounds.

Judge Condemns Night Riding and Laxity of Parents

Henderson, N. C., Jan. 6.—(AP)—The automobile and hard surfaced highway are displacing the segregated districts in immorality, Judge G. E. Midyette believes. In expressing this opinion in his charge to the grand jury in Vance county Superior court, Judge Midyette condemned night riding, and the laxity of parents in not being stricter with their children and keeping them at home at night.

The slackening in the restrictions of home life were given by the jurist as the cause for the increase of crime all over the country.

Judge Midyette told the grand jury he believed the world was growing better, and that there were more good men and women in the world than ever before, but that it requires more strength of character to be a good man or woman now than it ever did before. He said that the surprise is not that there is as much crime as there is, but that there isn't more, in the light of existing conditions.

The court deplored the increase in larcenies by young men declaring that this was caused by the boys not being kept home at nights. The group-ers send the boys in to do the stealing, while the former stand at a safe distance and watch, he said.

Citizens could do much to lessen the law violation, the jurist believes, if parents would keep their fingers on their children, and curb their indiscretions and wildness.

TODAY

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Women Congratulations. White Wash for Coward. Planks Are Doing Nicely. The Ether Drift. ARTHUR BRISBANE

Troitzky says that woman's lot in Russia is happier than anywhere else on earth. That self approving note will be questioned, since, no matter what laws may say, a woman's lot depends on the sort of husband she draws in the marriage lottery.

Beyond question, however, women in Russia, as elsewhere, are better off than they were. Read in Wallisowski's excellent histories of Ivan the terrible and Peter the Great, the chapters of woman and marriage, and you learn that there was room for improvement.

On his wedding night the Russian husband's first present was a whip. This he fastened in his belt, saying to the bride "I hope I shall never need it." When the bride and groom retired, she pulled off his boots and he struck her across the shoulders with the whip gently, to prove his authority. It was less gentle later.

Ancient religious instruction imported into Russia from the East, gave exact directions for suspecting and despising women. "What is woman? A net to tempt men, with her clear face and her high set eyes, she works chills—What is a woman, a viper's nest?"

The Russian was warned to keep his wife shut in. "She sits behind twenty-seven locks—she sits locked with twenty-seven keys—so that bold comrades may not see her."

Bold comrades saw her occasionally however, and rather intimately in spite of the twenty-seven locks as you may also learn from Wallisowski.

But old Russia had no monopoly on contempt for women. The Christian Church through the black Middle Ages preached contempt for women, as vile creatures, used by Satan to tempt man to destruction.

Even Solomon, wisest of the seven wise men said "The wise man thanks the gods daily for having made him a Greek and not a barbarian, a man and not a beast, a male and not a female."

In Turkey, where the harem is officially abolished, and men ordered to get along with one wife, some of the Turks take the change with bitterness. One old Turk killed himself and his many wives, rather than change from an Oriental hen yard to a modern henn.

A white-washing report covers responsibility for the many killings in that needless Shenandoah disaster.

It is stated that Commander Lansdowne is "exonerated." He needs no exoneration. But the people that have followed the case would like to know which of the swivel chair warriors in Washington was responsible for Lansdowne's death.

The report is correct in its statement that Lansdowne was consulted about the trip. But it overlooks the fact that his advice and protests were ignored.

Last June, he told his writer who has frequently published the fact, that such a trip was the one on which he was killed would probably end disastrously.

When the order came, he protested, as his wife has said, as the records prove. The records also prove that his protest was overruled, his advice was rejected with indifference to the effect that certain facts were to be held, on fixed dates, therefore, he must make the trip as scheduled.

That order caused his death, and that of the good men that died with him.

The Shenandoah report is a clean, steady, regular business. Someone always needs it and is willing to pay for it. George P. Baker, dean of great American bankers and head of New York's First National Bank announces profits of more than sixteen million dollars for the year, dividends at the rate of 100 per cent, nice round numbers.

Not so long ago, that bank was too poor to join the clearing now (Continued on page 6)

General Dies



Major General William H. Hart, Quartermaster General of the Army, died suddenly at Washington.

\$50,000 BE USED PARTICIPATION ARMS CONFAB

House Foreign Affairs Committee Reports Resolution Authorizing Expenditure

Washington, Jan. 6.—(AP)—The House Foreign Affairs Committee today unanimously reported a resolution to authorize expenditure of \$550,000 for American participation in the preparatory disarmament conference at Geneva.

The committee rejected an amendment to instruct the American delegates to present a resolution calling for consideration of the advisability of outlawing nations that start wars of aggression.

Bishop Darst Celebrates Eleventh Anniversary Today

The Rt. Rev. Thomas C. Darst, D. D., Bishop of East Carolina, is receiving today congratulations upon the eleventh anniversary of his consecration as a Bishop in the Episcopal Church. Under Dr. Darst's administration the Diocese of East Carolina has been brought into the foremost rank of the General Church. A large number of friends in Greenville and Pitt county will wish him health and continued and increasing success.

Attending Forestry Meeting Richmond

Raleigh, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Major Wade H. Phillips, who has just assumed his duties as director of the Department of Conservation and Development, J. S. Holmes, state forester, and W. C. McCormick, assistant state forester, are attending the joint meeting in Richmond this week of the American Forestry Association and the Southern Forestry Congress.

Major Phillips will deliver one of the principal addresses at the Richmond meeting.

Tuesday Mr. Holmes attended and made his report to the meeting of the Southern Appalachian Research Council. He made the report as chairman of the committee of growth of the advisory council to the Southern Appalachian Experiment Station at Asheville. He was appointed to this position by the United States Secretary of Commerce.

State Forester Holmes was especially invited to attend the Richmond meeting as the representative of one of the states which cooperate with the federal government in forest fire prevention under the provisions of the Rapid Re-forestation Act.

ATLANTIC SEA COAST VISITED BY HEAVY FOG ON NEXT FRIDAY

Envelope of Warm Air Over Earth's Cold Surface Accounted for the Fog

New York, Jan. 6.—(AP)—The Central and North Atlantic Sea coast has had a real taste of a "London pea soup fog."

Shipping in the area from Charleston, S. C., as far north as Boston, has been partially paralyzed for the past 36 hours while normal street and railroad traffic in cities from New York, Boston and Washington has been impeded seriously.

Passenger steamers out of Norfolk yesterday were delayed from two to twelve hours and with few exceptions freighters sought safe anchorage until the heavy fog cleared.

In New York a fine rain added to the fog's low visibility and for several hours traffic was delayed. A collision of two freight trains at the Bronx tied up the New York Central trunk tracks for several hours. Outgoing trains were held up and crowded the tracks for twelve hours.

Ferry service was disorganized and ocean vessels crept slowly to quarantine, in many cases late. No deaths were reported.

In Boston the blanket of fog made the city as dark as night and street lights were lit most of the day.

Metereologists explained that an envelope of warm air over the earth's cold surface accounted for the fog.

EVANS BELIEVES TRUTH YOUTH'S DEATH NOT TOLD

Testimony Fails to Convince Solicitor Evans That Rodgers's Death Was a Case of Suicide

Raleigh, Jan. 6.—(AP)—The coroner's jury investigating the death of Preston Rodgers, Jr., here on the morning of December 31 will be called together again for further investigation within the next few days, Coroner L. M. Waring said today. The exact date of the next hearing will probably depend upon the conclusion of further investigation by Solicitor William T. Evans.

The hearing last night at which the parents of the dead youth were examined, failed to convince Solicitor Evans that the boy's death was a case of suicide as testified by the three women in the house at the time of the shooting.

Mrs. Rodgers last night told a story in substantial agreement with those told the night before by the other two women. Mr. Rodgers' father of the dead youth, who was not at home on the night the boy was shot, told the jury that he left his home sometime previously because of parties in which there was drinking and that he knew nothing of the party on the night of the shooting until he read of it in the papers.

Goldsboro Postoffice Receipts December Increase 27 Per Cent

Goldsboro, Jan. 6.—(AP)—An increase of 27 per cent in postoffice receipts over any previous month in the history of Goldsboro was made by the local postoffice during December, according to Postmaster E. A. Simkins.

December postal receipts here reached \$7,929, nearly \$1000 more than those of December 1924. The remarkable increase is pointed to by the postmaster as an indication of the growth of Goldsboro and the surrounding territory, and of good business conditions here.

DR. C. E. BARKER TO SPEAK FARMVILLE ON NEXT FRIDAY

Will Visit Farmville Under Auspices of the Rotary Club, and Deliver Three Addresses

Farmville, Jan. 6.—The man who kept Taft physically fit and on the job every day while he was president of the United States, Dr. Charles E. Barker, of Grand Rapids, Michigan, is due here next Friday, January 8th. Through the initiative of the Rotary Club, Dr. Barker is going to tell as many men as can jam themselves into Perkins Hall, at the school building, just what a father should be and what his responsibility to his boys is.

The doctor is unique and any attempt to describe him is sure to omit much that should be said. He is a man of wide experience on the public platform and his addresses are of such an amazing and inspiring character that all who have the opportunity to do so should hear him.

Dr. Barker makes no attempt at oratory, but he is a wonderfully interesting and electrifying speaker. He puts the punch of a pit driver into his words and drives home with thrilling illustrations the truth he unfolds. He quickly gets an audience and holds it straight through a talk of an hour.

For several years following his attendance upon President Taft, Dr. Barker engaged in lecturing to the general public on health and other subjects. In 1919 he so attracted the attention of the Rotary club that their annual convention with his great address on "A Father's Responsibility to His Son" that requests came to him from all quarters of Rotary to speak. Since then the doctor has been devoting more and more of his time to the Rotary clubs until now all of it is devoted to them.

Dr. Barker has delivered a total of more than fifty-five hundred addresses before audiences aggregating more than 3,500,000 persons. His justly famous address on "How to Make the Most Out of Life," especially designed to help high school boys and girls meet and solve their problems, has been delivered before more than 1,000,000 boys and girls in the high schools of the United States and Canada, probably more high school students by far than have been addressed by any other speaker.

Besides the address to the high school students, in the morning and early afternoon, Dr. Barker will deliver an address to women on "A Mother's Responsibility to Her Daughter," at 3:30 p. m., and one to men, "A Father's Responsibility to His Son," at 7:30 p. m. All mothers and fathers who desire to be of the highest service in helping their boys and girls to a better understanding of some of life's most important and serious problems should make a determined effort to hear these addresses.

The entire expense of Dr. Barker's visit is being borne by the Farmville Rotary club as a contribution to the welfare of the city and this section. There will be no admission fee and no collection at any of the meetings.

Famous Manufacturer of Grape Juice Died in Florida Today

St. Petersburg, Fla., Jan. 6.—(AP)—Charles Edward Welch, famous as a manufacturer of grape juice, died at his winter home here today after a short illness.

Secretary of State Able Be Out Again Recent Illness

Raleigh, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Secretary of State, W. N. Everett, was back at his desk in the capital for a short time today after having been confined to his home by illness for the past month. At one time during his illness Mr. Everett's condition became quite serious, but he rallied well.

Dowager Queen Dies



Dowager Queen Margherita, mother of King Victor Emmanuel of Italy, died at the age of seventy-four after a lingering illness.

Y. M. C. A. WORK STARTED TUESDAY Organized With 11 Charter Members; Jack Tripp Elected President

Y. M. C. A. work among the high school boys of Greenville was started this morning. Eleven boys, as follows, became members: Sam. B. Underwood, Jr., Archie Sugg, Harry Wait Perkins, Jack Tripp, Albert Jones, Bill Brown, Jake Skinner, Charles Wheeler, Kenneth Wheeler, Milton Harrington and Frank M. Brown.

Being a self-governing group, the boys elected Jack Tripp, president, Jake Skinner, vice-president, Frank M. Brown, secretary, Billy Brown, treasurer and Harry Wait Perkins, reporter.

J. B. Keech, principal of the high school and C. A. Witherspoon, district secretary of the Y. M. C. A. met with the boys.

The next meeting will be held Thursday evening at which time an adult leader will be elected and a constitution adopted. It is hoped there will be time at this meeting for the officers and charter members to be put through a special ceremony including some fun and recreation.

Files Objection Recount Brookhart Stock Contest

Washington, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Objection to the Senate Recount in the Brookhart Stock Iowa Senatorial contest was filed today with the Senate election subcommittee by Senator Brookhart's counsel or the ground that there were indications of irregularity in the handling of the ballot.

Not Certain That Robbers Secured Money From Safe

Greensboro, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Although a local firm knows the robbers entered the safe, it has been in the unique position of being unable to determine whether or not the robbers secured the money, thousands of dollars worth, was in the safe.

Inside the safe was a little vault in which the money was stored. Robbers, entering the safe it appears certain, but in so doing they wrenched off the combination dial, and the local firm was unable for that reason, to get the safe vault open. While employing experts to attempt the opening of the vault, they were hoping, the day after the robbery, that the safe-openers had been as successful as they are in re-opening the inner vault and securing the money.

COMMITTEE IS UNFAVORABLE TO REID RESOLUTION

Resolution Proposes Investigation of "Propaganda" for Acceptance World Court

Washington, Jan. 6.—(AP)—A resolution by Senator Reid, Democrat of Missouri, proposing investigation of "propaganda" for acceptance of the world court and the war debt settlement, was disapproved today by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. Senator Reid said he would attempt, however, to have the Senate itself act on the proposal.

Soon after the Committee adjourned, Mr. Reid got his resolution before the Senate and began a speech in which he declared the World Court and the Foreign Debt settlement had behind them "the most astonishing propaganda this country and perhaps the world ever has known."

"An organization as emissaries in every hamlet of the United States has set out literature by the ton and has paid agents going over the United States to produce sentiment favoring this Government going into the League Court. I believe an equally organized effort is being made for the purpose of deceiving the United States into debt settlement for which Italy and other countries stand."

"I want to know who is putting up the money and what influence is secured over it. I challenge any man to produce good and sufficient reason why this resolution should not be laid before the Senate. Will our foreign influence be exerted here?"

"I want to know who originated the argument on this side of the ocean for cancellation of the Foreign Debt. I want to know if the argument did not emanate from the institution which I loaned large sums of money to Europe."

"I want to know whether we have come to the point in this country that these International bankers can use the United States for their own enrichment and profit."

"I want to find out if it isn't a fact that gentlemen put forward the propaganda to cancel the debt so that their own activities may be made more safe."

Officers of Spinners Processing Company Can Advance No Reason for Payermaster's Disappearance

Charlotte, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Officers of the Spinners Processing Company, of Spindale, N. C., said today that they could advance no reason or cause for the disappearance of Grady L. Gilbert who is paymaster of the company, and who has been missing since last Saturday. Search was instituted throughout the two Carolinas yesterday for the man following the death of his wife at Asheville, Monday night. Relatives said her death was caused by a broken heart.

Heads of the company, which employed Gilbert, said that his business affairs were "in perfect shape" so far as they knew. A radio call for aid in locating the paymaster was sent out from here last night.

Five Military Reservations Were Sold Today

Washington, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Five small military reservations declared to be no longer needed by the army were sold today by Secretary Davis of the War Department. They included Deacon Island, N. C., in Ocracoke Inlet, which was sold to Henry Sharp, of Asheville for \$2,000.

Rebuilding of Presbyterian Church Appears Certain

Wilmington, N. C., Jan. 6.—(AP)—Rebuilding of the historic First Presbyterian church of Wilmington, destroyed by fire a short time ago, seems assured. Nearly \$500,000 toward building the new church has been pledged.

In addition to the \$131,000 insurance carried on the old church, Dr. James Sprunt has donated \$100,000 for a Sunday School building, and \$57,000 has been raised by subscription from members of the church.

A fund of \$100,000 by subscription from members has been asked for, and church leaders are confident that it will be raised.

It is planned to build a modern, fully equipped church of Gothic type. The church and Sunday School building are estimated to cost approximately \$350,000.

Hardy Truck Damaged By Freeze Last Week

Washington, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Hardy truck was damaged seriously by last week's freeze through out the South Atlantic and Gulf States, except in Southern Florida the Department of Agriculture's weekly review of crop and weather conditions in southern states said today. The damage to trucks in North Carolina was considerable and was severe in the interior of South Carolina and Alabama and further west the coast. For North Carolina the report said that Hardy truck was damaged by the recent freeze while wheat and oats were apparently in fair condition.

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WORK, NOT LUCK, COUNTS

There is an adage that "there is luck in leisure," but there is no truth in that adage and there is as little truth in the preachment of many failures that "work and merit don't mean anything any more, the lucky man will win anyway."

Of course, there have been battles won by luck in which the better man lost, but they are proverbial exceptions which prove the rule and are so outnumbered by incidents the reverse as to be unworthy of notice.

Luck-won successes are accidents. Work-won successes are incidents. Accidents always attract more attention than incidents for the same reason that normal human beings, which are incidents, pay money to see freaks of nature, which are accidents.

The mathematician can tell you how many chances you have in throwing a particular number at dice. The chances of repeating that same throw two or three times in succession are almost beyond calculation.

The same ratio holds good in any enterprise where human dependence reposes on luck. To depend on luck is to play blind man's bluff among the laws of nature and of man.

These laws, when studied carefully, seem to prove that in the long run the best man wins the best place, and personal merit does succeed. Evidences to the contrary are merely the flips of chance.

Luck smiles on those who take off their coats, put their shoulders to the wheel, and plug away at the task. Fortune favors men who are not afraid of dreary, irksome drudgery. Luck climbs no Everest. Luck transmutes no coturnix into electricity. Luck is never a ladder from the earth of mediocrity to the heaven of achievement.

CRITICISM

The dictionary definition of the word "criticize" is to discuss the merits or demerits of a thing or person. Under this philological definition of the word a criticism may be either favorable or adverse, and standing apart the word should carry no significance other than a passing of judgment.

How different is the thought conveyed to most persons on the mention of the word "criticize." Immediately they synonymize it with such terms as censure, animadversion and deprecation.

Morals may be reduced from all things animate or inanimate and there is a moral in the evolution of the word "criticism" for all. This evolution of a word tells a long story of universal and mutual fault-finding, censuring, mud-slinging and "criticizing." The art of "praising Caesar" is dead. It would probably be just as easy to get into the habit of saying nice things about our neighbors and fellowmen as it is to defame and deprecate them.

It's easy to cow the man who shouts the bull.

About the only service some men can render their community is when they die.

"Can a man love two women?" asks a feminine writer. He can, perhaps; but if he loves peace, he won't.

Some young doctors have a hard time, and some get a candy-fed middle-aged patient who thinks she has nerves.

With pictures being phoned, is it going to be necessary for the girl in the throes of a telephone courtship to doll up every evening?

Three of Greenville's banks are on Dickinson Avenue, Presbyterian Church property at auction on the Avenue, Saturday, Jan. 9th, at 10:30 o'clock.—Adv.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND By virtue of the power of sale contained in that Deed of Trust executed and delivered by John Ivey Spell and wife, Florence Spell, to James L. Evans, Trustee, dated January 26th, 1924 and duly registered in Book G-15, page 202, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, the undersigned will on Saturday, February 6th, 1926 at 12 o'clock, noon, before the court house door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, sell to the highest bidder for cash, certain tracts or parcels of land, lying and being in the county of Pitt and state of North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows:

FIRST PARCEL: Beginning at a point on the Amos Mount Farm Road, the Northwest corner of Lot No. 13, and runs North with said road 688 feet, to the Southwest corner of Lot No. 14; thence S. 81-55 E. 949 feet to the Silla Patrick line; thence South with Silla Patrick line 290 feet to the Northeast corner of Lot No. 13; thence S. 73-10 W. 838 feet to the beginning, containing 9.83 acres, and being Lot No. 12 of the Amos Mount Division made in 1919, which was allotted to the said Florence Spell in said Division.

SECOND TRACT: Beginning at a point on Amos Mount Farm Road, the Northwest corner of Lot No. 12, and runs North with said road 450.8 feet to the Southwest corner of Lot No. 10; thence S. 81-55 E. 966 feet to Silla Patrick line; thence South with Silla Patrick line 457 feet, to the Northeast corner of Lot No. 12; thence N. 81-55 W. 949 feet to the beginning, containing 3.83 acres and being Lot No. 11 of the Amos Mount Division, and being the same tract of land that was on the 25th day of January, conveyed to said John Ivey Spell and wife, Florence Spell, by Abraham Dunn, Commissioner in S. P. 2526 of the Superior Court of Pitt County, by that deed duly filed for registration in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, to which reference is hereby directed.

Said tracts or parcels of land being Lots Nos. 11 and 12 of the Amos Mount Division as shown on Map of the same duly registered in Map Book 2, page 95, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, to which reference is hereby directed.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE Having this day qualified as administrators on the estate of the late J. H. Moore, of Farnville, Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned within twelve months from this date, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. This January 5th, 1926. J. W. Moore, D. D. Moore, Administrators. F. C. James & Son, Attys. 6th-11w-4w-pd.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, executed by E. N. Forbes and wife, to J. A. Battle and recorded in Book Y-15, page 111 of the Pitt County Registry, default in payment having been made as provided by said mortgage, the undersigned will on Monday, the 8th day of February, 1926, at 12 o'clock, noon, before the court house door in Greenville, N. C., expose to public sale the following described land:

Lot No. 1 in Block A of the Riverdale Subdivision, just West of the town of Greenville as shown on a map of the same duly registered in Map Book 2, page 36, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, to which reference is hereby directed for more accurate description and being the same lot conveyed to E. N. Forbes by J. C. Bazzano and wife, Helen Flanagan, on January 5th, 1921.

Terms of sale—cash.

The 4th day of January, 1926. J. A. Battle, Mortgagee. J. F. C. Battle, Owner of Note-Mortgage. Julius Brown, Atty. 6th-11w-1w-pd.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE By virtue of a power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed by J. L. Harris and wife, Nora Harris, to J. A. Lang, dated November 10, 1919, which said mortgage is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book L-13, page 350, and default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, the undersigned mortgagee will on Monday the 4th day of January, 1926, at 12 o'clock, noon, before the court house door in Greenville, N. C., sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lying and being situated in Farnville Township, Pitt County, beginning at a point in Little Contentnea Creek, Clayton Joyner's corner, thence North with Clayton and Jason Joyner's line to the public road leading from California to the Nelson and Greenville road, thence a southwesterly course with said road to G. W. Barrett's line, thence with G. W. Barrett's line to the run of Little Contentnea Creek, thence with the various courses of said creek and beginning, containing 202 acres, more or less, and being the same tract of land which was conveyed to Nannie Lang and the heirs by G. W. Lang and others, to-wit:

Also one other tract of land situated in the Glass House Branch, adjoining the lands that were originally owned by W. A. Barrett, G. W. Barrett, J. D. Jones, Elijah Bynum and others, containing 200 acres more or less and being the same land conveyed to N. J. Lang by A. L. Blow, Commissioner, both of the above tracts being the same land conveyed by J. A. Lang and others to J. L. Harris and Nora Harris by deed dated Oct. 18, 1919. This the 2nd day of Dec. 1925. J. A. LANG, Mortgagee. F. C. Harding, Atty. 8 1/2 tw-1wks

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND. By virtue of authority contained in that certain mortgage from Joe W. Braxton and wife to A. G. Cox, dated, January 5th, 1921 and duly of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, I shall offer for sale, at public auction, at the court house door in Greenville, N. C., to the highest bidder for cash, on Friday, January 15th, 1926, at 12 o'clock Noon, the following lot or parcel of land:

"Situated and being in Winterville Township, Pitt County, N. C., and beginning at two lightwood stumps centered by two small pines on the south side of Gum Branch, Bryant Tripp's corner and runs with his line 56 west 84 1-2 poles to a stake at the road, then with said road, 5-10 west 40 poles to a stake; then N. 19 E. 123 poles to a ditch and near hole in a small ditch, then N. 81 W. 20 poles to a ditch and near hole in Gum Branch, then down said branch ditch to the main ditch in Cedar Swamp; then up said ditch to the path and bridge, then westwardly with said path to a stake on the south side of the path; then a straight line to the beginning, containing 33 acres, more or less.

Saving and excepting from the above boundaries that portion of said land described as follows: Beginning at two lightwood stumps centered by two small pines on the South side of Gum Branch, Bryant Tripp's corner and runs with his line near a ditch 56 west 84 1-2 poles to a stake at the road; thence with said road 5-10 west 40 poles to a stake then N. 19 E. 123 poles to a small ditch at the corner of a small ditch then N. 81 W. 20 poles to a ditch and near hole in Gum Branch, then up Gum Branch to a point nearest the beginning; then direct to the beginning, Bryant Tripp's corner, containing 50 acres, more or less. This last described tract having been conveyed by Joe W. Braxton and wife to A. G. Cox by deed duly recorded in Book C-15 page 69, Pitt County Reg. stry. This Dec. 14th, 1925. A. G. COX, Mortgagee. L. W. Gaylord, Atty. 23 1/2 tw-1w

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FOR SALE—25 BROWN LEG-horn pullets, ever-laying strain. \$1.75 each. Two cocks at \$2.25 each. Phone 485 W., or see Whield Field Tucker, Greenville, N. C. 5-21

FLOWERS! FLOWERS! FLOWERS! Largest grower of flowers in Eastern Carolina. Phone 413-W, Greenville Floral Co. 21-U

WANT TO RENT—A SEVEN-room house, desirable location. Address Box 459, Greenville, N. C. 4-31

FOR RENT—FURNISHED room, close in, to one gentleman or lady. Apply 130 Sutton Lane. 4-41

WHY TAKE KIDNEY PILLS—kidneys do not pain. Take PINE LUY for muscular soreness, cricks, flu, lumbago, sciatica and colds. GUARANTEED. At all stores. 4-1m

NOTICE This is to notify all of my customers and creditors that I am no longer connected with the Serve-All Filling Station on Highway Ninety, leading out of Bethel, N. C. December 24, 1925. 12-28-25 C. E. BROWN.

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD Anyone desiring room and board call 217, Cotanch St. J. A. White. 29-7h

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE for lamp heated machines—two good hatching electric incubators. J. J. Jenkins, Greenville, N. C. 4-31

HAVE US SHOW YOU the new Star Four today. Cheaper than walking. First cost very small. Up-keep running bill very low. Harrington Motor Co., Pruett & McGowan Garage. 30-61

DO YOU DOPE YOUR HEADACHE? KOLADINE will produce normal relief and satisfaction. Safe, sure and prompt. At all stores. GUARANTEED 5 minutes' cure. 4-1m

WANTED—POSITION AS MAN-ager or salesman of local dry goods or shoe store or department store, either. Fifteen years experience. Now employed by good concern. A-1 references furnished. Address J. D. S., 633 Hay Street, Fayetteville, N. C. 4-31

CABBAGE PLANTS! Thoroughbred Frost Proof early Jersey Wakefield and Charleston Wakefield cabbage plants for sale at the following prices: 25c per hundred, \$60 for \$1; from one to 10 thousand \$1.25 per thousand; ten thousand and over \$1 per thousand f. o. b. Greenville, N. C., J. C. Arthur. 14 1m

FORD RADIATOR PROTEC-tors free. Call Taft & Vandyk. 28-17

IF YOU WANT AN AUTO-mobile it should be a Star both open and closed models. Harrington Motor Co., Pruett & McGowan Garage. 30-61

WANTED—AT ONCE, BY A-1 automobile mechanic, position with local concern. Foreman's place preferred. Experienced in all types of auto work. A-1 reference furnished. Adden C. Mitchell, Merry Hill, N. C. 4-1w

FOR SALE—EARLY JERSEY Wakefield Cabbage plants; 25 cents per hundred, \$1.50 per thousand. Good stock plants. G. A. Johnson, Ayden, N. C. 70 1m

TAKEN UP—ON MY FARM AT Frog Level, two hogs, one dark male and one black spotted female, weighing about 60 lbs. gross. Owner can get same by paying all costs. E. G. Sutton. 6-21

FOR GRADE-A MILK—AT 15c a quart, call Wingo's Dairy, 524-W, or 536-J. 5-21p

CALL BENNETT FOR SATIS-FAC-TORY CLEANING, PRESS-ING, DYEING, PHONE 27-31-41.

FOR RENT—A FEW MORE DE-sirable offices in the National Bank Building. Reasonable rent, apply to E. H. Foley, Jr., Nat. Bank. 31-42

FOR SALE: SEVERAL FRESH milk cows. Can also supply you with fresh milk and cream daily. Give us a trial, phone 536-J or 524-W, J. A. Wingo. 1-1w

FOR SALE, FRESH JERSEY milk cow. Apply to W. C. Col-traine, Grifton, N. C. 2-40

SEE THE NEW STAR Four and Six open and closed models. Call us for a demonstration. Harrington Motor Co., Pruett & McGowan Garage. 30-61

FOR SALE—IRON RAILING—suitable for bank or office. W. B. Wilson. 5-41

LEASE OR RENT—MY FILLING station, 2 miles East of Ayden, at Cannon's Cross Roads; on the road to Washington and Vanceboro, N. C. I have first class equipment and free service, and have good trade. See T. J. Cannon, Ayden, N. C. R. F. D. 5-24

LOST—BOX OF CARPENTER'S tools, between Davis Mill neighbor-hood and Kinston. Friday night, Dec. 25th. Notify R. H. Hill, Greenville, N. C. 5-21

\$2400 6 room house, Water; lights; bath; garage. Lot 50x132 ft. Pavement paid \$600 cash. Balance easy. L. J. SMITH Real Estate—Insurance 107 East 4th St Phone 303

North Carolina's great tobacco market is near the Presbyterian Church, which will be sold at auction, Saturday, January 9th, at 10:30 o'clock.—Adv.

NOTICE OF SALE Under and by virtue of the authority contained in a certain mortgage made and of record in Book U-13, at page 97 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, North Carolina, the undersigned will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the court house door in Greenville, at noon, on Saturday, January 23rd, 1926, the following described property:

Lying and being in Winterville Township, Pitt County, on the west side of the New Bern road, adjoining the lands of R. L. Worthington, W. A. Serranus, and County Home lands, containing 18 acres, more or less, and being the place where Mariah Barnhill resides.

This December 22, 1925. D. T. COX & CO., Inc., Mtgree. D. T. COX and R. L. WORTH-INGTON, Owners of Deht. A. B. Corey, Atty. 112-4wks.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS The undersigned, having this day qualified as Executor of the last will and testament of Martha A. Stocks, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby required to make immediate payment to the undersigned Executor and all persons holding claims against said Estate are hereby required to file the claims duly verified with the undersigned executor on or before the expiration of 12 months from the date hereof or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery of said claim. This the 14th day of Nov. 1925. L. A. STOCKS, Executor of the Estate of Martha A. Stocks. 11uk4wkp

See Happersberger for fine watch repair-ing. John Happers-berger, Expert Watch Maker. Opposite the Proctor Hotel.

FOR QUICK SALE We will install in any home in the city one Peck Williams Hot Air Furnace for \$100.00 Cash HEATERS IDEAL VECTO S. T. HICKS 529 Dickerson Avenue

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Atwater Kent Radios Elec. Serv. & Sup. Co. and Supplies Dickerson Avenue, Phone 605

NOTICE OF SALE.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by A. H. Murphy to G. T. Gardner, trustee, on the 1st day of October 1919, and appearing of record in Book 1-1a, page 112 of the Registry of Pitt County, default having been made in the payment of the note secured thereby, and demand having been made upon the trustee that he sell the lands described therein, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, at about the hour of 12 o'clock, M., on Monday, January 4, 1926 the lands described in said deed of trust, and more particularly described as follows:

All that certain tract of land lying and situated and being in the county of Pitt, and State of North Carolina, near the town of Grifton, and being Tract No. (3) Tract, containing 74.6 acres, on 1/4 of land formerly owned by J. C. Gaskins and known as the Brock farms, as surveyed and plat-tered by J. H. Harding, C. E., plat of which is on record in Pitt County Register of Deeds office in Book Plat Book 2, page 41, to which said plat reference is hereby made for a more perfect description; Tract No. (3) Three contains 74.6 acres.

This the 3rd day of Dec, 1925. G. T. GARDNER, F. E. Wallace, Atty., Kinston, N. C. 111w4wks Trustee.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed and delivered to A. W. Outlaw by J. B. James and Maggie James on the 29th day of November, 1923, of record in Book K-11, page 236 of the public registry of Pitt County, default having been made in the payment thereof, according to its tenor, the undersigned will offer at public sale at the court house door in Greenville, N. C., to the highest bidder for cash, at noon on Wednesday, January 20th, 1926, the following described tract of land:

Lying and being in Pitt County, North Carolina, and being that parcel of land adjoining the lands of John C. Tyson and R. W. Faithful, Joe Atkinson and Joseph Rawls containing 50 acres more or less, and being half of the Thomas D. May home tract, and the half which was deeded to Maggie James by her father, Thomas D. May, reference to which deed is made for a more accurate description, including the dwelling and the buildings thereon. This the 17th day of Dec, 1925. S. T. HOOKER, Owner of the Deht. J. C. Lanier, Atty. Dec. 18, every day until Jan. 20.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed by H. A. Boyd and wife, Bettie Boyd, to J. H. Bloom, Trustee, under date of February 5, 1924, of record in Book 249, page 319, of the Public Registry of Beau-fort County, and also of record in Book G-15, page 238, of the Public Registry of Pitt County, and default having been made in the payment of the note secured thereby, the undersigned will offer for sale, at public auction on the premises of the said H. A. Boyd and wife, Bettie Boyd, Saturday at 12:00 o'clock noon, January 30, 1926, the following described tracts or parcel of land:

First Tract: Lying and being in Chocowinity Township, Beaufort County, beginning at a point in the head of Columbus Branch, a marked corner, and running thence N. 73-4 chains to a small ditch, thence with said ditch N. 46 E. 1.75 chains; thence N. 65 1-2 E. 3.5 chains; thence N. 51-3-4 E. 1.25 chains to the run of County Line Branch; thence down said Branch South 87 1-2 E. 6.5 chains; thence S. 71-1-2 E. 2.75 chains;

Second Tract: Lying and being in Chocowinity Township, Beaufort County, beginning at a point in the head of Columbus Branch, a marked corner, and running thence N. 73-4 chains to a small ditch, thence with said ditch N. 46 E. 1.75 chains; thence N. 65 1-2 E. 3.5 chains; thence N. 51-3-4 E. 1.25 chains to the run of County Line Branch; thence down said Branch South 87 1-2 E. 6.5 chains; thence S. 71-1-2 E. 2.75 chains;

Third Tract: In Chocowinity Township, Beaufort County, beginning at a point in the head of Columbus Branch, a marked corner, and running thence N. 73-4 chains to a small ditch, thence with said ditch N. 46 E. 1.75 chains; thence N. 65 1-2 E. 3.5 chains; thence N. 51-3-4 E. 1.25 chains to the run of County Line Branch; thence down said Branch South 87 1-2 E. 6.5 chains; thence S. 71-1-2 E. 2.75 chains;

Fourth Tract: Lying and being in Chocowinity Township, Beaufort County, beginning at a point in the head of Columbus Branch, a marked corner, and running thence N. 73-4 chains to a small ditch, thence with said ditch N. 46 E. 1.75 chains; thence N. 65 1-2 E. 3.5 chains; thence N. 51-3-4 E. 1.25 chains to the run of County Line Branch; thence down said Branch South 87 1-2 E. 6.5 chains; thence S. 71-1-2 E. 2.75 chains;

thence S. 43 1-4 E. 2.59 chains; thence S. 20 1-2 E. 0.15 chains; thence S. 84-3-4 East 14.5 chains to a brown down red oak; thence S. 5 1-4 W. 2.5 chains to a cypress in the main run of Bear Creek; thence up Bear Creek N. 62 1-4 W. 2 chains; thence S. 41 1-2 W. 1.33 chains; thence S. 10 W. 1 chain to point where Calamus Branch flows into Bear Creek; thence up Calamus Branch N. 66 1-4 W. 1.75 chains; thence S. 68 W. 3 chains; thence N. 73 W. 2.5 chains; thence S. 75 1-4 W. 2.38 chains; thence N. 81 road along the town of Grimesland and Chocowinity, N. C. chains; thence N. 75 1-9 W. 1.27 chains; thence S. 68 1-2 W. 2.61 chains; thence S. 83 1-4 W. 1.5 chains; thence S. 82 1-4 W. 2.41 chains; thence S. 54 1-2 W. 1.35 30-10w-4wks. This the 30th day of December 1925. J. H. BLOUNT, Trustee.

FLORIDA TOURS to HOLLYWOOD "By the Sea" Visits to all points of interest on the East Coast of Florida, including St. Augustine, Daytona, Cocoa, Palm Beach, Hollywood, Miami, Coral Gables, Miami Beach, Coconut Grove. Limited party will leave Greenville Monday morning, January 11, returning Monday, January 18. \$47.50 Includes All Expenses. For information see D. J. WHICHARD, Jr. Daily Reflector Office Phone 56

PHONE 361 DR. VIRGINIA O. JOHNSON, CHIROPRACTOR 222-23-24 National Bank Building. START GETTING WELL TODAY

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RURAL FILLING STATIONS GIVING COUNTY OFFICERS TROUBLE ON THE SABBATH During the past several weeks some of the rural filling stations located on the highways of Pitt county have been the center of rowdism with the whiskey drinking element, and such lawlessness is giving the county officers considerable trouble. It has been necessary for the undersigned to close some of these places to preserve order in their respective communities. Much of this is the fault of the filling station operators in aiding and abetting in such desecration of the sabbath. As a warning to all filling station operators in the future whenever rowdism is reported at these places such station will be forbidden to open again on Sundays, and the owners prosecuted in the courts. A. C. JACKSON, Sheriff

WED., JANUARY 6, 1926

Daily News Letter

Gossip of Staff Correspondents at World Centers of Population.

By H. R. KNICKERBOCKER, (I. N. S. Staff Correspondent), Moscow, Jan. 6.—Refusal by the Chinese government to allow its representatives in the Chinese-Japanese Soviet railroad conference here to conclude an agreement permitting through transportation without change of cars from Russia into Manchuria, was due to the hostility of Chang Tso Lin toward the Soviets, according to well-informed circles here.

The war lord of Manchuria is reported to have expressed the fear that uninterrupted traffic from Russia would be a military menace to him. His present hazardous position at home is believed to have aggravated his apprehensions.

At the same time, the fact that the Chinese government instructed its delegates according to the orders of Chang Tso Lin is taken as proof that his influence over the Pekin government has not so markedly decreased as news dispatches from China indicated.

After the receipt of telegraphic instructions from Pekin, the Chinese delegates intended at first to withdraw altogether from the conference, but afterward agreed to continue and negotiate concerning through passenger traffic over Manchuria with a change of cars at Manchuria station on the border.

A larger conference on the same subject has begun and Germany, France, Poland, Latvia, Lithuania, Estonia, Japan and Russia are negotiating for the establishment of a single through ticket of arrangements whereby a passenger in Paris or other points in Western Europe, for Vladivostok, or for Tokio. The German delegate is

Gehelmat von Riesen, of Koentigsberg, representing the German railway administration.

All the talk of Russia-Pollah friendship which grew up during the Locarno security pact negotiations, has apparently had little effect on the hostility of each country for the internal politics of the other.

Novel and ingeniously cruel versions of the third degree are charged to the account of "White Guard" Polish officers of the law by a group of young communist men and girls who have just escaped into this country.

The bastinado, water cure, and a new form of whirling torture to make the victim sea-sick are in ten additively by refugees from the latest anti-red raid in Poland. One of the victims, a seventeen-year-old girl, Mary Chien, who worked as an umbrella maker, told how the police of Belostok tortured her for information.

She said they first gagged her with old socks, put thumb screws on her fingers, and screwed them down until they nearly crushed the bones. Then they tied her elbows to her knees, put an iron axle between her arms and body and whirled her rapidly around until she became nauseated. Then they put a rubber tube in her nostrils and poured water through it.

When she was nearly dead they revived her by flogging the soles of her feet with an iron rod.

A similar story is told by Anton Podonsky, sixteen-year-old clerk of the same city and by eight other youths of Belostok.

In the Soviet Union the strictest watch is kept for "Polish spies." The supreme court of the republic of White Russia has just condemned to death the ex-Czarist of fencer, Vecherko, charged with having been an agent of the Polish secret service.

SCHOOL DAYS BY DWIG



DISBURSEMENTS BY PITT COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1925.

8291-8298 Paid Constables County Court	\$ 34.03	8390 S. E. Gates and Company, Statements to County Home	26.23	8415 A. T. Moore, Treasurer, Statement 12-28-25	1,253.12
8299-8308 Paid Magistrate's County Court	106.76	8391 Garris-Evans Lumber Company, Statement 12-18-25	1.05	8416 A. T. Moore, Treasurer, Statement 12-28-25	1,253.12
8309 Paid Constables Superior Court	10.50	8392 Drs. G. G. Dixon and K. B. Pace, Statement for December	76.00	8417 A. T. Moore, Treasurer, Statement 12-28-25	1,253.12
8310 Paid Magistrate Superior Court	8.00	8393 Water and Light Commission, Lights for Court House and Jail	132.48	8418 A. T. Moore, Treasurer, Statement 12-25-25	2,506.25
8311 J. F. Harrington, C. S. C.; C. S. C. Fees	13.33	8394 Electric Service and Supply Co., Statement 12-28-25	10.61	8419 A. T. Moore, Treasurer, Statement 12-31-25	1,725.39
8312 R. E. Corbett, Dec. Salary Supt. County Home	125.00	8395 Error—held out.		8420 A. T. Moore, Treasurer, Statement 12-31-25	1,925.00
8313 W. A. Darden, Dec. Salary Judge County Court	83.33	8396 Edwards & Broughton Printing Co., Statement 12-7-25	4.11	8421 A. T. Moore, Treasurer, Statement 12-25-25	867.00
8314 J. B. James, Dec. Salary County Attorney	50.00	8397 J. C. Gaskins, R.D., Recording Fees for December	37.40	8422 A. T. Moore, Treasurer, Statement 12-25-25	209.28
8315 J. C. Lanier, Dec. Salary County Solicitor	50.00	8398 J. C. Gaskins, Statement 12-29-25	10.60	8423 A. T. Moore, Treasurer, Statement 12-25-25	365.40
8316 D. M. Seymour, Dec. Salary Tax Collector	175.00	8399 A. C. Jackson, Feeding Jail Prisoners	231.00	8424 A. T. Moore, Treasurer, Statement 12-25-25	24.70
8317 H. C. Venters, Telephone rent County Home	2.00	8400 H. D. Grogan, Statement 12-29-25	4.40	8425 A. T. Moore, Treasurer, Statement 12-29-25	901.20
8318-8321 Paid "Mother's Aid" Allowance for January	80.00	8402 Renrow Printing Co., Statement 12-29-25	55.00	8426 A. T. Moore, Treasurer, Statement 1-1-26	21,313.27
8322-8380 Paid Paupers—Allowance for Dec., Jan. and Feb.	480.00	8403 J. P. Boswell Statement 12-16-25	2.20	8427 H. L. Hodges and Company, Statement 12-31-25	21.00
8381 S. V. Merton, Jr., Statement 12-14-25	6.73	8403 Lester Jones, Statement 12-14-25	4.70	8428 E. S. Hobgood, Statement 12-31-25	6.50
8382 Graham, Finley and Co., Statement 12-17-25	4.62	8404 B. F. Owens, Statement 12-15-25	5.00	8429 Home Telephone & Telegraph Co., Telephone Rent and Tolls	37.90
8383 The Observer Printing House, Statements 12-16-26 & 12-17-25	42.58	8405 The Daily Reflector, Statement 12-24-25	81.00	8430 R. E. Corbett, Statement 1-1-26	77.40
8384 S. G. Wilkerson, Statements 12-26-25	99.10	8406 A. C. Jackson, Statement 12-30-25	140.00	Total Warrants \$291 to \$430 inclusive	\$37,325.60
8385 Drs. Skinner & Smith, Statement 12-23-25	25.00	8407 C. G. Moore, Statement 12-20-25	4.40	The above accounts, amounting to \$37,325.60, are approved and warrants have been issued to order.	
8386 Griffin Shoe Store, Statement 12-7-25	22.85	8408 R. M. Parrott, Statement 12-8-25	4.12	SAM T. WHITE, Chairman Pro Tem.	
8387 Sumrell Motor Car Company, Statement 12-21-25	5.00	8409 R. B. Reeves, Statement 12-28-25	10.08		
8388 Miller's, Statement 12-28-25	31.15	8410 Owen G. Dunn, Statement 12-18-25	14.88		
8389 Standard Oil Company, Statements to County Home	21.68	8411 Southern Standard Stationery Co., Statement 12-15-25	2.21		
		8412 Dr. D. S. Morrill & W. C. Joynes, Statement 11-14-25	4.00		
		8413 A. T. Moore, Postage for December	3.00		
		8414 A. T. Moore, Treasurer, Statement 12-28-25	1,253.12		

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Globe-Wernicke Sectional Bookcases

Books on your favorite sports, a few novels by noted authors, a desk for convenience in writing notes; what an ideal bedroom combination for you or your guest! Curtains the lower sections for holding slippers or shoes or what-not. This Universal style case can be had unfinished for painting, or finished to match either your room or your booklets.

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- New Blond Kid Dorsay Pumps \$2.98

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At the Close of Business, December 31st, 1925.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$1,119,887.87
Overdrafts	1,535.40
U. S. Bonds	25,000.00
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	4,500.00
Banking House	88,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	15,000.00
Real Estate Owned	14,740.51
Cash and Due From Banks	351,878.17
Total	\$1,620,541.95



LIABILITIES

Capital	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Profits	3,075.62
Circulation	25,000.00
Dividends (Unpaid)	6,000.00
Deposits State Treas.	17,832.57
Deposits	1,418,633.76
Total	\$1,620,541.95

PROTECT YOUR VALUABLES By keeping them in one of our Safety Boxes

J. L. LITTLE, President
F. G. JAMES, Vice-President
CHAS. JAMES, Asst. Cash'r.

F. J. FORBES, Cashier
E. H. FOLEY, Asst. Cash'r.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ward left today for a few days visit in Windsor.

Miss Elizabeth Morton, who has been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Morton, returned to her school in Raleigh today.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. White, who have been spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. S. T. White, returned to Miami, Fla., today.

Misses Elizabeth Andrews and Martha Moye returned to Winston-Salem today after spending the holidays at their homes in this city.

Messrs. S. D. Hooker, C. L. Brown and G. R. Lanier left today for Pamlico Beach.

Messrs. W. Z. Morton and John Flanagan returned today from Mattamuskeet Lake.

Mrs. O. G. Gulley Entertains The Round Table Club.

One of the most delightful meetings of the "Club Year" and also the first meeting of the New Year, was enjoyed by the members of the Round Table, Tuesday afternoon, when Mrs. O. G. Gulley was hostess.

The session of business was brief, during which time a fine report from the Christmas Seal committee was made; and also letters read from "ex-service" men at Oteen, acknowledging receipt of Christmas socks sent by the Round Table.

The club feels a genuine privilege to have a part in the fight against tuberculosis, as well as sending good cheer to the boys at Oteen.

Under the general title "Arm Chair Travels," Mrs. Winslow introduced the topic for the afternoon in a short sketch of Havelock Ellis, author of "The Soul of Spain," which book Mrs. W. C. Vincent most ably reviewed, using as her basis the sub-titles "The National Character," "The Dance," "The Women of Spain" and "Spain of Today."

Following this, New Year's resolutions proved inspiring as well as mirth provoking.

Guests adding pleasure to the club included Mrs. I. B. Jones and Mrs. V. P. Scoville, the latter assisting the hostess in serving a most delectable salad course.

PRAYER SERVICES AT EPISCOPAL CHURCH THIS EVENING

The Laymen's mid-week prayer meeting will be held tonight at St. Paul's Episcopal Church at 7:30 p. m. A hearty invitation to visitors and friends.

North Carolina's great tobacco market is near the Presbyterian Church, which will be sold at auction, Saturday, January 9th, at 10:30 o'clock.—Adv.

Mr. Robert Humber to Speak on "China" at Tonight's Service

The Woman's Missionary Society, of the Memorial Baptist church, is observing this week as a week of prayer for world-wide missions. The subject for today is "China," and at prayer service this evening, Mr. Robert Humber will speak on the subject.

Mr. Humber has spent several months in China and is well informed concerning the country, its people and their customs. The talk will not doubt be one of the most interesting ever heard on this great country, and the public is cordially invited to attend the services.

Service for Young People to be Held at the Methodist Church

On Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock, in the Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church, Rev. L. B. Jones will preach a special sermon to the young people of the church and city. The music program and other features of the service will be in charge of the young people. Mr. Jones is especially anxious for all the young people to be present, as he will bring a message worthwhile, and one that will be helpful and interesting.

Funeral Services for Amos Evans to be Conducted Thursday

At Sycamore Hill Baptist Church, tomorrow—Thursday—at 2 o'clock, the last tribute of respect will be paid to Amos Evans, an industrious negro man, having the respect of all citizens.

Captures Two Small Stills in Falkland Township Tuesday

Deputy Sheriff Sellers and Pierce on yesterday visited Falkland Township and captured two small stills and a small quantity of beer.

Deeds of Transfer

The following deeds of transfer have been filed since last report: Roy Worthington and wife, to I. W. Worthington, 57.2 acres, \$3,000.00.

W. J. Killebrew and wife to Med. Horton et als, 2 acres, \$400.00.

Bank of Ayden et als to J. O. Coward, 4 town lots, \$185.00.

J. H. Schlegel, Tr., to Farmers Mfg. Co., 66 acres, \$100.00.

C. G. Little and wife to Roy Worthington, 77 acres, \$10.00.

J. H. Stocks and wife to W. A. Shivers, 27 acres, \$4,000.00.

C. G. Williams et als to J. A. Moore, 1 town lot, \$8416.67.

Prayer Services at Christian Church This Evening

Regular mid-week prayer meeting will be held in the Eighth Street Christian Church this evening.

Letters of Thanks for Insurance Adjusted

Greenville, N. C., Jan. 5, 1926. Messrs. Moseley Bros., City.

Gentlemen:— We thank you very much for your promptness in adjusting our recent fire loss, on our stock and fixtures.

Very truly yours, Horne-Staton Drug Company.

Greenville, N. C., Jan. 5, 1926. Messrs. Moseley Brothers, City.

Gentlemen:— I appreciate very much the SERVICE rendered by your Agency in the very prompt adjustment of my fire loss.

Very truly yours, T. T. Hollingsworth.

Notice of Sale

By virtue of authority vested in me by the terms of that certain mortgage executed by Sam Ohey and wife, Della Ohey, dated October 13th, 1924 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book M-15, at page 24, I shall offer for sale at public auction, at the Court House door in Greenville, N. C., on Thursday, February 4th, 1926, at 12 o'clock M., the following lot or parcel of land:

Situate and being just South of the Town of Greenville and beginning at a stake on the West side of Greene and Smith streets, and running thence in a westerly direction with the line of Roberta Wooten's lot and parallel to Smith street, 110 feet to a stake; thence Northwardly and parallel with Greene street, 50 feet to a stake; thence Eastwardly and parallel to Smith street, 110 feet to Greene street; thence Southwardly to Greene street; 50 feet to the beginning and being a part of the property conveyed to Henry Lewis and wife, Mary Lewis by B. W. Moseley and wife, by deed dated December 27th, 1918, recorded in Book S-12 at page 364, Pitt County Registry, and being the same property which was, on February 4th, 1924 conveyed by Henry Lewis and wife to Sam Ohey and wife, Della Ohey, by deed of record in Book V-14, at page 259, Pitt County Registry.

This January 4th, 1926. Henry Allen, Mortgagee. Louis W. Gaylord, Atty. 2d-11w-4wk-jd.

Application for Pardon

Application will be made to the Governor of North Carolina for the pardon of B. Pilgreen convicted at the August term of Pitt Superior Court for the crime of carrying concealed weapon and sentenced to the roads for a term of six months.

All persons who oppose the granting of said pardon are invited to forward their protest to the Governor without delay.

This the 16th day of Dec, 1925.

Notice

North Carolina—Pitt County In The Superior Court Richard Grimes vs. Annie Grimes

The defendant Annie Grimes will take notice that an action as above entitled has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County to obtain an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony. And the said Annie Grimes will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt County on the 8th day of February, 1926, or within twenty 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 4th day of January, 1926. J. F. Harrington Clerk Superior Court

Notice of Land Sale

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pitt County, in Special Proceedings, entitled J. E. Meeks and wife Bessie Meeks vs. Jenny Davenport, et als, the undersigned Commissioners will on Friday, January 15th, 1926, at 12 o'clock noon, before the courthouse door in Greenville, N. C. expose to public sale the following described tract of land:

On the north side of Grindle Creek and on north side of Tar River and known as the Burress tract, adjoining the lands of James L. Moore, deceased, Albert Moore, et als, bounded as follows: Beginning at the canal where the said James L. Moore's line crosses the said canal and runs with his line to a white oak stump, a corner between the said James L. Moore and W. G. Little, thence an agreed line between the said Moore and Little to the corner of the Burress field fence, the corner between said Moore and Little

Three of Greenville's banks are on Dickinson Avenue, Presbyterian Church property at auction on the Avenue, Saturday, Jan. 9th, at 10:30 o'clock.—Adv.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

The undersigned, having this day qualified as Executor of the last will and testament of L. B. Dupree, a person indebted to said estate are hereby required to make immediate payment to the undersigned Executors and all persons holding claims against said estate are hereby required to file the claims duly verified with the undersigned executors on or before the expiration of 12 months from the date hereof, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery of said claim.

This the 2nd day of January, 1926. F. M. WOOTEN, Trustee 2-11w-4wks.

NOTICE OF SALE

This 14th day of Dec. 1925. F. C. JAMES, JULIUS BROWN, Commissioners.

NOTICE

North Carolina—Pitt County In The Superior Court Ellie Brown vs. Tom Brown

The defendant Tom Brown, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, to grant an absolute divorce on the grounds stated in the complaint, and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of Superior Court of said county, in the court house in Greenville, N. C., on the 1st day of February, 1926, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This, the 2nd day of Jan., 1926. J. F. Harrington Clerk of Superior Court Pitt County

John Hill Paylor, Atty. Farmville, N. C. 5-11w-4w

NOTICE OF SALE OF CITY PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust, executed by N. L. Holton and wife, Florence Mae Holton, to F. M. Wooten, Trustee for J. B. Johnston, under date of December 1, 1921, of record in Book H-14, at page 111 of the public registry of Pitt County, and default having been made in the payment of the notes secured thereby, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale for cash, at public auction before the Court House Door, in Greenville, North Carolina, Tuesday, February 2, 1926, at 12 o'clock

noon, the following described parcel of real estate, to-wit: Lot No. 65 in the S. T. White Sub-division. Beginning at the point of intersection of the Southern property line and Ninth street and the property of the East Carolina Teachers' College and running thence with the Southern line of Ninth street 66.49 feet to the north east corner of Lot No. 64, thence with said line of the lot at right angles with the said street and in a southerly direction 120 feet to the Savage property, thence with the Savage property easterly 137 feet to the East Carolina Teachers College property, thence with the said school property north westerly 148.3 feet to Ninth Street. It being the identical parcel of land this day conveyed to the parties of the first part by the said J. B. Johnston.

This the 2nd day of January, 1926. F. M. WOOTEN, Trustee 2-11w-4wks.

WIDOWER CONGRATULATED

"Since my first wife's death, five years ago, I have suffered greatly from stomach and liver trouble and gas attacks. I lost over 50 pounds, and at times was as yellow as saffron. My doctors could not help me. Six doses of May's Wonderful Remedy have entirely cured me. I have regained my weight and every one is congratulating me how well I look." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Sold by all druggists.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND

By virtue of the power of sale contained in that deed of trust executed and delivered by Eddie Bright and wife Bertha Bright and Nancy L. Bright to W. H. Woolard, trustee, dated March 2nd, 1921 and duly registered in Book Y-13 at page 536 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, the undersigned will on Monday, January 11th, 1926 at 12 o'clock noon, before the court house door in Greenville, Pitt county, North Carolina, sell to the highest bidder for cash a one-half undivided interest in, and to the following described tracts or parcels of land lying and being situated in the county of Pitt and State of North Carolina, more particularly described as follows:

FIRST TRACT: Situated in Contentnea Township, bounded on the south and west by the lands of L. Lawrence Nobles, on the north by the lands of Sallie Manning, on the east by the Frog Level Road, and known as a part of the George Moyer land, and being the same tract conveyed to George Moyer by Jas. A. Moyer on February 19th, 1892 by that deed duly registered in Book V-5 at page 455 of Pitt county Registry, and further being the same land conveyed to H. J. Bright by A. W. Barber on December 30th, 1912, by that deed duly registered in Book 1-10 at page 244 in the office of the register of deeds of Pitt county, to which reference is hereby made or more accurate description.

SECOND TRACT: Beginning at J. L. Noble's line running north 5 1/2 east 25 poles to the end of a ditch of said ditch, then north 25 poles to W. A. Forbes' line then South 84 1/2 west 38 1/2 poles to center of road, then with center of road to J. L. Noble's line, then with Nobles' line to the beginning, containing 13.3 acres more or less, and being the same land conveyed on October 30th, 1914 by J. L. Hogwood and wife Rosa E. Hogwood to H. J. Bright and wife Nancy Bright by that deed duly registered in Book R-10 at page 576 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt county to which reference is hereby directed for more accurate description.

Default having been made in the payments of the notes secured by the above deed of trust this sale is made to satisfy the terms of the said deed of trust. This December 11th, 1925. W. H. WOOLARD, Trustee. James L. Evans, Atty. 14tw4w

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND By virtue of the power of sale contained in that Deed of Trust, executed and delivered by Mattie V. Cannon to L. W. Gaylord, Trustee, dated June 23rd, 1925 and duly registered in Book V-15 at page 549, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, the undersigned will on Saturday, January 30th, 1926, at 12 o'clock noon before the court house door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described tracts or parcels of land, lying and being in

the town of Ayden, county of No. the undersigned trustee will sell for cash at public auction before the court house in Greenville on Friday, January 29th, 1926, the following described lands, to-wit: First Tract: That lot in Belvoir township, beginning at the Greenville and Tarboro road, at the southeast corner of lot No. 7 of the plat of the Piney Grove farm, said map recorded in Map Book 1, page 8, Pitt County Registry; thence running S. 67° and 7' West to Tar river, a line common to lots 7 and 8; thence down the courses of Tar river to corner of lots 7, 8, and 9 thence S. 65° 25' W. the line of Lots 8 and 9 to the Greenville and Tarboro road; thence North 25° 35' west with said road to the beginning. Containing 90 acres, more or less and being lot No. 8 of the Piney Grove farm, same lot conveyed by N. P. Williamson and wife to F. A. Ballance by deed dated January 4, 1919, recorded in Book U-12, page 297.

Second Tract: That lot in Belvoir township, described as follows: Beginning on the Greenville and Tarboro road at the southwest corner of lot No. 8 of the plot of the Piney Grove farm, said map recorded in Map Book 1, page 8, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County; thence running South 65° and 25' west with the line common to lots 8 and 9 to Tar river; thence down the courses of Tar River to the corner of lots 9 and 10 and runs South 65° 50' west with said line to the Greenville and Tarboro road; thence North 25° and 35' west with said road to the beginning. Containing 90 acres, more or less and being lot No. 9 in the division of said Piney Grove farm.

Said land is sold to satisfy the amount due for the purchase money. This December 29, 1925. J. B. JAMES, Trustee. 30-1tw-4wks.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE. By virtue of authority vested in me by the terms of that certain mortgage from William Eborn and wife, Florence Eborn, dated the 25th day of January, 1923 and recorded in Book U-13 at page 617 Pitt county Registry, I shall offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door in Greenville, North Carolina, on Friday, January the 15th, 1926 at 12 o'clock noon, the following lots or parcels of land: In Carolina township, Pitt county and being lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 6 and 16 as shown on plat made by Atlantic Coast Realty Company in 1914 of the S. C. Page property on the west side of the A. C. L. R. R. in the town of Stokes, the size of each lot being 40 by 100 feet. This Dec. 12th, 1925. ELIAS P. LITTLE, Mortgagee. L. W. Gaylord, Atty. 231tw4wks

LAND SALE By virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust, executed and delivered by T. E. Dillard to J. B. James, Trustee, to secure certain indebtedness due to F. A. Ballance for the purchase of the land herein-after described, on the 2nd day of December 1924, which deed of trust is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book U-15, page

That certain tract or parcel of land situate in the County of Pitt, and State of North Carolina, and in Swift Creek Township, adjoining the lands of J. A. Hanrahan, W. L. Best, C. M. A. Dawson, Warren McLawhorn, and the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad, now the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad right-of-way, beginning at the center of the County Road that leads from Greenville to Kinston at the Back Swamp Bridge, Warren McLawhorn's corner, and runs with said McLawhorn's line to the said A. C. L. R. R. Co's. right-of-way; thence down said A. C. L. R. R. Co's. right-of-way to C. M. A. Dawson's line; thence with said C. M. A. Dawson's line to J. A. Hanrahan's line; thence with the said Hanrahan line to W. L. Best line; thence with the W. L. Best line to said County Road; thence past said County Road to the beginning, containing 25 acres, more or less, and being the identical tract of land which was conveyed by Benjamin Dawson and wife on the first day of February, 1894, to John F. Dawson being duly recorded in the Register of Deeds Office of Pitt County on the 14th day of July, 1894, in Book T-5, page 38.

Terms of sale: Cash. Said sale to be reported to the court for confirmation or rejection. This the 23rd day of December, 1925. W. L. WHEDBEE, Comm. 28-1tw-4wks.

Elephants Chase Crowd



Crowds on Seventh avenue, New York, beat a hasty retreat when three elephants, frightened by a falling piece of scenery, fled from a theatre and stampeded. The jungle beasts finally headed into a police station, crashing in the doors, and were corralled there. No one was hurt.

BRITAIN URGED NOT TO REDUCE NAVY FURTHER

In Protest of Naval League If It Shows Cruisers and Submarines Are Lacking; England In Second Position With But 10 Capital Ships in Full Commission

By H. K. REYNOLDS (U. S. Staff Correspondent) London, Jan. 6.—Pointing out that the cruiser and submarine strength of the British Navy is only half that of the United States, the British Navy League has addressed a strong protest to the Admiralty against any further reductions in the number of fighting ships.

The protest grew out of a recent speech of Admiral Beatty announcing that the Government, on account of the improved international outlook, has authorized a temporary relaxation of the immediate readiness of the fleet for active service. This was followed by intimations in official quarters that a reduction would be made in the cruiser program.

The opinion of the Navy League, after comparing the available forces of Great Britain, the United States and Japan, is that Britain does not have any margin, which she can afford to reduce with safety.

In a letter to W. C. Briegeman, the First Lord of the Admiralty, the Marquis of Linlithgow, president of the Navy League, submitted a comparison of the world's three biggest fleets, Britain, Japan and the United States.

It was pointed out that when the projected reduction in the crews of the four battleships of the Iron Duke class have been effected, the position in capital ships in full commission will be: British Empire, 16; United States, 15; Japan, 9.

"This appears," declared Lord Linlithgow, "to be a most unsatisfactory position. In matters of destroyers and submarines Great Britain has in full commission only about one-half of the vessels maintained by the United States.

"We would particularly draw your attention to the relative inferiority of Great Britain in repair ships and in destroyers and submarine depot ships. The contribution made by auxiliary craft to the state of preparedness of a fleet, to its mobility, and to its capacity to keep the seas and to withstand the wear and tear of active service conditions, are beyond dispute, and we cannot but feel that the reductions in such craft must be held seriously to have affected our naval problem.

"May we add that we observe with alarm that in certain quarters there is being carried on a campaign directed towards still further reducing the cruiser program. The program adopted by the present Government represents, in our view, the very minimum required for the security of our world-wide trade routes, and we trust that any attempt to tamper with its provisions may be strenuously and successfully resisted by you.

"Reviewing the position as a whole, the Navy League cannot feel satisfied that the various reductions now proposed are consistent with the future security of the British Empire."

The letter ended with an invitation to the Admiralty to declare whether or not the Government adheres to the principle of the one-power standard, and whether the proposed reductions have been carried out, will in fact remain the equal in power, efficiency, and in preparedness of the navy of any other single power.

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NOTICE

State of North Carolina, Pitt County, Notice is hereby given by order of Board of County Commissioners that there will be no land advertised for 1925 tax, until all personal property is exhausted.

This notice is given, that all tax payers are requested to make immediate settlement for their taxes, as levy on personal property will begin at once.

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TODAY

(Continued from page 1) It has resources of five hundred millions. And Mr. Mitchell's big bank, the "National City Bank" has twice as much as the First National. Only a few centuries back, taking interest on money, at no matter what rate was pronounced a mortal sin by Christian Churches, everywhere.

Dr. Dayton C. Miller with the \$1,000 prize of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, with his essay on "The Michelson-Morley Ether Drift Experiment," Dr. Miller's experiments at the Mount Wilson observatory will cause Einstein to revise his theories relatively, so say the scientists.

The average man does not even know what the ether drift is, except that in inter-stellar space stars have an absolute motion, as regards each other, and a much greater, more rapid movement through the ether.

In fact the greatest scientist can not tell you what the ether is, or even prove that it exists, except as an indispensable hypothesis. In science, men are children, playing blind man's bluff, when they deal

with infinite space. England is still much annoyed justly, because we make such fuss about the British rubber monopoly. This rich nation should not waste if another makes money. We ought to plant our own rubber trees, or better, find a substitute for rubber tires. It is bound to come, why not now?

Jellicoe Believes In Surface Craft

London, Jan. 6.—(I.N.S.)—Admiral Lord Jellicoe, who commanded the British Grand Fleet in the World War, believes that Great Britain will have to depend for many years to come on surface craft for protection of trade, despite the development of more efficient aircraft.

Airplanes, he pointed out, can only operate in open water when working from aircraft carriers, with airships, while more capable of operating at long distances from land, are much more vulnerable. His conclusion is that battleships must continue to form the backbone of naval defenses.

Lord Jellicoe has worked out a plan for the support of the British naval establishment which contemplates the contribution of annual quotas by the Dominions. Figuring the total cost of the Navy at \$345,000,000, the apportionment would be as follows: Great Britain and Ireland, \$272,500,000; Australia, \$24,000,000; New Zealand, \$84,250,000; Canada, \$30,000,000; South Africa, \$4,250,000, and India, \$4,250,000.

The Empire's naval forces in the future, according to Lord Jellicoe, must comprise: the main fleet, whose function is the destruction of the main fleet of the enemy; such secondary forces as are needed for subsidiary operations; the forces need to insure the security of world-wide sea communications, and auxiliary forces need for local defense.

World Oil Supply Not Now in Danger

London, Jan. 6.—(I.N.S.)—Recent assertions that there will be a world oil shortage in twenty-five years from now are not corroborated by Sir Henri Deterding, the famous oil authority and head of the Anglo-Dutch and Shell oil corporations.

Asked in an interview whether he thought the belief expressed by Sir Richard Redmayne recently that there would be no oil in America in twenty-five years time was correct, Sir Henri indicated that an oil scarcity was "not feared."

"Whether the oil will be strictly limited to twelve or twenty-five years is more than anyone can say," Sir Henri said. "Some authorities stated about half a dozen years ago that we should see a very large diminution after three years or so, but the opposite occurred. The same may happen now."

"It seems to be more likely that in twelve or twenty-five years the same statement will be made, namely, that in 1950 it will be limited to twelve or twenty-five years, than that in 1950 the last drop of oil will be placed in some museum."

"The fact that the supply of oil, as with so many articles, depends largely on price. At low prices the search for additional supplies will be very much curtailed, and consumption may overtake supplies, make an inroad on stocks and consequently oil prices will rise."

"WHITE CARGO" IS TENSE DRAMA OF IMPRESSIVE MOOD

Is a man, isolated among the natives in West Africa in climatic conditions that fairly warp his soul, to be blamed if he chooses a native half caste woman for a mate?

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Routings Between Points in State Have Been Issued

Greensboro, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Routings between various points in this state, and between North Carolina points and those in adjoining states, with a description of the type of highway, detours, highway number, etc., are contained in the bi-weekly road-condition report of the touring and information bureau of the Carolina Motor Club just issued.

Twenty-six routings between North Carolina points, and between points in this state and Tennessee, Georgia, South Carolina and Virginia, are included. In addition, three routes to Florida—those between Charlotte and Jacksonville, Raleigh and Jacksonville, and Asheville and Jacksonville—are given.

FASHIONS ARE SWIFTER HERE THAN ELSEWHERE

Philadelphia, Jan. 6.—(I.N.S.)—Fads and fashions come and go faster in the United States than any other country, according to Dr. Thaddeus L. Bolton, professor of psychology at Temple University.

"The people of this country," he said, "are not different from those of foreign lands, but we are in a position to make rapid changes and as a consequence, fads and fashions come and go faster here. Such things as Mah Jong, ping pong, croquet and similar amusements are kinds of inventions from the world right along. In order that these new things may last it is necessary that you derive pleasure from them."

Statue Hawthorne Unveiled on the Seashore at Salem

Salem, Mass., Jan. 6.—(I.N.S.)—On the shores he loved so well, a bronze statue of a little man, clad in a great coat, old-fashioned hat in hand—portraying Nathaniel Hawthorne, the great New England romance writer—was unveiled on the seashore at Hawthorne Boulevard here.

The hand that unveiled the statue was that of his great-granddaughter, Miss Rosamond Mikkelson, of Danbury, Conn.

Bela K. Pratt, Boston sculptor, designed and executed the statue, which portrays Hawthorne sitting by the sea, as he often did during his life in Salem, gazing for hours at a time over the ocean.

Among those at the ceremony were John Hawthorne, a grandson of the writer, and Manning Hawthorne a great-grandson.

Secretary Kelsey, of the Memorial Commission, presented the statue to the city, and it was accepted by Mayor Bates.

State Concludes Case in Holmes Trial Today

Rockingham, Jan. 6.—(AP)—The state concluded its case this morning in the trial of Mrs. Sarah Solomon Holmes, and John A. Holmes, her husband, charged with the murder of John D. Solomon, first husband of Mrs. Holmes. The defense has about fifteen witnesses to put on the stand. Mrs. Holmes was on the stand when court adjourned at one o'clock, with a cross examination in progress. The case is not expected to go to the jury before tomorrow.

Length Woman's Skirt Her Business

Boston, Jan. 6.—(I.N.S.)—It being a God-given privilege to clothe herself according to her own taste, and pocketbook, the length of a woman's skirt is the business of that woman.

Thus does Mrs. Frederick G. Smith, president of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Club, hurl the gauntlet at the society of leaders in Washington and their avowed intention of waging warfare to lengthen the skirts that today flapper and grandmother universally are wearing.

"Mrs. Smith herself cannot see anything objectionable in the present 'flapper dress' of the American women, as the ladies of Washington profess to see.

"Dress is not a matter for general regulation," said Mrs. Smith. "It should not be cut and dried. I do not disapprove of the short skirt, unless it is carried to an extreme."

"I can say I have never noted any cause for alarm here in Massachusetts.

"As for cigarette smoking, I do not care to be quoted. I do not smoke myself. These matters, I feel, are matters for the individual to decide."

NOTICE OF LAND SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage, executed by Cornelius Highsmith et al to Julius Brown and A. R. Dunning, recorded in Book A-11, page 536 of the Pitt County Registry and another mortgage by the same parties to Julius Brown and A. R. Dunning, recorded in Book D-12, page 417 of the Pitt County Registry, default in payment having been made as provided in said mortgages, the undersigned, will on Monday, the 8th day of February, 1926, expose to public sale, before the court house door in Greenville, N. C., at 12 o'clock noon, the following described land:

A certain tract or parcel of land, lying and being in Carolina Township, Pitt County, N. C., and described as follows, to wit: Bounded on the north by lands of S. R. Ross; on the East by lands of John Whitehurst; on the West by lands of John Whitehurst and S. R. Ross; and on the South by lands of John Whitehurst, containing 150 acres, more or less and it being known as the Austin Highsmith home place and the same land on which he died or land on which he resided when he died and the same land on which the grantors now reside.

Terms of sale—cash. This 4th day of January, 1926. Julius Brown and A. R. Dunning, Mortgagees. 6th-1tw-4wk-pd.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND UNDER DEED OF TRUST

Under and by virtue of the authority contained in that certain deed of trust executed by John Stewart and wife, Hattie Stewart to the undersigned trustee on the 3rd day of February, 1920, of record in the office of the Register of Deeds, Pitt County, North Carolina in Book Q-13, page 294, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby and the said trustee having been requested by the holder of the indebtedness secured thereby to exercise the power of sale contained therein, the undersigned trustee on the 15th day of January, 1926, between the hours of 12 o'clock noon and 1 o'clock P. M., at the court house door in Greenville, North Carolina, offer for cash the following described real property conveyed in said deed of trust:

Situated in the town of Grifton, beginning at a stake, middle of Waters street, and runs northwardly with the J. J. Cox line to the ditch said Cox line; thence

westwardly with the said Cox line 6 poles to a stake; thence southwardly with the said Cox line to Waters street, thence with said street to the beginning, containing 1-4 acre. Being a certain lot of land described in a deed from Joshua L. Tucker and wife, Mary E. Tucker to Martha Bland to John Stewart conveyed by deed Nov. 18th, 1917, and recorded in Book P, page 385, in the office of the Register of Deeds, Pitt County, North Carolina.

This the 12 day of Dec. 1925. J. G. BANNON Trustee By P. D. Croom, Atty. 141w4ws Kinston, N. C.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in that mortgage deed executed and delivered by Will H. Smith and wife, Annie Laura Smith, to W. H. Woodard, dated December 13th, 1924 and duly registered in Book W-14 at page 356 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, the undersigned will on

Monday, January 18th, 1926 at 12 o'clock, noon before the court house door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, sell to the highest bidder for cash a certain lot or parcel of land, lying and being in the town of Greenville, county of Pitt, and state of North Carolina, more particularly described as follows:

On the west side of Fleming Street, beginning at a stake on Fleming Street, the corner of lots No. 4 and No. 5 and running with the dividing line between said lots westwardly 110.16 feet to a stake; thence with the dividing line of lots No. 5 and No. 10 northwardly 50.86 feet to a stake; thence with the dividing line of lots No. 5 and No. 6 to a stake; thence with the western edge of Fleming Street 50.8 feet to the beginning, the same being lot No. 4 in Block as shown on a map made by J. E. of the College View property, Harding, C. E., in April, 1916, which map is duly registered in Map Book No. 1 at page 84 of the Pitt County Registry, and being the same lot deeded to W. H. Smith and wife, by Moseley Brothers, March 24, 1921, by deed recorded in Book X-13 at page 63 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County.

This December 18th, 1925. W. H. WOOLARD, Mortgagee, James L. Evans, Attorney. 19-1tw4wks

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pitt County made by J. F. Harrington, clerk, in that certain Special Proceeding entitled, Maggie Brooks, Admrx., of the estate of J. F. Brooks, deceased, vs. James K. Brooks, Alice Barnes, John L. Brooks, Simon Brooks and Marina Brooks, the undersigned commissioner will on Monday the 4th day of January 1926, at 12 o'clock, noon, before the court house door in Pitt County, expose to public sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lying and being situated in Swift Creek Township, Pitt County, adjoining the lands formerly known as the N. R. Corey lands, Corey and the Archibald Cox heirs containing 45 acres, more or less, and being the home place of the lands of R. L. Smith, J. C. late J. F. Brooks, deceased. This the 14th day of Dec. 1925. F. C. HARDING, Commissioner. Raleigh B. Lee, Atty. 21-1tw4ws

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WILLIAM COLLIER, JR., AND GRETA NISSEN IN THE PARAMOUNT PICTURE 'THE WANDERER' A RAOUL WALSH PRODUCTION

WHITE'S MONDAY - TUESDAY

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF LAND

Under and by virtue of power vested in me by that certain deed of trust executed to me by W. E. Lewis and wife, Lottie R. Lewis, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Pitt County in Book M-12, at page 41, and dated the 25th day of January, 1918, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at public auction, at the court house door, in the Town of Greenville, on Thursday the 14th day of January, 1926, at 12 o'clock noon, the following described tracts of real estate, lying, being and situated in the county of Pitt, and State of North Carolina, to-wit:

First Tract: Situated on the north side of the Tar River, in the State and county aforesaid, in Greenville Township, and bounded on the north by the lands of Levi Coburn, on the east by the lands of Dr. William Fountain, and Geo. J. Woodward, and W. J. Teel, and the heirs at law of W. M. Brown, deceased, and on the south by the lands of the heirs of W. M. Brown, deceased; on the west by the heirs of Joseph James, containing 100 acres, more or less, the dower of Clara Brown, and and known as a part of the Henry Brown Farm, excepting from this conveyance that part of said tract heretofore conveyed to J. E. Warren and Bryant Daniels as will appear by reference to deeds to said parties of record in the Pitt County Registry.

Second Tract: Also a certain tract of land known as the Piney Woods tract and adjoining the Coburn land and the Alpine land, containing 80 acres, more or less. Excepting 20 acres deeded to W. B. Brown by W. B. Hipson and wife, recorded in Book G-8, page reference to which deed is hereby made for a full and complete description of the said 20 acres as-107, of the Pitt County Registry, copied from the operation of this deed, and except five acres conveyed to Bryan Daniels, and being the same two tracts of land as by W. B. Hipson and wife by deed of record in Book W-8, page that were conveyed to W. E. Lewis, of the Pitt County Registry. This December 14, 1925. ALBION DUNN, Trustee. J. C. Lanier, Atty. 15-1tw4wks

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