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ROAD SENTENCES FEATURED COURT HERE YESTERDAY

Four Colored Men Given Sentences
Ranging from 6 to 12 Months
On County Roads

MURDER CHARGE AGAINST
HENRY SMITH COMES UP
FOR HEARING DURING DAY

Special Venire Summoned by Sheriff
From Which Jury Will Be Selected to Hear Cases

Road sentences ranging from 6 to 12 months featured largely in yesterday's session of the criminal term of Pitt County Court, and as a result three men found guilty of larceny and resisting officers are today in jail awaiting assignment to duties in Pitt county's public road camps. The session was by no means different from that of the day before, except that a greater number of cases were disposed of and probably more continuations in evidence.

The court this morning began consideration of the murder charge against Henry Smith, white man of the Black Jack community charged with the killing of Clifton Gardner, some time last year. A special venire of 75 men was summoned by Sheriff Daley yesterday from which a jury was this morning drawn to hear the case. It is expected it will be one of the longest drawn out legal battles since the court convened. The grand jury returned a true bill of murder against the defendant during the opening session this week.

One of the first matters coming before the court yesterday morning was the case against Raymond Stewart, Jess Stancill, Garland, Stancill, Mrs. L. A. Hathaway and Henry Crawford, charged with violating Federal regulations for dipping cattle. The case was taken up several months ago and continued from session to session without final action being taken. After a short examination no proceedings were found advisable by the court.

Jesse Moore, colored man of Simpson territory, pleaded guilty of resisting and assaulting an officer with deadly weapon and was given a sentence of six months in the jail of the county, subject to assignment for work on the public roads. Jasper Batts, also colored, pleaded guilty of larceny and was given a sentence of eight months in the county jail subject to work on county roads. Matthew Edwards and John Burney, pleaded guilty to a charge of larceny, being sentenced a term of twelve months in jail and work on the county roads.

No proceedings were taken in the case against Anna Bell and Delora Fleming, colored, charged with vagrancy. Roosevelt Clark was found not guilty of vagrancy. No proceedings were taken in two charges against Michael Saleby, alleged to have allowed minors to enter pool room.

HELP THE GIRL SCOUTS BY GOING TO CONCERT

A concert will be given tonight at eight-thirty o'clock in the high school auditorium by two teachers from St. Mary's School, Raleigh, N. C., for the benefit of the Girl Scouts, of Greenville. The artists are coming to us highly recommended. Everyone should attend, not only for their own pleasure and benefit, but to encourage and help the Scouts. Admission—Fifty Cents.

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PROCTORS NEWS STAND
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John C. Freund of New York city, who, at the age of seventy-two, has thrown his vital personality into a nation-wide campaign to arouse public sentiment for the establishment of a ministry of fine arts in the President's cabinet and a national conservatory of music. As editor of Musical America and president of the Musical Alliance of the United States, he has for years been waging war on the "musical fake" and pleading for the recognition of America's own musical talent.

THINKS DESIRE TO SAVE CAUSES RISE OF THE CAFETERIA

Manager of Chain of Eating Houses
Says Americans Are Desirous of
Saving Time and Money

Chicago, Jan. 28.—The desire on the part of the average patron of the public eating house to save time and money in procuring his meals is assigned by C. A. Westberg, manager of a chain of Chicago cafeterias, as the reason for the rise of the cafeteria during recent years to a prominent place in public favor.

People like to see what kind of food they are getting before they order it, he says, asserting that the advantage of inspecting the various dishes offered is a possible third factor in the growth of the self-service plan.

Mr. Westberg says that whereas five and six years ago people hesitated to patronize a first floor cafeteria for fear of being recognized by friends, and that establishment of such a place was then a precarious step on that account, now the help yourself idea is at the height of its popularity. In the five self-service eating houses in Chicago managed by Mr. Westberg, 15,000 meals are served daily, he estimates. He fixes the average amount of a check at 45 cents.

Few persons attempt to evade payment of their bills, and these are usually boys from 17 to 20 years of age, and occasionally women. Such attempts often are successful during the busy periods. Other patrons, while willingly paying for their meals carry away with them souvenirs in the form of napkins. A supply of one hundred dozen small German silver butter plates put into service at one cafeteria a year ago has been depleted through the onslaughts of the souvenir hunters and now practically none remain in possession of the house.

The butter plates made very acceptable ash trays, remarked Mr. Westberg, in accounting for their disappearance. Napkins are very often taken away by customers through oversight and many of them returned. The management, Mr. Westberg says, receives in the mail every week napkins from various parts of the middle west, apparently taken away unintentionally by Chicago visitors.

The manager sees hope for further declines in the cost of meals but declares such reductions must be preceded by wage reductions. He says the cost of labor has increased more than 100 per cent in the past four years.

COTTON INTERESTS URGE CONFERENCE AT EARLY PERIOD

English Cotton Growers Demand Immediate Hearing As Result of Declining Prices.
DECLARE COTTON HAS
FALLEN OFF GREATLY
BELOW PRODUCTION COST

Manchester, Eng., Jan. 28.—A leading cotton grower has sent a message to Sir Charles Macara urging that a world cotton conference be called without delay, to deal with the situation arising from the decline in the price of fibre and the threatened 50 per cent reduction in cotton acreage, says the Manchester Guardian. In the course of the interview, Sir Charles, who is one of the largest cotton manufacturers in Great Britain, said:

Cotton has fallen a long way below the cost of production, and the inevitable result will be that a great curtailment in the acreage devoted to cotton will follow. I have contended for many years that cotton is a commodity which, if properly packed and stored, can be kept for years without deterioration.

A recommendation such as I made at the outbreak of the war, that the surplus cotton should be taken over by the governments interested, should be adopted now. This would save the situation. If action is not taken we shall have a repetition of what occurred in the early days of the war, when American cotton fell from 7 1/2 pence to 4 pence a pound, *l. v. v.*

REWARD OFFERED FOR NIGHT RIDERS BY KENTUCKIANS

Governor of State Calls for Grand Jury Investigation In The Name of Each County.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 27.—Governor Edw. P. Morrow today offered rewards of \$500 for the arrest and conviction of each person participating in night riding in Fleming and Bat counties, requested the courts in each county to forthwith make grand jury investigations of reports that bands of armed men intimidated tobacco farmers last Saturday night, and instructed the State adjutant general to have four troops of cavalry in readiness for immediate action. "I intend to and will use every power of the State to save the honor of the State and to prevent midnight outrages upon its citizens," said the Governor in the course of a statement. "Every dollar in the State Treasury," he continued, "and every soldier at my command is pledged to the prevention of night riding with its outrages and intimidations."

The troops are stationed at Louisville, London, Manchester and Louisville. They are supplied with horses and equipment for field duty. On the heels of the announcement came word from circuit court judge Henry R. P. R. Prewitt that he would convene a special Bath county grand jury at Owingsville tomorrow and that Judge C. D. Newell was likely to deliver a special charge to the Fleming county grand jury when it convenes Monday at Flemingsburg.

The night riders were reported to have operated near Bethel in Bath county and near Sherbourne in Fleming county. In each case, it was said, mounted men called tobacco farmers from their homes and threatened them if they failed to heed warnings to cut out tobacco crop this year and hold the last crop for higher prices.

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PROTESTS AGAINST AMERICAN INCOME TAX IN PHILIPPINES

American Chamber of Commerce Asks Senate to Change Application of Tax Board.
CLAIM MEASURE WORKS
IN HARM TO BUSINESS IN
THAT PART OF WORLD

Manila, P. I., Jan. 28.—The Board of Directors of the American Chamber of Commerce of the Philippine Islands has adopted a resolution which is to be forwarded to the United States congress, protesting against the application of the federal income tax law to Americans residing abroad and paying taxes in the Philippines or foreign countries. The resolution recommends to congress that the revenue act of 1918 be so amended as to exempt from taxation the income derived from sources without the United States of non-resident citizens.

The resolution says: Under former acts of congress income taxes were uniformly imposed upon all residents of the Philippine Islands, Americans, Filipinos and aliens; and in accordance with American principles and traditions, such taxes accrued, not to the United States, but to the insular government.

Under the revenue act of 1918 income taxes for the revenues of the United States are imposed upon American citizens residing in the Philippines, but not on Filipinos and others there residing, although all alike share the protection of the United States

LISTEN LESTER IS JUST A SPLENDID MUSICAL COMEDY

Norfolk Ledger Dispatch Commends Shows Which Recently Played at The Colonial Theatre.

The Norfolk Ledger Dispatch has the following comment concerning "Listen Lester" musical comedy company which will appear in this city at White's theatre Tuesday night, February 1.

Amusical intertainment is the literal, exact and accurate phrase with which "Listen Lester" is described on the program of the piece now making em laugh at the Colonial Theatre. It isn't anything approaching even an operetta; it is hardly a musical comedy because apparently neither the composer nor the producer cared a hoot about having the music sung. It is just a musical entertainment. And it is all that.

It is musical because nobody except such precious products as the pupils of the Denishawn studios and their ilk dance without music, and because dancing is about half of this frivolous show. It is entertainment because the dancing is of the best of its various kinds, and because the whole foolish thing is bubbling with comedy. Indeed, most of the dances are either quietly amusing or wildly hilarious, though there are some exceptions which are gratefully to be noted.

Harry L. Cort and George B. Stoddard wrote the book, and they turned out something resembling a story with a good many bright lines and with an incidental bit of love interest, while Harold Orlob's music is not without a number of pretty tunes. But book, lines and music would be pretty near valueless if they were not played, read and danced to by uncommonly capable people. And that is precisely what John Cort has provided. Ethel Rea sings several numbers acceptably, but the rest of the company is composed exclusively of non-singers, including the chorus.

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Prominent Business Men Express Great Optimism At Banquet In Greenville



New photograph of William D. Denny, who succeeds John Q. Townsend, Jr., as governor of Delaware.

R. B. Peters and J. Paul Leonard Declared Future for Business Is Bright Here Last Night.

SEVERAL MEMBERS OF
LOCAL ASSOCIATION IN
IMPRESSIVE SPEECHES
Problems Confronting Business Men Discussed At Length by Members Merchants' Association.

In order to preserve the balance and offset wild thinking and the insane acts of the non-thinker and wrong thinker, it is imperative that the American business man forge to the front as a pluck biter during this great period of readjustment and convince the public that he has faith in the unlimited possibilities of the nation, Mr. R. B. Peters, president of the North Carolina Retail Merchants' association, declared in an address delivered at a banquet tendered by Greenville Merchants' association at the Christian church last night. "Nothing can be gained by shaking our heads and chanting that old, old refrain that the world is going to the bow-wows," the speaker said, "for in the first place it isn't true, and in the second place we have been using the wrong mixture."

TELLS OF A TRIP TO FORBIDDEN PLACES IN TIBET SECTION

Second European To Have Audience With Dalai Lama, of Tibet—Tells Of Oriental Scenes.

Calcutta, Jan. 28.—The first European who has had an audience of the Dalai Lama of Tibet at Lhasa since Manning in 1811 has just returned here after two months residence in the "forbidden land."

He is J. Fairley, a telegraph engineer in the service of India, who reports that the Tibetan government is apparently anxious for the country to be linked up by telegraph with India, and there are also faint signs, he thinks of a desire for industrial advance on European lines.

A visit to Lhasa, he says, transports one straight back to the middle ages. There is no sanitation or drainage in Lhasa today and if it were not for its low temperature, owing to the fact that it is built on a plateau 11,000 feet high its 20,000 inhabitants would very quickly die of typhoid fever.

The audience of the Dalai Lama took place in the Norbulinga palace three miles outside the city. The reception hall was gorgeously decorated in red and gold, with a magnificent silk canopy over the throne on which the Lama was seated in European fashion. His Holiness wore an oriental yellow-brown robe, and his hair was done in the familiar platted fashion of the Lamas. His salutation took the form of placing over my arms extended in front of me a long silk shawl, which courtesy I returned by placing a silk shawl over the arm of His Holiness.

The Dalai Lama's first question concerned my age, and the second my wife's age, and he showed great interest in my experiences on my journey. His Holiness gave me the same impression of gentle kindness which I derived from all my contact with the Tibetans.

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Following the address of Mr. Peters, Mr. J. Paul Leonard, secretary of the North Carolina Retail Merchants' association, delivered an address dealing with present conditions confronting the nation, in which he urged every business man to be on his guard against depression and to push forward, because that the future of the country is as bright as ever. He dealt principally with problems confronting the association, discussing at length the apparent money stringency, and spirit of co-operation prevailing among merchants everywhere in helping the farmer take care of himself. His discourse was more of a direct exhortation for determined business methods than anything else, and had an impression upon his hearers that will not be forgotten soon.

Both speakers were presented in a pleasant manner by Mr. R. L. Crow, president of the Greenville association and also vice-president of the State association, who mentioned the splendid service each had rendered to organization the past several months, particularly during the present period of business depression. Short talks by several members of the association followed between courses of the banquet, each conveying a spirit of optimism which is bound to bring about a noticeable improvement in conditions throughout the State. Mrs. Culpepper, secretary of the Wilson association, was present and expressed her pleasure at prevailing optimism. Other members of the local association speaking were Claude Tunstall, Haywood Dail, G. W. B. Hadley, C. S. Forbes and P. L. Clodfelter.

"Watchman what of the night? The watchman said, the morning cometh." Quoting this passage from Isaiah, Mr. Peters in his address said, "The whole country is asking 'What of the night?' and rightly so, for the night of business is dark and the clouds lower heavily. Men everywhere are oppressed with the mighty damage the storm has wrought. The lightning still shivers the trees, and the thunder rolls. But the watchman sees the morning cometh. He sees that the clouds are growing thinner, the lightning strikes less fiercely and faintly he visions a sign that storm is passing. It has done damage; immense damage; it has swept mighty trees away, it has flooded the lowlands and made some homeless, but it has now done its worst. Its fury is over. Soon the sun begins to break through the clouds, man reasserts his dominion and promptly starts afresh on his work. He replows, he replants, he builds strong dams, he moves to higher grounds and goes forward to larger things. He forgets the terror of the storm, his nerves regain their calm, his muscles become firm, his backbone stiffens and he conquers all difficulties. "That is the way of business. It has

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Friday, January 28, 1921.

People may not be circumspect on all occasions, but this is a time when they have to be careful how they walk.

North Carolina would have fewer sins to live down if the State never had any lynchings.

The man who wants to hold a job these days should have the wisdom to show by service that he appreciates it.

It is not a pleasant feeling that people have when they find that their taxes this year are two or three times as much as last year.

Soviet Russia claims the United States has been actually maintaining a blockade against that country by considering resumption of trade. If that's blockading there will probably

Congress may be considering restoration of the two-cent piece, but it has a long way to go before the people will be ready to receive it. The two dollar bill is as much value as the two-cent piece, and renders equally as much service to people throughout the nation.

Governor Morrison had the right idea about good roads in North Carolina when he advocates hard-surfaced highways in the place of improved dirt roads. His experience with the present system ought to be sufficient to cause people to think like him.

It would not be a bad idea for public sentiment to get behind some of the liquor selling cases that are sent over or appealed to the higher courts. It is detestable to see law enforcement by so many defendants escaping punishment when their cases come up before a jury for trial.

The prohibition law may be brazenly violated in Kentucky, as Governor Morrow claims, but he might be consoled in knowing that other States are suffering from the same cause. The fact is, there is too much illicit distilling going on, and not until this is stopped will any improvement become noticeable. Kentucky, like North Carolina, has its share of moonshiners, and cannot expect prohibitions laws to be otherwise than brazenly violated.

Traveling men continually complain about high prices charged by hotels and cafes over the country ought to know what they are talking about. At least, he happens to be the one to hear the brunt of extortion, while the public listens to arguments on both sides unable to make a decision. Declining prices ought to be as good evidence as anyone could desire, and that's just the point the public in its general satisfaction has failed to discover.

Republican members of the senate endeavored to drive through the Fordney tariff measure, but were momentarily balked by Democrats. They claimed this was a temporary filibuster but since the term is an entirely new one this year, Democrats didn't recognize it as such. If opposition means that the senate is going to experience filibuster then it is certain to have one all the way from the capitol to the White House where President Wilson will attach his official veto.

A DETERMINED SCRAP

It is a part that a long and bitter struggle is ahead of North Carolina in convincing railroad officials and the State of Virginia that it is entitled to freight rates in proportion to surrounding States. The question has been constantly before the public for several months, but so far has not been settled in a satisfactory way. The railroads have failed to yield from position taken in the matter when first aired before the corporation commission and Virginia seems determined to believe it is entitled to lower rates.

There may be reasons why North Carolina, just because it happens to be North Carolina, should be forced to pay a higher rate than neighboring States, but its business men are hard to convince that there is any justice in it and mean to bring about a reduction if it takes months and months to finally settle. These people give the railroads more business than Virginia because they produce more farm stuff, more manufactured goods and are living in a more populous territory. There is no direct way for establishing permanent rates except by miles and tonnage, and as North Carolinians are accustomed to figuring along this line, it will be hard to convince them that just because it is situated where it is that a higher freight rate should be imposed upon its industries.

The State is not asking for an inside deal at all in demanding readjustment of rates, for such a proposition would be unfavorably received by every business man of integrity and foresight. It simply demands that the railroads give it similar advantage accorded to other communities where lower rates have existed for months and months without anything being said or any action taken to proportion them with those existing within its own limits. The complex problem of figuring rates may be too complicated for many to comprehend, but there is one thing certain, and that is miles and tonnage are the only logical way to figure charges and this is the way the people figure they are equally entitled to rates enjoyed by Virginia.

The situation has received much attention, but not near so much as it will before finally being brought to a conclusion. There is justice in all things, and the State is willing to submit to anything when believing it is fair. This matter, however, involves no fairness at all, and deserves to be pressed that rates must be more carefully equalized. There is no question about unfairness of the rates it is just a matter of time now when right prevails instead of might.

Greenville might do much towards making its future growth and prosperity more permanent by appointing a committee to investigate cafe, hotel and boarding house prices prevailing. The situation is anything but pleasing, and the average workman cannot afford to pay prices which have been in vogue since the ending of the war. There has been a general decline in commodities, and if this does not justify a reduction with other things how in the world will readjustment ever come about. The city aldermen might take the matter in hand, and at least report their findings to the public, which in turn might be able to profit from the information. If anything service is not as good as when business enterprises had labor shortage and high prices as a shield, but since this has been done away with there is absolutely no excuse for continued exorbitancy. The situation is serious enough to demand instant attention, and unless some action is taken Greenville like many other towns of the State, might as well pull in the latch string which always hangs on the outside.

The way people are scrambling for jobs over the country suggests that the man now employed had better put out everything expected of him, otherwise he might be hunting a job too. The labor situation is becoming of serious consequence in many large cities with large enterprises, but fortunately for North Carolina it has enough farms and small industries to keep most of its people at work. The trouble is too many are flocking to the cities expecting high wages and little work. They get just the opposite and the experience is going to mean much towards increasing farm labor. The farmer at least has the consolation of knowing he can raise what he eats, but the city resident has trouble in raising money to eat with.

Citizens in Jacksonville, Florida, have taken steps to condemn the wave of lawlessness in that city, and in that point to a strenuously prosecuted campaign. If other cities of the country would do likewise, it is certainly probable the nation would be much better off and not near so much meanness going on.

The allied supreme council has taken up reparation problems, therefore, it is easy to guess that the public will have something to think about in a short while, particularly the countries to be affected by its rulings. The council has made a splendid impression with the world in the few matters taken up some time ago, and it is quite probable the way reparations are to be handled will meet with general favor. Providing a status for former Russian state will be one of the greatest and most serious problems to receive attention, but members no doubt are well acquainted with the conditions in ascendancy in that territory and will outline some constructive forms by which the country may prosper.

The congressional committee seems satisfied that Charles Schwab didn't really misappropriate funds while at the head of Emergency Fleet corporation. That's mighty poor balm for a man accused of such unfairness to the government, but justifies public opinion that senate investigations are proving more annoying than profitable.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator de bonis non on the estate of the late R. C. Gurganus, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to me or my attorneys, within twelve months from this date, or this notice shall be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This January 4, 1921.
R. L. GURGANUS,
Administrator, d. b. n.
F. G. James & Son, Attorneys, 5-11awk



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NOTICE
SALE OF VALUABLE FARM LANDS

By virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed to W. C. James and Fannie Gray James by J. C. Stokes, and Lida Stokes, and recorded in Book L-12, Page 202 of the public registry of Pitt County, we will offer for sale at the Court House door in Greenville, N. C. for cash to the highest bidder, on Monday, February 21, 1921, at twelve o'clock Noon, at public auction the following described tract of land.

Beginning at a lightwood, corner of division line known as corner of Reuben James and John Parker corner, thence South 80 degrees, 15 West 104 poles to a stump, Parkers corner; thence North 25 degrees 30 West 50 poles to a stake, Parkers corner, thence 2 degrees West 46 poles to a gum, Williams corner; thence North 62 degrees, East 89 2-5 poles to a corner; thence North 32 1-2 East 42 poles to an iron stake, W. H. Jenkins corner; thence North 32 1-3 East to a stake; thence South 63 East 108 poles to the old Williamson line; thence South 26 West 112 poles to the beginning, containing by estimation, one hundred and eight acres, more or less, and being same tract of land conveyed to Fannie Gray James by W. C. James, November 5th, 1914, recorded in Pitt County Registry Book B-11, Page 421.

Terms of sale: CASH
This the 19th day of January 1921.
W. C. James,
Fannie G. James
Mortgagees
S. J. Everett, Atty.
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NORTH CAROLINA, Jitt Clunty. In the Superior Court.
Lillian S. Jones
vs.
Notice of Taking Deposition.
Beverly M. Jones
The defendant, Beverly M. Jones, will take notice that the plaintiff will, on Monday, the 21st day of February, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of W. G. Britt, in the city of Goldsboro, N. C., before the said W. G. Britt, commissioner, take the deposition of Capt.

J. B. Edgerton, witness for the plaintiff, and others, which said deposition will be used in the trial of this cause to be had in the Superior Court of Pitt County.

The defendant will further take notice that the taking of said deposition may be adjourned from time to time until completed, and this notice is given that the defendant may, if he so desires, be present and cross examine said witnesses.

This January 20, 1921.
ALBION DUNN, Atty. for Plaintiff
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NORTH CAROLINA, Pitt County.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage bond, executed and delivered by J. B. Boyd and wife, Rosa Boyd, to Sarah F. Bland, dated 9th day of March, 1920, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, in Book Q-13, pages 67 to 69 inclusive, the undersigned mortgagee will, on Monday, the 21st day of February, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon, expose to public sale before the court house door in Greenville, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real property, to-wit:

Lying and being situated in the Swift Creek Township Pitt county, N. C. and lying on both sides of the public road leading from Greenville to New I and specifically describ described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the Greenville and New Bern road where the Southern boundary line of the Walter McLawhorn line crosses said road and running thence N 80-10 881. 5 feet, thence N 24 E 188 feet, then N S E 89 feet, then N 87-15 E 1338 feet to a gum, then N 87-15 E 264 feet, thence S 31 E 340 feet, then S 38 E 245 feet, then S 31 E 193 feet, then S 27-50 E 148 feet, then S 7-30 E 299 feet to a stake in the line of Corrie L. Bland, thence S 83-45 2903 feet to the Greenville and New Bern road, thence to William Kirkman's line, thence with William Kirkman's line N 12-40 W 1360 feet to Walter Wclawhorn's and Sarah F Bland's corner, then S 81-30 E 1552 feet to the beginning of the Greenville and New Bern road, contain-

ing 90.95 acres by actual survey.

Also a one half undivided interest in and to the following described real property, to wit:

Situated in Swift Creek Township, Pitt county, N. C. bounded on the North by the lands of Carrie L. Bland and W. B. Bland on the East by the lands of G. W. Venters and the main canal in Clay Root Swamp on the South by the Lands of W. B. Bland and wife Carrie L. Bland and on the W by the lands herein first described and containing 103.4 acres by actual survey, the full courses and distances of said survey being given in full in a mortgage executed by J. B. Boyd and wife to Sarah F. Bland, recorded in the Register's office in Pitt county in the Book and page above referred to.

This sale will be made for the purpose of complying with and satisfying the terms of said mortgage deed.

This the 19th day of January, 1921.
Sarah F. Bland

Mortgage:
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For the second time in one month I am reducing the price of shoe repair work on account of the leather market declining. We have now expert workmen which have just arrived.

Soles Sewed and Rubber Heels 1.50

For all kinds of men's and women's shoes.

We guarantee all our work
Expert Workmanship

Greenville Shoe Co.

Chas. Baker, Prop.

314 Evans St.

For
HEAVY HAULING

Call 421, or see
George Cherry, Jr.

The New Year Is Here

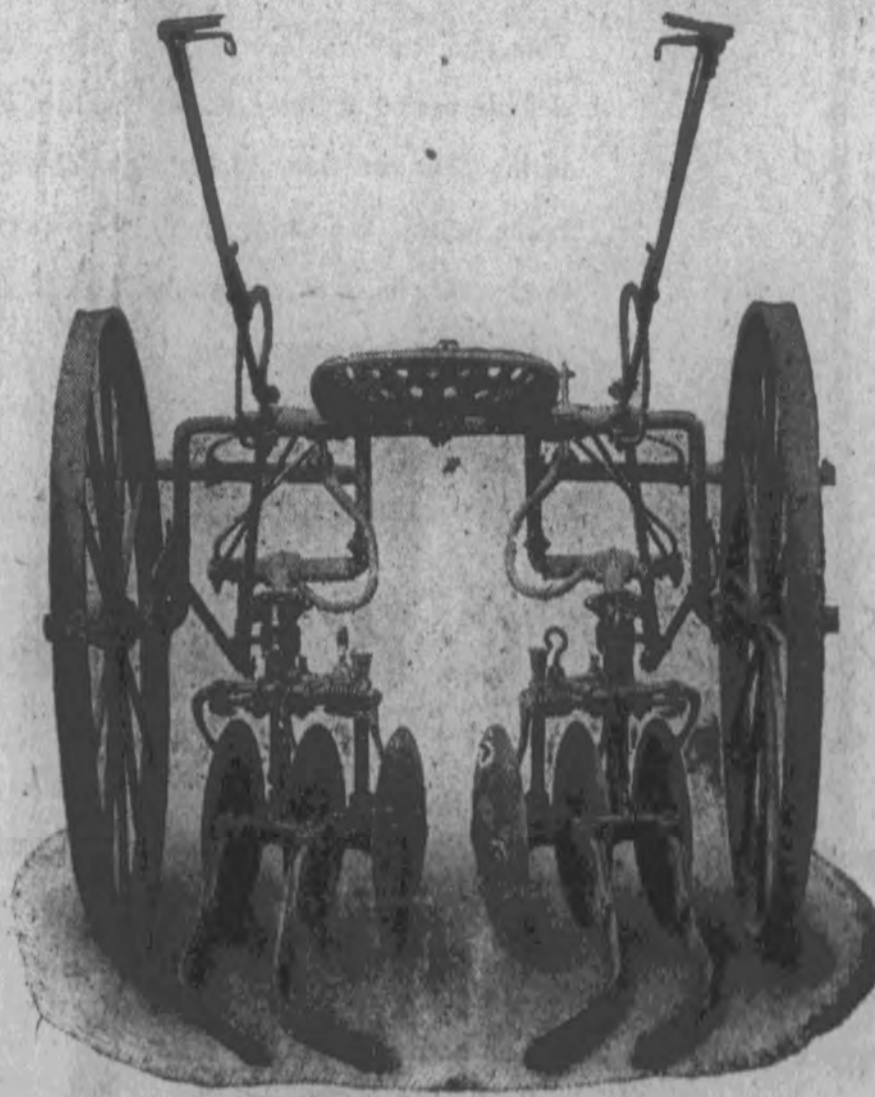
Begin to prepare for your crop now by purchasing the most modern and up-to-date labor saving implements available. You can find them at our place of business on Clark Street.

REMEMBER TOO THAT WE SELL FOR CASH OR CREDIT!

It will pay you to investigate our line before buying. Below we give a list of the things we carry.

- Buggies
- Wagons,
- Harness,
- Road Carts,
- Cart Wheels,
- Buggy Robes
- Horse Blankets
- Whips,
- Rope,
- Collars,
- Hames,
- Back Bands,
- Horse Shoes,
- Nails,
- Safes,
- Bicycles

- Shovels,
- Cultivators,
- Disc-
- Cultivators,
- Seed-
- Drills,
- Line-
- Sowers,
- Mowers,
- Rakes,
- Plows,
- Harrows,
- And lots of things we can't mention in this small space



YOURS TO SERVE

Turnage & Winslow

Phone 11

Greenville, N. C.

Guarantee
If, after using entire contents of the can of Luzianne coffee according to directions you are not satisfied in every respect, your grocer will refund the money you paid for it. Good old Luzianne must please you.
Goes Twice as Far
LUZIANNE
coffee
Wm. B. Reilly & Co. Inc., New Orleans

WOOD
Pine Wood, Stove Wood lengths, \$2.50 per load. Prompt delivery, any place in town.
PITT LUMBER CO., or Phone 8
Cecil Cobb

Personal

The Contents of My Lady's Handbag.
A powder magazine, a puff,
A handkerchief of lace,
A gift from me—it cost enough
To fix a pennant race;

Some postage stamps all glued together
A nickel and a dime.
A piece of useless ostrich feather,
Some fruit drops (flavor lime);

A hairpin and a mirror and
A silver pencil, some
Vermillion rouge, a rubber band,
A stick of chewing gum.

A shoe horn and some peanut shells,
A street guide of the city,
Some smelling salts she never smells,
And a clipping of this ditty!
—EDAR, in New York Tribune.

Mr. R. B. Peters, of Tarboro, was in Greenville several hours Thursday.

Mr. C. T. Gordon, of Rocky Mount, spent Thursday evening in Greenville.

Mr. R. L. Dixon, of Greensboro, was in the city today on business.

Mr. W. J. Boyd was in the city a short time yesterday evening.

Mr. E. F. Bell, of Wilmington, spent several hours here today on business.

Messrs. J. S. Ross and J. F. Barwick, of Ayden, are attending Superior court in Greenville today.

Mr. C. M. Jones, of Charlotte, was numbered among business men in this city today.

Mr. R. H. Poyell, of Durham, made a short business trip to the city yesterday.

Mr. J. Paul Leonard, of Statesville, secretary of the North Carolina Retail Merchants' association, returned home today after speaking at a banquet tendered by the local association last night.

MISS HENNIE WHICHARD ENTERTAINS CARD CLUB

Miss Hennie Whichard entertained the Bridge Club Thursday afternoon, at her home on Evans street. At the conclusion of the games a salad course was served. Mrs. Roy Batchelor, Mrs. D. E. Taylor, Mrs. Earl Carter and Mrs. H. L. Hodges were guests of the club.

Send in your name to join the Exchange which opens in the Reflector building next Tuesday. Telephone No. 261-J or No. 36 for particulars and have some fancy articles ready to place on sale the opening day.

EVANGELISTIC NOTES

Rev. Frank H. Scattergood, Pitt County Evangelist.
Sunday, January 30, 1921.
Morning service, Pactolus.
Sunday school, 10 a. m. Lesson: Jesus Greeted as King.
Sermon, 11 a. m. Theme: Fashioned Anew.
Afternoon, Mason's School House.
Sunday School, 3 p. m.
Sermon, 4 p. m. Subject: True Religion.
Hollywood School House.
Sunday School, 2:45 p. m.
Worship, 4 p. m.
Pollard School House.
Sunday School, 3 p. m.
Lesson: Jesus Greeted as King.
These services are all open to the public. A welcome awaits you.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

Friday—Litany, 7:30 p. m.

GREENVILLE TO PLAY

ROCKY MOUNT TONIGHT

Tonight at 8 o'clock at the Centre Brick Warehouse the first hard-fought game of the season will take place, when the local boys' basket ball team will match its strength against that of the aggregation of tossers from Rocky Mount. Last year Greenville and Rocky Mount split even on the series. This year Rocky Mount has another good team, and the people of the town are aware of the fact that the local high school has as swift combination. Consequently tonight will be the time for real contest. The locals have been working hard since the Tarboro game and are intrin for the contest. Hadley and Brown the local forwards may be counted upon for their share of the scoring, while West at center can be depended upon for consistent team work and passing. As for the guard positions, they will be held down by the old stand-bys, Jolly and Barber, who can always be depended upon to give a good account of themselves.

The people of the town are urged to come out and support the local lads in their endeavor to give the town some good clean sport.

PECAN ROLL FRESH EVERY WEEK

We have the best pecan roll on the market. Small size 25c, half pounds 75c, pounds \$1.50.

PROCTORS NEWS STAND

TWO MARRIAGE LICENSES

ISSUED HERE YESTERDAY

The following marriage licenses have been issued by the Register of Deeds:

Mr. John Dall, of Ayden, to Miss Fannie McLawhorn, also of Ayden. Mr. Dall is 71 years of age, his bride is 35.

T. L. Manning to Miss Mattie Pollard, both of Belvoir township.

MRS. STEIDLEY TO TALK

TO YOUNG WOMEN SUNDAY

On Sunday afternoon at 3:30, Mrs. Steidley will hold a meeting for young women and girls in the Methodist church.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE

By virtue of authority contained in that certain mortgage executed by Desser Brimage and wife Bessie Brimage, to N. W. Outlaw, dated January, 26 1917 and recorded in Book D, 12, page 25 of Pitt county registry, the undersigned will on Thursday, February 24 1921 at noon sell to the highest bidder before the court house door in Pitt county, at public auction for cash, the following described tract of parcel of land to wit:

In Chicod township, County of Pitt, Beginning at an oak at the tobacco barn at R. T. Chatmans corner and running south 70 west 54 poles to the run of Clay root swamp; thence to a white oak in the fork of Clay root swamp; thence north 36 west 60 poles along Creeping

swamp; thence north 36 west along Creeping swamp 80 poles to a white oak, the beginning, containing 100 acres more or less, and being the same land conveyed to Desser Brimage by Daniel Dixon and wife, as will appear by reference to deed in Book U, 10, page 132 of Pitt County registry.

This sale is to be made for the purpose of satisfying the terms of the aforesaid mortgage.

This January 24th 1921.
N. W. Outlaw, Mortgagee
Mrs C S. Hassel, Owner of Debt
C. C. Pierce Attorney 4 t a w pd

CHICHESTER'S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

YOUNG'S Chain Stores

SALES FOR NEXT WEEK

First sale Monday, Fourth sale Tuesday, Third sale Wednesday, Second sale Thursday, and First sale Friday.

Good tobacco is selling with more strength than at any time since Christmas and common tobacco is showing some improvement.

Bring your tobacco to the house where the buyers like to buy and you will go home pleased.

Centre Brick Warehouse

Brinkley and Spain

Proprietors

Sharp Price Reduction

ON THE



Free Water and Inpection

Expert Work on any make of Battery

With Philco Retainers

Without Philco Retainers

Guaranteed 2 Years

Guaranteed 18 Months

Present Low Prices Show A Radical Drop To Practically Pre-War Levels

Offering a genuine opportunity for car owners to secure this high-grade battery at far less expenditure than has been possible at any time during the past four years.

Southern Storage Battery Co.

Phone 174

J. Hicks Corey, Prop.

WHITE'S THEATRE

SATURDAY

Harold Lloyd In
"CAPTAIN KID'S KIDS"

—Also—

Mack Sennett Comedy
"DABBLING IN ART"
"Ruth of the Rockies"

MONDAY

Anna Q. Nilsson, Norman Kerry and
Paluine Starke In
"SOLDIERS OF FORTUNE"

TONIGHT

Mary Miles Minter and Jack Holt
In Her Newest Picture
"All Soul's Eve"

SELL YOUR TOBACCO WITH

JOHNSTON AND FOXHALL

All grades of tobacco have advanced in price. Most especially the better grades. Our sales are higher this week than any time since November. We have sold lots of tobacco this week from 50c to 85c per pound. Bring in your next good load and we will make you the highest sale of the year.

WAREHOUSE NO. 2—Monday, 2nd Sale; Tuesday 1st Sale; Wednesday, 3rd

Sale; Thursday, 2nd Sale; Friday, 2nd Sale.

BRICK WAREHOUSE—Monday, 3rd Sale; Tuesday, 1st, 2nd Sale; Wednes-

day, 1st Sale; Thursday, 3rd Sale; Friday, 2nd Sale.

BRING US YOUR NEXT LOAD

TAKE A LOOK AT FEW SALES MADE AT STAR MONDAY AND TUESDAY

Name	Prices	Pounds	Average
White and H. 50, 50, 63, 68, 71, 71, 80, 84, 84, 84		740	\$72.50
Harris and W. 46, 51, 52, 56, 50, 60, 60, 64, 84, 84, 84, 84		654	\$61.42
J. C. Lancaster, 45, 60, 61, 62		674	\$55.00
Skinner and Harris, 18, 23 1-2, 48, 53, 56, 56, 60, 75		476	\$52.11

Smith and Harris, 35, 38, 40, 48, 49, 50	2340	\$45.40
Wells and Moye, 13 1/4, 30, 40, 49, 56, 64	810	\$44.71
Ben Bishop, 20, 22, 23, 25, 36, 50, 52, 55	1972	\$37.70
Offie Corson, 7c to 58c (had 284 lbs. at 7c)	1600	\$35.61
R. Grissom, 7c to 54c	1718	\$33.87

SALES ARE LIGHT. NOW MAKING BEST SALES OF THE SEASON

STAR WAREHOUSE

SMITH and SUGG

WANT

FOR SALE—Two young mules. Cash or credit. For further information apply this office.

Automobile Service day or night, Claylor and Corter.

FOR SALE—20 shares stock Bank of Winterville. C. T. Cox, Durham, N. C. 21-9t

FOR SALE—Fine sow and nine pigs. Apply to Henry Sheppard. 26-29c

HAVE YOUR CORN GROUND AT AMUZU PARK WATER MILL, ON TUESDAYS, FRIDAYS AND SATURDAYS. 20-9t

Remember mass meeting to be conducted in Court House here, Saturday, January 29th. 11-2t

AMUZU PARK WATER GROUND MEAL, 40 CENTS PER PECK. FOR SALE AT CLAUDE TUNSTALL'S STORE. 20-9t

SHOES REPAIRED AT A PROFIT See the Guaranteed Shoe Repairer For Soles, Rubber Heels and Sewing J. L. CLEMONS, Near Stokes, N. C. 22-feb.5*

TENANTS—Wanted for one- or two-horse crop. Good land and comfortable buildings. Apply to J. N. Vinson, Route 2, Greenville, N. C. 1wk

FRESH EGGS for sale at the market price. T. R. Moore. 22-9t

FOR RENT The offices formerly occupied by Dr. R. L. Carr. Immediate possession can be given. H. A. White 1t

WANTED—Position. Office work, by capable young lady. Address X Y Z. 24-27

LOST—Sunday between Prof. Austin's and Methodist church, black feather scarf, silk-lined. Reward if returned to Miss A. V. Wilson, Training School. tues.-thurs.

You may not need it now, but you will—it's free for a guess at Denton's Drug Store.

FOUND—Bunch of keys. Owner can obtain same by calling at this office and paying for advertisement. 1t

LOST—BIRD DOG, WHITE POINTER with brown ears, bobtail and wart on right thigh, scar on left side. Notify H. C. Sugg and receive reward for trouble. 27-31c.

\$200,000.00 to loan on improved farm lands. Amounts of \$4,000 and up. Applications received up to and including February 2nd. Inspection same week. This January 27, 1921. Evans and Flangan, Attys., Fourth street, Greenville, N. C. T F & S

JUST ARRIVED NEW LOT GOTHAM GOLD STRIPE HOSE STEPHENSON SHOE CO. 2t

SALESMAN WANTED to solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or commission. Address the Todd Oil & Paint Co., Cleveland, O.

Professional Cards

COLLECTION AGENCY
I collect House Rent—Any and all kinds of accounts on small percentages. will also look after property for the owners—Reference furnished.
Call Phone 52 or Write P. O. Box 245 R. GREEN, SR.

J. C. LANIER
Attorney-at-Law
Collections Handled
Loans Negotiated
Office Proctor Hotel Bldg.
Greenville, N. C.

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Still With
"Old Reliable"
The Mutual Life of
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THOS. J. MOORE

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

TO TAXPAYERS OF PITT COUNTY

We, the undersigned citizens and taxpayers of Pitt County, do hereby request all of the taxpayers of Pitt county to meet with us in the court house in the town of Greenville, on Saturday, the 20th day of January, 1921, for the purpose of memorializing the North Carolina Legislature to reduce taxes in the County of Pitt and State of North Carolina, and for the purpose of taking such other action in respect to taxation as to the assembled body may seem just and proper.
This the 11th day of January, 1921.

- R. L. DAVIS
- J. R. DAVIS
- W. M. SMITH
- R. R. COTTEN
- J. G. MOYE
- J. J. MAY
- J. J. LAUGHINGHUSE
- G. T. TYSON
- B. T. COX
- A. W. ANGE
- J. E. GREEN
- A. J. MOYE

REPLIES TO CRITICISMS AGAINST CITY CAFES

In reply to Mr. Kittrell's article published in Tuesday's Reflector, I, a true born American, of Irish parents, wish to speak a few words concerning the controversy.

In one of Mr. Kittrell's paragraphs he states that our cafes are being operated by Greeks only, who "understand themselves as no American can." I wonder if he wishes to cast any hard feelings on our Greek citizens. If so, I challenge any citizen of Pitt county to trace records of our Manhattan and Greenville Cafe proprietors. In their families they would only find recorded Uncle Sam's honorable discharged soldier boys, and some with naturalization papers to prove themselves true Americans, and a few medals, I think, for bravery (one owned by Thero Val-

has, of Goldsboro, N. C., brother of Christ Valhas, of the Manhattan Cafe, that I have seen and personally know of). This recommendation does not take in all of our Greek citizens, but it does cover the entire management of our Greenville Cafe and Manhattan Cafe, and I hope there will be no unjust comments on these four boys who since their stay in this country have made records for themselves that would prove their every hope has been for America's success, which she has always and will always enjoy.

Mr. Kittrell also states there are immense profits being made in cafes. I wish to ask him this one question, if he will investigate salaries paid our cafe labor and also rent paid for these buildings, including coal, laundry and electric bill an dthen publish this memorandum in our papers, charged to me. He thinks only of the meals set before him, not for a minute does he think of the heavy monthly expenses hanging over the head of the man standing at the cash register, trying to smile, but counting his check with others at the sametime to see if he meet tomorrow's bill that will be presented by some one whom he owes. Labor may have fallen in some cases but, where? Investigate the cafes and find out if it is there.

In another paragraph Mr. Kittrell speaks of the sanitary question, and the torn linen. This is caused by the manager not making enough profit to remedy and replace these things when necessary. The town pays Dr. Moore to inspect and keep cafes sanitary.

If our citizens can find, after investigation, too much profit in these cafes, I am sure the boys will consider your complaint and do the best they can, which, I am sure, they are doing right now.

Cafe prices in Greenville are 10 cents lower than they are in Wilson, Goldsboro and other surrounding towns. I dont want this letter to leave the impression that I am offended by Mr. Kittrell's article. I congratulate him on trying to improve conditions of our Greenville and will aid when I can, but I do hope no injustice will be done these Greek boys because they speak the mother tongue, as we speak and love our own.

MRS. ANGLOS.

One American who understood a Greek as he understood himself and married him.

PROMINENT BUSINESS MEN

(Continued from page one)
the storm, it has been beaten down for a while, but it will soon arise and move upward to higher grounds. The clouds are passing, the sun begins to shine, and the watchman sings aloud to the farmer and the merchant, the manufacturer and the day laborer, "The morning cometh."

"The year 1921 opens with many pressing problems in every line of business. The period of deflation and readjustment which set in some months ago is still in progress and may be expected to continue until practically all commodities have been affected. The situation while full of uncertainties is not to be met with fear and discouragement. It calls for calm, conservative judgment together with most active and energetic efforts to keep trade flowing through regular channels. Undoubtedly there will be a marked falling off in demand for luxuries and non-essentials. The necessities must now have first consideration.

"The year 1921 has in store wonderful money-making possibilities. There is no country in the world in a more prosperous condition than the United States. Deflation is with us, and also with the rest of the world. But this has already the lead and will further

lead in our country to a sound economic basis.

"Confidence in the future is appearing. Sentiment respecting forward conditions which until lately had been almost uniformly depressed, is now noticeably improving in many directions. There is evident a degree of confidence which was previously lacking in the ability of commerce and industry to meet the future successfully. What is now required is courage and respect for fundamental economic principles.

"Business men are justified in feeling confident that the money situation in the United States in 1921 will be very different, matter from what it was in

1920. We may assume that war paper, in passing from hands of the banks, will rest permanently in the hands of the ultimate investor where it belongs, and that it will not seriously impair the liquidity of commercial bank resources. Again we may expect that there will not be the same violent price

changes and that, therefore, commercial credits will not be employed for purposes of commodity speculation to the same extent."

In concluding his address, Mr. Peters said he was no prophet nor son of a prophet, but that he predicted 1921 would be one of our very best business years.



Lower Prices

Prices on all our Shoes have eben reduced to the level of popular demand.

Men's Brown Calf Shoes \$4.95

A new Lot Gotham Gold Stripe Hose

Stephenson Shoe Co

White's Theatre Tues. Feb. 1

THE MUSICAL HIT OF THE SEASON

JOHN CORT'S
Big Musical Sensation

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With
GUS SHY
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WONDERFUL MUSIC
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The Show That Ran for A Solid Year At The Knickerbocker Theatre, New York City.

DAINTIEST, DANCIEST CHORUS

PRICES: 75c to \$2.50—SEAT SALE

SELL YOUR TOBACCO WITH

Forbes & Morton

The market much stronger yesterday and today, especially on good tobacco. All of our customers got much more than they expected. We have

FIRST SALE MONDAY

Bring us a load for this sale. We guarantee you the top market dollar.

DON'T FORGET! FIRST SALE MONDAY,
JANUARY 31.

SELL AT GORMAN'S

Small sales today. All houses finished before dinner. Prices on the good and fine tobacco are much higher. The common tobacco is some stronger.

We advise cutting your crop for this year to no more than you can attend properly. Our only hope is to make good and fine tobacco, as

common tobacco has no friends and "over-cropping" means common tobacco and a loss.

We have 2nd Sale Monday; 1st Tuesday; 4th Wednesday; 3rd Thursday; 2nd Friday.

Drive to Gorman's and you will go home with the top of the market.

GENTRY PULLS AND GORMAN PUSHES