

NC Tobacco Estimates Are Higher

According to reports from producers and tobacco warehousemen as of September 1, production of all flue-cured tobacco in North Carolina this year is forecast at 790,100,000 pounds. This forecast, published by the N. C. Crop Reporting Service, is 6.7 million pounds or .9 per cent above the August 1 forecast. A flue-cured crop of this size, if realized, would exceed the 1957 flue-cured crop by 12.2 per cent, but would fall short of the record large crop of 1955 by about 25 per cent.

Yield per acre of all flue-cured tobacco, calculated at 1,686 pounds, is 217 pounds or about 15 percent above the yield of 1,469 pounds harvested from the crop of 1957. In the Eastern and Border belts (Types 12 and 13) favorable weather conditions prevailed throughout most of August, resulting in yields slightly above those expected a month earlier.

In the Old and Middle belts (Type III), where the September 1 estimate is unchanged from that a month earlier, deterioration resulting from droughty conditions in some areas was offset by improvement in other areas.

Burley tobacco yield prospects improved during the month. Favorable weather along with heavy fertilizer applications and improved practices are expected to result in a record yield per acre. The current yield estimate of 2,100 pounds, if realized, would exceed the previous record 1957 yield by 125 pounds. Production of Burley is estimated at 10,950,000 pounds and is the largest crop since 1954 when 24,384,000 pounds were produced.

Fifteen per cent of all fertilizer used in North Carolina today are granulated, it is estimated.

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ENTERS FEDERAL CLERK'S OFFICE — U. S. Tate, regional attorney for the NAACP, enters Federal Court Clerk's office at Fort Smith, Ark., to file a new petition in the Van Buren, Ark.

school case. The petition asked the court to order the school officials to follow its planned order of integration of the school. (UPI TELEPHOTO).

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17 Counties In Virginia Have No High Schools For Negroes

RICHMOND, Va. — (AP) — The discrimination which thrived under the old "separate but equal" formula in race relations in Virginia and the rest of the South was disclosed last week when a report on the records of the state department of education showed that Vir-

ginia has 17 counties which do not have a high school for Negroes. Four counties have no high schools and no pupils. They are Buchanan, Craig, Highland and Scott.

Thirteen other counties have no high schools for Negroes. They are Bath, Bland, Carroll, Dickenson, Floyd, Frederick, Grayson, Lee, Madison, Rockingham, Shenandoah, Warren and Washington.

In addition, there are many communities within the state which have no high school for Negroes to attend—small towns

and cities where high schools are available for whites only.

West Point is an example. Negro children in West Point have to travel 18 miles in King William county to the Hamilton-Holmes training school for a high school education.

There are several counties in the state where Negro pupils have to go outside the county for high school training. In such counties, the students attend what is called "regional high schools" operated jointly by several counties. In some cases, students attend these schools on a tuition basis.

Real Estate Broker Sued Over A Word

PHILADELPHIA — (AP) — Real estate broker Lenerte Roberts of this city has been named in a \$10,000 damage suit by the National Association of Real Estate Boards and the Philadelphia Board of Realtors for using the designation "realtor."

The suit, brought before U. S. District Court Judge John W. Lord, is certain to reveal discriminatory practices among the realty boards according to speculators. Roberts is represented by Attys. Raymond Pace Alexander and J. Leon Rabben, both of Philadelphia.

Judge Lord, at a preliminary hearing, ordered the Philadelphia board to consider within 30 days Roberts' application for membership. If the application is not acted upon favorably, then the court has already laid the groundwork for Roberts' legal representatives to take depositions and testimony on the question.

Roberts has offices here and in New York and Chicago. He is a member of the New York Real Estate Board.

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Orientation Week At Salisbury

SALISBURY — The week beginning September 15 is being devoted to the orientation of freshmen and new students at Livingstone College.

The initial activity on Monday was a general faculty meeting, a meeting of division chairman, followed by a meeting of senior counselors, who play a very active and vital role in the orientation program.

The events for the week are as follows: Tuesday, September 16 — Orientation lecture, Miss Blanche Jordan, Director of Guidance; A Panel Discussion, "Religious Life of the College Community", Dean F. R. Brown, Rev. W. L. Yates, and Rev. Edgar French; placement tests in English; faculty reception to the freshman and new students.

Wednesday, September 17 — Placement tests in the languages; tryouts for the choral union and dramatic club; fun night in the gymnasium.

Thursday, September 18 — Placement tests in English and aptitude tests; the discussion of the college handbook; illustrated lecture "The Organization and Purpose of the Alumni Association and the Service offered by the Public Relations Department", O. K. Beatty, Alumni-Executive Secretary; Public Relations Director; Library orientation lecture, Miss Louise Roundtree, Assistant Librarian.

Friday, September 19 — Registration of all students; formal opening exercises, 2:30 p. m., Mr. R. W. Sherill, class of '15 is speaker; all college social.

Saturday, September 20 — Registration of all students continued. Sunday, September 21 — Tour of campus for freshmen and new students; all college Communion; Christian Endeavor program.

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