

# STATE NEWS IN DIGEST

Miss Essie Upchurch, daughter of W. A. Upchurch, prominent farmer of the Zebulon section, was shot and almost instantly killed by her uncle, C. L. Cotton, last Saturday night. Cotton was captured and awaits trial under \$1,000 bond.

St. Marys Institute at Raleigh has started a Nation-wide campaign to raise \$100,000 for an endowment and building fund.

Prohibition Director R. A. Kohless has issued instructions to revenue men in North Carolina to use every means to capture liquor runners, but "do not shoot." Much criticism has been directed at the enforcement officers for the use of guns in attempted captures of liquor violators.

The official dedication of the new Johnston County courthouse was held at Smithfield Tuesday. Several county officers made addresses during the day's exercises.

Sharpe Roberts, a former member of the Piedmont baseball league, was stabbed in the back at the championship game between High Point and Durham last Saturday. Little hope for his recovery is entertained by attending physicians.

The New Bern District Fair opened Tuesday. The city was all dressed up for the annual occasion and more people attended on opening day than at any previous fair.

Judge Jno. H. Kerr, who was honor guest at a meeting of the Elizabeth City Rotary Club last Friday night, was presented by local speakers as the next Governor of North Carolina.

The handsome new Methodist church at Elizabeth City was formally dedicated last Sunday morning.

Seven hundred first-year men are expected to enroll at the State University this fall.

More than 600 heroes of the Sixties are sojourning in Asheville this week, celebrating the annual reunion of North Carolina Confederate Veterans.

W. R. Neel, State Highway Engineer for the State of Georgia, spent two days in North Carolina last week, inspecting the road building being done in this State. He thinks North Carolina has set the pace for road building, and was highly impressed by the program of work undertaken by the Highway Commission.

James A. Lockhart, recently elected Commander of the North Carolina American Legion, in a speech at Charlotte last Thursday night, bitterly assailed President Harding for his disapproval of the bonus bill.

E. E. Britton, Washington correspondent of the Raleigh News and Observer, has been selected as publicity director of the National Democratic Senatorial Committee.

Enactment of a mothers' pension law and the abolition of the criminal insane department of the State Prison will be advocated before the 1923 session of the General Assembly as a consequence of resolutions adopted by the North Carolina Orphan Association at its concluding session in Raleigh last Friday.

Farm exhibits are to feature the annual North Carolina State Fair which opens October 16th. "The Rising Sun of Agriculture" is the name given to the agricultural exhibits planned for the Fair.

The post graduate course given by the University Extension Service for the benefit of physicians of the State has closed. More than 200 leading physicians of the State took advantage of the special work.

So many new students have entered Davidson College for the current session that accommodations are not available. More than 600 have enrolled to date.

Reports from all high schools in the State tell of inadequate buildings and lack of instructors to care for the large number of pupils entering. Educational leaders see in the revival of interest in schooling an urgent need for improvement in the physical school plants.

A million dollar hotel is being planned by a citizens committee at Asheville. A million dollar bond issue is also in prospect for the erection of an impending reservoir on the city's watershed, to care for increased demand for water.

Trains Nos. 45 and 46, Southern Railway, operating between Danville, Va., and Westminister, S. C., were restored to regular runs Sunday.

Senator Mendenhall of Guilford County has framed a tentative bill which will be presented to the 1923 session of the General Assembly, and asking that at least \$100,000 be appropriated for the promotion of a State Chamber of Commerce. The appropriation will be used to advertise North Carolina.

B. J. Ashley, Chowan County farmer, is being held under a \$500 bond for violating the Federal Mann

Act. It is charged that he brought a woman from New York City down to his home near Edenton, where she spent two weeks.

A Ku Klux Klan organizer and national representative made a speech to Henderson people last Wednesday night. The meeting was held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms and more than 750 persons attended.

Highway Commissioner Frank Page is engaged in a series of conferences with Colonel W. L. Bolq, disbursing officer for surplus war materials, looking to the turning over to the Highway Commission of \$25,000,000 worth of unused army equipment. The articles include anything from a knife and fork up to complete refrigerating and heating plants for large institutions at no cost other than the freight.

Plans for a Mardi Gras celebration for Raleigh, with all the New Orleans trimmings, have been announced and endorsed by members of the Raleigh Merchants Association. The event will begin November 8 and two days will be devoted to street parades, winding up on Armistice Day with the biggest celebration.

Heavy breaks have been in progress at the Kinston auction tobacco warehouses during the last few days. Warehousemen and buyers have advised farmers to hold up temporarily for fear the price may break.

The Surry County Democratic Convention met last Saturday and inaugurated a campaign of reform of county affairs.

There will be no price fixing of coal, says R. O. Self, State Fuel Administrator. No attempt will be made to regulate the price until the mine price has become stabilized.

Rapid improvement in industrial conditions since the settlement of the railroad strike is reported in the weekly report of the State Employment Service just given out by M. L. Shipman. The report indicated a surplus of 97 in requests for help over the registration of jobs during the preceding seven days.

Kinston's new mayor, Mills M. Harper, has partially fulfilled his pledge to put the city administration on a business basis. The new tax rate just fixed is seventeen cents on the one hundred dollars valuation less than the former rate.

Many cattle entries from all sections of the State have already been received by Manager E. V. Walborn of the North Carolina State Fair.

Senator Simmons has left Washington for his home in Craven county. He will spend several weeks in Eastern Carolina seeking to recuperate from the effects of the strenuous work in connection with the special session of Congress.

The Southern Railway has added a number of new employees to its shops at Spencer since the end of the shophmen's strike. The heavy demand for cars and engines has made the increased force necessary.

Governors Harvey and Morrison of South and North Carolina, respectively, made speeches at Charlotte, upon the occasion of the formal opening of the Carolinas Exposition Monday morning.

## RECEIVING AGENT IS NAMED FOR HERTFORD

A. T. Newsome of Winton Will Handle Cooperative Association Cotton

B. F. Tennile, field agent for Hertford and Northampton counties, was in Ahoskie Tuesday making arrangements for the reception of the 1922 cotton belonging to members of the North Carolina Cotton Growers Association. He announced that A. T. Newsome of Winton will handle the Association cotton in this county.

Mr. Newsome will be in Ahoskie two days each week, Wednesday and Saturday. He has arranged a weekly schedule in order that the farmers may know at what point to carry their cotton. The schedule is as follows: Ahoskie, Wednesday and Saturday; Cofield, Tuesday and Friday; Murfreesboro, Thursday afternoon; Como Thursday morning; Winton, Monday morning; Harrellesville, Monday afternoon.

These days are subject to change, if cotton farmers prefer different schedules. Mr. Newsome requests to advise him of any desired change.

An advance of \$50 will be made on each bale of Association cotton delivered to the receiving agent.

## FORD RUNS WILD

A Ford automobile did the shimmy Monday night as it turned the corner at Main and Railroad streets. Before the "spell" had spent itself the side of E. J. Gerock's brick store was forcibly introduced to the front of the car. Lee Taylor, colored, and two women companions were in the car when it failed to take the curve. One of the women was driving. Neither was hurt, although the radiator was badly battered up, a tire burst and lights smashed.

## TUNIS ITEMS

The hum of both mills are encouraging. Sounds like prosperity.

A good many people went from here to Barfield Sunday to the baptizing, thence to Hoey Spring Church for services.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. E. F. Kirby continues very ill.

On account of contagious diseases our community school has been postponed for this week at least.

Mrs. D. F. Eure took a flying trip yesterday to Suffolk to do some shopping.

Mr. C. A. Dickerson left yesterday for Chapel Hill to enter College. We will miss him here.

A series of meetings will begin here Monday night conducted by Rev. Saunders of Winton.

Filmore Bowen, a deaf and dumb mute, was seriously hurt in the heading mill recently on account of a pulley bursting and striking him.

J. R. Wilder, wife, son and Misses Jessie Lassiter, Maggie Peele, enroute to Harrellesville to attend the meeting at that place Friday night, on account of low water could not cross the ferry with the car, so they drove back to Mr. Whitley's left the car and took it on foot. They would not be defeated, they made the trip just the same, heard a big sermon, felt amply repaid for the muddy walk down the causeway. Mr. L. Dickerson and family and Mr. Robt. W. Peele also went the same night and luckily they drove via Thomas' Bridge and Pitch Landing and thus avoided the creek ferry.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. King has moved across the railroad to what is known as the Section Hill. Mrs. B. G. Teabout has returned home after paying a visit to relatives at and near Franklin, Va.

Mr. J. R. Wilder will conduct prayer services Sunday night. He has announced his subject as being "Preparation." The public is invited to attend.

Mr. Grant Dickerson and Mr. R. W. Peele were Suffolk visitors Monday.

Miss Grant Dickerson, B. F. Parks and J. W. Taylor motored to Ahoskie Monday night.

Mrs. James Eure of Winton was in town Sunday.

Mr. Henry Lillin and family have moved to Main street.

A large crowd attended the box party Saturday night at Mr. Dickerson's. It proved a success like everything that Mrs. Dickerson superintends.

Mrs. Mattie Taylor and daughter spent the afternoon with Mrs. J. W. Taylor on their way home from Rocky Mount where they had been to visit relatives in that city.

Cool nights and river breezes make quilts and blankets acceptable.

Several of our town folks took in the show at Ahoskie Wednesday.

## Report of the Condition of the BANK OF WINTON

At Winton in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, September 15, 1922.

| RESOURCES               |                     |
|-------------------------|---------------------|
| Loans and discounts     | \$ 88,818.60        |
| Demand Loans            | 750.00              |
| Overdrafts, secured,    |                     |
| \$10.89; unsecured,     | 67.09               |
| \$56.20                 |                     |
| Banking houses,         |                     |
| \$2,020.07; furniture   |                     |
| and fixtures \$1,844.62 | 3,864.69            |
| Cash in vault and net   |                     |
| amounts due from        |                     |
| Banks, Bankers, and     |                     |
| Trust Companies         | 6,033.31            |
| Cash items held over 24 |                     |
| hours                   | 56.20               |
| Checks for clearing     | 496.64              |
| <b>TOTAL</b>            | <b>\$100,086.53</b> |

| LIABILITIES               |                     |
|---------------------------|---------------------|
| Capital stock paid in     | \$ 9,600.00         |
| Surplus fund              | 4,000.00            |
| Undivided profits, less   |                     |
| current expenses and      |                     |
| taxes paid                | 3,408.45            |
| Dividends unpaid          | 4.00                |
| Notes and bills           |                     |
| rediscounted              | 10,000.00           |
| Deposits subject to check | 44,883.06           |
| Demand certificates of    |                     |
| deposit                   | 7,326.37            |
| Cashier's Checks          |                     |
| outstanding               | 162.30              |
| Certified checks          | 34.00               |
| Savings deposits          | 20,668.35           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>              | <b>\$100,086.53</b> |

State of North Carolina—County of Hertford: September 26th, 1922.

I, T. M. Condon, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

T. M. CONDON, Cashier.  
Correct—Attest: E. L. BANKS,  
W. B. POLLARD,  
T. V. JENKINS,  
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 26th day of September, 1922.  
W. A. SYKES, Notary Public.

## TIME TO ENLARGE AHOSKIE SCHOOL PLANT

Around 500 boys and girls graduated from the high schools of North Carolina last year. According to a census taken by our State University 3,760 desired to enter college. We don't how many have done so, but it is safe to say that at least 2,500 have. That is 50 per cent of the number of graduates. This one fact is sufficient to prove to the public that education is a safe investment and that our high schools are today the richest resources of our state, notwithstanding the fact that we lead all other states in the variety of wealth producing assets. This year the news of crowded school buildings everywhere comes through the press and Ahoskie is among the number. The time has come for us to enlarge our school.

At present we have enrolled 322 with 33 pupils outside of the district, and more have asked admission. Let us begin at once to plan to enlarge our district and then enlarge our school accommodations, and erect a building costing \$45,000. We need such a building here, and it must come, unless we shut the door in the face of some son or daughter who knocks at our school claiming only a right to partake of that heritage which is lawfully theirs—education. Some will say there is too much opposition to such a step in Ahoskie. Let us not for once be contented to ease our conscience and swell our purses at the expense of blighting the life of some boy or girl through denying them the privilege of an education. In the Tarboro bond election only three votes were cast against the issue while 120 were cast for it. This is only an instance cited, I could name others. Other towns are finding themselves a little improved from the great financial depression, and are taking steps at once to invest in their greatest asset—boys and girls. Shall Ahoskie do less?

K. T. RAYNOR.

The community club furnishes a place of recreation for the home folks and also helps to work out the community problems. Ask your county agent to help organize one in your community.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

NORTH CAROLINA—Hertford Co. Having qualified as administrator of the estate of E. W. Waters, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate, to present them properly verified to the undersigned administrator, on or before the first day of September, 1923, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 1st day of September, 1922.  
A. C. WATERS, Administrator,  
of the Estate of E. W. Waters,  
Powellsville, N. C.  
Craig & Fritchett, Attorneys 9-1-22.

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## SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST

Pursuant to the provisions of a deed of trust executed by J. B. Whitley and wife Annie C. Whitley to D. C. Barnes, Trustee on the fifth day of September, 1919, and registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hertford county, in book 65, page 30, default having been made in the payment of the note therein set forth and at the request of the holder thereof, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash, in the town of Murfreesboro, N. C., in front of the Postoffice, on the 25th day of September, 1922, at 11 o'clock a. m., the following property:

That tract of land situate in Maney's Neck Township, Hertford County, North Carolina, and being the land conveyed to the said J. B. Whitley by E. G. Sears and F. M. Sears by deed duly of record in the Register's Office of Hertford County, and bounded on the North by the lands of D. C. Barnes and W. C. Ferguson, on the east by J. B. Whitley's Camp place, on the South by Meherrin river and on the West by D. C. Barnes—containing five hundred acres more or less. Conveyed by the said J. B. Whitley and wife Annie C. Whitley to satisfy the debt and interest for in said deed of trust.

This 24th day of August, 1922.  
D. C. BARNES, Trustee.  
9-2-22-4t.

North Carolina—Hertford County. In the Superior Court

Kelly Jenkins and Berta Jenkins vs.

Adele Caldwell and husband, L. C. Caldwell, and Theo Hedgspeth, Ha Hedgspeth, Collin Hedgspeth and Myrick Hedgspeth, minors.

## NOTICE

The defendants above named, except Collin Hedgspeth, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Hertford County, North Carolina to partition the "Richard Jenkins tract of land" in Murfreesboro Township, said county and state, which land is now owned by the plaintiffs and defendants as tenants-in-common; and the said defendants are further to take notice that they are required to appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Hertford County at his office in the courthouse in the town of Winton, N. C. on the 14th day of October, 1922 and answer or demur to the complaint filed in this action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This September 18th, 1922.  
D. R. MCGLOHON,  
Clerk of the Superior Court.  
STANLEY WINBORNE, Attorney for Plaintiff. 9-22-4t.

## Keep Your Sink Drains Clear

Here is the best insurance against clogged drains and stopped-up pipes.

If the sink drain becomes clogged or runs too slowly, sift a little Red Seal Lye down the pipe. The lye will immediately combine with the grease in the pipes. Then when water is added you will hear the cheerful "gurgle" in the trap and know that the drain is free and the pipes clean and sanitary.

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Be sure and ask your dealer for the old reliable granulated Red Seal Lye and take no substitute. Send us a postal for the Red Seal Booklet which describes all the uses of this famous product. Write today.



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The Woman's Tonic

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