

STATE NEWS IN DIGEST

Despite the \$300,000 fire loss for December in North Carolina, the total loss in the State for the year 1922 will not greatly exceed the \$7,463,207 loss of 1921, according to the advance report of Insurance Commissioner Stacey W. Wade.

In the most disastrous fire that has occurred at Brevard in several years twenty-seven mules were burned to death and twelve automobiles were lost, together with equipment, accessories and supplies, last Thursday. The loss is estimated at \$70,000.

The second trial of O. G. (Red) Thomas, Charlotte automobile salesman, for the killing of A. J. Allen, master plumber of Concord in Kannapolis on the night of October 25, 1921, will be tried in Salisbury at the February term of superior court.

Opening what is pronounced as one of the finest iron ore deposits in the South, Heaton & Mehaffey, of Murphy, are installing equipment to handle 200 tons of ore per day and it has been estimated that this rate the deposit will produce for the next ten years.

A total of \$10,073,000 of North Carolina bonds were last Thursday sold to a syndicate of New York and North Carolina banks and bond buyers represented by B. J. Van Ingen Co., at 4 1-2 per cent with a ninety day option on the remaining \$10,000,000 for sale by the State at par. A batch of \$1,700,000 school bonds brought a premium of \$1,000.

Col. J. Bryan Grimes, North Carolina Secretary of State since 1900, died last Thursday evening at his Raleigh home, following a brief illness of pneumonia. Although fifty-four years of age when he died, he was at the time of his first election to the office twenty-three years ago, the youngest man heading any of the principal State Departments. W. N. Everett, representative from Richmond County, has been appointed Colonel Bryan's successor, and has accepted the appointment.

With thirty-five North Carolina counties and one other outside state represented in the registration of students, the winter course in agriculture at the State College is now under way.

Water power developments in North Carolina will be materially stimulated by studies which the State geological and economic survey, in conjunction with the State University's school of engineering, has begun and which it plans to carry steadily forward to conclusion.

Decision in the Southern Power Company rate fixing case, one of the most important now pending, is expected at the next session of the state supreme court in February. The case was carried into the courts by a number of manufacturing plants supplied with current by the electric company a large amount of money through the increase in rates granted by the corporation commission is involved.

Hugh E. Morris, young Vanceboro white man, was instantly killed and his body badly mangled when a boiler exploded at his father's saw mill two miles from Vanceboro on the Washington road. A brother of the man who was standing six or eight feet away was slightly injured when struck with a piece of iron.

Owing to declining health, Joseph L. Sewell has resigned as clerk of the North Carolina Supreme court, and the court, in session, Friday elected Edward C. Sewell, his son, who has acted as assistant for the last eight years, as his successor. He was elected for a term of eight years.

State efforts met in High Point last week, and besides attending to business of their own, and listening to members of their own fraternity talk on shop matters, they heard Joseph William Bailey and K. J. Elwood Cox, both prominent in state politics, make addresses. The editors were given a great entertainment program by the High Pointers, and Thomasville.

"Hush, you dishearten me, you make me think I haven't done my duty," said Beatrice Smith, young white woman, when policemen, trying to comfort her after she shot her former husband, Phil Kidd. She had just been told she had not wounded him seriously, and was disappointed.

The Tidewater Power Company's (Wilmington) new transmission line will probably be furnishing power on a wholesale scale to the towns of Burgaw, Wallace, Rose Hill, Faison and Clinton, according to recent announcement made by the manager of the company.

The wife of W. R. Lee of Roper who was recently burned to death in a Elizabeth City fire has informed the undertaker who has the body in charge that she did not want the corpse. However, she did want to

collect the \$1,000 insurance her husband had.

G. A. Cardwell, agricultural industrial agent, stated in Goldsboro last week that he expected the strawberry crop in that section to reach 1,800 cars, or nearly a third more than the 1,350 cars last year that netted the farmers of that section more than a million and half dollars.

Proposed legislation authorizing Durham county commissioners to appropriate \$5,000 for the erection of a Confederate monument on the court house lawn in Durham, submitted to a mass meeting in the court house resolved itself into a debate over the amount of money to be expended. General Julian S. Carr said there should not be less than \$1,500 authorized for its erection, and said he would ask the legislature to appropriate that amount from the county treasury.

With a sixty-five thousand increase in acreage and a 59,490,000 pound increase in production, the 1922 tobacco crop outstripped in value the 1921 crop by \$27,366,000, according to figures compiled by Frank Parker, Agricultural statistician.

Petersburg will take over the Newport News baseball franchise in the Virginia League and thus complete the circuit. Dave Robertson will manage the Richmond team, and Rube Oldring, last year's manager of the Richmond bunch, will succeed Bunny Hearne as manager of the Wilson team, while Hearne will be retained as one of the pitchers.

Work has already begun on the new negro settlement at New Bern, to replace the one recently destroyed by fire.

Fourteen death from influenza and pneumonia have been reported in the City of Raleigh since the first of the year, according to statistics given out by the city's registrar of births and deaths.

Members of Dunn's Chamber of Commerce met one day last week, and with sad faces, for it was thought the civic organization was doomed for the graveyard, according to writers from that town. The chamber owed money and had only unredeemed pledges with which to pay, and its old officers were resigning to go into other work. Before the meeting had progressed far, some of the members volunteered to make donations, and the movement gained such impetus that soon enough funds were promised by business men to carry on the work for another year. The result was a rejuvenated chamber of commerce with bright prospects for a greater work than ever before.

Bankers of Halifax county met at Weldon on Monday and formed a county bankers' association, electing W. E. Daniel, president of the Bank of Weldon, chairman, and Norfleet S. Smith, county treasurer as secretary.

The Ku Klux Klan received its first recognition in court at Wilmington Monday when L. Clayton Grant, counsel for a negro charged with transporting liquor, asked each member of the jury if he was a member of the Klan. There were no verbal answers to the attorney's questions, although one member arose from his seat and left the box.

With buyers attending from all parts of the United States, the Southern Furniture exposition opened at High Point Monday with the promise of being the best show in the history of the southern market. Nearly one hundred buyers arrived the first day.

Agitation has been started in Greensboro for a change in the form of city government from the city-manager-council back to the three commissioner commission form, with the circulation of petition asking for an election to change the charter of the city in order to change back. Two of the former mayors under the commission form are working the petitions.

A letter from Dr. J. W. Peacock, formerly of Thomasville, states that he is in Florida, and asks that his fixtures be sent him, as he expects to practice medicine there. He has recently been declared sane in the State of Florida. He was sentenced to a lifetime in the North Carolina Insane Asylum after being convicted of the brutal murder of a Thomasville man. He escaped from the Asylum several months ago. Efforts will be made to bring him back to this State.

The Grand Lodge of North Carolina A. F. and A. M. convened in the Masonic Temple at Raleigh Tuesday night and heard Grand Master James I. Webb, of Hillsboro, deliver his annual address, and listen to other communications, in its 136th anniversary.

A fight in earnest for the continuance of the present co-operation between the county, city, and State for the maintenance of the Wayne county health department has been begun by eight leading citizens who have signed a letter and sent it to hundreds of citizens throughout the county, advising them that they had investigated the present system and found it to be economical and efficient.

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Notice of Sale Under Deed of Trust

Pursuant to and by virtue of the power and authority conferred upon me by three certain deeds of trust executed by W. H. Manly and Mary Jane Manly, all of said deeds of trust being duly of record in the Register of Deeds office of Hertford County, default having been made in the payment of certain indebtedness set out in said deeds of trust, and having been requested by the legal holder of said indebtedness to advertise and sell the land and other property set out in said deeds of trust as therein provided, I shall on **SATURDAY**, the 17th day of **FEBRUARY**, 1923, at the Courthouse door in Winton, N. C., sell at public auction, to the highest bidder the following described land, to-wit:

1st tract: Lying and being in Winton township; beginning on the North at a corner on the path that leads to the turnpike, thence along said path to the corner of Knox line, thence along said Knox line to a ditch, being a corner in the line of George W. Mitchell, said ditch being the line, thence in an Eastwardly direction along the line of Mrs. Perry to Carter line, a corner, and to a path leading over Browns Mill, and thence back to first station in public path. Containing **ONE HUNDRED ACRES MORE OR LESS**.

2nd Tract: Known as the Francis Hall tract, adjoining the lands of J. L. Anderson heirs, Ames A. Hall and Joseph Hoggard heirs. Containing six acres more or less.

3rd Tract: Bounded on the East by Cofield Manufacturing Co., on the North by W. R. Manly land, on the West by the lands of J. H. Jenkins, on the South by the lands of Katherine Hall heirs. Containing **TWO HUNDRED ACRES** more or less. This being the home place of W. H. Manly.

All of the above described land lies in one body and now consists of but one tract of land containing **THREE HUNDRED ACRES** more or less.

4th Tract: A certain tract of land in Winton township adjoining the lands of J. H. Jenkins, Catherine Hall heirs, Pauline Pugh and others, and containing **THIRTY** acres more or less. This tract of land is known as the Miles Melton land.

The following personal property: Three young mules, one bay mare, two open buggies, one top buggy and set of buggy harness, one two-horse wagon, one black and white spotted ox, one jersey cow, one body cart and wheels, one log wagon bunk and rear wheels complete.

Time of sale—Between the hours of 12 o'clock m. and 2 o'clock, p. m.

Terms of sale—For personal property—Cash.

Terms of sale—For all the above described land—**ONE THIRD CASH**, **ONE THIRD** January 1, 1924, **ONE THIRD** January 1, 1925, the deferred payments to be secured by first deed of trust on the lands.

The above described lands are well-timbered, having a nice lot of pine and oak timber standing upon them.

This the 15 day of January, 1923.
C. W. JONES,
Trustee.

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BANK OF WINTON, TREASURER In Account With Hertford County

ALL FUNDS

1922.		
Dec. 1.	Balance forwarded	\$19,377.12
	Error	31.19
Dec. 5.	F. G. Tayloe, sale of cow	38.01
	B. N. Sykes	8.13
Dec. 15.	J. C. Carter, estate	74.20
	B. Scull, corporation tax, 1922	2,540.5
	B. Scull, corporation tax, 1922	5,136.50
	W. L. Matthews, Tax Collector, (delinquent)	6.91
	W. L. Matthews, Tax Collector, 1922	3,190.75
	S. E. Vaughan, tax collector, 1922	3,009.33
	T. T. Parker, tax collector, 1922	1,500.00
	W. J. Hill, Tax Collector, 1922	2,969.7
	W. H. Vinson, Tax Collector, 1922	1,945.63
	J. L. Smith, Tax Collector, 1922	8,787.25
	N. W. Britton, Superintendent	40.00
	N. W. Britton, Superintendent	15.00
	N. W. Britton, Superintendent	302.00
	Proceeds from bonds, note number 11	10,000.00
	D. R. McGlohon, C. S. C.	283.38
	D. R. McGlohon, C. S. C.	156.75
	W. L. Matthews	100.00
	State (for schools)	2,000.00
	B. Scull's corporation tax 1922	27.65
Dec. 28.	D. R. McGlohon, C. S. C.	10.00

TOTAL \$61,550.10
Amount forwarded \$61,550.10
Interest daily balances, November 54.05

CREDITS

Dec. 30.	Road vouchers paid	\$12,890.83
	Murfreesboro Baptist Church	6,000.00
	Jury tickets	5.30
	County vouchers	3,108.27
	School vouchers	9,903.07
	Balance due all funds	28,644.05
	Interest coupons paid	1,052.63

TOTAL \$61,604.15

GENERAL COUNTY FUND

Dec. 1.	Balance forwarded	\$2,599.47
Dec. 5.	F. G. Tayloe, (sale cow)	38.00
	Refund special school taxes by County	8.63
	J. C. Carter, estate	37.64
	B. Scull, Corporation Tax, 1922	2,249.91
	B. Scull, corporation tax, error	.51
	W. L. Matthews, (delinquent)	3.85
	From tax collectors, 1922	3,084.43
	From D. R. McGlohon, C. S. C.	283.3
	From W. L. Matthews, 1921	100.00
	From B. Scull Corporation Tax, 1922	5.66
	From D. R. McGlohon, C. S. C.	10.00
	From interest daily balances, November	32.32

TOTAL \$8,453.90

Dec. 1.	Winton, Sup. list, 1921	\$ 550.98
	1 per cent allowed tax payers	30.85
Dec. 30.	Jury tickets paid	5.30
	County checks paid	3,108.27
	Balance due	4,758.50

TOTAL \$8,453.90

HERTFORD COUNTY IN ACCOUNT WITH SCHOOL FUNDS

Dec. 1.	Balance forwarded	\$14,236.01
	Error in last report	31.19
	Winton supplemental list, 1921, net	350.47
	J. C. Carter, estate, net	15.37
	B. Scull, corporation tax, 1922	3,443.67
	W. L. Matthews, delinquent	2.05
	From tax collectors, 1922 tax	13,734.11
	From N. W. Britton, Superintendent	40.00
	From N. W. Britton, Superintendent	15.00
	From N. W. Britton, Superintendent	302.00
	From Clerk Superior Court, fines, etc.	156.75
	From State	2,000.00
	From B. Scull	54.72
	From interest November balances	21.72

TOTAL \$34,403.11

Dec. 1.	1 per cent allowed taxpayers	\$ 133.05
	Refunded special district taxes	8.68
Dec. 30.	School vouchers	9,903.07
	Balance due all schools	24,358.31

TOTAL \$24,403.11

HERTFORD COUNTY IN ACCOUNT WITH INTEREST AND SINKING FUND

Dec. 15.	B. Scull, Corporation tax, 1922	\$ 1,655.61
	W. L. Matthews, (delinquent)	1.00
	From Tax Collectors, 1922 taxes	5,126.43
	From Winton supplemental list, 1921, net	160.64
	From B. Scull, Corporation tax	7.14
Dec. 30.	Amount overdrawn	393.64

TOTAL \$7,344.46

Dec. 1.	Amount overdrawn	\$ 240.65
	Interest coupons paid	1,052.63
	Amount to Murfreesboro Baptist church	6,000.00
	1 per cent allowed taxpayers	51.18

TOTAL \$7,344.46

HERTFORD COUNTY IN ACCOUNT WITH ROAD BOND ACCOUNT

Dec. 1.	Balance forwarded	\$ 2,774.30
	B. N. Sykes	8.13
Dec. 13.	Proceeds from Bond Note number 11	10,000.00
Dec. 30.	Amount overdrawn	108.40

TOTAL \$12,890.83

Dec. 30.	Road checks paid	\$12,890.83
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SUMMARY OF ALL ACCOUNTS TO DECEMBER 30, 1922

Amount due all funds by Treasurer	\$28,644.07
Overdraft sinking fund	393.64
Overdraft, bond account	108.4

TOTAL \$29,146.09

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Amount due Schools	\$24,358.31
Amount due State	29.28
Amount due County Fund	4,758.50

TOTAL \$29,146.09

NOTICE OF SALE

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA—County of Hertford.

By virtue of the powers contained in a certain deed of trust, executed on the 7th day of February, 1922, by Henry Lane and wife Nannie Lane, to W. J. Barnes, Trustee, which deed of trust is duly recorded in the Register of Deeds Office for Hertford County, in book 72 at page 101, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness therein secured, and at the request of the holder of said note, I will on the 15th day of January, 1923, offer for sale, in front of the Post Office in the town of Harrellsville, N. C., to the highest bidder for cash, the following described tract or parcel of land, situate in Harrellsville Township, Hertford County, N. C., described and defined as follows, to-wit: That certain tract or parcel of land adjoining the lands of Ben Jones, J. T. Archer & Bros. and others. Bounded as follows: On the north by the lands of J. T. Archer & Bros., on the east by the lands of J. W. Harrell, on the west by the Sessoms Mill Pond, on the south by the public road leading from Glovers Cross Roads to the old Sessoms Mill. Being the same tract of land that was deeded to Henry Lane by N. F. and Adie Williams, containing eighty-four (84) acres more or less.

This the 26th day of December, 1922.

W. J. BARNES, Trustee.

CARL SESSOMS, Attorney.

Place of sale—Postoffice, Harrellsville, N. C.

Time of sale—January 15, 1923.

Terms—Cash.

NOTICE—VALUABLE FARM AND TIMBER FOR SALE

As directed by the last will and testament of J. H. Pritchard, deceased, of record in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Bertie, in Book "L" of Wills on pages 519 et seq., an offering at private sale the following described tract of land and timber, to-wit—Said tract of land lying and being in Roxobel Township, Bertie county, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of W. P. Tyler, J. J. Jilcott, W. E. Womble and others, and known as the "A. H. Pritchard Home Place," containing three hundred acres, more or less, and being in about two and one-half miles of the town of Roxobel, and about three-fourths of a mile of good school. About one hundred and sixty acres of this tract of land is cleared and in a good state of cultivation and has four good houses in same including the dwelling of the late A. H. Pritchard. This tract of land has at least six hundred thousand feet of original growth pine, not more than two and one-half or three miles from the Seaboard Air Line Railway and the Atlantic Coast Line Railway, will sell the farm or separate.

Possession given the first day of January, 1923.

Those wanting to see the land or timber see the undersigned at Roxobel, N. C.

E. R. TYLER,

Executor of J. H. Pritchard.

If Kidneys Act Bad Take Salts

Says Backache often means you have been eating too much meat.

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it may mean you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. An excess of meat may form uric acid, which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood, and they become sort of paralyzed and loggy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog, you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels, removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells, your stomach sour, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore, water soured, and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once, or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus often ending bladder weakness.

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