

STATE NEWS IN DIGEST

"The law requires every single person who had in the calendar year a net income of \$1,000 or more, and every married person who had \$2,000 or more, and all corporations whether they had net income or not, to make a return on or before March 15, 1923," said A. D. Watts, Commissioner of Revenue, one day this week, in a statement setting forth the provisions of the income tax law. "Net income is gross income, less the deductions, but before the personal exemption is taken off."

A new high record for payment made to tobacco growers in North Carolina and Virginia was established Monday when thousands of members of the Tobacco Growers Cooperative Association in the two states doubled their money in fifty-four towns of the old belt and carried to their homes the best part of 7 million dollars in cash.

North Carolina has 19th place in number of automobiles according to figures just made public by the B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company. The North Carolina figures for 1922 were 182,067, against 162,990 for last year, an increase of 29.077 or 19 per cent.

According to announcement made by Rev. W. A. Ayers the donation of \$50,000 offered by the city of New Bern and Craven county for the location of the Junior Baptist College in New Bern has been refused. What effect, if any, it will have on the location of the college is not known. Baptists says it is against policy of that denomination to accept money from taxpayers in any project undertaken by them.

Curtailment of power to mills and other plants by it in North and South Carolina was resumed Wednesday by the Southern Power Company. The power has been slowed up on account of lack of rainfall.

Fourteen marriages were declared failures in the Guilford County Superior court last Monday. Quick work was made of the divorce actions, and practically the entire day was taken up with them.

No trace has been found of H. A. Grissom, a prominent druggist of Greensboro, whose automobile has been found in a creek near Jacksonville, Fla. Mr. Grissom and wife and child had been to Florida for a few days, making the trip by automobile. His wife and child returned on the train on account of illness and he was supposed to return by car. His car was found overturned in a creek in Florida, and no trace of him has been found. The creek has been dynamited.

No decision has yet been made on whether Dr. J. W. Peacock, escaped from the criminal insane department of the North Carolina State Prison, will be brought back to this state from Florida. Gov. Hardee of Florida will have a hearing the matter one day this week. Dr. Peacock is reported to have stated that he believed he would come back here and gain his full freedom, and return to Florida for the practice of his medical profession.

The Franklin, (N. C.) Board of Trade has taken action repudiating the bill of their representative J. Frank Ray to repeal the law requiring medical examination for tuberculosis and venereal diseases before marriage license can be issued. The trade body says the representative's attitude in this matter is not that of his fellow countymen.

Farming operations on a 3,000-acre scale will be resumed at the old Caledonia farm by the State Prison this year as a solution of the problem of what to do with 5,100 acres of land acquired last week under foreclosure sale when purchasers of the Halifax County land were unable to meet the payments due on it. Farming the re-acquired property will not in any way affect operations on the State's other farm near Raleigh.

Elon College, the denominational college in the South of the Christian church, suffered a \$160,000 fire last Thursday, when the administration building, the largest of the college group, was totally destroyed, together with the library and other valuable articles. Work is not interrupted.

Captain George Leonidas Cathey, Confederate veteran and holder of the unique record of seventy-five years as a school teacher, died at old Soldier's Home in Raleigh last week. Approximately \$5,000,000 will be expended in Asheville and Buncombe county for highways, street and water improvements, schools and private enterprises during 1923, according to figures compiled last week.

The North Carolina Merchants Association will meet in Raleigh Jan-

uary 25, according to announcement by its secretary.

Dr. Hubert M. Poteat, of Wake Forest, was inducted into office as Grand Master of Masons of North Carolina last Thursday morning at the conclusion of the 136th annual convention of the Grand Lodge.

"The North Carolina Child Welfare Commission felt that statements implying that this state had an inadequate child labor law and that such law as we have is being poorly administered were most unjust and that a presentation was due the people of North Carolina," said Mrs. Kate Burr Johnson, last week, upon her return from Washington where she appeared before the sub-committee of the Judiciary Committee of the Senate now holding hearings on the proposed child labor amendment to the Constitution. The North Carolina law won favorable comment from members of the committee hearing the reports.

"I have just begun to fight," says Representative William D. Upshaw of Georgia. He made this statement in connection with his fight against the violation of the prohibition laws by officials at Washington.

All of the moving picture houses at Asheville ceased operation for one minute one night last week, in honor of Wallace Reid, movie screen star, who died at a Los Angeles sanatorium last week.

Carl Talley, of Spray, was found guilty of second degree murder in the Guilford county superior court last week and sentenced to fifteen years in the state prison. He was tried for the murder of Policeman McCuiston of Greensboro in May, 1921.

The stockholders of the Raleigh Building and Loan Association have authorized and directed the directors of the association to organize a holding company, common stock of which will be held by the stockholders of the association, for the purpose of erecting an eleven-story office building at the corner of Fayetteville and Exchange streets, recently acquired by the association.

Senator F. M. Simmons and Colonel A. D. Watts made a special trip to Asheville last Sunday to visit their friend and political comrade, former Governor Locke Craig who has been very ill for some time. Mr. Craig is preparing to leave for Florida in the interest of his health.

Members of the North Carolina Ice Cream Manufacturer's Association, who met in Raleigh January 23 and 24 for the fifth annual convention of the association represents a comparatively new industry, with an investment of approximately three million dollars.

The Wayne county superior court figuratively and actually took off the old and put on the new when it was convened in Goldsboro Tuesday by Judge J. Lloyd Horton, one of the youngest jurists in the State, succeeding Judge Oliver Allen, who was one of the oldest jurists in point of service. Judge Horton is barely 30 years old, while Judge Allen had been on the bench practically that many years when he retired.

Fire, the origin of which is still unknown, totally destroyed the fine Trinity Methodist church at Durham last Sunday morning. The damage is estimated at \$125,000. It was one of the finest church edifices in the State. It will be rebuilt, according to members of the church who are already making preparations for the new building.

COMB SAGE TEA INTO GRAY HAIR

Darkens Beautifully and Restores Its Natural Color and Lustre At Once

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea, with sulphur and alcohol added, will turn gray, streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and luxuriant. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get the ready-to-use preparation improved by the addition of other ingredients in a large bottle, at little cost, at drug stores, known as "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," thus avoiding a lot of muss.

While gray, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, no one can tell, because it does it so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning all gray hairs have disappeared. After another application or two your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant and you appear years younger.



MURFREESBORO NEWS

Weekly Quotation
Now there ain't no use of whinin',
Weightin' joy with lead;
There is silver in the linin'
Somewhere on ahead.
—Joseph Morris.

Looked Like Spring
Sunday was a lovely (aggressive) expression of spring. Besides the glory of the day, there were other refreshing signs—the sassafras leaflets, the hazel tags, the buds of the spires, and one noticed, in sunny exposures, daffodils half opened.

Entertained Teachers
On Thursday, 18th, Mrs. L. J. Lawrence entertained at her home from 4 to 6 p. m. in honor of the college teachers.

The hostess served chicken salad; saltines, hot chocolate and fruit cake and her guests were: Misses Sarah Hughes White, Della Latham, Mattie Macon Norman, Fannie White, Caroline Lane, Mrs. G. N. Harrell and Mrs. W. A. McGlohon.

Host To Aid Society
The Aid Society of the Baptist Church was entertained Monday afternoon by Mrs. Elmo Parker. A feature of the business session was the appointment of a committee to buy the carpet for the new church. During the social hour, Mrs. Parker served candy and fruit.

Epworth League Meets
Friday evening, January 19th, the Epworth League held its regular monthly business meeting in the home of Mrs. L. C. Larkin. A large number being present. The League was divided into two groups, and the President named one side "white" and appointed Frances Evans leader, the other side, "Gold", with Virginia Ferguson leader. In a contest, the "Whites" being the losers, were given the privilege of entertaining the "Golds" at the next meeting. Following the discussion of business the members were invited to remain for a little informal social which consisted of cornet music by Mr. Larkin, piano selections by Mrs. Larkin, recitation, "Seeing Things" by John A. Parker; recitation, "Our Hired Girl", Frances Evans. Then after interesting games were participated in, the hostess served chocolate candy and fruit.

Reception At Camps
A mid-winter social event that was a pretty large informal affair which was attended by friends from Murfreesboro and Chowan College, was a barbecue given by Mr. Eugene Hines Friday evening, January 19th at the camp at Cofield.

The event was marked by genuine southern hospitality, and the situation and picturesque setting lent the occasion a romantic coloring which is coming to be sadly rare in this present civilization.

The guests were received in a room where an open fireplace glowed with warmth and cheer; where holly and pine were festooned and lanterns hung all-around, and two long tables on which were served barbecue, chicken salad, loaf bread, corn bread, biscuits, pickles, hot chocolate and fruit cake.

After the hospitality was enjoyed, came the real fun, music by an orchestra and dancing and amusing feats by a comedian from Murfreesboro camp. About 50 guests from different points attended the affair.

PERSONAL MENTION
Hon. L. J. Lawrence spent the week-end at his home returning on Monday to Raleigh to resume his legislative duties.

Messrs. E. L. Beale and Eric Norfleet of Jackson were in Murfreesboro Wednesday of last week on business.

Mrs. J. W. Short has returned from Raleigh where she went to be with her son, Howard, whose condition is improved.

Mrs. Ella Pearce and daughter, Miss Grace Pearce, spent the week end in Norfolk with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Payne and children of Raleigh were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Payne and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Payne.

Mrs. Sallie Garris of Portsmouth who is visiting relatives in this county has returned from a short stay with Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Best at Mapleton and is now with her daughter, Mrs. James Brett.

Mr. A. M. Day of Edenton was a recent guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Day, having stopped in Murfreesboro on his return trip from New York.

The Woman's Missionary of the Baptist Church is holding a week of prayer, the first of the meetings, on Monday, was held with Mrs. E. B. Vaughan.

Misses Emma Belle Harris, Josephine Sykes, Margaret Manning, Evelyn Harrison, Mrs. Hunter and Mr. William Harrison were a party from Williamston who were guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Larkin.

Miss Bessie Warren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Warren and Mr. Raymond Vinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Vinson were quietly married at

MENOLA LOCALS

Mrs. Leroy Stephenson of Pendleton is spending sometime with her daughter Mrs. W. Harvey Vinson.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. White and Mrs. Margaret Brown and James Robert Brown visited in the home of Mrs. Ella Jessup Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Griffith of Woodland, spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Dora Vinson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Griffin of Woodland, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Chetty.

Mrs. Leroy Stephenson and children Sidney and Ozella and Miss Emma Gay Stephenson of Pendleton, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Vinson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. H. U. Griffith spent a part of Friday in Aulander.

Mr. J. K. Vinson was in Rich Square Friday having dental work done.

Miss Mariah Benn of Theima, N. C., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Sallie B. Parker.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. Harvey Vinson, on the 19th, a fine girl, Ernestine.

Mr. Will Lassiter and Misses Estelle Beale and Gladys Lassiter of Potocasi, spent a short while in the home of Mrs. E. C. Parker Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Barrett, of Union as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. M. Brown.

Mrs. H. U. Griffith spent Thursday Mrs. Mary Brown and daughter, Miss Deborah, visited Mrs. Sarah Parker of Eagletown Saturday afternoon.

Miss Berta Parker of Mapleton, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Sallie Parker.

Miss Cherry of Wilson has arrived to nurse Mrs. Will Joyner, who is quite sick with pneumonia.

Miss Janie Parker left last Thursday for Rocky Mount to spend several days with Mrs. Joe Edwards.



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the home of the bride's parents, Wednesday, January 17th. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Bryant.

NOTICE OF RE-SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST

Pursuant to the provisions of a deed of trust executed by Mattie L. Sewell and husband T. W. Sewell to the undersigned, Trustee, executed on the first day of January 1919, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hertford County, in book 64, at page 431, default having been made in the payment of the bond secured thereby, and being requested by the holder thereof so to do, and having offered said land for sale under the deed of trust aforesaid, and the same having been sold and upon report of said sale into the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court, and within ten days as provided by law, an up set bid of five per cent having been deposited with the Clerk of said Court, and having been ordered by said Clerk to re-sell the same, I will on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9th, 1923

Between the hours of 11 o'clock and 1 o'clock in front of the Post Office in the town of Murfreesboro, North Carolina, again offer for sale the following real estate:

That tract of land in Murfreesboro Township, Hertford County, North Carolina, and known as the Leonidas Parker, or T. W. Sewell Home Place, which is bounded on the North by the lands of G. M. Blow, on the East by the W. R. Barrett land, being the Allison Parker land, on the South by the Winton and Woodland road and on the West by the lands of T. E. Browne—containing Eighty Acres, more or less.

This sale will start at the up set bid of \$4,200.00 and terms of sale will be cash.

This the 23rd day of January, 1923.

D. C. BARNES, Trustee

1-26-23-2t.

NOTICE

By virtue of the powers contained in a certain deed of trust executed on the 1st day of July, 1915, by W. A. Chavis and wife Mary H. Chavis, to Jno. E. Vann, Trustee, which deed of trust is duly recorded in the Register of deeds office for Hertford County, in Book 51, on page 174. The conditions contained in said deed of trust have not been complied with, the undersigned, Trustee, will therefore, on the 5th day of February, 1923 offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door of Hertford County, the following described real estate, to-wit:

1st. Tract known as the Home tract. Bounded on the East by the lands of J. H. Knight, on the North and West by the lands of the late J. P. Freeman and on the South by the Union and St. Johns road, containing 34 acres more or less.

2. Tract known as the Hayes tract, bounded on the East by the old Beverley farm, on the North by the Union and St. John road, on the West by the lands of J. W. Stion, and on the South by the old Wynns land and C. C. Hoggard, containing 200 acres more or less.

3. Tract known as the Knight tract. Bounded on the North by the lands of C. C. Hoggard, on the East by the lands of Mrs. J. H. Darden, on the South by the lands of Paul E. Jenkins, and on the West by the old Wynns land, containing 65 acres more or less. All of the above lands are situate in St. Johns Township, Hertford County, N. C. This the 20th day of December, 1922.

Large quantity of nice pine timber standing on these lands.

JNO. E. VANN, Trustee.

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