

LOCALS FROM MT. ZION.

Moncure, Rt. 2, Oct. 1.—Rev. R. F. Bumpass, of Raleigh, and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Scarborough, uncles and aunt of the Misses Clegg, spent a few days with them last week. Miss Callie Clegg returned from a two weeks visit to her cousin at Belmont, one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. Carey Griffin spent last Sunday in Jonesboro and Sanford visiting relatives. Messrs Floyd S. Harmon and J. Lee Harmon spent last Sunday afternoon

with their brother in Raleigh. There will be preaching services at Mt. Zion church next Sunday afternoon at three o'clock by the pastor, Rev. J. J. Boone.

Greensboro.—For driving an automobile while intoxicated, for assault with a deadly weapon, for reckless driving and for speeding, J. B. Carver, of Charlotte, a film salesman, had to pay fines and costs amounting to \$707.

The mines of the world employ 3,300,000 men.

NORTH CAROLINA EVENTS.

News in Concise Form For The Busy Reader.

Fayetteville.—John S. Downing has been appointed postmaster here.

Wake Forest.—Up to Wednesday of last week 584 students had been registered in the college here.

Spencer.—Frank Ketchie, engineer has been with the Southern Railroad 45 years. He is now 71.

Thomasville.—Not a death has occurred here since July 29. Thomasville has a whole time nurse.

Rockingham.—The Hannah Pickett cotton mill has awarded the contract to build 24 cottages at the mill village.

New Bern.—A driver of a rum car run his car into Trent river to keep from being arrested. The driver escaped.

Charlotte.—A premature explosion of dynamite at a quarry near Cornelius, killed one white and two negro prisoners.

Carthage.—Moore county is to give a free trip to Chicago to the best judge of pigs at the Sandhill fair, October 30.

Faleigh.—The Presbytery of Fayetteville and the Presbytery of Wilmington have raised over half a million dollars for church purposes this year.

High Point.—J. J. Farriss, editor of the High Point News, died suddenly. Heart failure is the immediate cause. He was 58 years old Friday.

Elizabeth City.—The boll weevil is playing havoc with cotton in Hyde county. Six hundred pounds of seed cotton to the acre will be the maximum.

Asheboro.—Ten thousand people visited the Randolph county fair, which opened last week. It is said to be the best fair in the history of the county.

Carthage.—The Carthage tobacco warehouse opened last week and 226,432 pounds of tobacco were sold the first day at an average price of 23.12 cents a pound.

Greensboro.—F. Clyde Tuttle, who shot Judge Charles A. Jones and who later died, was tried in Guilford Superior court last week for first degree murder. He was acquitted.

Asheville.—In a speech delivered here W. A. Avery, of Hampton Institute, Va., said that college professors and schools boys in the United States were drinking too much liquor.

Greensboro.—J. Elwood Cox, a prominent banker of High Point, has been elected national treasurer of the American Bankers' Association in session last week in Atlantic City.

Henderson.—J. B. Rawls or J. Bynum Reid, charged with having two wives, is being tried here for bigamy and non-support. Fifteen witnesses say he is Rawls and fifteen say he is Reid. The father and three brothers of Reid swear that he is not the son or brother. One wife calls him Reid, the other wife calls him Rawls. Each wife has two children by some man. This same case was tried last spring in Warrenton but was not settled. He was acquitted.

War's Debt Heritage.

Hugh Dalton, the author, delving into war debts, finds that England is still paying for the battle of Waterloo, the charge of the Light Brigade and the relief of Ladysmith in South Africa.

The Napoleonic wars ended over a century ago, and yet, in 1914, Great Britain owed for those wars the approximate sum of \$2,480,000,000 and was paying a billion a year interest on debts of that character. Dalton, using these facts as a basis, concludes that "if historical precedents are followed, the people of 1923 will be paying for Ypres and the Somme."

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of the power contained in a certain mortgage deed executed on the 20th day of August, 1921, by T. C. Daniel and wife, Roxie Daniel; J. M. Daniel, J. L. Daniel and wife, E. M. Daniel, W. E. Boone and wife, Willa Boone, to the Bank of Denton, for the purpose of securing certain indebtedness as evidenced by bonds of even tenure and date, and default having been made in the payment of said bonds and the interest on same, the undersigned Arthur Ross, receiver for the Bank of Denton, will on Monday, the 4th day of November, 1923, at 12 o'clock noon at the court house door in Pittsboro, North Carolina, offer for sale for cash to the highest bidder, the following tract of land, lying and being in Matthews township, Chatham county, N. C., described and defined as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on Rocky river at the mouth of Loves Creek and running with said creek its various courses in a westerly direction 131 poles to W. J. Hackney's line; thence south 22 poles to a stone; thence west 50 poles to a stone; thence west 6 degrees north 53 1-2 poles to the plank road; thence in a southwesterly direction with said plank road 155 1-2 poles to W. G. Adcock's line; thence east 1 1-2 degrees south 104 1-2 poles to a white oak; thence 3 1-2 degrees west 4 1-2 poles to K. L. Teague's corner in W. G. Adcock's line; thence east 3 1-2 degrees south 64 1-2 poles to Dark lands now owned by Wade Barber and others; thence north 148 poles to Rocky river, thence up said river its various courses 92 poles to the beginning, containing 214 acres more or less.

This October 1, 1923. Time of sale 12 o'clock noon. ARTHUR ROSS, Receiver A. C. RAY, Band of Denton, Oct. 25 Attorney Mortgagee.

QUERY DEPARTMENT.

Answers by John

Can you tell me what will kill the odor of goats. Mrs. J. Bennett. Ans.—Kill the goats.

What can I do for hot, tired, itching feet? Eliza, Colon. Ans.—Scratch 'em, Eliza, scratch 'em.

Will you please tell me how to get rid of fleas. Am worried to death with them. Mrs. J. P., Moncure. Ans.—Why, that's simple. Catch the fleas and pour turpentine down their throats. Fleas do not like turpentine.

I suffer from corns and the headache. Tell me what will stop the trouble. J. C., Bynum. Ans.—Why you might join a political party. That will bring on other troubles and you will forget your corns and headache.

After being out late at night my son drinks a lot of water every morning. Do you think late hours causes it. Mrs. C. T., Corinth. Ans.—No. As your town is a prohibition town, and no liquor is sold there, this thirst he has must be caused from lemon extract. That creates thirst.

I am an old lady 62 years young and would like for you to tell me what to do. I am thinking of getting married. I have two sweethearts—one is at the age of 83 and the other 24. Please settle the question. A Real Cumnock Pearl. Ans.—I should say that the Pearl of Cumnock is in a dilemma. If she marries the 83-year-old beau she will soon be a widow. If she marries the young man he'll soon be a widower. If the old man has money marry him. No 62-year-old woman can live long with a 24-year-old man.

PLOW UP COTTON STALKS.

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 1.—The reward for ripping up or plowing under the green cotton stalks immediately after picking cotton and before the plants are killed by frost is an increased cotton crop next year, believes W. Bruce Mabee, who does extension work in boll weevil control for the State College and Department of Agriculture. Mr. Mabee has just returned to Raleigh from his field headquarters at Dunn, N. C., where he worked with the planters in that section this year. His observations, therefore, are based on considerable experience with the weevils out in the fields.

"There are two reasons for plowing under the cotton stalks," says Mr. Mabee. "The first of these is that the practice destroys a large number of young and immature weevils to be found now in the young bolls and squares still remaining on the stalks. Were these weevils permitted to mature and feed they would better withstand the winter than the older generation."

"The second reason is that plowing under the stalks removes the weevils' food thus making a longer period from the time of their last square meal in the fall until their first meal in the spring. Many of the insects, therefore, die during the winter."

Mr. Mabee stresses the point that this protective measure is only effective when the stalks are plowed under before they die naturally and that its effectiveness is in proportion to the length of time the stalks are plowed under before frost. In a recent letter addressed to the cotton growers of eastern Carolina, Mr. Mabee urges the growers to pick out their cotton and turn under the stalks.

College workers point out that this practice also offers an opportunity to sow some fall crops for improving the soil and for small grain.

Nothing Serious.

A celebrated vocalist was in a motor car accident one day. The newspaper recording the accident added: "We are happy to state that he will appear in tomorrow's concert in three pieces."

Not While Jury Sat.

There was a man in Cullison who went to a revival meeting and was pressed to repent. He wavered for a time and finally rose and said: "Friends I want to repent and tell how bad I have been, but I don't do it when the grand jury is in session." "The Lord will forgive," the revivalist shouted. "Probably he will," said the sinner, "but he ain't on that grand jury."—Pratt Republican.

The Choir Invisible?

The church choir had resigned, and the parson asked what was the reason. "Well," said the organist, "it's your fault. You said last Sunday, 'The members of our choir being all afflicted with bad colds, let us join in singing, Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow.'"

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