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Abound in Blessings.

He that by usury and unjust gain increaseth his substance, he shall gather it for him that will pity the poor. A faithful man shall abound in blessings; but he that maketh haste to be rich shall not be innocent.—Proverbs 28:8, 20.

It seems that Wilmington will get a bridge across the Cape Fear. The War Department at Washington has approved the plans. The old city has been handicapped by lack of a land approach these two hundred years.

EDITORIAL

The Chatham News keeps adding to the size of its big county edition. We our expecting a fine issue from our Siler City contemporary one of these days. It should help to acquaint the new editor of the Record with Chatham county men and institutions.

The State Fair is at hand. The fates are against it, we should judge. The people are behind with their work worse than in many a year and with very little money yet derived from the cotton crop, it will be surprising if there is the attendance of former years, even if the display should be requisite to the demands of a fair attempting to show North Carolina products at their best.

The State Commissioners of Agriculture, in a meeting at New Orleans, declare the government report of the cotton crop too high. Not only in will the crop probably be much shorter than reports have indicated, but the quality will almost inevitably be the lowest in many years. The damage by wet weather is reported as almost general over Georgia and the Carolinas, and our readers know what it is in this section.

The state should not begrudge the month's extension of life to the negro slayers of the Lexington jitney driver, who have been deprived for a month because of the absence of drunk and got eight months. There is who is in California seeking to find a means of securing the return of Dr. Peacock. If that butcher may go skin free, it is no great mercy to allow the ignorant slayers of the jitney driver to live thirty days longer.

Johnston county has postponed the opening of its eight months schools in order to allow the children to help pick out the cotton. It is now hard to see how Chatham farmers will get their picked unless something similar is done. Here it is frost time and only one bale of new cotton sold on the Pittsboro market up to this week. Picking is a month in arrears. Besides, picking will be an unusually slow process this fall, both because of the state of the cotton and because of the approach of cold weather and short days.

M. L. White, the veteran teacher of Cleveland county, better known to the reading public as "Corn Cracker", has forsaken the school room in the face of the discrimination in favor of the newer issue of teachers. The editor of the Record, after preparing to reenter school work, in which he spent over a score of years, saw the fate awaiting him and decided to take up newspaper work again, in which one can be his own boss and may continue till he is a hundred, if he lives so long and desires to do so. We should like to see "Corn Cracker" in the newspaper game. He would make a readable paper and should make more than he will making axe handles, which he contemplates as succor for old age.

Judge Lyon gave one Malpass of Pender county a two-year sentence for maliciously putting things upon the road to puncture automobile tires. In Mecklenburg county a man who killed a negro woman while driving a car Warden Busbee of the penitentiary scarcely a question that the Pender man is naturally the menacer but the latter is the greater menace to the public. Tires can be patched, but there is no resurrection kit carried by autoist or physician. The man that gets drunk and goes out and kills should be punished severely. In the first place he has either violated the law or caused some one else to do so in getting the liquor to souse him. The man who cannot resist drinking should be sure to lock up his car and throw over the key before going out for his boozes supply.

Wonder how they get so—when fellows are willing to pay out fifty and sixty dollars and spend two or three days of supposedly valuable time to see two or three baseball games.

Ben Dixon MacNeill, the brilliant correspondent of the News and Observer, reports all New Bern struck with the oil craze, and lawyers busy writing leases for anybody from cobbler up. The lessors of land are the only sure winners in the lot. They stand to win in either case, the discovery or non discovery of oil.

Chatham is not to be without her share of campaign speeches. The list of appointments for Democratic spellbinders as published in this issue will show our readers when and where they may seek enlightenment on the issues of the day. As the appointments are usually for the evening there probably will be large audiences despite the pressure of work for the next month.

It appeared that the long-hoped for completion of route 60 from Clinton to Wilmington was near and that tourists could glide through that section without let or hindrance. But floods last week swept away the dam in Six Runs swamp with its newly laid hard surface, causing not only heavy loss to the state but also probably a long delay in completion of the road, as the dam is more difficult to restore than the hard surface and will require considerable time for setting.

EDITORIAL

Sanity prevails more and more in political and government circles in North Carolina. The latest indication is the decision of the election board to allow the LaFollette tickets to be printed at state expense. The old-time disposition to disfranchise everyone who felt disposed to vote otherwise than as the dominant party dictated is fast disappearing. It was nothing but that disposition which caused the populist party to be organized in North Carolina, with resultant fusion, and later Republican ascendancy in Sampson county, particularly.

Dr. Ferson, the new dean of law at the University is credited with the purpose to make it harder for nitwits to get license. May he succeed. It is a shame that it has been so easy for one to enter this honorable profession. These days one may become a licensed attorney in half the time that it requires a fellow to prepare himself for the practice of medicine. The consequence is the profession is overcrowded. Enough new lawyers have been licensed the last few years to supply the demand, it would seem, for many years. On the other hand, the shortage of physicians is becoming distressing.

Apropos our visit to the meeting of the Sandy Creek Association, away down at Aberdeen, we desire to express the repugnance we feel at the historical travesty perpetrated in the course of the years in the detachment of the Sandy Creek from its proper setting. One naturally associates the "Sandy Creek" with Alamance county and the old Sandy Creek Baptist church, the spiritual home of the Regulators. But through divisions and modifications of the boundaries of the original Sandy Creek Association, which embraced an immense area in this and other Southern states, it has come to pass that the present Sandy Creek Association does not encompass the old Sandy Creek church at all and lies to the south of Alamance county. One's respect for fitness of things and his historical sense rebel at a situation so malapropos. Either the name should have been retained by the association embracing the old Sandy Creek church or that historic body should come to the association bearing its name. If Shubal Stearns should arise from his grave at the old Sandy Creek church and attend the Sandy Creek Association away off in the sand hills country and learn that Sandy Creek church does not belong to the Sandy Creek Association we can imagine that he would feel as Hamlet would if he should arise and attend a performance of "Hamlet" and find himself banned from the boards.

OAKLAND NEWS.

Pittsboro, Rt.3., Oct. 6.—Miss Ruth Avent was the week-end guest of Miss Lena Burns.
Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Clegg have returned from a visit to Rev. E. R. Clegg, of Leesburg, N. C.
Rev. Fred Womack, pastor of May's Chapel Church, spent the week-end in the home of Mr. Pat Tucker.
Mrs. C. D. Burns and son Bruce have recently been on a visit to her daughter in Kittrell, N. C.
Mrs. W. B. Knight spent last Wednesday with Mrs. Eunie T. Burns.
Mrs. Emma Knight has returned from a week's stay with her son, R. R. Knight, in Sanford.
Dr. J. D. Gregg, of Liberty, was a pleasant visitor to the Record office Friday.

CUMNOCK ROUTE ONE NEWS.

Mr. Borg Hart is able to be out again after a spell of sickness, we are glad to state.

Among the visitors at the home of Mr. C. C. Poe Sunday was Mr. and Mrs. Grady Richardson and little son, Mr. and Mrs. Roe Oldham and two children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson spent awhile Sunday in the home of Mrs. Johnson's brother, Mr. Dennis Dowdy.

There was a box party at Gulf school house Saturday night. The sum of \$55.03 was collected.

Miss Mattie Poe returned home Sunday after spending a week with her sister at Mt. Vernon Springs.

Among the visitors at the home of Mr. George Moore Sunday afternoon were, Mrs. Mattie Pierce and daughter Miss Lucy, Miss Mary Poe, Miss Lillie Moore, and Charlie Moore of Pittsboro, Mr. and Mrs. Rom Moore and son, Richard, Miss Bessie Poe of Gulf Misses Violet Bettie, Lacy and Earp Johnson and Mr. Beb Poe of this route.

There was prayer meeting at Carolina Sunday night at the usual hour. This is a growing prayer meeting. May God help it to continue to thrive.

Mr. Matthew, of Sanford, was at Carolina Sunday afternoon, also Sunday night.

BOB

Chatham Youth Hurt at Lexington.

Obia Thomas, of Pittsboro Route 2, who accepted a position with the Central Wood and Coal Company in Lexington and began work last Tuesday morning suffered a very painful injury to his wrist Tuesday morning while cranking a truck. The Ford engine "backfired" and broke two bones in Mr. Thomas' right wrist.

Mr. Thomas' injury was very painful, but he is resting well and the dislocated bones in his wrist are healing. He is at the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. C. B. Way, on West Fifth Avenue, where many friends have called to see him and extended sympathy because of his misfortune.

SEE YOUR LABEL

NOTICE OF LAND SALE.

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior court of Chatham county, in the special proceeding there in pending, entitled: "Margaret Justice, F. C. Mann and others, vs. O. B. Mann and others", the undersigned Commissioner will at the Court-house door in Pittsboro, North Carolina, on Saturday 8th day of November, 1924, offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described tract of land: Beginning at an Iron Stake in Dob Petty's line, and running North 82 degrees East to the Graham & Fayetteville road; thence North 45 degrees West 66 poles; thence North 31 degrees West 26 poles; thence North 11 degrees 24 poles; thence North 31 degrees West 58 poles; thence North 40 degrees West 20 poles; thence North 27 degrees West 8 poles; thence North 40 degrees West 30 poles to Dry Creek; thence up said creek as it meanders 95 poles to a stake and pointers; George Petty's line; thence South 1-4 degrees West 70 poles to an Iron Stake; thence East 40 poles to an Iron Stake and pointers; thence South 3-4 degrees West 108 poles to the point of the beginning, containing 159-3-4 acres.

Time of Sale: 12 o'clock M.
This the 2nd day of October, 1924.
O. B. MANN,
Commissioner.
W. P. Horton, Atty. Oct 30-c.

SAW BIG BALL GAME.

Messrs. J. Dewey Dorsett, June Peoples, W. F. Bland, W. L. London and Vonnie Bland went up to Washington to see the baseball games between the "Senators" for antedotain between the New York "Giants" and the Washington "Senators" in the world series.

INFANT DIES.

The community sympathizes with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cotner in the death of their little ten months old boy last week. The burial was at New Salem. Mr. and Mrs. Cotner wish to express their gratitude for the kindness of neighbors and friends during their affliction.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned by F. M. Hadly, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds; in and for Chatham county, N. C., in book GE page 358 et seq. default having been made in the payment of the bonds secured thereby, we will sell to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House Door in Pittsboro, N. C., on Saturday November the first 1924 at 12 o'clock M those certain seven tracts or parcels of land lying and being in Hickory Mountain Township, Chatham County N. C., adjoining the lands of J. A. Woody and James Clark and others containing 800 acres, more or less, and

fully described and defined in a certain deed of trust executed by F. M. Hadly to the Southern Trust Company, Trustee for the Virginia Carolina Joint Stock Land Bank, which deed of trust is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Chatham County, N. C. reference is hereby made for a full and detailed description of the same. This land is sold subject to a prior lien of \$14,000. which is held against the same by the Virginia Carolina Joint Stock Land Bank.
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Ladies knit underwear vest and pants; also children's underwear values up to 98c. Dollar Day price 2 for \$1.00

Ladies' suede finish gauntlets light or dark shades per pair \$1.00

Children's 1/4 length sox light and dark shades 4 for \$1.00

Children's sox 1/2 length lights and darks five pairs for \$1.00

Children's stockings black and white 5 pairs for \$1.00

Big lot children's sox and stockings 6 pairs for \$1.00

Ladies' silk stockings per pair \$1.00

Ladies fibre silk stockings black and brown plain and drop stitch 2 pairs for \$1.00

36 inch Waterfall or Father George sheeting best made for the price. 3 yards for \$1

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Big lot men's dress shirts slightly soiled, values up to \$2 two for \$1.00

Men's sox big assortment 35 and 50c. sox 5 pairs for \$1.00

Men's wide end neck ties all silk and silk and wool crepe. Big range neat stripe, \$1.00. Special for Dollar Day 6 for \$1.00

Men's shirts without collars neat stripe \$1.98 value Dollar Day price \$1.00 each

36 inch good quality bleaching 7 yards for \$1.00

32 inch good quality dress gingham check, plaids and plain colors 5 yards for \$1.00

32 inch curtain scrim colored border or plain Dollar Day price 10 yards for \$1.00

27 inch dress gingham or apron gingham 10 yards for \$1.00

30 inch outing flannel light or dark colors 5 yards for \$1.00

32 inch kimona crepe, new light or dark colors 4 yards for \$1.00

32 inch stripe shirt madras 3 yards for \$1. Regular 50c. value.

36 inch percale light or dark colors 5 yards for \$1.00

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