

Store Clerks Are Heavily Fined In Federal Tribunal

Tal Pearson Fined \$500; Bruce Dearman And Richard Minton \$100 Each

Greensboro. — Tal Pearson, wholesale grocer of North Wilkesboro, and two of his clerks, Bruce Dearman and Richard Minton, were fined here Thursday in a special hearing in U. S. district court on charges that they had failed to make complete reports of sugar sales, as required under the federal alcohol control statutes.

Pearson, member of the firm of Pearson Brothers, was fined \$500 and was placed on probation for 12 months. The two clerks were fined \$100 each and put on probation for 18 months. Each of the three pleaded nolo contendere.

Agents of the alcohol tax unit reported 2,000,000 pounds of sugar sales not properly reported by the firm, and that a large quantity of such sales were made to another firm at Mountain View.

In imposing sentence Judge Johnson J. Hayes called attention to the close tie-up that often exists between sales of sugar in bulk and the operations of illicit distilleries.

Dearman admitted that various sales had not been properly reported but he said it was oversight and not an intention to "protect" customers.

CLOVER

Dr. S. H. Crocker of Statesburg has 35 acres of crimson clover from which he plans to save seed with a combine he recently purchased, reports J. A. Marsh, assistant farm agent of Wilson county.

PROVED THEIR FAITH WITH POISON. A law stopped the Kentucky congregation from using rattlesnakes, then the members substituted strychnine to show the Bible was on their side. Read the details in the illustrated feature in The American Weekly Magazine with next Sunday's Washington Times-Herald, now on sale.

STORAGE AND MECHANIC'S LIEN

NORTH CAROLINA, WILKES COUNTY.

Under, by virtue of, and pursuant to the power of sale contained in the North Carolina Code providing for the sale of property for the satisfaction of storage and mechanic's liens, being Section 2453, and related sections, the undersigned will offer for sale, for the nonpayment of storage and repair bill the property, upon which the storage and mechanic's lien is assessed, described as follows, to-wit:

One 1930 Model Four-Door Chrysler Sedan, Motor No. C-13767.

Said sale to be held on the 12th day of July, 1940, at 12:00 o'clock noon, at the Courthouse door in Wilkesboro, North Carolina.

Done this 12th day of June, 1940.

MOTOR SERVICE SALES COMPANY, Inc. W. P. Billings, Sec. & Treas. 7-8-4t (t)

NOTICE OF SALE OF AUTOMOBILE

NORTH CAROLINA, WILKES COUNTY.

Under, by virtue of and pursuant to the power of sale contained in a certain chattel mortgage executed on the 5th day of April, 1940, by Flossie H. Lockhart, to the Motor Service Sales Company, incorporated, said chattel mortgage being given to secure the payment of a note of even date therewith, and default having been made in payment of the note under the terms thereof, and under and by virtue of the authority contained in the North Carolina Code, provided for the sale of personal property for the nonpayment of mechanics, laborers, storage and materialman's lien, which lien is in the amount of ONE HUNDRE EIGHTY (\$180.) DOLLARS, the undersigned will therefore offer for sale, at public auction, to-wit: One 1935 Model Plymouth Coupe, Motor No. PJ-293685, Serial No. 1089191. Done this 13th day of June, 1940.

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Mrs. Dula Wins Design Contest

Wilkesboro Resident Submits Best Drawing For Program Cover

Mrs. L. B. Dula, of Wilkesboro, submitted the design chosen by the committee today to adorn the cover of the program for North Wilkesboro's 50th anniversary June 30 through July 4, it was learned from anniversary celebration officials.

A design submitted by Mrs. Roxie Jennings, of Pores Knob, was a close second.

The several drawings submitted were judged by the official program committee, which is composed of L. L. Carpenter, chairman, W. H. Duhling, Miss Toby Turner, Mrs. B. R. Underwood, J. D. Moore, Jr., Mrs. C. E. Jenkins, Jr., and James M. Anderson. A prize of five dollars was given for the best drawing.

Music Program At Kiwanis Meet

Miss Bert Holman Sings; High School Band Renders Three Numbers

An all-music program at the Friday noon meeting of the North Wilkesboro Kiwanis club was well received and thoroughly enjoyed.

Miss Lois Scroggs, club pianist, had charge of the program and presented Miss Bert Holman, who very delightfully sang "An Old Abode," "Love's Philosophy" and "All Day On the Prairie."

The next numbers were rendered by the North Wilkesboro high school band under direction of W. P. Grier, Jr. The band showed much improvement, according to comment from listeners, and is progressing splendidly.

Prior to the program J. B. McCoy suggested an inter-club meeting with Lenoir about the middle of July and J. C. Reins suggested that the club here and the Elkin club have a joint meeting at Roaring River. It is expected that action will be taken on the suggestions at a future meeting. J. C. Reins announced the death of Joe Bowles, Kiwanis field representative who helped organize the North Wilkesboro club. The secretary was instructed to write a letter of sympathy to his family.

On motion of D. J. Carter, seconded by J. B. McCoy, the club decided to furnish a float in the parade at North Wilkesboro's 50th anniversary celebration.

South America Offers Business Openings

To ambitious Americans, a land of fabulous opportunity is beckoning. In the twenty republics to the south of us lie untold riches which have never been fully tapped. And now more than ever, South America offers to the United States a rich field for investment; it is a land crying out for the industrial development we can bring it.

Writing in the July issue of Cosmopolitan Magazine, Desmond Holdridge points out that with German goods cut off by a blockade, and English interests centered on her war effort, the Latin American countries, for the most part, are looking to us as the sole market for exchanging raw materials for manufactured products. What, then, could be more timely than a financial invasion of this economically unexplored continent?

Though primarily agricultural, 90 per cent of South America's entire population is centered within a hundred miles of salt water, leaving the vast interior almost completely undeveloped. Such a condition could be relieved by American initiative, and the introduction of roads, planes, and communication would bring about commercial demands to be satisfied profitably by American investment.

Since the field has been cleared of our principal rivals and competitors, we have an almost completely free hand, Mr. Holdridge concludes; and if we move quickly, there is little doubt of a new day dawning for Pan-American business relations.

Eller's Firestone Store Opens Here

Eller's Firestone store, carrying a splendid line of the famous Firestone tires and tubes, auto accessories and household articles, has opened for business in the newly constructed quarters adjacent to Central Service station.

H. P. Eller, proprietor of the service station, is also owner of Eller's Firestone store. Commenting on the store, Mr. Eller said today that he has established the store as an additional service to his customers and in order that they might have one-stop service complete.

R. C. Jennings, Jr., who has had several years experience in dealing in auto parts and accessories, is manager of the store.

A budget plan will be used for the convenience of those who find it to their advantage to pay in installments and terms are so liberal that customers may name them themselves and with a very small down payment.

All are invited to visit the new store, whether to buy or just look around and get prices on the many auto accessories and household articles, including electrical appliances.

Further details relative to the store and low prices now prevailing on Firestone tires can be found in an advertisement on page three of this newspaper. Attention is called to the fact that there recently has been a big jump in prices of crude rubber and that the price of tires must advance soon. Persons in need of tires will save money by buying now.

Growers To Ballot On Tobacco Quotas

Faced with a market situation more serious than that of 1930-32, flue-cured tobacco growers of North Carolina and other Southern states will go to the polls July 20 to vote on a three-year control plan.

Recent amendments to the quota provisions of the AAA program have authorized this referendum, which, if voted on favorably by a two-thirds or more majority, would set up quotas on the 1941, 1942, and 1943 crops. Heretofore, growers have voted on only their next crop.

E. Y. Floyd, AAA executive officer of N. C. State College, said any loan arrangements to support the market will depend upon a decision by growers to regulate marketings. A majority vote against quotas would automatically eliminate any government loans.

If quotas are voted for three years, the AAA executive officer explained, domestic manufacturers can pay fair prices for their tobacco without fear of excessive production during the period. Then, too, the export trade will be more likely to make purchases at reasonable prices, and the government can give maximum support to prices for the export grades.

Probably the greatest factor in the present distressed situation is the 1939 crop, which was grown without regard to allotments. Flinging caution to the winds, growers barned a 1,160,000,000-pound crop, 34 percent higher than the previous record crop of 1937. The result was a 400,000,000-pound surplus.

The second reason, and perhaps also as great as the over-production factor, was the loss of or the seriously curtailed foreign markets as a result of the present European conflict. Coming together, the two dragged prices down to an average of 14.3 cents a pound for the season. The previous five-year average was 23.9 cents.

In response to the British government's campaign for increased home food production, more than 2,000,000 acres of grasslands have been plowed up and are now being planted to food crops.

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Amco Dealers In Banquet Thursday

Sixty Attended Delightful Meeting Held Thursday Night At Hotel Wilkes

One of the most enjoyable group banquets ever held in this city took place on Thursday night when more than 60 Amco dealers and guests met at Hotel Wilkes.

S. V. Tomlinson, prominent local business man and distributor

for American Oil company products in this territory, was toastmaster at the banquet and he presented Messrs. Weaver and Gainer, from American Oil company's home office in Baltimore, Md., who addressed the group in an interesting and entertaining manner.

The meeting was held primarily for educational purposes to acquaint the dealers with the many excellent qualities of American Oil company products and an interesting movie was shown, depicting some of the processes of manufacture. The banquet and program were

thoroughly enjoyed by the entire assembly.

Says Canada In Fight To Utmost

Ottawa, June 14—Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King told the House of Commons today:

"I believe I can say to Premier Reynaud of France that the resources of the whole American Continent will be thrown in on the side of the Allies. Canada pledges to France as

she has to Britain her unwavering support to the utmost limits of her power and resources." He added that he believes this was true of the entire North American Continent.

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Zenith Table Model Automatic Tuning; See This! Was \$42.50 - NOW \$33.50	Motorola Table Model Wireless Record Player Was \$15.00 - NOW \$12.00
Majestic Table Model White Bakelite; 6 Tube, With Electric Clock. Was \$28.95 - NOW \$21.50	R. C. A. Table Model Electric Pickup Was \$23.50 - NOW \$15.50
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