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WHAT WILL YOU DO WITH IT?

One day last week a farmer walked into the bank and after telling about the splendid prospects for a crop the banker asked him, "What are you going to do with your money when you market your crop?"

Too many have delayed in the matter of paying our obligations some saying they could not pay because they had not been paid for their tobacco, others because the crop was poor, and most of us simply took advantage of these things and did not pay when we could have done so.

Any way, regardless of who you owe, pay it this fall out of the very first money you can possibly spare and then, if you have any left and want an automobile, buy it, for we believe every farmer should own an automobile, if he can pay cash for it.

MR. DAVIS ACCEPTS.

Of course it is not news, the fact that Mr. Davis has accepted the nomination for President on the Democratic ticket, but his speech of acceptance at his home-town Monday was sagerly looked forward to, for the eyes of the Nation were waiting to see what he would have to say.

"But read the message for yourself. It will give Democrats new spirit and they will say as they lay it down with a thrill: "We were not mistaken in our man." Independent voters will find a freshness and sincerity and freedom from taint of special pleading that will attract and hold them.

The campaign is now on! The keynote utterance of Mr. Davis has lifted it to a high plane and given the command to every voter to put country above party, to drive out those who have polluted the temple, and to restore the government to the people.

lawyer for the prosecution, a statesman who embodies sincerity, honesty and aspiration to lead into cleanness of government and end the sway of special privilege."

Mr. Warren has introduced two bills in the legislature, one amending 1923 act relating to county assessments, and the other abolishing county treasurer's office. Both of these acts, if we understand them, are wise according to our way of thinking.

The Legislature is in session and the shipping bill has been introduced. The measure calls for an expenditure of eight and a half million dollars as per the Governor's program. He asked the legislature to pass it with the referendum, that is, that the matter be shaped up and submitted to a vote of the people, but some of his admiring friends want to see it passed by this session, without giving the people a chance to vote on it, and an amendment will be offered striking out this part of the bill.

We are glad to see the people are beginning to take notice as to our school affairs. Many are writing concerning the inefficiency of our school laws, too much overhead charges in the offices at headquarters. It is an undisputed fact that too little of the money spent for school purposes reach the child.

NASHVILLE POWDER PLANT BURNED SUNDAY

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 10.—Forty-five million pounds of powder were destroyed by fire at the Old Hickory Powder plant near here today. The loss, on the basis of present prices, is estimated at more than \$2,000,000.

The powder was manufactured for the federal government during the war at a cost of approximately \$22,500,000 for the 45,000,000 pounds destroyed.

Machinery and building erected by the government during the war at a cost of more than \$5,000,000 were destroyed by the flames, which swept over an area of 40 acres in the heart of the plant. The total wartime cost of the property and powder destroyed was estimated today to be more than \$28,000,000.

The powder has been stored here by the government as a war reserve. One-half of it was to have been used in road building under the direction of the department of agriculture.

The origin of the fire is undetermined. All loss is covered by insurance. The area destroyed is exactly one-half of the entire plant. The flames for hours threatened the remainder of the plant, and the absence of high winds is believed responsible for saving it.

AUGUST CROP REPORT

The general crop conditions in North Carolina August 1st show that a substantial decline took place during the month of July. This is contrary to the improvement shown by most of the state. The weather during the last several weeks has been extremely hot and dry.

According to the summary of the 2500 farmers reporting to the State's Crop Reporting Service and to the official estimates of the United States Department of Agriculture, the conditions of corn in the state declined from 84 per cent July 1st, to 75 per cent August 1st; tobacco 77 to 68; sweet potatoes from 82 to 65; peanuts from 84 to 70; tame hay from 89 to 80; wild hay from 89 to 87; alfalfa from 93 to 90; pastures from 94 to 93; cowpeas from 84 to 78; soy beans from 87 to 85; velvet beans from 89 to 79; and clover hay showed the slight increase from 86 to 87.

Corn

The condition of corn, which was reported July 1st as 84 percent of normal, dropped to 75 percent. This indicates a reduction of 45,918,000 bushels for this state. This is 5,510,000 bushels less than the crop expected July 1st and 12,650,000 bushels less than the crop harvested last year.

Tobacco

The condition of tobacco declined during July from 77 percent to 68. Indicates an average yield of 587 pounds per acre and a prospective production this year of about 270,000,000 pounds. This is 53,000,000 pounds less than was expected July 1st and 116,000,000 pounds less than the crop harvested last year.

Peanuts

Peanuts declined 14 percent from the 84 percent condition of July 1st and this condition of 70 percent indicates a yield of 875 pounds per acre state of 130,830,000 pounds. This is 22,170,000 pounds less than was produced last year.

General Conditions

The following are comments from reporters which were most general throughout the state, these give a good idea of conditions at present: "Dry weather damaging hay and pastures." "Crops are improving some now." "Crops are grassy." "Gardens are about out." "Excessive rains helped hay and pastures." "Farm labor scarce and wages high."

NOTICE OF SALE

North Carolina. Person County.

Under and by virtue of the provisions of that deed of trust executed by Irving Bass on January 8th, 1917, recorded in Book No. 2, page 278, Register's Office of Person County, to the undersigned Trustee, default having been made in the payment of the note secured thereby, and at the request of the holder, I will on MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 6th 1924 at twelve o'clock Noon, at the Court house door in Roxboro, North Carolina, sell to the highest bidder at public auction for cash the following described tract of land, to-wit: lying and being in Mt. Tirzah Township, and bounded on the north by the lands of J. C. Wrenn (formerly Dr. Speed place); on the East by William Bass; on the South by York Oakley and on the West by the lands of William Garrett containing 23 acres more or less being the lands purchased by Irving Bass from the estate of Alvis Bass.

Legumes require lime for successful growth. Especially is this true of alfalfa, say agronomy workers of the State College extension division.

Wants

Just received car load of galvanized roofing. Long, Bradsher and Co.

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FOR RENT. Nice 5 room dwelling on Depot St. for rent, all the modern conveniences, lights and water. Extra large garden. Apply to M. W. Satterfield.

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Accidents will happen. It may be you next. Before you leave on a trip call by Satterfield's Insurance Office and get an accident ticket. \$5000.00 for 25c a day. SATTERFIELD INS. AGENCY.

JUST RECEIVED CAR LOAD LIME. SEND US YOUR ORDERS. WATKINS & BULLOCK.

ARE YOU GOING TO TRAVEL?

Trunks, steamer trunks, wardrobe trunks, hat boxes, automobile trunks, in fact the best line of travelers goods we have ever shown, and the price is ridiculously low. Come in and let us show you.

E. D. CHEEK & CO.

For flues that fit come to Long, Bradsher & Co.

LIME, CEMENT, PLASTER SEE WATKINS AND BULLOCK.

Tobacco is nearing its prime. A hail storm in ten seconds would cost you maybe thousands. See S. P. Satterfield and get that hail policy to-day. Six dollars per acre for entire season. SATTERFIELD INS. AGENCY "OLD AND TRIED".

Wagons, Wagons. The genuine Nissen wagon—big lot on hand when I will sell at the right price. If you do not have the money, come to see me, and I will arrange it for you. J. L. Garrett. 8-13 tf.

When it is Flues that fit, come to LONG, BRADSHER & CO.

We want your hardware business. Come to us for Flues, Tobacco Knives, Lanterns and Thermometers. LONG, BRADSHER & CO.

WANTED, plain and some fancy sewing. One settled lady boarder. Will also conduct dye work. All at live and let live prices. Satisfaction guaranteed. Beginning August 18th fourth room in Reade Hotel. Mrs. T. M. O'Brian, assisted by Mrs. Moore. 8-13 1tpd

Premium books for Person County Fair are being printed. Liberal premiums. Farmers prepare your exhibits now.

Miller Brothers shows are to furnish midway attractions for Person County Fair, October 7th to 11th. This is the biggest carnival ever brought to Roxboro. Twenty five car show, same one that plays Norfolk Fair and many other large fairs.

Prepare your Fair Exhibits now. All farmers should make exhibits.

JEFFERSON. Get the best, it costs no more than the other kind. LIFE, ACCIDENT and HEALTH all in one policy. Get it fixed before the trouble happens. SEE SATTERFIELD. "Do it now".

See Free acts booked for Person County Fair that play Winston-Salem and Lynchburg fairs. Big doing this year.

Don't ask your friend to sign your bond, too delicate a matter. Satterfield will make it in twenty minutes. SEE Satterfield Ins. Agency for "Bonds of all kinds".

FIRES, FIRES. For twenty-five years we have paid every loss satisfactory to insured. You may be next. See us at once. SATTERFIELD INS. AGENCY. "OLD AND TRIED".

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Look now at your fire policies. Not one in ten has enough insurance on his property. Phone No. 135. Do it now, to-morrow may be too late. SATTERFIELD INS. AGENCY.

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Person County Fair dates are Oct. 7th to 11th.

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Wardrobe Trunks that are the last word in trunk making from every standpoint at \$25, \$35, \$40 and \$45.

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Buy your luggage from us, save a lot and get the best.

Clearing Out Summer Goods

All summer goods are being offered at greatly reduced prices in order to clear them out and make way for the new fall stock. Dresses, blouses, skirts at HALF PRICE. Ladies Hats at the lowest prices you ever saw nice hats sold. Come in and let us show you what a little money will buy.

Harris & Burns

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Have you experienced the satisfied feeling of going to your own bank with your own money and seeing your balance grow? Each time you add to your balance, you add to your own good feelings because you are getting ahead.

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"AT THE CROSSING" We are trying to build our business upon quality and low prices. There's no fairness in unreasonable profits nor cash customers paying time prices. We sell for cash but we sell for less, and we do what we say when we say we save you money. Try us.

FOX'S CASH STORE

FLUES

'Tis necessary for safety that your Tobacco Flues fit. We wish to say that for the past 18 years we have kept the same Flue Maker and our Flues fit. No trouble in going together. We buy the very best grade of Iron for our Flues, we have the right price, liberal discount for cash. Good stock made up, you dont have to wait. We want your business. Tobacco Knives, Flues, Lanterns and Thermometers. Call on us.

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