

**BARNUM & BAILEY**

**CIRCUS IS COMING**

**Greatest Show On Earth Will Soon Exhibit In This Vicinity.**

Once again the glad tidings are being spread broadcast of the coming of Barnum & Bailey's circus. The greatest show on Earth it is announced, will positively be exhibited within easy traveling distance this season and, as usual, a large percentage of the population will declare a holiday to visit our show.

The big circus will exhibit in WASHINGTON on Oct. 30

It is promised that nothing to compare with the present Barnum & Bailey performance has ever been seen under canvas. New and novel features have been imported from abroad and a program of events, thrilling, educational and screamingly funny, will occupy every instant in three rings, four stages, the riggings above and the hippodrome surrounding for more than three hours.

Within the largest tent in the history of all circuses, the Barnum & Bailey circus promises this season to make good again its boast that it is the Greatest Show on Earth. Five railroad trains comprising 89 railroad cars, will be required to transport its paraphernalia, and more than 750 horses will be used to transfer its wagons from the railroad yards to the show lot.

**NOTICE.**

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Jesse Norris deceased; late of Martin County, North Carolina this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Oak City, N. C. on or before 12th day of October 1918, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 12th day of October 1917.

J. C. Ross,  
Administrator of the estate of Jesse Norris Deceased.

**Has No Exhibit.**

It is a source of regret to every citizen of the county that there is no exhibit of the splendid resources at the Fair at Raleigh this week. Joseph L. Holliday had been given space for the exhibit and had arranged to show what Martin can produce, but owing to the extreme illness of his little child for several weeks, was unable to present the exhibit at Raleigh. He wishes to make this announcement, and no one in the county regrets the circumstances more than he does. The Tarboro Fair will be held the latter part of the month, and, no doubt, the county will be heard of there, as it was last year.

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A complete line of Saxons and Fords in stock. If you want a car come and see us.

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**Mules For Sale.**

Always from 100 to 300 head of horses & mules of all description for sale at my stables in York, Pa.  
JOE KINDIG.

**NOTICE**

Having qualified as Executor to the last will and testament of Rittie Griffin deceased; Notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said Estate to present them to the undersigned for payment on or before the 2nd day of October, 1918, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment.

This 2nd day of October 1917.

THOMAS C. GRIFFIN,  
Executor.

**Notice**

North Carolina In Superior Court.

Martin County

P. W. Wright,

vs.

Leslie Wright

The defendant above named will take notice, that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Martin County, North Carolina for the purpose of obtaining a divorce. A Verdict was rendered and the defendant will take further notice that she is required to appear at the term of the Superior Court of said county to be held on the 14th Monday after the 1st Monday of September, 1917, to wit: the 10th day of December, 1917 at the courthouse at the said county of Williamston, North Carolina, and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff.

This the 2nd day of October, 1917.

R. J. PEEL, Clerk Superior Court.

**FOR SALE.**—One 5 room residence on Railroad Street in Robersonville, N. C. For terms apply to Mrs. George M. Underwood, 721 Boush St., Norfolk, Va.

**For Rent**

On five year terms, two farms in Edgecombe County: One four horse crop near Conetoe, good tobacco land. One 6 horse farm on Fishing Creek, near Tarboro.

JAMES PENDER

Tarboro, N. C.

**SALE OF LAND**

Under the power contained in a certain deed of trust, dated September 12, 1917, executed to me by T. H. Combs and wife and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Martin County, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at Oak City, said county, at 12 o'clock, noon, on Monday, Oct. 29th, 1917, the following described real estate:

A tract of land consisting of two parcels, containing 100 acres, more or less; being the lands conveyed to said T. H. Combs by Alex H. Smith and Wheeler Martin, Comms, by deed recorded in Book F F F, page 300, and by the heirs at law of the late Sophia H. Howell by deed recorded in book M M M, page 198 to which deeds reference is hereby made. Said lands adjoin the lands of Moses Harrell, deceased, Joseph Harrell, Margaret Staton and others, each tract containing 50 acres, more or less.

There is no better tobacco land in Martin County.

Terms of sale, One-third cash and balance on agreeable terms, Sep. 15th, 1917.

W. A. HART, Trustee.

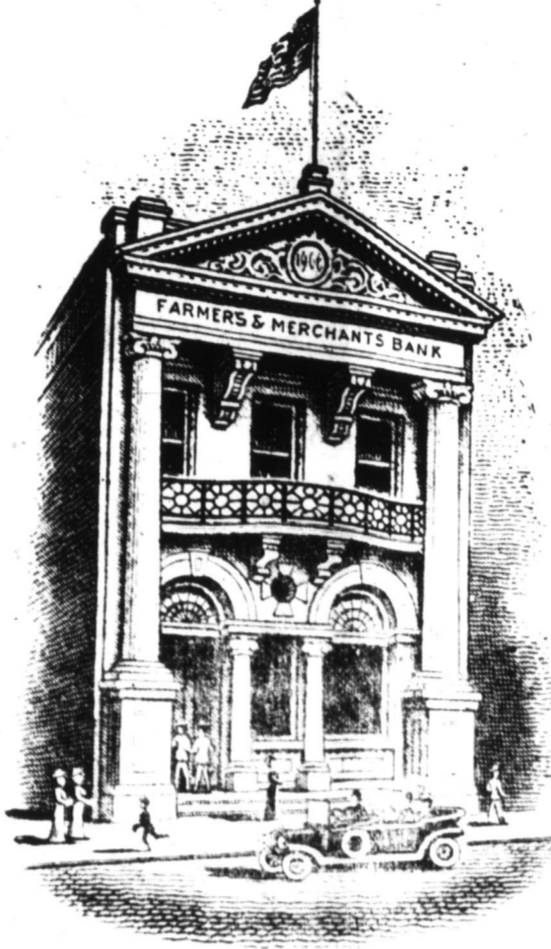
**Excellent Farm For Sale.**

This Bynum Roberson Farm containing 180 acres, 115 in high state of cultivation. Excellent two story dwelling, 2 tenent houses, 3 tobacco barns, all necessary outbuilding. One of the very best farms in Martin County, 5 miles from Robersonville, 1 1/2 miles from church and school, in one of the very best sections of the county. For price and terms see or write G. A. Peel or R. G. Harrison, Williamston N. C.

**Registration Announcement.**

Next Saturday, October 27th, will be Registration day for women in North Carolina. On that day the school buildings of the State will be open from 9:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m. for the Food Campaign and also for the Registration of all women who are loyal to America. Age for registration over 16 years.

J. C. Crawford, agent of the International Harvester Co., has received two tractors, one of which he has sold to the Williamston Road Trustess, and the other to W. J. Whitaker. The scientific farmer is a believer in tractors, and they are excellent for road work. Why not consult Agent Crawford about one?



**Everybody**

While we have no desire to "run opposition" to our good friend, the editor, he is as happy as we are over the fact that these advertisements are being read and that they are accomplishing their purpose which is to bring people to this bank where they get in touch with us and become our customers. All any advertisement can do is to bring customers to our door. If we cannot do our part, then we should not have published the advertisement. We want to say to those who are as yet unacquainted that we are just as friendly as these advertisements indicate and if they have inspired you with a desire to know us, we can assure you we will use every endeavor not to disappoint you. Come around and you will discover that the friendly spirit of the advertisement pervades our entire banking house.

JOHN D. EDDIS, President R. G. HARRISON, Cashier  
C. D. CARPENTER, Vice-President TURNER J. GRIMES, Treasurer  
R. W. SULLSBURY, Attorney-in-Law MISS ALMA SPARKS, Secretary

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ASSETS OVER \$600,000.00

Williamston, N. C.

**SHIELD BRAND CLOTHING**



Money To Lend—On improved Farm Lands in Martin County at 5 per cent — Wheeler Martin, Williamston.

If your children are subject to croup get a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and when the attack comes on be careful to follow the plain printed directions. You will be surprised at the quick relief which it affords.

**NOTICE**

Having qualified as administrator of the last will and testament of W. Bailey deceased; Notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said Estate to present them to the undersigned for payment on or before the 6th day of Oct. 1918, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment.

This 6th day of Oct. 1917.

CHAS. B. BAILEY, Admr.

**Notice**

North Carolina In Superior Court. Martin County.

In the Superior Court Before the Clerk Simon Reddick, vs. Letha Reddick.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior court of Martin county, North Carolina for a divorce "A Vinculo Matrimonii," and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the term of the Superior court of said county to be held on the fourteenth Monday after the first Monday of September, it being the 10th day of December, 1917 at the courthouse of said county in Williamston, N. C. and answer or demur to the complaint of plaintiff, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This 8th day of October, 1917  
R. J. PEEL,  
Clerk Superior Court

**Notice**

Those who have accounts With R. M. Foote, M. D., can settle same with J. Rogers and Bro., Bear Grass, N. C.

**NOTICE**

North Carolina. Martin County. In the Superior Court Maperson A Moore vs. George H Moore.

By virtue of an execution directed to the undersigned from the Superior court of Martin county in the above entitled cause, I will, on Monday, the 3rd day of December, 1917, at 12 o'clock M. at the Court house door of said county, sell to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said execution, all the right, title and interest which the said George H Moore the defendant, has in the following described real estate to-wit:

Situate in the town of Williamston, N. C. and on the north side of Main street of said town and bounded on the south by Main street and on the east by C. H. Godwin and on the west by J. H. Mizell and on the north by C. H. Godwin, and being the same premises now occupied by D. D. Stalls.

This 9th day of October, 1917  
J. H. PAGE, Sheriff

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Jamesville, N. C.

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