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Local and Personal News

Mr. O. L. Tucker spent Sunday in Greenville with relatives and friends.

Mr. J. C. Webb, arrived Sunday to locate here in the photographic business. As soon as he secures a suitable location he will open a studio here.

Postmaster Jesse L. Taylor left Monday morning for Washington, D. C. to attend the National Association of Postmasters of the United States. He will return to Williamston on October 10, 11 and 12 at the National museum. President Cassone will meet the postmasters and their families at the White House, Thursday, October 11th, at 12:45 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Lag returned Sunday. Mrs. Lag has been spending a couple of weeks with her parents at Martinsville, Va. and Mr. Lag met her in Raleigh on her return.

Mr. H. M. Poe of Rocky Mount, the well known, local business manager of the Roanoke fair, was in Williamston Monday attending to business concerning the fair. Mr. Poe is whole soul for the Roanoke fair this year, and believes he will have an exhibition that will be the talk of east Carolina this year. This will be a good boost for Williamston, and develop the backing of every enterprise in the county, as well as every citizen of the section.

Messrs. C. D. Carstarphen, Jr., and Charlie Godwin spent Sunday afternoon in Washington.

Messrs. James and Lee Glenn spent Saturday afternoon in Greenville, and they say they spent most of the time in the vicinity of the Teachers college.

Messrs. Frank Carstarphen and A. MONT MISS IT. J. C. WEBB, the well known photographer, will open a studio in Williamston, N. C. He will make a SPECIALTY OF HOME PORTRAITURE, THE FAMILY GROUPS, VIEWS OF HOMES and ALSO HIGH GRADE ENLARGEMENTS AND FRAMES. SPECIAL ATTENTION TO MAIL ORDER KODAK FINISHING.

Hassell, Jr., spent Sunday evening in Washington. That was why Frank was all smiles Monday and knew all his lesson at school.

Mrs. James Manning spent Sunday afternoon in Oak City.

Mrs. C. D. Carstarphen and Mrs. Clayton Moore are spending a few days in Norfolk this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Williams of Roanoke Rapids visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hopkins during the week end.

Mr. W. H. Biggs is in New York this week on a business trip.

HANDSOME GIFT FOR THE METHODIST ORPHANAGE

TRINITY COLLEGE, DURHAM Oct. 5.—Thirty thousand dollars for a new dormitory for the Methodist Orphanage at Raleigh was pledged by the Atwater family, which held its third annual reunion at Trinity college yesterday. Of this amount, \$15,000 has already been paid in, and the remainder will be raised soon. Hon. Francis Atwater, of New Haven, Conn., historian of the Atwater family, proposed to give \$5,000 if the text of the Atwaters would do like wise.

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE PREPARING A DRIVE ON THE PROFITS FROM REAL ESTATE

Sales for the Past Four Years Will Be Investigated United States Revenue Department

Investigations conducted by field deputies of the Internal Revenue service indicate that hundreds of taxpayers have neglected, unintentionally or otherwise, to include as income in their returns for 1919, 1921, 1922, and 1923, profits realized from the sale of real estate, according to the bureau which several weeks ago ordered a rigid probe to be made of suspected evasions of income regulations.

In order to close up the government tax net, the collector has ordered that a transcript be made of all doubtful transfers. A careful investigation will be made of all these files, to determine whether or not the sales involved have been reported upon the income tax returns. It is suggested that all persons who failed to include the profit realized from real estate sales call at the collector's office, or file amended returns, as it is the policy of the revenue department not to assert heavy penalties when the disclosures of failure to include are voluntarily made by taxpayers.

In cases where the taxpayer does not voluntarily disclose items of income that were omitted, and where the gains from real estate sales have not been reported, it will be necessary to assert full penalties on all returns where the investigation disclosed the failure of the taxpayer to include real estate gains in his income tax returns.

It will be greatly to each taxpayer's advantage to find if profits from real estate sales were omitted and make correct "amended returns" before the records in each county are searched. This will save the taxpayer heavy penalties and in many cases court procedure.

TARBORO NEGRO HOLDS RECORD FOR EATING

TARBORO, Oct. 6.—Mark Thomas, a colored man, yesterday walked up to the eating stand of H. L. Leggett and called for a sausage sandwich.

After eating eight of these sandwiches and drinking four bottles of Coca-Cola, Mr. Leggett told him that he would pay him twenty five cents to eat four more; but Mark replied that he had already eaten seventy five cents worth of barbecue and had to hurry home and get his dinner and go to work that afternoon.

A fourteen story hotel for negroes will be built this autumn at Atlantic City. The building is to be owned, operated and patronized exclusively by negroes. It will be of steel and reinforced concrete, and will require an estimated expenditure of \$750,000.

WEEKLY COTTON LETTER BY SAVANNAH COTTON FACTORAGE COMPANY

The unexpected usually happens in the cotton market. Prior to the publication of the ginner's, condition and crop reports on Tuesday, October 2nd, nearly everyone expected the ginning figures to be large and the condition low, with a crop estimate of from 10,250,000 to 10,740,000 bales. The ginner's figures were only 3,215,344 and the market advanced rapidly because it was thought that such small figures surely confirmed a low condition. One hour later the condition was given as 49.5, a decline of one and a half points for the period, and the crop was placed at 11,015,000. The trade turned bearish on these reports and prices have been declining ever since.

Government condition reports, except the last one, have been lower all season than private reports and it is hard to understand why the official condition on October 2nd was reduced only 4.6 points against a normal decrease for this period of about 7 points, yet the estimated yield raised by the government from its previous figure of 10,700,000 to 11,015,000 bales.

Reports of curtailment by New England and some southern mills' curtailment in this week and had a bearing on the market. Unless unfavorable weather visits the cotton belt, or there is a healthy improvement in the dry goods market, we see little in the situation to cause an advance in the immediate future.

The North Carolina Cotton Grower-Operating Marketing Association is to handle 200,000 bales this season.

A new national park in the Big Horn mountains, in northern Wyoming and southern Montana, is about to be carried if plans carry. The park will be in the shape of a triangle, with one point across the mountain line and the other side going east from Bald mountain and north along a line that would include part of the Crow Indian reservation and the famous peaks of Sheep mountain and Medicine peak.

Nearly \$300,000,000 of construction contracts exclusive of those under \$10,000 in southern states for the first six months of the present year, a little less than the total for all of 1921. Estimate total construction work put under contract during the past six months is estimated as over \$400,000,000.

Elizabeth City—New England interests have taken option on the plant of the Dale Lumber company; plans for converting the plant into a pulp mill are under consideration.

The sales of tobacco in the State during August totaled 11,468,915 lbs. averaging 22 cents.

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CLOVER SEED PAYS FOR WEEVIL DAMAGE
Clover Seed Proves a More Profitable Crop Per Acre Than Cotton Before Weevil Time

LINCOLN, Oct. 8.—Clover seed can be made to pay for the damage done to the cotton crop by boll weevils, thinks C. E. Carpenter of the North Brook township in this county. Mr. Carpenter has been raising some clover each year, planting it in his cotton at the last cultivation. Sometimes he would sell his surplus seed and the returns were so good that last fall he planted 14 acres of the cotton land to crimson clover, picked out his cotton and knocked all the stalks so that the seed might be stripped clean the next spring. County Agent J. G. Morrison reports that this spring Mr. Carpenter stripped 10,000 pounds of seed and would have obtained more except for a storm, which blew his plants down badly. However, the seed saved brought in \$700 and he has about 1,000 pounds saved for his own sowing this fall.

Lincoln—Large sweet potato crop is forecasted for this vicinity this season.

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NOTICE OF SALE
That certain tract of land in said state and county, bounded on the north by the lands of T. B. Sade, on the east by the lands of Woodley Thomas and William Whitley; on the south by Concho creek, and on the west by T. B. Sade and Son and Mrs. S. H. Roebuck.

Sale Of Land For Taxes

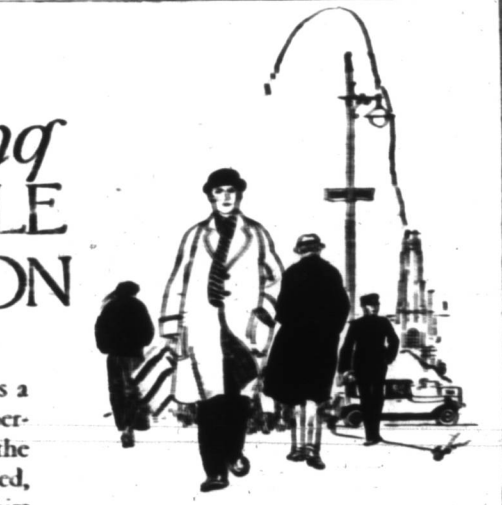
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF MARTIN.
J. H. M. Burras, tax collector for the Town of Williamston, N. C., have this day levied on the following tracts and parcels of land and will sell the same for cash at public auction in front of the Town Hall in the Town of Williamston, N. C., on the 5th day of November, 1923, for the taxes due said Town of Williamston for the years 1921 and 1922, unless taxes and cost are paid on or before that date.
This the 2nd day of October, 1923.
H. M. BURRAS, Tax Collector.

	White	Colored	Amt.	Cost	Total
Gilbert Peel, 1 town lot			\$22.42	\$1.80	\$24.22
B. B. Williams, 1 town lot			23.01	1.80	24.81
Thomas Bagley, Sr., 1 town lot			9.81	1.80	11.61
Phyllis Bailey, 1 town lot			4.20	1.80	6.00
P. S. Bullock, 1 town lot			25.76	1.80	27.56
Burgess Heirs, 1 town lot			9.01	1.80	10.81
Brown and Slade, 2 town lots			22.76	1.80	24.56
A. G. Brown, 2 town lots			48.16	4.50	52.66
Enijah Brown, 1 town lot			7.21	1.80	9.01
Sarah Cherry estate, 1 town lot			4.20	1.80	6.00
Fidelity Mfg. and Repair Co., 1 town lot			21.00	1.80	22.80
J. D. Gray, 1 town lot			26.76	1.80	28.56
Andrew James, 1 town lot			15.01	1.80	16.81
Stuart Rogers, 2 town lots			11.21	1.80	13.01
John Rhodes estate, 1 town lot			21.00	1.80	22.80
Minnie Spruill, 1 town lot			4.70	1.80	6.50
Abr. Spruill, 1 town lot			3.01	1.80	4.81
Tom Stokes, 2 town lots			12.11	1.80	13.91
Sylvester Woolard, 1 town lot			6.53	1.80	8.33
Williamston Fidelity and Imp. Co., 1 town lot			8.40	1.80	10.20
P. D. Williams, 1 town lot			6.21	1.80	8.01

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