

Local and Personal News

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Bell of Taboro were visitors at Britt hotel on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Booker of Taboro spent the week end here with relatives and friends.

Miss Minnie Robertson of Great Teachers college spent the week end at home with her parents.

Mr. Ben Perry of Everett was in town Wednesday on business.

Mr. John S. Wiley of Rock Hill was in town Monday on business.

HIGHEST OF ALL CHIMNEYS

It Belongs to a Smelting Company at Great Falls, Mont., and Rises 500 Feet.

The highest chimney in the world is at the smelting works of the Boston and Montana Consolidated Copper and Silver Mining company at Great Falls, Mont.

It rises 500 feet above the surrounding district, and has an internal diameter at the top of 50 feet. It can remove 4,000,000 feet of gases per minute, at an average temperature of 500 degrees Fahrenheit, says London Times.

On account of the rigid requirements for its construction, including extraordinary stability against wind pressures, ability to withstand the action of acid formed from the waste gases, and strength to carry 60 feet of additional height with only a little increase of the maximum bearing pressure, both its design and construction involved features of great interest.

Disposing of the noxious gases high enough above the surrounding country to render them harmless to vegetable and animal life was, of course, a great consideration in the selection of the site.

The chimney has an outside ladder from the base to the top, fitted with body guards at every second rung. The rungs and guards are formed of 3/4 inch pointed round iron rods; the rungs are 12 inches in length, and the guard loops 30 inches. For a distance of 100 feet below the top they are coated with lead.

About 13,000 tons of radial blocks, 4,000 barrels of cement, 5,225 barrels of lime, 4,180 cubic yards of sand, and 200 tons of acid-proof mortar were used in the building of this enormous structure.

LIKE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD

Most-Sought-After Publication at the Government Docket Room in Washington.

It is a standing joke in Washington that nobody reads the Congressional Record if he doesn't have to, and then only under great protest. For this reason it comes as a surprise to discover that the Record is the most-sought-after publication at the document room of the government printing office and that the foreigners who patronize the document room consume records in large numbers.

Other facts are in big demand among the foreign element, particularly the Japanese. Almost any day in the week will find the document room crowded with bespectacled Japanese waiting for documents pertaining to agriculture, shipping, the navy and all manner of American governmental activities, or leaving the printing office with large volumes of Congressional Records under their arms.

Among the other nationalities that appear to like the form of literature issued from the big printing office are the Russians. One day recently the writer saw a big Russian, who must have read English more fluently than he spoke. He got three bound volumes of the Record and departed all set for a festive session with the extended remarks of the gentlemen from various well-known states.—Philadelphia Public Ledger

Care of Dog, After Distemper.

A dog, after having had a severe case of distemper, should not be worked to any extent for at least two months after he has recovered. The hot nose and the signs of weak knees is a clear indication of this. Feed him good, wholesome food several times a day, the diet to consist of at least two-thirds meat, the other third stale bread, dog cakes and cooked vegetables. Occasionally feed raw meat and give him large green bones to gnaw upon. If he does not recover his normal weight and strength rapidly, give him a tablespoonful of cod liver oil in his food, or just before it, night and morning. Give him time and good care and the dog will regain his former good condition.—Sportman's Digest.

Trumpeter Swans.

According to the Zoological Society Bulletin, the interesting flock of trumpeter swans now carefully guarded on a secluded lake in British Columbia numbered nineteen in the winter of 1919-20, but was reduced to nine in 1920-21 and showed a gain of only two in 1921-22. The trumpeter swan is the largest waterfowl known to have existed in North America and for many years was considered to be extinct. In 1909 Canadian naturalists announced the discovery of nests of the great swans on the islands in Franklin bay, but reports of their appearance in the United States after 1884 cannot be confirmed. The Canadian government employs a guard to protect the flock.

Air Camera Helps Fix Boundary.

The aerial camera may fill an important role in determining the long-disputed boundary between Colombia and Venezuela. The Swiss commission of experts charged with settling the question have photographs that cover 2,000,000 acres of the widest part of the territory concerned. The photographs clearly show even the most minor details of the ground and make it possible to draw an exact map of the system of watersheds and allow the placing of all the elevations, even those which until now had never been seen. It took only about 25 hours in the air to make the pictures.

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\$50,000 GOAL FOR THE SEAL SALE

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No less than \$50,000 is to be the goal of the 1923 Tuberculosis Christmas Seal sale in North Carolina. Last year the amount raised was \$43,093. While the North Carolina Tuberculosis association, under whose auspices the Tuberculosis Christmas seals are sold in the State, feels that an increase of only \$7,000 is too small an amount to work for, in view of the urgent needs that Christmas seal money can be used to relieve, it urges every seal selling organization to increase its budget several thousand dollars and to work to double its sale if possible.

There are 150 seal selling organizations in the State. These are composed of well trained women and men, leaders in their communities, who are responsible for the sale of Tuberculosis Christmas seals in their town and community between Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Our Softwood Timber Supply.

The largest remaining supply of softwood timber in the United States is in the three states of Washington, Oregon and California, which contains more than half of all the saw timber in the country and more than two-thirds of the nation's entire supply of coniferous woods, according to the United States Department of Agriculture. Including the coastal forests of southern Alaska, this Pacific coast region is credited with 1,214 billion board feet, nearly half of which is Douglas fir, followed by western yellow pine, western hemlock, the true firs of several species, California redwood, spruce, western cedar, and sugar pine. The amount of timber in these three states too small for lumber manufacture probably aggregates 400,000,000 cords.

Raising Goldfish.

Perhaps twenty years ago a farm in the Middle West had several small spring-fed ponds in which bass were raised. A few goldfish were put into the ponds, says the Guide to Nature, and the venture was so successful that today the goldfish farm produces more than half the goldfish sold in the United States. The greater number of the hatch are marketed the first year. The remainder of the fish are specially fed to bring them to the larger size required by special customers. Varieties raised for commercial purposes are comets, nymphs, fantails, telescopics and Chinese moons, that amazing variation which is of a dense, velvety black.

Mexico's New Import Law.

According to a new law in Mexico, all goods will be regarded as imported, if on account of the nature of their packages, marks or labels they appear to be of foreign origin, although they may actually have been made in a Mexican workshop. In order to enforce this regulation persons who have goods of this nature in their possession and are unable to prove the payment of import duties will be dealt with as smugglers.

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HOG TAKEN UP—Red Jersey, male, under keel in right, swallow fork in both ears, weigh about 100 lbs. Owner please call for same and pay expenses. Willie Perkins, Williamston, N. C., R. No. 3. 11-9-3tp

WILL RENT TO SMALL FAMILY

3 rooms, one furnished. Mrs. Jennie C. Yarrell, 211 Ray St. 10-14-ft

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WANTED—SALESMEN OR INDIVIDUALS TO SOLICIT PURCHASERS

for fruit farms in the Sand Hill section of the Carolinas. Experience not necessary. Good pay for service. Carolina Peach Farms and Development Co., 229 South Tryon St., Charlotte, N. C. 11-13-10t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of P. W. Hoyt, deceased, native of Martin county, all persons are hereby notified to come and make settlement of all accounts due the said estate. All persons holding claims against said estate will present them for payment on or before the 12th day of November, 1923, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

This, the 12th day of November, 1923.

C. B. HASSELL, Administrator.

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part hereof for the purpose of giving a better description of the lands intended to be hereby conveyed, containing 80 acres, more or less.

Fourth tract: A one half undivided interest in the home place of L. E. Lilley, same being fully described in a deed from L. E. Lilley to John D. Lilley and Annie B. Smithwick, of record in book T-1, page 20, Martin county registry, containing 70 acres, more or less, the description in said deed being hereby made a part hereof for the purpose of giving a better description of said tract.

Fifth tract: Two tracts, containing 40 acres each, and known as the Barber land, and fully described in a deed from H. W. Barber and wife to John D. Lilley, of record in book T-1, page 251, of the Martin county public registry, the description in which said deed is hereby made a part hereof for the purpose of giving a better description of said two (2) tracts.

Sixth tract: That tract commonly known as the Fisher land, adjoining the lands of L. E. Corey and others, containing 250 acres, more or less, and fully described in a deed from L. E. Corey and others to John D. Lilley, of record in book L-1, page 162, Martin county public registry, the description in which said deed is hereby made a part hereof for the purpose of giving a more accurate description of said land.

Seventh tract: A one half undivided interest in nine lots situated in Jamesville, N. C., and designated as

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numbers one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight and nine in block B, according to plat registered in book N. one, at page 820, Martin county registry, which said plots are hereby referred to for a better description of said lots.

The above descriptions are intended to cover all the real estate of John D. Lilley.

This, the 7th day of November, 1923.

A. R. DUNNING, Trustee.

11-13-4t

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed by John D. Lilley and wife, Lucy E. Lilley to the undersigned trustee, and bearing date of March 8th, 1919, and of record in the public registry of Martin county, in book A-2 at page 48, said deed trust having been given to secure the payment of certain notes of even dollar amount, and the terms and conditions therein stipulated and contained not having been complied with, and at the request of the holder of said note, the undersigned trustee will on Saturday the 10th day of December, 1923 at 12 o'clock p. m. in front of the court house door of Martin county, Williamston, N. C., offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described tracts or parcels of land, to wit:

First tract: Those two certain tracts of land, adjoining the lands of H. G. Sexton, A. F. Stallings and others, said tracts being fully described in a deed from L. E. Corey to John D. Lilley, of record in book R-1, at page 254, Martin county registry, which said deed is hereby referred to and the description therein contained is hereby made a part hereof for the purpose of giving a more accurate description of the lands intended to be hereby conveyed, one of the said tracts containing 30 acres, more or less, and the other tract containing 125 acres more or less.

Second tract: That certain tract known as the John D. Lilley home place in the town of Jamesville, and being the premises where he now resides, and fully described in a deed from C. A. Sprull and wife, S. J. Sprull to John D. Lilley, of record in book E-1, at page 89, Martin county registry, which said deed is hereby made a part hereof for the purpose of giving a better description of said tract, said tract containing 4 acres more or less.

Third tract: That certain tract known as the Moses Gaskins tract, adjoining the lands of John D. Lilley, the Rosnake Lumber company, and others, and fully described in a deed from Moses Gaskins and wife, Mary Gaskins, to John D. Lilley, of record in book T-1, at page 26, Martin county registry, the description in which said deed is hereby made a

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