

Local Firemen Are Called To Ray Street Grass Fire

Local volunteer firemen were called out yesterday morning at 11:00 o'clock to a grass fire on Ray Street. The fire, burning rapidly in tall grass near a fence, was brought under control without damage to property.

Officers Wreck Liquor Plants In The County

Raiding in Bear Grass and Hamilton Townships this week, liquor law enforcement officers wrecked two liquor plants and poured out 800 gallons of beer. The plant in the Poplar Point section of Hamilton Township had been partly dismantled. A 100-gallon capacity copper kettle was found at the plant in Bear Grass.

Start Work On Academy Street Home Next Week

Construction work on a new home for Dr. and Mrs. John D. Biggs will get underway the latter part of next week or the week following, it was learned today from a Greensboro contractor, successful bidder. Dr. and Mrs. Biggs have been in High Point for the past several years where he was prominently connected with the federal banking department. He has completed his work there and the many friends of Dr. and Mrs. Biggs are glad to learn they will return here to make their home.

CORRECTION

In publishing the honor roll for the first grade, Williamson grammar school, last week, the name of Harriet Ward was omitted through an error. We are glad to make this correction.

BAD WEATHER

Bad wather for forty more days was predicted by Scoundrel Ground Hog at noon today. A bright sun greeted the little animal, but soon after his scheduled visit the sun disappeared behind the clouds and a north wind increased its speed. That was enough to place Mr. Monax back into his own rights as a weather prognosticator. However, there is some hope for it will be remembered that the animal saw his shadow a year ago and a pleasant period followed as far as the weather was concerned. Mr. Ground Hog hardly had time to get back into the ground before snow started falling at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

C. W. Spruill Announces For Commissioner of Agriculture

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and insane. Senator Spruill is 50 years old and was born in Bertie County. He married Miss Ruth Bazemore, also of Bertie County, and they have two children. He is a Baptist, a Mason and Shriner, and a member of the Junior Order.

In announcing his candidacy, Spruill said, "If nominated and elected, I will work in harmony with the Council of State, the Extension Service at State College, the representatives of farm organizations, and the farmers of North Carolina to further the cause of sound and balanced farming, and especially to see that the farmer receives fair prices for the crops he produces. Returns to the farmer for what he grows are now badly out of line with the income of other groups, and the welfare of all business depends upon the income of the farmer."

Spruill officially opened his campaign by challenging his opponent to a joint debate in every county seat in the State. Reporters and other visitors to Capitol Hill anticipate, if Commissioner Scott accepts the challenge, that huge crowds will be drawn to the series of debates, which are expected to provide some fireworks for an otherwise drab political year.

Prisoner Escapes From The Office Of Justice Hassell

Banished from this county under a judgment handed down in Justice J. L. Hassell's court the early part of last week, Henry Bryant, young Edgecombe County Negro, wandered back into town last Wednesday and fell into the hands of the law again. Carried before Justice Hassell, the colored man explained that he had come over with a friend for a brief visit and was leaving within an hour.

While an officer went to check the story, Bryant tore out of the mayor's office and disappeared. "It was the first time a prisoner ever escaped from my office," Justice Hassell said, adding that the man, charged with vagrancy, faced only a 30-day sentence on the roads.

Reuben Bland III Near Robersonville

Reuben Bland, 85-year-old Martin County man who received much publicity at the hands of Carl Goerch when paraded in Washington as the father of 34 children, is seriously ill at the home of his son, George Bland, near Robersonville. Mr. Bland fell and broke his shoulder when he was visiting in the home of his son, John Thomas Bland, recently.

Charge Four With Running Over Fire Hose Saturday

Judgment was suspended by Justice J. L. Hassell in his court this week upon the payment of costs in three cases charging Frank Edwards, Jr., Mack G. Rogers and G. W. Hyman with driving over fire hose lines at the Grimes fire here last Saturday night. Each of the defendants was required to pay \$5.50. A similar charge is pending against E. M. Taylor.

Activities in the justice's court have been limited these past few weeks, the docket carrying only one other case. Sallie Freeman, colored, was taxed with the cost, \$5.50, in the case charging her with disorderly conduct.

Respected Colored Man Passes Near Oak City

Whit Close, respected colored citizen, died at the home of his daughter, near Oak City, last Wednesday. He was born in this county about 1852 and was one of its oldest colored residents. He lived in Hamilton most of his life where he gained the respect of a large number of friends numbered among both races. The old man was said to have been a loyal follower of the Democratic party for years.

Funeral services will be conducted Sunday afternoon.

Taylor Electric Company Offers Free Measuring Glass

Taylor Electric Company, agents for Frigidaire and Easy Washers, General Motors products, announced today any married woman who stopped by their office and examined the new 1940 Frigidaire would receive absolutely free a handy measuring glass.

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Farmers Bear Economy Load Drive Is Underway To Have

(Continued from page one) to tenant farmers. All but a few of the members freely predicted that the desire of the House to economize, manifested to the extent of \$128,000,000 on four other bills, would mean defeat for pleas that some of the cuts be restored. The opinion prevailed that only the sugar item might be reinserted.

NOTE OF THANKS

To the Williamston fire department and my many other friends I wish to express through this medium my sincere thanks for their loyal and untiring efforts during the burning of my home. Only through their help could anything have been salvaged and I most sincerely appreciate the aid rendered by each and everyone. S. Harcom Grimes.

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NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by G. R. Coburn and wife, Maude Coburn, to the undersigned trustee, and dated the 1st day of April, 1935, and of record in the Public Registry of Martin County in Book M-3 at page 406 and at the request of the holder of the note of indebtedness thereby secured, default having been made in the payment thereof, I will, on the 1st day of March, 1940, at 12 o'clock noon, at the courthouse door in Martin County offer for sale at public auction for cash the property described in said deed of trust as follows:

Adjoining the lands of J. F. Jackson on the East, adjoining the lands of J. F. Jackson and Mrs. C. C. Bundy on the South, adjoining the Daley Road on the West, and adjoining the Jamesville-Plymouth road on the North. Containing 50 acres, more or less, and being known as the N. T. Coburn Home Place. This the 29th day of January, 1940. W. H. COBURN, Trustee. f2-4t

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

North Carolina, Martin County. In The Superior Court. Cape Charles Brown vs. Ethel Blanch Slade Brown.

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, to secure an absolute divorce, based upon over two years' separation, and for the custody of plaintiff's child, Charles Irving Brown; and the defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Martin County within thirty (30) days and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint. This the 23rd day of January, 1940. L. BRUCE WYNNE, Clerk Superior Court. j26-4t

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in that certain deed of trust executed by W. R. Hampton and wife to H. D. Bateman, trustee, dated August 7th, 1928, and recorded in the Register's Office of Martin County in Book B-3, page 1, to which reference is made, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, upon demand of the holder of the same, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale, to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court House door in Martin County, at 1:15 o'clock P. M., on Monday, the 26th day of February, 1940, that part of the property described in said instrument lying in Martin County as follows:

That tract of land containing 25 acres adjoining the first tract aforesaid and described as follows: Beginning at a cypress at W. H. Hampton's corner, running south 31 degrees west 42 poles to a marked pine; thence, north 77 degrees west 100 poles to Warren Neck Creek; thence, down said creek to Roanoke River; thence, down said river to the be-

ginning, containing 25 acres and is the same tract of land conveyed by Harriet E. Thigpen to W. H. Hampton by deed dated March 7th, 1894, which is registered in Martin County.

The bidder at such sale will be required to deposit as much as five per cent of the amount bid in cash as a guaranty of good faith pending confirmation and the right is reserved to reject any and all bids. This the 24th day of January, 1940. H. D. BATEMAN, Trustee. W. L. Whitley, Atty. j26-4t

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