Items of Interest from Ballard's Crossroads

Mrs. L. L. Lily and Mrs. Blanche Brown of Gates county spent several days with their sister, Mrs. G. T. Ty-

son, last week.

Mrs. Linwood Baker and son, Bob-by, spent the past week end with relatives in Scotland Neck, Halifax

Annie Flanagan and Mamie Ruth Holloway were recent guests of Mrs. Fred Darden in William J. Dunn has returned from

Canada where he has been curing to-

Elbert M. Tyson is serving as juror in Federal Court in Washington this week.

Harold Joyner and Grigg Tyson, Jr., were Wilson visitors Saturday. I. W. Worthington was called to Wilmington Saturday, due to the critical illness of Mrs. Worthington, who was on a visit to her daughter. Mrs. Worthington is ill in a Wilmington hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Tyson had as guests at a family dinner Sunday Mrs. L. L. Lily, Mrs. Blanche Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Morris and Tommie Lily of Gatesville, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tyson of Chicod, Mr. and Mrs. Forbes Allen of near Greenville, Herschel Tyson of A. C. C., Wilson, Miss Edith Tyson of Black Creek, Wilson county, and Ernest Whitly of Bailey. Willis Beaman has gone to Jacksonville. Fla.

Larry Worthington was a Wilmington visitor the past week end. John Flanagan left last week for lege.

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turned to East Carolina Teacher Raleigh where he entered State col- Miss Mary Elizabeth Nichols re- college in Greenville last week.

PEARSALL URGES FARMERS TO PLANT MORE COTTON

Thomas J. Pearsall, Nash countermer and legislator, told the Nash Edgecombe unit of the Carolin Edgecombe unit of the Carolinas Ginners Association Monday, he de-plored the old saying that "farmers are the only people who can go broke every year and still stay in business." He urged the planting of more cot-

Pearsall emphasized the need for giving careful attention to production plans for 1948 in view of the ap mate 20 to 25 per cent reduction in fine-cured tobacco acreage facing Southern growers. He advised the

NORTH CAROLINA

PITT COUNTY
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
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MARY TYSON McKENZIE

The defendant, Mary Tyson Mc-Kenzie, will take notice that an ac-tion entitled as above has been com-menced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, to secure for the plaintiff an absolute divorce from the defendant; and the said defendant will further take no said defendant will further take no-tice that she is required to appear at the office of the clerk of Supe-rior Court of said County in the Courthouse at Greenville, North Ca-rolina, within 30 days after the 13th day of October, 1947, and answer or demur to the complaint in said ac-tion, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk of Superior Court. This the 17th day of Septem

"We farmers have been rather short-sighted," he said, "to put all our eggs in the tobacco basket. We must furn to more diversified farm-ing to maintain our present standard

Last year, Pearsall told the farmers and ginners, the average farmer in Nash and Edgecombe counties received about \$600 per acre for his to-bacco crop, but this year the figure will probably be about \$480 per acre. He pointed out that the expected acreage quota for 1948 will retur

only \$384 per acre on tobacco.

"We must plan now to resort to other cash crops," he said. "One thing we might think about is turnsome of the acreage which be idled by the tobacco quota reduction into cotton production to supple ment the loss of cash that will result from the reduced tobacco acreage. If we do plant this extra acreage to coton, we will be insuring our future for it is possible that we will have cotton acreage control in 1949 and our wisdom in planting more cotton will give us a better history, which is

the basis of such quota allotmenta."
Fred P. Johnson, Raleigh, vice president of the Carolinas Ginners Association, and J. Henry Vaughn, Elm City, head of the Nash-Edge combe unit, also spoke briefly.

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Having qualified as administrators of the Estate of Mrs. Mattie J. Tugwell, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned or to R. R. Lee, Attorney, on or before the 11th day of September, 1948, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settle-

This the 11th day of September, CARRIE PHILLIPS and J. R. TUG-WELL, Administrators of the Estate of Mrs. Mattie J. Tugwell, deceased R. R. Lee, Atty.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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This the 11th day of September,

J. HERBERT JOYNER,
Administrator, C. T. A., of the estate
of Celia Ward, deceased.
John B. Lewis, Atty. 12-6c

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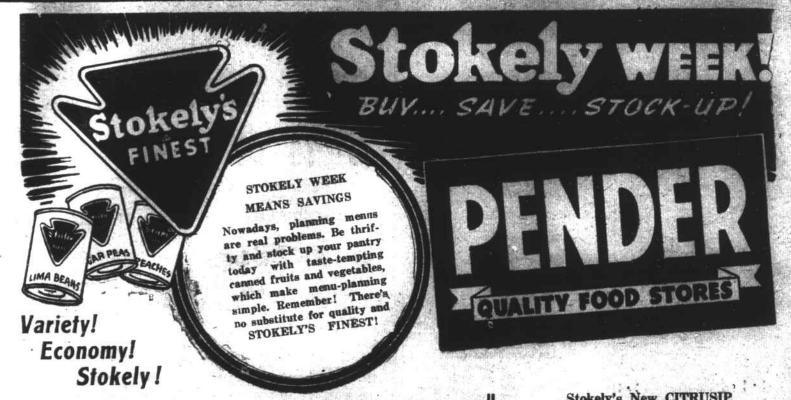
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