

NANCY DARDEN TO TEACH IN NORFOLK SCHOOLS

Miss Nancy Darden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Darden, has accepted a position on the faculty of the Norfolk, Va., schools. She will leave Tuesday to assume her duties.

Classified and Legals

FOR SALE — WHEEL CHAIR. Good as new. See Mrs. Clyde McCallum, 23 Front St., Hertford N. C.

WANTED AT ONCE—A PARTY with whom to contract to deliver at railroad a large lot of pulpwood. Address "M," care The Perquimans Weekly.

WANTED TO BUY—A TRAINED bird dog. See Dr. C. A. Davenport Hertford, N. C.

WANTED—PART TIME WORKER. High School boy or girl. Apply Robinson's Drug Store, N. C.

EXECUTRIX NOTICE

Having qualified as Executor of the estate of John T. Lane deceased, late of Perquimans County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Hertford, N. C., on or before the 30th day of August, 1944, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 30th day of August, 1944.

MARY I. LANE,

Executrix of John T. Lane.

Sept. 1, 15, 11, 29, Oct 6

Tax Ordinance

Be it ordained by the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Hertford:

Section 1—Definitions: Wherever in this ordinance the words hereinafter defined or construed in this section are used they shall be deemed to have the following meaning: (a) Agent—The person having the agency for the manufacturer, producer or distributor. (b) Business—Any business, trade, occupation, profession, avocation or calling of any kind, subject, by the provisions of this ordinance, to a license tax. (c) Engaged in Business—Engaged in the business as owner or operator. (d) Fiscal Year—The period beginning with the 1st day of July and ending with the 30th day of June next following. (e) Person—Any person, firm, partnership, company or corporation. (f) Quarter—Any 3 consecutive months.

Section 2—License tax upon certain trades and business operations. In addition to the tax on property and polls, as otherwise provided for, and under the power and authority conferred in the laws of North Carolina, there shall be levied and collected annually, or oftener, where provided for, a privilege license tax on trades, professions, agencies, business operations, exhibitions, circuses and all subjects authorized to be licensed, as set out in the following sections and schedule. All licenses shall be a personal privilege and shall not be transferable. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the Board of Commissioners from imposing from time to time as they may see fit, such license taxes as are not specifically herein defined, or from increasing or decreasing the amount of any special license tax, or from prohibiting or regulating the business or acts licensed, and all licenses are granted subject to the provisions of existing ordinances for those thereafter enacted.

Section 3—Unlawful to conduct business without a license. It shall be unlawful for any person or his agent or servant to engage in or carry on a business in the Town of Hertford for which there is required a license, without first having paid the license tax and obtained the license. For the purpose of this section the opening of a place of business, or offering to sell, followed by a single sale or the doing of any act or thing in furtherance of the business shall be construed to be engaging in or carrying on such business; and each day that such person, firm or corporation shall engage in or carry on such business as aforesaid shall be construed to be a separate offense.

Section 4—License taxes shall be for 12 months. All taxes provided for and fixed in the following sections and schedules shall be for 12 months, unless otherwise specified and shall so remain for each year to come until changed by the Board of Commissioners. All the licenses provided for shall date from the 1st day of July of each and every year and shall expire on the 30th day of June of each year. Provided, that where the license is issued after February 1st, then the licensee shall be required to pay one-half the tax prescribed, except where otherwise specifically provided for.

Section 5—License required for every separate business. The payment of any particular tax imposed by this ordinance shall not relieve the person paying the same from the payment of any other tax imposed by this ordinance for any other business he may carry on, unless so provided by the section imposing such tax, it being the intent of this ordinance that license taxes prescribed by various sections or sub-sections of this ordinance applicable to any business shall be cumulative except where

otherwise specifically provided.

Section 6—License required for every place of business. A license issued for the privilege of conducting a business is only valid for the business conducted at the place and by the licensee named therein. Every person doing business in more than one factory, mill, warehouse, store, stall or stand, or other place of business, shall secure a separate license for each such place of business, unless such places of business are contiguous to each other, communicate directly with and open into each other, and are operated as a unit. If the business is moved or if the licensee sells to another, then a new license is required, unless a special permit to continue business under the original license is obtained from the Board of Commissioners.

Section 7—No abatement of license tax. No license tax shall be abated nor shall any refund of any part thereof be made, in any case where the licensee discontinues his business before the end of the period for which such license was issued.

Section 8—Schedule of license taxes. On the following trades, professions, agencies, business operations and other subjects herein set out, the following taxes shall be levied and collected:

Advertising: Every person engaged in the business of outdoor advertising by placing, erecting or maintaining sign boards or any other out-door advertising devices per annum: Less than 1,000 population—\$2.50 1,000 to 1,999—\$5.00 2,000 to 2,999—\$7.50 (Not applicable to theatres taxed by Sec. 105 where permission of owner has been secured).

Sound trucks or use of vehicle with loud speaker, per vehicle—\$10.00 Distributing handbills or printed matter for commercial purposes, by out-of-town companies: Per day—\$10.00 Per annum—\$100.00

Advertising not otherwise specifically taxed, per annum—\$10.00 Amusements: Traveling theatrical moving picture and vaudeville companies, tent shows, other single attractions of like nature when not licensed as park, moving picture or vaudeville, per day—\$25.00

If admission is not more than 50c, including reserved seat, and exhibit is same place as much as one week—\$25.00

If consists of less than 10 performers, charges less than 50c, and exhibits same place for as much as one week—\$10.00

Automobiles, motorcycle dealers and service stations: Automotive Service Stations: Every person engaged in the business of servicing, storing, etc. or in selling tires, batteries, accessories, lubricants, and auto radios, per annum: Less than 2,500 population—\$2.50

Every person or firm engaged in the business of buying, selling or distributing automotive accessories, including auto radios, batteries, parts, tires and other automotive supplies at wholesale, per annum: Less than 2,500 population \$12.50

Every person or firm engaged in buying, selling, distributing, servicing or storing motor vehicles, trailers and other automotive accessories or supplies, per annum: Less than 2,500 population—\$12.50

Bakery Products: Sale of bakery products from trucks where business is located outside of municipality, per annum—\$10.00

Barber Shops and Beauty Shops: Every person engaged in the business of operating a barber shop, for each barber chair whether used or not, per annum—\$2.50

Beauty Shops: Every barber, manicurist, cosmetologist or operator, per annum—\$2.50

Beer: Every person engaged in selling beer, per annum—\$15.00 Selling beer off premises—\$5.00

Billiard and Pool Tables: Every person who shall rent, maintain or own a building wherein there is a table or tables at which billiards or pool is played, whether operated by slot or not, shall pay per table, per annum—\$20.00

Boarding Houses: Every person serving for pay within a residence a least one meal a day for as many as ten people shall be classified as a boarding house operator and shall pay a license tax, per annum—\$10.00

Bowling Alleys, per alley—\$10.00 Distributors and Jobbers of Soft Drinks: Every person distributing or jobbing bottled soft drinks per annum—\$6.25

Every motor vehicle distributing drinks bottled outside the State. Per vehicle—\$25.00

Cafes, Restaurants, Cafeterias, Lunch Stands: Every person engaged in the business of operating a restaurant, cafe, cafeteria, hotel with dining service on the European plan, drug store or lunch stand, or other place where prepared food is sold, per annum: Places with chairs, stools or benches for less than 10 persons \$5.00

For each additional chair stool or bench—50c

All stands serving prepared sandwiches only—\$2.50

Carnival Companies: Every person engaged in the business of carnival company or a show of like kind, per week—\$50.00

Upon riding devices which are not a part of, nor used in connection with any carnival company, per week \$5.00

Chain Stores: Every person engaged in the business of operating under the same general management two or more stores where merchandise is offered for sale at retail shall

be deemed a branch or chain store operator and shall pay a license tax for each such store, per annum \$50.00

Coal and Coke Dealers: Retailers selling coal and coke at retail \$5.00

Confectionery and Fruit Stands: Every person engaged in the business of operating a confectionery or fruit stand, per annum—\$25.00

Contractors and Construction Companies: Every person who for a fixed fee or price offers or bids to construct any building, street, sidewalk, bridge, sewer or water system, grading or other improvement or structure, per annum—\$10.00

Cotton Compressors: Every person engaged in business of compressing cotton, per annum—\$300.00

Dance Halls: Every person engaged in the business of operating a dance hall: Per day—\$5.00 Per annum—\$50.00

Dry cleaners, pressing clubs and hat blockers: Every person operating a dry cleaning plant, pressing club or hat blocker within the corporate limits, under 10,000 population per annum—\$12.50

Fireworks: Every person engaged in selling fireworks or other articles of like kind, per annum—\$200.00

Fish and Oyster Dealers: Every person engaged in the retail sale of oysters and fish, per annum—\$5.00

Fortune tellers, clairvoyants and similar trades, per annum—\$200.00

Gasoline, Benzine, Lubricating Oil and Greases: Every person selling illuminating or lubricating oil or grease, or benzine, naphtha, gasoline or other similar products, per annum—\$25.00

Horse and Mule Dealers: Every person engaged in buying selling or trading horses and mules. Per annum—\$10.00

Hotels: Every person engaged in the business of operating a hotel, the rates per person or per day, per annum—\$15.00

Itinerant Merchant and Salesmen: Every itinerant salesman or merchant who shall expose for sale goods, wares or merchandise, either on the streets or in a building, not being a regular merchant in the municipality, per annum—\$100.00 (See Peddlers for exemptions under this section).

Jewelry Stores and Watch and Jewelry Repairing: Every person engaged in the business of buying and selling jewelry or trinkets, per annum—\$25.00

Every person engaged in the business of repairing watches or jewelry, per annum—\$5.00

Junk Dealers: Any person engaged in the business of buying and/or selling what is commonly known as junk shall pay a license tax of, per annum—\$12.50

Laundries: Every person engaged in the business of laundry work or in renting clean linens or towels when work is performed outside of municipality, or when linens and towels are supplied by business located outside municipality per annum—\$5.00

Meats: Every person engaged in the business of selling fresh meats at retail, per annum—\$10.00

Every person engaged in the business of selling fresh meats at wholesale or operating a packing house, per annum—\$50.00

Painting: Every person engaged in business as a painting contractor, per annum—\$15.00

Paper Hanging: Every person engaged in the business of paper-hanging, per annum—\$10.00

Peddlers: Any person who shall carry from place to place any goods, wares or merchandise and sell or offer to sell or barter the same, shall be deemed peddlers, except wholesale dealers with established warehouses and selling only to merchants for resale, shall pay a license tax as follows, per annum: Peddlers on foot—\$10.00

Peddler with horse or other animal, and with or without vehicle—\$15.00

Peddler with vehicle propelled by motor or other power, for each vehicle—\$200.00

(Not applicable to the sale of books, periodicals, printed music, ice, wood for fuel, fish, beef, mutton, pork, bread, cakes, pies, dairy products, poultry, eggs, livestock or articles produced by the vendor offering them for sale, but shall apply to medicines, drugs or articles assembled. Also not applicable to Confederate soldiers, disabled veterans of Spanish-American war or World War, or blind persons).

Plumbers, Heating Contractors and Electricians: Every person engaged in business as steam or gas fitter or installing heating systems or installing electrical equipment. Per annum: Less than 2,000 population—\$5.00

2,000 and less than 5,000 population—\$7.50

Shoe Shine Parlors or Stands: Every person who maintains or operates a shoe shine parlor or stand, per chair or per stool, or box, per annum—50c

Shoe Shops: Every person engaged in the business of making or repairing shoes, per annum—\$5.00

Soda Fountains and Soft Drink Stands: Every person engaged in the business of operating a soda fountain or soft drink stand. Per annum: Soda Fountains: On each carbonated draft arm of each fountain \$5.00

Soft Drink Stands: On each stand at which soft drinks are sold and on each place bottled drinks are sold at retail—\$2.50

Tailors: Every person engaged in the business of operating a tailor shop, per annum—\$15.00

Telegraph Companies: Every telegraph company engaged in business within the corporate limits, per annum—\$10.00

Theatres and Shows: Every person engaged in the business of operating a moving picture show or place where vaudeville exhibitions

are given for compensation, per annum—\$25.00

Tourist Houses: Every person engaged in the business of operating a tourist camp or similar place, advertising in any manner for transient patronage, or soliciting such patronage: Homes or camps having 5 rooms or less, per annum—\$2.50

Houses or camps having more than 5 rooms, per room, per annum \$1.00 (Sitting room, dining room, kitchen and rooms occupied by operator and members of his family for personal use not to be counted).

Undertakers and Coffin Retailers: Every person engaged in the business of burying the dead or in the retail sale of coffins, per annum—\$25.00

Victrolas—\$5.00

Wine: Every person engaged in selling wine, per annum—\$5.00

Miscellaneous: Every person engaged in any business not specifically taxed herein and not exempt by State law or by ordinance shall pay a license tax of, per annum—\$25.00

Alternative Method of Taxing: Alternative method of imposing privilege taxes on those types of business not specifically regulated by the Revenue Act or other State law, choice of which method rest solely

with the Town Board of Commissioners: Retail Merchants: Every person conducting any type of business shall pay as a privilege license a graduated tax based on the amount of annual gross sales, as follows: Annual gross sales not exceeding \$10,000, per annum—\$5.00

For each \$1,000 or fraction in excess of \$10,000, per thousand—50c

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Taxicabs: Per vehicle, per annum—\$15.00

Section 9—Exemption of Taxes: For the promotion of certain businesses in the Town of Hertford, the Board of Town Commissioners shall have the right of exempting any business herein set out, provided, of course, all of that type of business is included in said exemption.

Section 10—Any person failing to comply with this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction, shall be fined not more than \$25.00, or sentenced upon the roads for a term of not more than 30 days, or both at the discretion of the court.

Passed this 10th day of July, 1944. V. N. DARDEN Mayor. Attest: W. G. NEWBY, Clerk.

Thank You, Friends

Due to a change in ownership of the building in which I operated my store in Hertford, and from which I had to vacate, I have closed out my business as of this week.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank my many friends and customers throughout Perquimans County who during the past nine years have so generously given me their patronage.

It is my hope that the opportunity to re-open my store will present itself, possibly in the near future, and if it does, I shall appreciate your patronage again.

Morgan Walker

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