THE ROANOKE RAPIDS HERALD-Roanoke Rapids, N. C., Thursday, February 23rd, 1933.

# Farmers Urged To Use Better Seed

#### (By E. K. VEACH)

Mr. G. K. Middleton, seed specialist of the North Carolina Crop Improvement Association, made a very interesting and valuable talk to the Aurelian Springs farmers last Monday night on the importance of good seed.

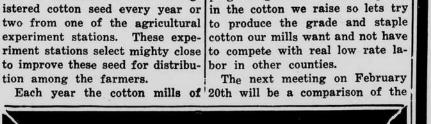
The first thing taken up was a chart showing the items of cost per acre on 26 different farms in Johnston County. The purpose of this chart was to show that the item of seed is a very small part in the production of a crop. A number of times when good seed are used to plant a crop it will mean a profit can be made, whereas if "run down" seed were used there would be a loss.

Good seed are valuable in a number of ways such as: Higher germination, uniformity of crop, bigger yield, better quality, etc. For example in cotton a good grade and staple gives about 3-4 of a cent premium at the present prices, so why isn't this just that otherwise.

to improve these seed for distribu- bor in other counties. tion among the farmers.

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our state have to buy longer staple cotton from other states and counmuch extra that would not be got ties and ship it in to be used in our home mills. Why can't we Mr. Middleton inspects seed for raise what our mills want? We the North Carolina Crop Improve- can by getting good seed of the ment Association to be certified. proper strain. What becomes of In order for any crop to be certi- the short staple and low grade fied it has to come up to certain cotton that the mills of this state high standards set up by this as- cannot use? It is shipped to othsociation. In this community C. er states and foreign countries to L. Kelly produces around 100 acres compete in price with cotton raisof certified seed each year. These ed where labor is lower than seed are for sale and are mighty it is in this country. Why should nice seed. Producers of certified we have to pay shipping charges seed usually try to keep up with on cotton to come in and go out the very best seed by getting a of this state both? These shipfew of the latest strains of reg- ping charges cuts down the profit





farming conditions in Canada and the northern part of the U.S. with this State. The other part of the program will be a short play and some music put on by the Young Tar Heel Farmer Club. Everybody is invited to attend.

#### CONTRACT CLUB ENERTAINED

The Contract Club was entertained on Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Pendleton Grizzard at her home on Hamilton Street. Attractive red bracelets were used as tally cards. The highest score for the afternoon was made by Mrs. O. Griffin who received two handkerchiefs as a prize. At five o'clock a sweet course was served. Mrs. Crawford Hoyle assisted the hostess in serving. Those playing: Mesdames Frank Nash, David Traynham, W. S. Dean, Frank Kemp, O. Griffin, Clarence Grimmer, Frank Wilson, P. E. Ransom, George Hayes, Alfred Martin, H. S. Loy and Paul Heydenrich.

J. L. Allsbrook is out of town on business.

Misses Irene Gordon, Helen | as follows: Fronting each twenty-House and Bennie Allsbrook spent five (25) feet on said West Side the week-end in Nashville.

### Notice of Sale

By virtue of the authority contained in a certain deed of trust executed on the 8th day of April, NINE HUNDRED NINETEEN 1930 by J. W. Smoot and Nannie (919) and NINE HUNDRED V. Smoot, his wife to Julian R. TWENTY-ONE (921), as shown Allsbrook, trustee, recorded in the on the maps or plots of the propoffice of the Register of Deeds of erty of the Roanoke Rapids Pow-Halifax Cuonty, North Carolina in | er Co., Roanoke Rapids, N. C. Book 402 at page 565, default hav- made by C. F. Gore & Co., Engiing been made in the payment of neers, Weldon, N. C., December 18, the indebtedness thereby secured, the undersigned trustee, will on the 27th day of February, 1933 at 12 County, N. C. in plot book No. 1 o'clock M. in front of the postof- at pages 11, 12, 13 and 14; referfice door in the town of Roanoke Rapids, North Carolina offer for is hereby made for greater certainest bidder for cash, the following lots on which there is now erectdescribed property, to-wit:

Those two certain lots or parcels

of Roanoke Avenue and running back each the same width between parallel lines nad at right angles to the said avenue one hundred forty (140) feet to an alley, and shown and designated as Lots Nos. 915 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Halifax ence to which said plots or maps le at public auction to the high- ty of description, and being the ed two brick store buildings occupied by The New Bakery.

This notice dated and posted this

JULIAN R. ALLSBROOK, Trustee.

of land lying and being situate on the West Side of Roanoke Avenue, 26th day of January, 1933. in or near the village of Rosemary, Roanoke Rapids Township, Halifax County, North Carolina, described 4t-Feb.17. **Every New Mode of** 

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## LEGGETT'S "THERE CAN BE NO DISATISFACTION HERE"