

TOWN TALK

Miss Emma Matthews who is a student nurse in Winston Salem, is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. White, Mrs. Emma Elmore, Miss Helen Powell and Walter Kee spent Sunday in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Heywood Cherry, Mrs. Dora Hawkins and children, Maxine and Howard, and Mrs. L. Powell spent the week-end in Washington, D. C.

Russel Pierce spent the week-end in Norfolk with relatives.

Mrs. Joe Williams, Mrs. E. M. Wright and Mrs. Ray Edwards spent Sunday with relatives in Brunswick County.

Miss Gladys Bowenn spent Sunday in Emporia, Va., with her mother.

Mrs. Frank Williams, Mrs. W. S. Dean, and Mrs. Job Taylor spent Thursday in Richmond, Va.

Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Beckwith spent Friday in Richmond, Va.

Misses Susan Holliday and Traynham Wyche spent Saturday in Richmond, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. David Lambert, of Gramicy, La., announce the birth of a daughter. Mrs. Lambert was formerly Miss Anna Freemond, and has visited Mr. and Mrs. Wade Marks here on many occasions.

Miss Susan Womble spent the week-end in Raleigh, N. C.

Mrs. Wm. Jackson was a visitor in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Velton Lewis have returned to their home in Salemburg.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Dobbins, Mrs. Ray Jeffries, Misses Louise Brown, Elizabeth Wolhar, and Llewelyn Matthews, visited in Edenton last Tuesday.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of John T. Allen, deceased, late of Halifax County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Roanoke Rapids, North Carolina, on or before the 17th day of March, 1934, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 17th day of March, 1933.
JOSEPH E. ALLEN, Adm'r
of Estate of John T. Allen
t-Apr. 28.

WEEK-END

SPECIALS
BRUNSWICK STEW
ROCK MUDDLE
and
FRIED CHICKEN

JOE'S
QUICK LUNCH

JOE WILLIAMS, Prop.
Formerly Duncan's Cafe.

Taxes Eat Up 12 Per Cent of Farmer's Income

Agriculturist Must Raise Three Times as Many Bushels Of Potatoes, Wheat, or Other Crops With Which to Pay Taxes on His Land

TAXES on farm property absorb nearly 12 per cent of the gross farm income of the United States as compared with only four per cent before the war, Horace Bowker, president of The American Agricultural Chemical Company,



HORACE BOWKER

asserted in an interview in New York City. This means, he said, that a farmer must give three times as many bushels of corn, wheat or other products for the support of the government than he did in the years before the war.

"In paying 12 per cent of his income in taxes, the farmer bears a very unjust portion of the taxes of the United States. The farmer is the one class in our population who is bearing the full brunt of the depression. Not only does he pay a substantial part of his income in direct taxes, but he also pays the many indirect taxes the same as do the other elements of our population. Farm products are selling at pre-war prices, yet the prices he pays for manufactured products are considerably in excess of the pre-war level. In other words, his dollar is worth much less than is the dollar of the general public.

"There is no question but that the general tax system now in effect discriminates against the farmer, who constitutes one of the most important parts of our population. The system," continued Mr. Bowker, "was unjust even before and after the War; now under the extraordinary economic conditions prevailing in the United States, the tax system is unbearable and intolerable to the farmer. He must be relieved of this discrimination, which can be accomplished only by revision of methods of state and local taxation. Such tax revision will require substitute taxes—income, sales, excise—in lieu of the excessive general property levies now imposed. This shifting of the burden will naturally evoke opposition, notwithstanding its fairness. However, such revision of state and local taxing methods must come, the farmer cannot be expected to bear the tax burden of the country forever."

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of the authority contained in a certain deed of trust executed on the 14th day of December, 1927, by Henry C. Taylor and Ruby L. Taylor, his wife, to J. R. Allsbrook, Trustee, recorded Deeds of Halifax County, North Carolina in Book 381 at page 471, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, the undersigned trustee will on the

8th day of May, 1933 at 12:30 o'clock, P. M., in front of the courthouse door in the town of Halifax, Halifax County, North Carolina, offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, to-wit:

That certain lot or parcel of land situated in the Town of Roanoke Rapids, Halifax County, North Carolina, fronting THIRTY (30) feet on the East side of Jackson

Street, and running back the same width between parallel lines at right angles to said Street One Hundred Forty (140) feet to an alley, and shown and designated as Lot No. THREE HUNDRED SIXTEEN (316), as shown on a map or plot of the property of the Roanoke Rapids Power Company, Roanoke Rapids, North Carolina, of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for Halifax County, North Carolina, in plot book No. 1 at page 38, and being the identical lot of land conveyed to the said Henry C. Taylor by deed of J. W. Taylor et als, dated March 9, 1926, and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Halifax County, North Carolina in book No. 364 at page 396, reference to which said map and deed is hereby made for greater certainty of description.

This notice dated and posted this 4th day of April, 1933.

J. R. ALLSBROOK, Trustee
4t-Apr. 27.

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Prof. R. E. Vaughn, of University of Wisconsin specializes in diseases of plants.

Railroad property owned by the State of Georgia is valued at \$20,000,000.

Pennsylvania uses a motor boat to assure collection of the tax on fuel for automobiles.

Chicago's new Mayor, Edw. J. Kelly, was elected by the City Council.

American films exhibited last year in Australia declined 40 per cent.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as executor of the estate of Mrs. Rebecca L. Hockaday, deceased, late of Halifax County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claim against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Thelma, N. C., on or before the 20th day of April, 1934, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 20th day of April, 1933.

HUGH F. HOCKADAY,
Executrix estate of Mrs. Rebecca L. Hockaday

Scotland Neck Bank Funds Affected By New Bill By Taylor

(Special to THE HERALD)

Raleigh, April 25th—Representative Taylor, of Halifax, has introduced a bill in the General Assembly to authorize the Commissioner of Banks to pay over certain funds of the Scotland Neck Bank, held by him since early in January, 1929, when the bank was closed, and unclaimed by the owners recorded, to other depositors of the closed bank.

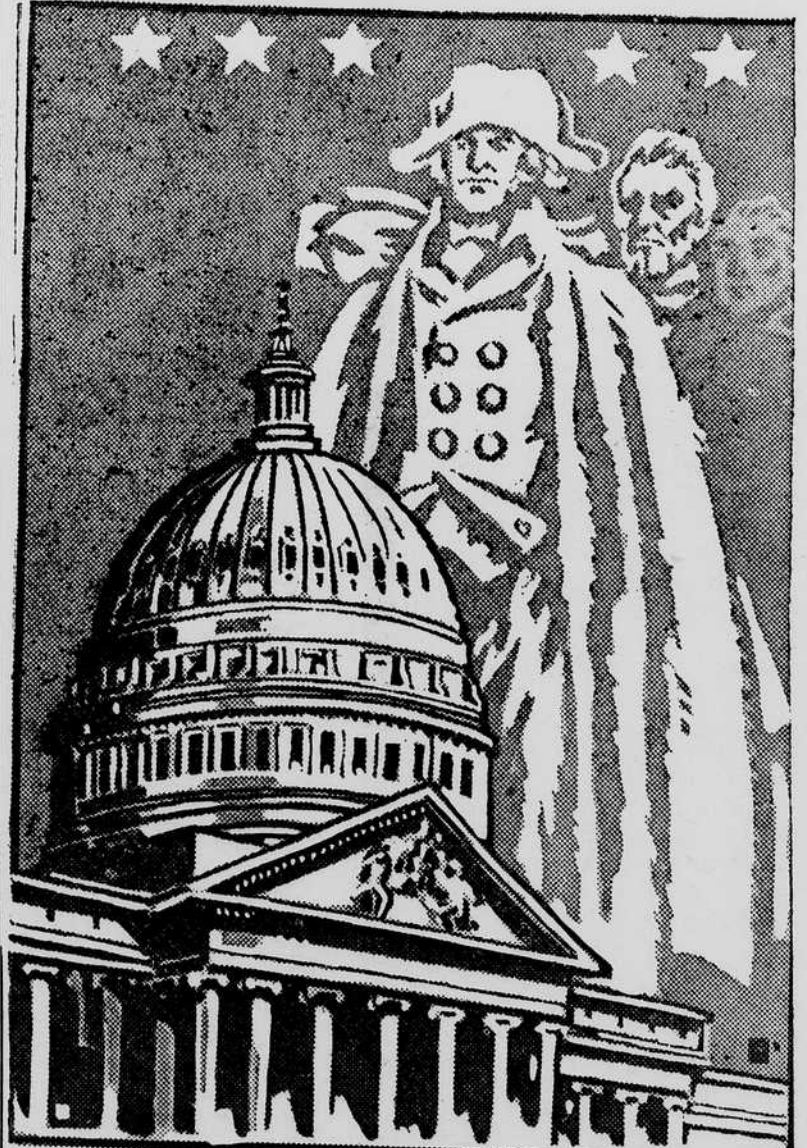
A somewhat similar bill was introduced in the Senate earlier in the session and was killed.

A public hearing before the House committee on Banks and Banking on the bill has been set for 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon of this week.

16 automobiles are now manufactured to sell for less than \$600.

The popular trend seems to be elimination of chromium plate from radiator shells.

Over \$3,500,000 was spent in Southern states in 1932 by an Akron, Ohio, tire manufacturer.



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