

WANTS TO LEAVE CITY BUCK PERRIN PLEASED TOBACCO ASSOCIATION SO IMPROVEMENTS CAN BY NORFOLK'S EFFORT CONTRACT PROVISIONS BE MADE ON PROPERTY

Owner Assigns Reasons for Asking Removal of Point Peter From City Limits

During the coming week there will be introduced into the North Carolina general assembly a bill to exclude from the city limits that portion of Point Peter which is now included within the official boundaries. It is understood that should the bill be successfully passed, a well known business man of the city, who owns property within the city limits, will cause improvements to be made there that will be of tremendous benefit to the city.

ACREAGE CUT MARKED IN EASTERN PART OF STATE

Ranges From 50 to 60 Per Cent, Traveler Firmly Believes

That tobacco and cotton acreage throughout the eastern part of North Carolina has been cut between 50 and 60 per cent, even in the famous "cotton valley" section, is the opinion of a citizen who has been traveling through the eastern part of North and South Carolina during the past few weeks. The cut is very marked, especially on those farms and plantations where cotton or tobacco are raised to the entire crop with no attention paid to the growing of foodstuffs.

NEW REGULATIONS AFFECTING REMOVAL OF LIQUOR STOCKS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Regulations were issued tonight by the internal revenue bureau governing the transportation of liquor for beverage purposes in accordance with the recent decision of the supreme court on the question of intoxicants acquired before the advent of permanent prohibition, January 17, 1920.

Such liquors, the regulations provide, may be moved by their owner from a place of storage to his private dwelling for the use of himself and family or guests entertained there. Permits for the transportation of lawfully acquired liquor, however, must be obtained from federal prohibition directors.

Liquor held in bond may not be withdrawn for beverage purposes. Liquors lawfully attained before national prohibition, the regulations provide, may be received by the heirs of the deceased owner who would have the same rights of possession and transportation as the original owner.

All persons possessing lawfully acquired liquor in storage outside their dwellings are required by the regulations to make a report to the prohibition director of their state within 30 days, showing kinds and quantity owned. No report is necessary covering liquor now held in a private dwelling.

FILES BRIEF IN CASE OF THE LORD MAYOR OF CORK

NORFOLK, Feb. 19.—Brief prepared by Justice W. T. Lawless, in behalf of Lord Mayor O'Callaghan of Cork, has been completed and dispatched to Washington where counsel associated with him in the case of the lord mayor will lay it before the secretary of state Saturday.

Justice Lawless said today he will not go to Washington tomorrow, but will do so later, if requested, for hearing if an agreement is granted.

O'Callaghan's status is still that of a fugitive. His counsel in this brief is making an effort to have the lord mayor granted asylum in this country as a political refugee.

My dear, I was so sorry you could not be out last night to hear Doctor Rhinoceros' lecture on the Higher Mysticism and the Spiritual Reality. Was it the matter? Willie had the whooping cough he had come from eating cucumbers.—Cartoons

Seventh District Conference of Rotary to Be Best Ever Held

(Special to The Star)

NORFOLK, Feb. 19.—"Simply amazed and thoroughly and deeply grateful" is the reply Lewis W. (Buck) Perrin, of Sparta, S. C., governor of the seventh district Rotary, made here yesterday when asked as to his impression of the plans and scheme under way for the handling of the district conference which will be held in Norfolk April 12, 13 and 14.

"I have gone over the great navy yard and I am astounded at the immensity of that enterprise, and the construction of the super-dreadnought South Carolina, now well under way, will be a revelation to practically every Rotarian in the seventh district.

STUDENTS AT TRINITY NUMBER 640 FOR YEAR

Forty-Nine Studying Medicine and 46 in Ministry

TRINITY COLLEGE, Durham, Feb. 19.—Of the 640 students enrolled at Trinity this year 49 are taking the pre-med course, evidently intending to enter the doctor's profession. The choice of the ministry as a life work comes next among the students, 46 taking courses with this object in view.

Despite the fact that the majority of Trinity students are of parents who felt keenly the low price of farm products and general business depression, the enrollment has continued almost unchanged. At the beginning of the fall term, the number registering was 5 per cent over that of former years. There has been little change in these figures.

Since the beginning of the fall term only 40 students have dropped out for all causes—not above the average of other years. Ten new students have registered for the spring term, partly counteracting the loss of the 40.

"Never too old to learn," believes Rev. S. E. Mercer, aged 52, of Durham, so he has entered Trinity college, where two of his sons are undergraduate students. One of the boys, A. E. Mercer, is a member of the junior class, and the other, L. E. Mercer, is a member of the freshman class. Rev. Mercer is taking work leading to an A. M. degree, having received his A. B. with the Trinity class of 1896.

OLD CITIZEN CELEBRATES

(Special to The Star) DUNN, Feb. 19.—Burwell Hodges, 82 years old, pioneer citizen, Dunn, celebrated his birthday yesterday with more than 200 relatives and friends gathered to pay their respects. Mr. Hodges has seven children, 42 grandchildren and four great grandchildren. All of them were present.

There are a million surplus women in England.

Tri-State Organization to Be Formed on Strict Co-operative Basis

(Special to The Star)

RALEIGH, Feb. 19.—At the request of the North Carolina Tobacco Growers' association B. F. Brown, chief of the North Carolina division of markets, has prepared a summary of the marketing agreement and contract now being signed by tobacco growers in Virginia, North and South Carolina. The contract, which is based upon the results of successful growers' co-operative marketing association in California, provides:

(1) The association is strictly co-operative. (2) Only tobacco farmers belong, the association belongs to the farmers. (3) There is no stock and there are no profits. Proceeds are paid back to the farmers after deducting all expenses of the association. (4) All farmers are treated exactly alike—no partiality—all sign the same contract. (5) Good tobacco gets a good price—poor tobacco not so good. (6) The tobacco association is not trying to fix the price—but to get it for the farmer. (7) Farmer agrees to deliver for five years all of the tobacco he raises—but he may from time to time grow more, less or none as he himself chooses. (8) The contract is binding—there is no way to dodge it when once effective, do not forget that—but, it does not become effective until the growers of 50 per cent of the tobacco sign up. (9) The association will not organize unless the farmers themselves demand it. (10) The association will make a substantial advance to the grower at the time of delivery. (11) The association will pool all tobacco and sell from time to time in large lots. Each grower will get his share of the proceeds for the year regardless of the price of his particular tobacco may bring.

Handling the Crop (1) The association may, only with the consent of the members, organize a warehousing corporation in any district or community for curing, drying, storing or otherwise handling the tobacco for its members. (2) Only members may own common stock—and the common stock controls the corporation. (3) Preferred stock, having no voting power, may be purchased by anyone—and may be retired later by the corporation. (4) Corporation will be organized for the service of the association—on a non-profit basis.

Organization (1) The association intends to include at present the tobacco areas of Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina. (2) This tobacco area will be divided into 22 districts. (3) The board of directors will consist of one director from each district and one each from the states of Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina, appointed by the governors thereof, to represent the general public, 25 directors in all. These control the association, headquarters, Raleigh, N. C. (4) The tobacco farmers of the association, at a primary election, select delegates to a district meeting. These delegates in each district meet, organize and elect a director from each district. (5) Each farmer member has one vote—no more—this is according to the best experience in such associations.

NEW OIL-BURNING ENGINE OF LOW-COMPRESSION TYPE

A Louisiana inventor has succeeded in developing a new fuel-oil engine of semi-Diesel design, in which the excessively high compressions of this type are eliminated, says Popular Mechanics Magazine in an illustrated article in the March number. Owing to the use of an improved fuel-injection jet and a method of preheating the oil, it is claimed that the power impulses are smooth expansions rather than abrupt, racking explosions, and that for this reason, the engine can be built lighter than existing models of heavy-oil burners, making it suitable for installation in passenger automobiles and motor trucks.

Eighty per cent of the destroyed factories in France are rebuilt and now working.



SPRING 1921

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