

Chowan One Of 12 Bale-To-An-Acre Counties In State

North Carolina Cotton Crop In 1940 Was 61% Above 1939

746,000 BALES

Yield of 425 Pounds Per Acre Establishes All Time Record

Chowan County is included in a dozen bale-to-the-acre cotton counties, reported in a final review issued by the State Department of Agriculture. The banner counties, reporting production of a bale or more to the acre, are: Camden, Chowan, Cleveland, Currituck, Gates, Hertford, Martin, Northampton, Pasquotank, Perquimans, Pitt and Wilson.

North Carolina's 1940 cotton crop was valued at \$35,150,000, or about 61 per cent above 1939.

Adding the value of cotton seed estimated at \$7,370,000, to the value of cotton lint, the total value of last year's drop was placed at \$42,520,000 and given the rank of number 2 among the State's cash crops, reports W. T. Wesson, junior statistician of the Department.

The 1940 cotton yield of 425 pounds per acre eclipsed the 1911 all-time record by 83 pounds, while production totaled 740,000 bales from 833,000 acres.

"Production was about 62 per cent above 1939 and 12 per cent above the 10-year (1929-1938) average," Wesson added. "The 1940 production increase was due mainly to the large increase in acreage and yields throughout the eastern part of the State."

"For the 41 coastal counties, the average per acre yield last season was 447 pounds of lint compared with only 235 pounds in 1939. Yield increases were accompanied by an increased acreage of 73,675, resulting in a 126 per cent larger production in coastal counties compared with 1939."

In the United States last year cotton production totaled 12,686,000 bales compared with 11,817,000 for the 10-year (1929-1938) average.

ACORN HILL

Mrs. Elisha Hurdle, of Suffolk, Va. visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Eason, Thursday afternoon.

Bruce and Willie Briggs, of Norfolk, Va., spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Briggs.

We are glad to report Miss Dixie Harrell improving after being very sick last week.

Guests of Mrs. L. B. Harrell and Miss Dixie Harrell last Wednesday afternoon were Mrs. Linwood Briggs, Mrs. Lawrence Stallings, Miss Daisy Stallings and Miss Sallie Mae Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Jordan and Mrs. Myrtle Jordan, of near Cross Roads, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Harrell Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. White, of Cross Roads, visited her sister, Mrs. L. B. Harrell, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harrell, L. R. Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Briggs called to see Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Harrell Sunday afternoon.

Carlton Stallings spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Stallings.

Duke Eason, of Portsmouth, Va., called to see L. A. Eason Sunday afternoon.

The infant child of Mrs. Leonard Outlaw is improving, after being quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Eason spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hoffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mitchell, of Trotville, spent Sunday afternoon as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hurley Briggs.

CLASSIFIED AND LEGALS

Horses and Mules For Sale

All ages—all prices. A wide selection of bargains. These Horses and Mules were traded for Farmall tractors. See Charlie D. Hollowell at Cross Roads Farm.

Byrum Hardware Co.

DOGWOOD AND CRABAPPLE trees for sale. See Mrs. C. Y. Parrish, Route 2, Edenton, N. C. mar.13,20,27

POPULAR RECORDS — DORSEY, Barnet, Miller, Crosby, Etc., guaranteed. 8 for \$1. List 3c, stamps accepted. Applebaum, 370 Van Siclen Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. feb.27,mar.6,13,20,pa.

RED MINORCAS—EGGS, CHICKS. Mr. Lunsford, Pembroke, N. C. mar.13,20,27

GIANT BULL FROGS. PROFITABLE, Field Rabbits. Vol Brashears, Berryville, Ark. mar.13,20,27,apr.3,10

STRAWBERRY PLANTS — YELLOWFREE, Blakemore, Dunlap Missionary, \$2.00 Thousand. Boysenberries, \$2.00 Hundred. Jack Banther, Harrison, Tennessee. mar.6,13,20,27,pa.

WANTED—MAN WITH CAR TO solicit dry cleaning. Good pay. If interested, see Ed Habit, the Master Cleaner and Dyer, Edenton, N. C. ttc.

FOR SALE — RESIDENCE AND lot and three extra lots of J. D. Stillman Estate. Terms cash. Apply Mrs. E. W. Mason, 700 North Broad St., Edenton, S. C. mar.13,20,27

PHONE 84-W OR WRITE R. H. Bachman to Fullerize your home Fuller, useful, double-lasting in every field. Reasonable in price. mar.13,20,27,apr.3,10

SKILLED SHOE RE-BUILDING. Ward's Shoe Shop, Edenton, N. C.

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North Carolina, Chowan County.

ENTRY OF LAND BY JOHN F. WHITE, CLAIMANT.

To M. L. Bunch, Register of Deeds and acting Entry Taker of Chowan County:

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned John F. White, Claimant, a citizen of the State hereby enters the land hereinafter described for the purpose of obtaining a grant therefor, to-wit:

Tract No. 1. The lands beginning on the Monticello Road at Henry Ferrand's line 3.33 chains South from the new Road, thence Southwardly with the Monticello Road 6.66 chains, thence South 88 deg. West 30 chains, thence North 9.5 deg. East 6.66 chains, thence North 88 deg. East with said Ferrand's line 30 chains to beginning and containing 20 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 2. Beginning on the New Road at Henry Ferrand's back line a point 30 chains West from the Monticello Road, thence South 9 1/2 West 19.30 chains to a Holly on the big ditch, thence Southwardly down the ditch to a Branch, thence Westwardly with the Branch to the Eastern line of said Ma...o's land, thence North 9 1/2 deg. East 26.70 chains to the New Road, thence North 88 deg. East 12.15 chains to the beginning and containing 30 acres. Said land being vacant and unappropriated and belonging to the State.

This 10th day of March, 1941. JOHN F. WHITE, Claimant. mar.13,20,27,apr.3—JFW

NOTICE OF SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY

By virtue of a deed of trust executed to me by John Parrish, for certain purposes therein mentioned, which said deed of trust bears date of March 14, 1931, and is registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of Chowan County in Book 42, page 98, default having been made in the payment of the notes secured thereunder, I shall, on the 12th day of April, 1941, at 12 o'clock, Noon, offer for sale at the Court House door in said County at public auction, for cash, subject to any and all taxes due, the property conveyed to me in said deed of trust, to-wit:

That certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in said County of Chowan, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at corner of Sandy Ridge Road and the Greenhall Road; thence northwardly along Sandy Ridge Road, about 150 yards; thence eastwardly parallel with Greenhall Road 71 yards; thence southwardly parallel with Sandy Ridge Road about 150 yards to Greenhall Road; thence westwardly along Greenhall Road 71 yards to place of beginning. The above described land being the same land conveyed by W. S. Privott, Mortgagee, to Foreman Blades Lum-

ber Company by deed, duly recorded in the registry of Chowan County, North Carolina, reference to which said deed is hereby expressly made for further and more accurate description.

Dated and posted this 7th day of March, 1941. J. B. McMULLAN, Trustee. mar.13,20,27,apr.3,10—McM.

North Carolina, Chowan County.

NOTICE OF SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of a certain deed of trust executed by J. C. Edney and wife, Zenobia Edney, to L. E. Griffin, Trustee, on December first, 1928, which deed of trust is duly recorded in Book 41, page 83, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Chowan County, N. C., default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, as therein provided, the undersigned, L. E. Griffin, Trustee, will on Saturday, the 5th day of April, 1941, at 12 o'clock noon, at the Chowan County Court House door in Edenton, N. C., sell for cash at public auction to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, lying and being in the Town of Edenton, Chowan County, N. C., on the east side of Oakum Street, as follows:

Beginning at the Ganzi Picard line on the east side of Oakum Street and extending Northward along Oakum Street 40 feet to H. T. Jernigan's line, then in a straight line Eastwardly 150 feet to H. C. Privott's line, then Southwardly parallel to Oakum Street 40 feet to Ganzi Picard's line, then Westwardly along Ganzi Picard's line 150 feet to Oakum Street, the place of beginning, fronting 40 feet on Oakum Street and extending backward Eastwardly therefrom, between parallel lines 150 feet.

Dated and posted this 5th day of March, 1941.

L. E. GRIFFIN, Trustee. J. N. Pruden, Attorney. mar.13,20,27,apr.3—JNP.

NOTICE! NOTICE! NOTICE!

Re-Sale of Valuable Real Estate

By virtue of the authority contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed by E. C. White and wife, Mabel F. White, to John F. White, Trustee, on the 18th day of July, 1935, recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Chowan County, North Carolina, in Book 44, Page 586, default having been made in the conditions of said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Trustee will on the 25th day of March, 1941, at twelve o'clock Noon, at the Court House Door of Chowan County, North Carolina, offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property:

1. The lot fronting on the West side of Main Street known as the Caeshire or Bogart lot, bounded on the North by the Wozelka resident lot; East by Main Street; South by the lot of S. W. Taylor; west by the lot of Mrs. John Wozelka and Mrs. Cornelia Green, containing one-half acre, more or less.

2. The lot or parcel of land with all improvements thereon lying on the North side of Eden Street in the Town of Edenton, N. C., and further described as follows: Beginning on the North side of Eden Street at the Capehart line; thence Northwardly with that line to Wozelka-Mitchell line; thence Eastwardly with the said Wozelka-Mitchell line to the E. C. White-Bogart-line—the McCurdy line; thence South with the McCurdy line, the Ziegler-Bond line and the Story-Printing office line to Eden Street; thence Westwardly along Eden Street 55 feet, 9 inches to the place of beginning.

The Story Printing Office and improvements beginning on the North side of Eden Street at Southeast corner of the Story residence lot; thence Eastwardly along Eden Street 24 feet; thence Northwardly to the L. F. Ziegler-Bond line; thence Southwardly along the L. F. Ziegler-Bond line 24 feet to the Story residence line to the place of beginning.

This is a re-sale of said property, the bid received at prior sale having been raised within the 10-day period allowed by law.

Deposit of five percent of the amount bid will be required of the highest bidder at the hour of sale. This notice dated and posted this 10th day of March, 1941. JOHN F. WHITE, Trustee. mar.13,20—WAL

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of James U. Speight, deceased, late of Chowan County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Edenton, North Carolina, on or before March 13, 1942, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This 13th day of March, 1941. VIRGIE P. SPEIGHT, Administratrix of Estate of James U. Speight. mar.13,20,27,apr.3,10,17—VS

EXECUTORS' NOTICE

Having qualified as executors of the estate of Miss Marian F. Skinner, deceased, late of Chowan County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 28th day of February, 1941,

or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 26th day of February, 1941. ELIZA D. WEBB, FREDERICK B. DRANE, Executors of Miss Marian F. Skinner deceased. All bills should be sent to Mrs. J. Cheshire Webb, Hillsboro, N. C., P. O. Box 365. mar.6,13,20,27,apr.3,10

North Carolina, In The Chowan County Superior Court. Annie Betts, Plaintiff, Vs.

Peter Betts, Defendant. NOTICE SERVING SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

The defendant, above-named, will hereby take notice, that an action, entitled as above, has been commenced in the Superior Court of Chowan County, North Carolina, for the purpose of obtaining an absolute divorce from the said defendant upon the grounds of abandonment and separation for the statutory period of two years; and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said County, in the Court House in Edenton, N. C., within twenty days after April 1st, 1941, and file a written Answer or Demur to the relief demanded in the Complaint in said action, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This 3rd day of March, 1941. (Signed) R. D. DIXON, Clerk Superior Court. mar.6,13,20,27—HL

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as executor of the Estate of Annie Valentine, deceased, late of Chowan County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Edenton, North Carolina, on or before February 13, 1942, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This February 10, 1941.

A. R. SPRUILL, Executor of Estate of Mrs. Annie Valentine. feb.13,20,27,mar.6,13,20—RCH

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of a mortgage executed to the undersigned D. T. Ward, Mortgagee, by Clemma Copeland and her husband, C. C. Copeland, dated March 25th, 1931 and recorded in the Public Registry of Chowan County, N. C., in Book 42, page 111, the undersigned Mortgagee will, at twelve o'clock Noon on March 15, 1941, at the Court House door in Edenton, N. C., offer for sale for cash at public biddings the following real estate in Chowan County, N. C., to-wit: Situated in Third Township,

Chowan County, North Carolina and commencing at D. T. Ward's line on the Southeast at a black gum; thence West to the Baker corner; thence along said Baker and Britt line to the run of Sandy Run Swamp; thence up said run of Swamp to A. T. Perry's corner; thence a South course along said Perry line to the Meadow Road at a maple stump; thence West to D. T. Ward's corner; thence along said Ward's line a South course to first station, containing (70) acres, more or less. See deed from C. C. Copeland to Clemma Copeland, registered in Book "R No. 4," page 254.

And being the same land described in the deed of trust aforesaid. This 13th day of February, 1941.

D. T. WARD, Mortgagee. W. D. Pruden, Attorney. feb.20,27,mar.6,13—WDP.

North Carolina, Chowan County.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of Richard D. Holley and Annie Mary Jordan, Deceased, late of Chowan County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Edenton, North Carolina, on or before the 25th day of January, 1942, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said Estate will please make immediate payment. This 25th day of January, 1941.

B. F. HOLLEY, Administrator Estate of Richard D. Holley and Annie Mary Jordan. feb.20,27,mar.6,13,20,27BFH—P

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Under and by a deed of trust executed to the undersigned W. D. Pruden, Trustee, by J. T. Harris and Wife, dated April 15, 1939, recorded in Book 47, page 563, in the Public Registry of Chowan County, North Carolina, the undersigned Trustee will at twelve (12) o'clock Noon on April 5, 1941, at the Court House door in Edenton, North Carolina, offer for sale for cash at public biddings the following real estate in Yeopim Township, Chowan County,

For General Repair Work, Electric and Acetylene Welding

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North Carolina, to-wit:

That part of the Woodside farm purchased by the East Carolina Farm and Improvement Company of J. G. Wood, beginning at a hickory on the road, corner of Church Land; thence westwardly along road 10.90 chains to stake opposite ditch, Joseph Harrell's corner; thence N. 1.10 W. 34.75 chains to back line, a stake, Joseph Harrell's corner; thence S. 74 1/4 degrees E. 11.10 chains to a stake; thence S. 1 degree 10 min. E. 18.90 chains to the beginning, containing 23 acres, and described in a deed from East Carolina Farm and Improvement Company to John McRea. And being also the same land described in a deed of trust from John Rooks and Wife to J. N. Pruden, Trustee, dated March 16, 1916, and recorded in Book 26, page 260, in the Public Registry of Chowan County, and conveyed by W. D. Pruden, Administrator of J. N. Pruden, Trustee, to J. T. Harris, and being the same land described in the deed of trust aforesaid. This the 6th day of March, 1941.

W. D. PRUDEN, Trustee. mar.6,13,20,27—WDP

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