

## N. C. Tobacco Crop Steps Higher

Another Record Step With March Sales—40 Per Cent. Decrease in Acreage Indicated in North Carolina.

Raleigh, March 12.—The North Carolina tobacco crop made another record step with its March sales made by the 114 warehouses that operated on 31 markets. The total sales reported were 21,528,883 pounds, averaging \$14.17 and about 85,000 pounds not reported. The season's crop sold amounts to over 430,000,000 pounds, averaging 21 cents. This surpasses the government's estimate by almost fifty million pounds and is ten million pounds more than was expected even a month ago.

The Winston-Salem market lead during March with 4,749,086 pounds sold, averaging \$13.61 per hundred pounds, of which 3,991,364 pounds were sold by farmers. Wilson was second with 3,336,955 pounds, averaging \$15.20 and of this, 2,586,935 pounds were first hand sales. Roxboro averaged the highest price at \$19.67 on 392,870 pounds.

Wilson made a record season's sale with \$2,607,026 pounds, exceeding the Winston-Salem market by over two million pounds.

Only two-tenths of one per cent of the sales have failed to be reported to date. The bordering markets conservatively estimate that 16,000,000 pounds of North Carolina's farmers'

tobacco is sold in adjoining states in excess of that brought in and sold. The total producers' season's sales reported amount to about 414,000,000 pounds.

The Nation's 1920 crop of 1,520,000,000 pounds was being made and sold while 31 per cent was exported; 52 per cent of the 1,390,000,000 pounds grown in 1919 was exported, and 28 per cent in 1918. The farm value of the United States tobacco crop in 1920 was \$298,000,000, averaging 19.8 cents; 1919 was \$569,000,000 at 38.9 cents and 1918 \$403,000,000 at an average of 28 cents.

The 1920 crop was inferior in quality, and with the decreased exports the decline in price is reasonable. Exported cigars increased four per cent and cigarettes decreased two per cent. This means that a large stock of tobacco is on hand to compete with the 1921 crop.

Grand jury investigation at Monticello, Ga., Monday into the deaths of negroes alleged to have been held in peonage on the farm of John S. Williams resulted in indictments being returned against Williams, three of his sons and Clyde Manning, negro farm boss, charging a total of 11 murders in Jasper county in addition to the three in Newton county.



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Alvin Chavis,	8.80
Tom Chavis,	13
Mrs. Ann Chavis,	25
Bettie Cummings,	10
Nola Cummings,	8 1-2
Sallie Cummings,	8 1-2
Richard Cummings,	8.80
Johnnie Cummings,	75
Dannie Cummings,	1
Donnie Deese,	1
Mary Dial,	42
William W. Dial,	60
James Dial Sr.	125
John Jimmie Dial,	60
Bettie Dial,	17 3-4
Walter Evans,	25
Etsa Godwin,	80
Rettle Graham,	12
Miss Ruth Hatcher,	1 Lot,
James Hammonds,	8
Malcum Hunt,	38
Allen Hunt,	27 1-2
Owen Jacobs,	9
Will F. Jernigan,	81 1-2
Dock Jones,	24 1-2
Jinny Jones,	15
D. C. Jones,	15 3-4
William Jones,	77
D. E. Jones,	1 Lot,
Miss Flowers Locklear,	.98
Ed. Locklear,	1 Lot,
J. M. Locklear,	65
Nelson Locklear,	37 1-2
Jennie Locklear,	10
Sidney Locklear,	22
Josephine Locklear,	11 1-2
Albert Locklear,	2.54
Miss Eliza Locklear,	19 1-2
Orris Locklear,	30
Isaac Locklear,	60
Angie Locklear,	35
Mrs. Rachel Locklear,	10
Fannie Maynor,	9
Dock Maynor,	11
Virginia Manuel,	8 1-2
Semay Maynor,	50
Mrs. Pinkey Maynor,	11
Mrs. Mrs. Cauley,	40
Mrs. Cannons Oxendine,	50
Negl Oxendine,	119
Mrs. Kattie Roberts,	1 Lot,
Jos. Sampson,	1 Lot,
Mrs. L. T. Sampson,	15
Mrs. L. Sampson,	1 Lot,
J. R. Sanderson,	7
James Smith	88
Will Stricklin,	82
Walter Sanderson,	40
Henry Woods,	1 Lot,
John Woods Est.	21.98
A. L. Butler,	45
William Gregory,	50
Bradley Jacobs,	1 Lot,
B. J. McNeill,	20
Prince McNeill,	1 Lot,
Mrs. Lizzie Pigford,	3
John Pipkins,	42
I. W. Pipkins,	81
W. J. Thompson,	73
Kit Thompson,	5
PARETON TOWNSHIP	10.22
H. W. Armfield, Est.	2 Town Lots,
D. W. Armfield,	1 Town Lot,
P. R. Averitt,	1 Town Lot,
Elias Bailey, Est.	19
Mrs. C. L. Beard,	60
R. E. Briceon,	88

R. L. Braxton,	.52
D. R. Bullard,	164
W. F. Calhoun,	14
W. A. and W. H. Chason,	19
J. H. Elmore,	51
Mrs. W. J. Faircloth,	2
Farrell and Brumels,	1 Town Lot,
Mrs. C. G. Gaynor and R. B. Hutson,	1 Town Lot,
Mrs. S. J. Godwin,	5
Mrs. Annie Johnson,	1 Town Lot,
C. L. Johnson,	2
Mrs. M. J. Moore,	100
Mrs. C. R. Murphy,	27 3-4
Mrs. Susan McCormick,	12
Mrs. G. L. Chapman,	1
M. A. McLean,	63
D. A. McMillan,	134
Mrs. C. A. McMillian,	30
Mrs. Mary McMillan,	317
Mrs. C. A. McMillan,	60
G. V. McPhail,	1
W. H. McRaney, Est.	200
D. C. Proctor,	1
T. M. Shaw,	158
M. T. Chambers,	1
Jas. C. Cogdell,	1
Nathan Hill,	10
N. D. D. D. Raz,	6 1-2
W. W. Robeson,	2, 1-2
William Robeson,	25
H. W. Baucom,	47
J. A. Bruce,	15
Mrs. R. F. McNeill,	144
David Smith, Est.	65
Wright and Odum,	200
A. R. Williams,	46
Eryl Williams,	34
Mrs. L. L. Williams,	25
J. D. Locklear,	30
J. S. Graham,	4
Rufus Herrings,	12
Calvin Mears,	17
C. B. McLellan,	30
L. W. McArthur,	150
Lyde Stewart, Est.	3
W. A. Graham,	47
William Handison,	1
W. F. McDonald,	144
Mrs. W. F. McDonald,	99 1-2
A. R. McEachern, Co.	35
A. R. McEachern,	99 1-2
Mrs. E. A. McIntyre,	116
A. C. McLeod,	120
Miss Mary McNeill,	2
Mrs. McNeills Roads,	2
O. E. Seawell,	2
W. C. Tolar,	2
Paul Wellington,	104
John Brown,	10
Dan Britt,	1
Roxie Currie,	1
W. F. Campbell,	1
H. C. Johnson,	1
William Leach,	2
C. L. Morrison,	1
J. C. McLean,	1
Cynthia E. McLean,	1
Jessie McKinnon,	1
W. F. McDonald,	1
Rufus McDougal,	2
Mary Belle McDougal,	1
Annie McDougal,	1
Nettie Purcell,	20
Ella Austin Smith,	104
Mrs. M. J. Baxley,	1
F. L. Brewer,	1
D. P. Bule,	1
B. J. Blackwell,	1
F. R. Corbett,	1
T. T. Catney,	1
T. C. Cope,	1
Miss Katie Davis, Est.	1
Joanna Dew,	1
Mrs. I. K. A. B. and Clara Devane,	1
Mrs. C. F. Devane,	1
W. W. Fitzhugh,	1
J. R. Godwin,	1
Maggie E. Graham,	1
Jas. M. Graham,	2
A. P. Hall,	1
Miss Addie Lee Hendrix,	1
G. M. Howard,	2
J. A. Hodgin,	2
T. W. Johnson,	1
D. L. Middleton,	96
Miss Mary McN. McEachern,	1
J. K. McGirt,	1
Martin McKinnon, Est.	72
John F. McNair,	75
Mrs. Bell McMillan,	1
J. A. McNeill, Est.	1
G. G. McPherson,	32
Mrs. Annie D. McQueen,	1
R. L. Pittman,	1
Mrs. P. A. Robert, Est.	65
W. B. Robinson,	1
Smith and Snodrock,	1
D. McSmith, Est.	50
C. B. Smith,	1
W. C. Via,	1
W. T. Walker,	2
F. K. Watson,	1
Corinne and Maggie Wilkerson,	96
Willie W. Blue,	5
R. A. Blue, Art.	5
Frank Cormartie,	88
Sam Douglas,	1
Willie Drake,	1
Marcus Junior, Ellis,	1-2
John Graham,	1
Effie T. Hall,	9
Geo. Little,	1
Mary C. Mallett,	1
J. C. Mallett,	2
D. E. Martin,	1
John McCormick,	15
Manner McKay,	1
Wm. McLean,	1
Mitchel McNair,	1
Geo. McNair,	28
Jas. McNeil, Est.	2
Elmer McNeill,	1
R. L. McPherson,	24
Angus McPhaul,	34
Arch Parker,	1
Jack Quirk,	1
W. F. Stanton,	1
Richard Stubbs,	1
Asbie Stubbs,	1
Mary J. Stubbs,	1-2
Samuel Wilson,	9
Oscar Willis,	1
Arch Baker,	2
Bethie Baker,	1
J. M. Clark,	1
Mrs. S. E. Clendenion,	1
W. J. Cooey, Est.	2
G. W. Draughan,	1
F. V. Easterling,	100
J. L. Easterling, Est.	180
L. Evans,	6
J. A. Faircloth,	52 and 1 Town Lot,
Mrs. Esther Leinwand,	1
Lewis Bros,	24
Jno. McCallum,	250
D. P. McKinon,	1
Graham McKinon, Est.	1
J. L. McRae,	1
R. L. Rogers,	1
Miss L. J. Stafford,	145
S. O. Thompson,	50
Sam McDougal,	1
Dale McEwan, Est.	1
Charles Garrett, Est.	23
W. G. McFadden,	1
Gordon Hamilton,	1
Jordan Jacobs,	1
R. B. Monroe,	1
Mamie McLellan,	1
Fletcher McCormick,	1
Sam McDougal,	1
Dale McEwan, Est.	1
Archie Campbell,	1
Charles Garrett, Est.	24
W. G. McFadden,	1
W. G. McFadden, Est.	23
W. G. McFadden,	1
Gordon Hamilton,	1
Jordan Jacobs,	1
R. B. Monroe,	1
Mamie McLellan,	1
Edith Wadsworth,	50
Mrs. D. McEwan,	50
Frankie McFadden,	1
G. E. Taylor,	2
Margie Emanuel,	11
W. H. Hunt,	238
Arch McLean,	141
J. W. McNeill, Est.	100
Purvis Powers,	31
J. C. Smith,	71