

The use of ground dolomitic limestone on tobacco and has given an average increase in value of \$43 per acre for the cured leaf during the last three years with tests made at the Tobacco Branch Station near Oxford, reports H. A. McGee, tobacco specialist for the Stat College extension division.

NOVEMBER MARRIAGE LICENSE

Register of deeds C. C. Poe issued 16 marriage licenses to eleven white couples and five to colored in November. They are as follows:
 B. R. Hargrove and Lillie Buckner, both of Siler City.
 James R. Hilliard, Bear Creek and Cynthia Kimball, Goldston, route 1.
 R. C. Self and Lucy Ann Elmore,

both of Siler City.
 George S. Johnson, Siler City, and Mrs. Eva Exum, Danville, Va.
 Laytn Jnes and Jessie May Snipes, both of Bynum.
 Seawell Burke, Bear Creek, route 2, and Ollie Pike, Siler City, route 1.
 Joseph Stell, Greensboro and Mosie R. Moore, Bennett.
 Albert Tudor, Collibut Springs and Lillian Lucas, Hilly Springs.
 G. H. Kidd, Bennett and Bertha Wilson, Siler City.
 Lacy D. Webster, Pittsboro, route 2, and Annie B. Johnson, Pittsboro route 2.
 Merritt W. Womble, Apex, route 4, and Gertrude Seymore, Apex, route 4. Colored.
 Robert C. Watson and Ester _____, both of Goldston.
 James Lockhart, Northside, and Annie Blair, Pittsboro.
 Charles Bullock and Ina Crump, Apex, route 4.
 J. L. Siler and Allie Siler, both of Siler City.
 Henry Garris, Moncure and Hester Brooks, Pittsboro, route 3.

Dr. J. C. Mann, the well-known eye-surgeon, specialist and optician, wishes to announce that owing to Christmas falling on his regular date in Siler City, he will be at D. Thomas' office in Siler City on Thursday, Dec. 18, from 10 a. m. to 8 p. m. and at Dr. Farrell's office at Pittsboro on Tuesday, Dec. 23 from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. Glasses fitted on these days will be delivered by Christmas day.

A trip with Mr. Will Johnson, the most accommodating mail carrier one ever saw, to Chapel Hill and Durham Saturday was quite pleasant. Mr. Johnson is almost as regular as the clock in his schedule between Durham and Siler City, while his big, smooth running Reo truck affords a real passenger service at a nominal rate that is of genuine value to the people.

CAUGHT KILLER.
 In searching for a still near Hill, Wednesday Sheriff Blair, L. Johnson and Jno. Burns arrested Austin, who is wanted in Greensboro for killing a man there Saturday night. The negro was taken to Greensboro by the officers.

Bargains

at **Bear Creek**

Our November Sale proved so great a success that we have decided to have another sale. It will begin December 10 and continue through December 24. Remember the date.

Good Fresh Groceries Cheap

500 lbs. Armour's Veribest Cheese at ----- 28c
 25 Barrels good-grade Flour, such as Sanford Milling Company's at ----- \$8.80
 Good Mill Feed at ----- \$2.35
 Our flour is not cheap in quality, but only in price. Every sack guaranteed.

Auto Tires and Tubes

We have a good line of Auto Tires and Tubes, including Goodyear, Mansfield, and Goodrich. You get 10 per cent off. They must go. Our prices cannot be beat anywhere.

Work Shirts and Overalls

Men's Work Shirts, heavy, \$1.00 value, only ----- 89c
 Good heavy Overalls, \$2.00 value, for ----- \$1.50
 1 Lot Remnant Rolls, good value ----- 49 to 89c
 Come and be convinced.

New Stock of Men's Shoes

Right Prices to Suit the Good Buyer
LOOK FOR OUR CHRISTMAS AD. WE CAN SAVE YOU MONEY ON YOUR CHRISTMAS GOODS
 No Goods Charged or Exchanged During Sale
 Come and Trade where **QUALITY TELLS AND ECONOMY RULES.**

Cash and Carry

Dunn & Ivey,
 Bear Creek, N. C.

CLEAN-UP SALE

Beginning Saturday, December 6, and continuing until Saturday December 27, I am going to offer my entire stock of

Army Goods, Men's and Boys' Clothing, Ladies' and Children's Coats

AT A FLAT

Reduction of 20 Per Cent

and will continue to give 10 per cent off on many other goods, as in my annual October and November Sale. I am getting in a

New Line of Furniture

of all kinds. Don't buy any household goods 'till you see my line, in fact, you can get about anything you need at my store. Be sure to see our

Christmas Confectioneries & Toys

Santa Claus will save money by buying here

SHOES FOR EVERYBODY

We can fit the whole family in shoes, and at prices that cannot be matched in Chatham county—Shoes not only for everybody, but for every occasion. Let us show you.

A Guessing Contest

I have a jar filled with beans. Anyone trading as much as 10 cents will be entitled to one guess at the number of beans. The one guessing the nearest to the number of beans in the jar will get \$5.00 in cash. The bean guessing contest will close Saturday, December 27, at noon. So don't forget the dates. Come and let me supply your needs at the right prices

C. B. Fitts,
 Bear Creek, N. C.



OUR BREAD

Is as good as you can buy, but it is our

Fruit Cakes

For CHRISTMAS that we are now urging you to buy **Only 50c a lb** at the bakery; 52 cents post paid. We have them 2 to 5 pounds. Quality Guaranteed

Siler City Bakery
 Siler City. North Carolina.

When in Sanford

Visit the

Sanford Cafe

Best Place to Eat

THE PLANTERS WAREHOUSE

IS WINDING UP IT'S

Fall Season in Full Dress

Having made Tuesday, December 9th, the best sale made in it's four years existence. A few averages for that day :

K. L. CRABTREE			P. L. CRABTREE			C. F. NICKOLS		
Pounds.	Price.	Total.	Pounds.	Price.	Total.	Pounds.	Price.	Total.
136	17	23.80	124	50	62.00	54	27	14.58
168	45	75.60	160	47	75.20	76	4g	34.20
80	66	52.80	98	61	59.78	170	80	136.00
90	73	65.70	118	50	100.80	98	73	56.94
170	59	100.30	132	46	60.72	34	50	17.00
134	35	46.90	124	36	44.64	24	17½	4.20
126	35	44.10	50	35	17.50			
904		409.20	856		420.64	436		282.92
Average 44.			Average 49.			Average 60.		

All other grades sold equally as well as the above in proportion to their quality.

It has been the history of the tobacco business in this section that the lower grades get better as the season advances—due to the fact that Durham manufacturers consume all these grades. This is especially true this year due to the short crop. The Planters warehouse adopted the policy four years ago of guaranteeing every pile of tobacco sold to the manufacturer and decided to act as a medium between the farmer and the manufacturer, accepting the rate of charges that any farmer would have to pay at any warehouse. WE ABSOLUTELY DO NO SPECULATING and we believe this has made us the leading WAREHOUSE in Durham this season.

Hamlin & Roycroft,

PROPRIETORS. DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA



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BEAUTIFUL HAND MADE UNDERWEAR, DAINTY SILKEN UNDERWEAR, HANDKERCHIEFS, CHOKERS, SCARFS, NEGLIGEE SILK HOISERY, VANITIES, SILK UMBRELLAS, HAND PAINTED AND COVERED HANDLES OF AMBERITE OR BONE A LOVELY GIFT FOR HER. OTHER ITEMS TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION IN THIS ADVERTISEMENT.



Hand Bags

MADE OF FANCY LEATHERS, BLACK ALL COLORS WITH THE KEY LOCK UNDER THE ARM AND SWAGGER STYLES PREDOMINATING.



JUST REALIZE THE ADVANTAGE IN BUYING NOW. YOU AVOID THE RUSH AND JAM OF THE LAST MINUTE SHOPPERS. YOU FIND A VARIETY OF ARTICLES WHICH NATURALLY GET SMALLER WITH EACH DAY'S BUSINESS, AND YOU GET THE VERY LOWEST PRICES THAT WE WILL BE ABLE TO QUOTE.

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SANFORD'S ONLY EXCLUSIVE LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR STORE.