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SPINDALE HITS HARD TO BEAT BROOKFORD

Spindale, Aug. 1.—The Brookford Mills baseball team suffered defeat at the hands of the local team by the score of 6 to 3. The hitting of the local team led by Tomlin with three hits out of four attempts was the feature of the game.

Batteries: Tomlin and Corn, Clark and Austin.

WE BUY OR SELL—All kinds of real estate. We can get what you want or sell what you need at the right price. Sales conducted. A general real estate business. See us before you buy or sell. **CYCLONE AUCTION CO.**, Forest City. 52-1f

Seven parts of virtue consists in the knowledge that the neighbors are watching.

CONDITION COTTON 66.5 PER CT. AUG. 1

Estimated Yield 14,193,439 Bales, According to Journal of Commerce Reports.

New York, Aug. 1.—Condition of cotton crop at end of July in 12 states covered by The Journal of Commerce is 66.5, compared with June condition of 72.6. Estimated yield is 14,193,439 bales. Cotton is not fruiting. Plants rank. Hot dry weather generally is needed. A good crop is still possible with favorable conditions. Flea is wide-spread and causing loss of bottom crop especially in Texas. Boll weevils are not multiplying. Deterioration is general except in North Carolina, where there has been some improvement, and Florida. In Oklahoma, the condition is unchanged. In other states condition figures show losses varying from a minimum of one point in South Carolina to a maximum of 11 points in Georgia and Mississippi.

NOTICE OF CONSOLIDATION

Notice is hereby given of the consolidation of the banking business of The National Bank of Forest City, with The Farmers Bank K Trust Co. of Forest City, North Carolina, in accordance with the plan of consolidation set forth in resolutions passed at meetings of the Board of Directors of said banks, held on May 24, 1926, and ratified by resolutions passed at meetings of stockholders of said banks held on June 30, 1926, on which date The Farmers Bank & Trust Company of Forest City, North Carolina will take over the assets, and assume all the liabilities of The National Bank of Forest City.

This notice is published in order to comply with the provisions of Section 217, (k) of Consolidated Statutes of North Carolina.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF FOREST CITY, By A. B. Price, vice-President.

THE FARMERS BANK & TRUST COMPANY of Forest City, N. C., By J. H. Thomas, President. 42-4t

NOTICE OF SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain chattel mortgage executed and delivered by W. M. Allen and wife, Annie Belle Allen, unto the undersigned mortgagee, and duly probated and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Rutherford County, in Book 60 of Mortgages, at page 561, and default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness therein secured; Now, therefore, I, W. W. Lavender, the said mortgagee, will sell at public sale to the highest and best bidder for cash on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 7, 1926

at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., in front of the Allen house on Reid street, in the town of Forest City, all of the following personal property, goods and chattels, to-wit:

Household and kitchen furniture, consisting of one iron bedstead, one set of springs, one mattress, one quartered oak dresser, one kitchen cabinet, one range stove, and vessels, one buffet, one rocking chair, three sitting chairs, one dining table, six dining chairs, one parlor suit, consisting of one rocker, one art square, one ice box, all dishes and tables and cutlery, one clock, one porch swing and one small mattress, and one parlor table.

This, the 17th day of July, 1926. **W. W. LAVENDER**, Mortgagee. 41-3t **T. J. MOSS**, Attorney.

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of the authority contained in a certain deed of trust executed by C. B. Hicks and wife, Ola Hicks to the Southern Trust Company, Trustee, on the 1st day of December, 1922, and recorded in Book Y, page 9, office of the Register of Deeds of Rutherford County, N. C., default having been made in the conditions of said deed of trust, the said Southern Trust Company, Trustee, will on

AUGUST 9, 1926,

at 12 o'clock, noon, at the courthouse door, or old Hicks building, of Rutherford County, N. C., sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the lands herein described:

Adjoining the lands of Coleman Bridges, Mrs. E. Allen, W. W. Goode, Baxter Champion and others, and beginning on a P. O. stump on the west side of the public road, Owens' corner and runs thence with his line north 29 1/2 deg. east 54 1/2

poles to a stone by a pine; thence south 19 1/2 deg. east 98 poles to a stone by two dogwoods; thence south 73 1/2 deg. west (v-2) 27 poles to a stone, Allen's corner, thence with his line south 21 deg. east (v-1/2) 71 poles to a stone near the head of a branch; thence south 12 1/2 deg. east (v-1/2) 58 poles to a stake on the creek bank just below the mouth of a small branch, thence up the creek as it meanders north 46 deg. west 51 poles to a stake; thence west 24 poles to a birch, Crott's corner; thence with his line north 8 deg. west (v-3 1/2) 136 poles to a P. O. stump on the west bank of the road; thence south 60 deg. west (v-1) 12 poles to a P. O.; thence north 44 deg. east 11 1/2 poles to the beginning. Containing 48 acres, more or less.

This notice dated and posted this 6th day of July, 1926.

SOUTHERN TRUST CO. Trustee.
By **W. A. WORTH**, Attorney 40-4t

Five fresh eggs laid during mid-winter will pay the room rent of one hen for a modern poultry house, says poultry investigators. A good house will cost about \$2 per hen.

Railroad crossing accidents continue to be evidence that the American people are not superstitious and do not believe in signs.

READ CAREFULLY

Why a man quit using a Ford—He died. **B. B. Doggett.**

WINTER COVER CROPS WILL PAY TAXES

Raleigh, August 2.—Fall planted crops costing from four to eight dollars per acre to grow will furnish at least \$10 worth of grazing or \$25 worth of hay without interfering with other money crops to be grown later on the same land. Such crops therefore will pay the taxes from land that otherwise might be idle.

"We pay taxes for our highways according to the amount we use them," says E. C. Blair, extension agronomist at State College. "For our lands we pay a flat rate for the year, the assumption being that each farmer has possession of his land throughout the year and should keep it busy. If we fail to do so, it is our fault. It is true that many farmers who use their land for only six months each year, growing corn, cotton, tobacco or some other summer crop could easily make cover crops pay their taxes."

Mr. Blair states that these cover

crops cost very little in comparison to the returns given and they will not interfere with a crop the following spring. The benefit may be derived indirectly through the organic matter and atmospheric nitrogen added to the soil when the crop is plowed under. Mr. Blair states that a crop of crimson clover costing four dollars per acre has, when turned under, averaged increasing the following corn crop by 17 bushels per acre. Such a crop also saves the land by preventing it from washing away and helping to hold the soluble plant food. More should be planted this year, he states.

Tom Tarheel says he washes his mules' shoulders at 12 o'clock and they like it about as well as he likes to wash his face and hands after a hard day of plowing.

Queer that a girl refuses to get callouses on her hands from using the broom, but is proud of them if acquired by driving the car.

A PHONE CALL

brings our wagon for your laundry as soon as it is ready, and it is delivered back as soon as finished so that you have no trouble or delay. And you will find the work satisfactory in every respect. Care and scrupulous cleanliness are two virtues observed in our laundry.



Rutherford County Steam Laundry



Some Folks Grow Older And Wiser Others Just Grow Older

A good part of our retail tire business is with people who have grown wise to the "special bargain" and "extra discount" decoys.

They've stopped fooling around with unreliable tire equipment.

They buy Goodyear Tires from us because they have found that Goodyear quality and Goodyear serviceability are about the best safeguards against tire trouble in the world.

They know, too, that they're buying mileage at the lowest quotation on the market.

You'll save money with Goodyears. We have your size—with a tube to match—when you want it.

CLIFFSIDE MOTOR CO.

CLIFFSIDE, -- -- NORTH CAROLINA

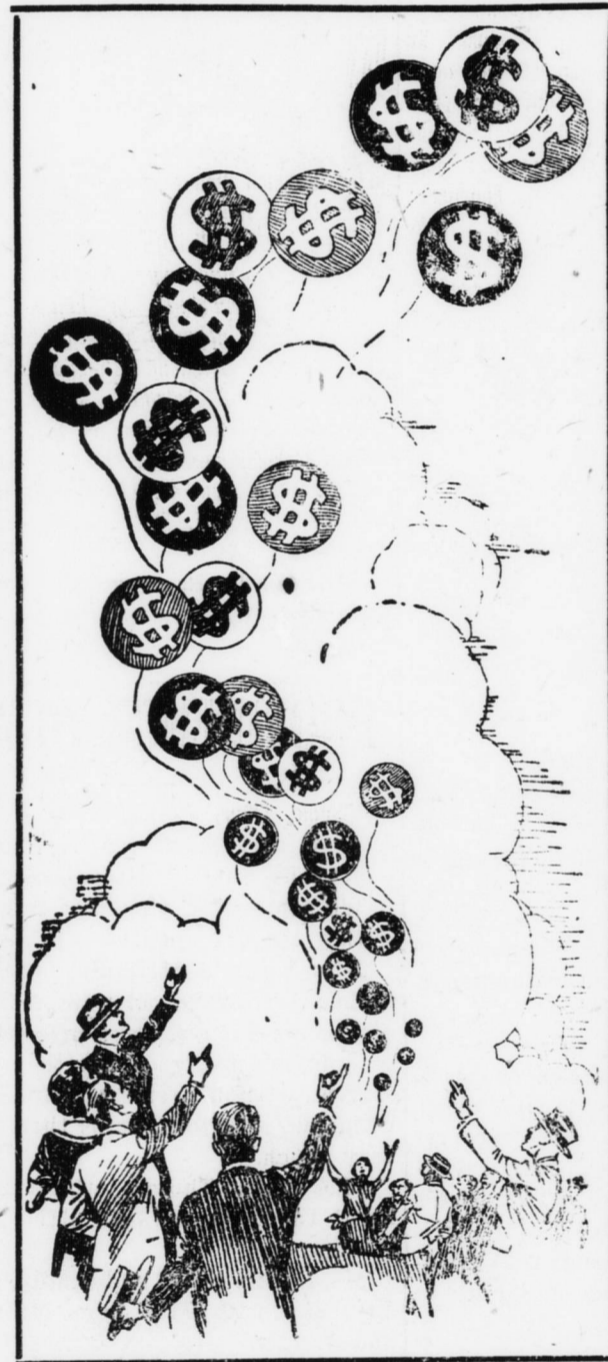
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In the

"DOLLAR DERBY"



If you want to know which way the wind blows—send your dollars away from Forest City. It will be only a matter of time until you will have no dollars to send.



If merchandise wasn't just as good—more often better; if prices were not just as low—sometimes lower, we, the business and professional men of Forest City would not call to your attention the importance of patronizing home stores and home industry. * * * * Your job, your investments and the future of our town hinge on the loyalty of all. Dollars spent at home stay here to keep the wheels of business turning. They make for better jobs, better homes, better churches, better schools and generally increased property values. * * * * Whether it be a dime's worth of ant-killer—a motor car—or, a pair of shoe strings—**BUY THEM IN FOREST CITY.**

Forest City has many advantages to offer you. If you are not already trading here, pay us a visit and see what we have to offer. Good roads to come over, good parking facilities, quality goods and right prices—and a cordial welcome awaits you. **COME TO FOREST CITY.**

The Merchants of Forest City

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Stock your pantry with a liberal supply of our delicious jellies and preserves and you will never be "caught" for something dainty to serve when company drops in unexpectedly.

We sell everything good in groceries and at the **LOWEST PRICES.**

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