

# Drafted Tax Collectors Number Twice U. S. Army

Raleigh, Nov. 5.—Service station men of North Carolina from one regiment of an army of tax collectors, drafted and serving without pay, and twice as large as the regular enlisted army of the United States, R. G. Johnson, secretary of the North Carolina Petroleum Industries Committee, reported today.

The Army, totalling 250,000 strong, is comprised of men who work in the 180,000 service stations throughout the country and who turn over to the federal and state treasuries almost one billion dollars annually, he explained.

"Recent studies have disclosed that one-third of every dollar received by the service stations from their customers represents payments of taxes. In other words, for every dollar that the service station receives for his goods, an average of 43 cents goes to the tax collector," said Mr. Johnson.

"This means that one-third of service station gross receipts goes to the government in taxes. No other business in the United States is penalized to that extent."

"Every third car that drives into a service station is a tax hitch-hiking car. One-third of the service station man's time in supplying customers' cars with fuel, oil, water and air is spent as an unpaid, drafted tax collector. These workers might well doff their uniforms every third day and don the badge and garb of a tax collector.

"There is a lot of talk about hidden taxes. Why, then, not talk about the hidden tax collectors? During the World War the famous 'dollar-a-year men' were prominent in the news. But the service station tax collector gets neither the glory nor the dollar!"

"The service men of this state are not opposed to reasonable taxation of gasoline by the state to finance highway construction and maintenance, but they are opposed to double taxation by both the federal and the state governments. They are opposed to excessive taxation which amounts to 40 per cent or more of the cost of gasoline and the use of the revenue for general purposes. And from what the customers say, they have similar sentiments."

# BETTER FARM LIFE BEING EMPHASIZED

### Equally as Important As Improving Production Methods In State

College Station, Raleigh, Nov. 5.—The development of human resources on North Carolina farms is fully as important as improving crop production methods and conserving and building up the soil.

That is the view taken by the N. C. Agricultural Experiment Station in conducting research studies of the State's rural population, said Dr. R. Y. Winters, director of the experiment station.

Any adequate program for the advancement of rural people must be based on knowledge gained from a thorough study of living conditions on the farm and the sociological and economic aspects of rural life in the State, Dr. Winters stated.

In the course of its studies, the station had published a number of bulletins showing the findings made by various members of the staff. The bulletins are for distribution free to those who apply for them.

Among the publications are the following: "Rural-Urban Migration in North Carolina," bulletin No. 295; "The Growth of the Farm Family in Relation to its Activities," bulletin No. 298; "Factors Influencing Living Conditions of White Owner and Tenant Farmers in Wake County," Technical bulletin No. 37; "Living Conditions

among White Owner Land Operators in Wake County," bulletins No. 288 and 289; "Migration of Sons and Daughters of White Farmers in Wake County," bulletin No. 275.

The experiment station is at present engaged in a study of the activities and problems of North Carolina farm youth and of the recent changes in the economic and social status of North Carolina farmers and their families.

Dr. Winters also said the station is planning to make a study of farm and community resources as related to the human needs of the community.

Sweden's deposits of iron ore are among the largest in Europe.

# Tobacco's Averages Go Higher

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on the Henderson market.

Merchants are awaiting the coming of normal fall weather after the long October spell of moderate temperatures. They are confident that a huge volume of business will be let loose when the weather turns favorable to the trade.

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Carolina Company Men, Including J. R. Porter, Hold Jobs With Two Separate Companies

Washington, Nov. 5 (AP)—A Communications Commission examiner recommended today that three Tarboro, N. C., men be authorized to hold positions in more than one communications system.

The report, by Examiner Davis D. Arnold, is subject to approval, modification or rejection by the commission.

Arnold recommended approval of the applications of George A. Holderness to hold the position of director and president of the Carolina Telephone & Telegraph Company, and of the Home Telephone Company, and of the Home Telephone & Telegraph Company, of Virginia; of C. P. McCluer to hold the positions of vice-president and secretary-treasurer of the two companies, and of John R. Porter to hold the positions of director and executive vice-president.

**Handless Pianist**

Gino Palmisano, whose lack of hands has not interfered with his careers as lawyer, painter and writer has now taken up the piano to such effect that musical critics of the country forecast a brilliant future for him. He is pictured at the piano after a rendition of a Chopin nocturne.

**FORECLOSURE SALE.**  
By virtue of the power contained in a deed of trust executed by Osborne Bullock and Mary Bullock, his wife, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Vance County, in Book 182, page 20, default having been made in the payment of the debt therein secured, on request of the holder of the same, I shall sell for cash, by public auction, at the Court House door in Henderson, North Carolina, to the highest bidder, at twelve (12) o'clock noon on Monday, the Sixteenth Day of November, 1936, the following described property:

**FIRST TRACT:** It is a tract of 104 acres conveyed to Osborne Bullock by Chalmers Gordan on February 15th, 1904, situate in Townsville Township, Vance County, and long known as the Betsy Newton Home Place, bounded by the lands of E. O. Taylor, the E. B. Brewer land, Mack Jones, and others. See Register of Deeds' office, Book 65 page 453 for metes and bounds of same.

**SECOND TRACT:** This is a tract conveyed by Thomas Taylor to Osborne Bullock on January 8th, 1907. See Book 48 page 94 in the office of the Register of Deeds for metes and bounds. It adjoins the above-described tract, the Hargrove land and the Grandison Boyd land, and contains 103 acres, more or less.

**THIRD TRACT:** This tract conveyed to Osborne Bullock by T. T. Hicks and T. M. Pittman, Commissioners, September 14, 1917, see Book 78 page 410, in the Register's office for further description. The same adjoins the land of C. W. Harzrove and sisters on the East or Southeast side of the road, running from Woodworth to Tarry's store, and containing 55 acres more or less, and long known as the Thomas or Haskins land.

B. H. HICKS, Trustee.  
Henderson, N. C.,  
October 15th, 1936.

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