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MR. DUKE ASKS FOR A RAISE.

Mr. J. B. Duke, who is reputed to be the owner of the Southern Power Company, has again stirred up the fire eaters by asking for a raise in the price of power. He states that under the present price of \$1.25 per hundred kilowatt hours he is only making four per cent, and states that he can not continue to add to his plant unless he is granted an increase in rates, asking that he be allowed to make the rate \$1.40. True, Mr. Duke was unfortunate in stating his request, making it appear rather as a threat than as a request, but we accept his statement saying no such threat was intended. If the business is only yielding four per cent, then no business man will censure him for not putting more money into the project, and we have no authority for saying his statement is not true. It is up to the Corporation Commission to decide this question. But the question which puzzles us is why any one should kick on a rate of \$1.40, when we pay for our power \$9.00.

We are unalterably opposed to profiteering, but there has too long been the feeling of crushing any big enterprise—especially if a Duke has anything to do with it, which might come this way. North Carolina is too big for such small practices and should welcome any enterprise which means the upbuilding of the state, and certainly no one proposition has meant more to the industrial growth of North Carolina than the developing of the water power.

We have never, directly or indirectly, received a penny of Mr. Duke's money, but we welcome him and his money to North Carolina and hope the Corporation will see fit to grant him the increase if it is necessary to enable him to continue his development of the latent water power in this State.

SCHOOLS AND ROADS.

No one can pass through Person County without being struck with the wonderful progress being made, and especially is this noticeable in schools and roads. Good schools have sprung up in almost every section of the County and our roads are the equal of any to be found in the State. This is always the result of pulling together. Some time ago the board of education and the highway commission had a joint meeting and decided to work in full harmony, the highway commission promising to see that a good road was maintained in every section leading to a high school, and as a result of this plan school children by the hundreds are transported daily to the various high schools, thus enabling many children to have the advantage of a good school. Of course, there are some sections which think certain roads should be worked, and they probably will be just as soon as the road force can get to them, but it is absolutely impossible for the highway commission to work all roads at once. Few realize the cost in moving the road force from one section to another, hence the dissatisfaction when their request for help is not answered immediately.

WANTED, a good tobacco farmer to cultivate tobacco on shares, farm on good highway three miles from town. I will furnish all fertilizers, land, etc. also advance any supplies that Tenant may have to have. Write me quick. I prefer a family that will make a permanent home with me. Ralph D. Cothran, Manning, S. C. 10-10-23.

BUSINESS LOCALS

OFFICE AT SAME PLACE.

Some were puzzled as to the whereabouts of my present location. You will find my office in the same building where I have been for several years, in the rear of Aubrey Long & Co. grocery store. Just come right in and pass to the rear of the building and you will find me ready to receipt any who may owe me an account. Furniture a little cheaper than you will find it elsewhere. E. D. Check.

JUST ARRIVED, a new lot of mens' up-to-date shoes. Nothing prettier to be found in the town. Roxboro Shoe Store.

GET YOUR WAGON. J. L. Nissen wagon, none better. One, two or three horse wagons on hand ready for delivery, prices right. Come and get one, if you haven't the cash, come any way, I can arrange that for you. Yours truly, J. L. GARRETT.

OWN YOUR HOME, pay for it by the week. See the Building & Loan Plan. Second series began October 1st. Get in today. See the Secretary and let him tell you about it. J. S. Walker, Sec.

Superior quality, fully guaranteed Early Jersey Wakefield cabbage plants. Healthy, vigorous, strong plants. Thousands of plants for sale. N. J. Todd, Roxboro, N. C., route 2, 10-17, 4ts.

NOTICE.

For Singer Sewing Machines, new and 2nd hand, all prices. I repair all kinds of machines, any make. See F. B. Phillips, Roxboro, N. C. Phone or write care of U. S. Army Store, Roxboro, N. C. 10-17 tf

Save furnace coal. Spring and Fall by using Cole's Air Tight Wood Stove. It holds the fire all night.

HUGH WOODS has plenty Crimson clover, seed oats, rape, turnip, rye and any other seed you want.

We talk Quality, We advertise Quality and we deliver the goods. It will pay you to trade with us. Try it. Wilburn & Satterfield.

We have a car of Bunquo Lime at our warehouse at the depot. American Agricultural Chemical Co. See L. G. Stanfield.

"NOTICE OF SALE"

I will offer for sale at my Home Place on the 20th day of October 1923, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. for the highest bidder.

Two Mules in good condition. One two horse wagon practically new.

And also all farming tools of every nature.

This the 2nd day of October 1923. 3-3tspd. Mrs. Ella Clayton.

Bunquo Lime contains 98 per cent of Carbonate of lime and magnesia and is sold under this guarantee. American Agricultural Chemical Co. See L. G. Stanfield.

Tobacco grower, if you want to cultivate tobacco on shares and sell on the Independent Auction Market correspond with Ralph D. Cothran, Manning, South Carolina. Good farm, well located on National Highway three miles from town, farm furnished with every thing necessary for good farming, all fertilizers furnished. Ralph D. Cothran, Manning, S. C. 10-10-23.

You can get by with most any kind of Shoe in the summer time, but it takes "All Leather" to stand weather. Get your Shoes from Wilburn & Satterfield.

COLONIAL BRICK HOME:

10 rooms, 30 minutes from Danville, in Milton, N. C. Wide Halls. Circular Stairway, 4 room Brick Kitchen, Brick Dairy and Smoke House. Garage and Stables. ALSO SOME OLD MAHOGANY. At Public Auction. Milton October 20th, Saturday, 2:30 p. m. 10-3 3ts. JOHN M. FLEMING.

Our customers say that we sell good Shoes and we fully agree with them. Wilburn & Satterfield.

Magnesia in Bunquo Lime improves the land for tobacco. American Agricultural Chemical Co. See L. G. Stanfield.

IF YOU WANT the most stylish and up-to-date shoes, then come in and let us show you our line before buying. Roxboro Shoe Store.

FOR SALE, eight fine pigs, price reasonable. C. G. Daniel, Roxboro, N. C., route 4. 1tpd.

Use Bunquo Lime and improve your soil. American Agricultural Chemical Co. See L. G. Stanfield.

DOG LOST, Collie, dark brown on back, 4 white feet, white mark on face like letter Y, white ring around neck, don't quite reach all the way around, tip of tail white, answers to name of Hub. Reward for information. T. L. Clayton, Roxboro, N. C., route 4. 1tpd.

LOST, white fur cloak with black velvet collar and cuffs, for child about 8 years old. Finder please return to Courier Office and receive reward. 1tpd.

FOUND, a pointer bird dog, brown and white spotted. Owner can get it by seeing Jack Ruffler, near McGee's mill. 1tpd.

JUST RECEIVED a nice lot of ladies novelty shoes, the prettiest ever shown in the city. Come and look them over before buying. Roxboro Shoe Store.

LOST, at Fair grounds—\$10.00 reward—one N. C. C. W. class ring 1924. Return to Courier Office. 1tpd

DOG LOST, brown and white spotted male pointer, wearing lock and collar, with 1923 license tag. Answers to name of Don. Left my car at Loch Lily. Finder please notify P. H. Clay, Roxboro, N. C.

I have some second hand pianos I can sell at a bargain. One \$450.00 at \$300.00; One \$400.00 piano \$250.00; One \$400.0 piano at \$175.00. Maynard Bros., John H. Carver.

DON'T FORGET the sale of Town property in Roxboro on Monday, November 5th, at 12 o'clock, Court House door.

ON MONDAY, November 5th, at 12 o'clock in front of the Court House door I will sell the W. L. Thomas home place on Lamarr Street, and one town lot situated on South Main Street. This is your opportunity, don't miss it. W. N. Thomas, administrator.

DON'T FORGET the sale of Town property in Roxboro on Monday, November 5th, at 12 o'clock, Court House door.

Strayed or Stolen, female setter, medium size, white with black spots, last Friday, Oct. 12th. If found notify W. Y. Pass, Roxboro, N. C. 1tpd.

GOOD FREE burning coal for curing tobacco. This coal is in lump form and is the cheapest fuel for this purpose. Come and get your supply and be ready when your first cutting is placed in barn. E. H. Gates, Roxboro, N. C.

MAKE EVERY WEEK SHOE Thrift Week

YOU don't throw away your watch because the mainspring breaks—why throw away your shoes because the soles wear through?

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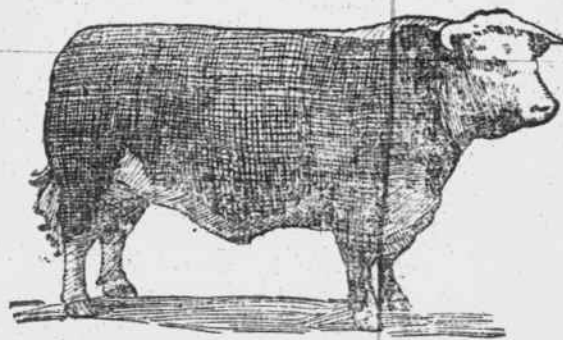
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You say these days are chilly—not much—but some morning soon you will awaken to find the thermometer flirting with zero, then you are going to want some of our chill checking apparel; that heavy suit and overcoat or that stylish coat with or without a fur collar or a warm Charmeen or Poiret dress and you will want these in the nifty styles which we are showing and selling at mighty low prices. Buy stylish, warm and comfortable clothes at a price which you can afford to pay and you will be happy. Lastly keep your feet dry with a pair of our good looking shoes which are guaranteed to give satisfaction.

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Too many people start bank accounts with the good intention of saving money regularly but let their accounts become DORMANT.

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Man, Buying that New Suit Let it and get that Old And you just how it will Look has had a course At our Modern Pressing and More than you will Decide you need a New Suit



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