

Seventeen Beer Licenses In Macon

RALEIGH, Jan. 10.—There are 17 places of business in Macon county licensed by the state to sell beer at retail, it was announced today.

Figures, compiled by the Brewers and North Carolina Beer Distributory committee as of January 1, disclosed that the state has issued retail beer licenses to 4,689 dealers.

Mecklenburg county's 321 easily tops Guilford's 231. Forsyth is third with 210, and Buncombe fourth with 181. Others in order are Wake 162, New Hanover 161, Durham 144, Rowan 121, Robeson 119, and Rockingham and Gaston tied with 101 each.

For the three-month period ended December 31, the state department of revenue issued 303 beer licenses, but to date—4,689—is under the 1038-1939 peak of 5,029, it was announced. However, it is anticipated that the number of retail licenses will exceed 5,000 before the 1939-1940 tax year (for beer) ends April 30.

This number includes 37 places of business which have lost their licenses as a result of the beer industry's "clean up or close up" campaign in North Carolina, it was explained. Edgar H. Bain, of Goldsboro, three-times state senator and state director of the Brewers and North Carolina Beer Distributors committee, directs the drive against objectionable beer outlets in the state.

Oil Land Judge



The problem of legal compensation to United States and other foreign oil companies for lands seized by the Mexican government now rests with Judge Ponciano Hernandez, who will appoint an appraiser to evaluate oil properties.

12 District Poultry Short Courses Planned

A series of 12 district poultry short courses will be held throughout North Carolina, starting January 22 and continuing through February, it is announced by C. F. Parrish, extension poultryman of State college. County agents are in charge of arrangements for the meetings, in cooperation with representatives of other agricultural agencies.

The schedule follows: January 22, at Waynesville in Haywood county; January 23, Lenoir in Caldwell county; January 29, at Elizabeth City in Perquimans county; January 30, at Rocky Mount with Nash and Edgecombe counties as joint hosts; February 5, at Rutherfordton in Rutherford county; February 6, at Concord in Cabarrus county; February 12, at Jacksonville in Onslow county; February 13, at Elizabethown in Bladen county; February 10, at Carthage in Moore county; February 20, at Winston-Salem in Forsyth county; February 27, at Washington in Beaufort county; and the 12th meeting in Wake county at a time yet to be set.

Parrish and T. T. Brown of the Poultry Extension office will attend each of the meetings, while C. J. Maupin, another extension poultryman; Prof. Roy S. Dearstyn and H. C. Gauger, of the college poultry department; and Dr. C. H. Bostian, of the zoology and entomology department, will also assist with the meetings.

This will be the fifth year that district poultry short courses have been sponsored by the Extension service. The first year the average attendance was 50 persons per meeting; last year it was more than 200 per meeting, with 2,700 farmers and farm women attending the 12 short courses.

The meetings are alternated among the counties in the districts from year to year.

Farm Families Need To Grow Own Food

Farm families probably will have a higher net income in 1940 than they had in 1939, says Miss Pauline Gordon, home management specialist of the State college extension service. But, unless they produce their own food the increased income will be overcome by higher costs of purchased materials, she added.

In an outlook for farm family living in North Carolina, Miss Gordon said: "Total receipts for marketing of farm products are expected to increase due to improvement in industrial activities and in consumer incomes. Income from government payments will probably be about the same. Non-farm earnings of family members may increase, with greater opportunities for employment. But, despite the improvement in economic conditions, a large percentage of the farm families of North Carolina will be faced in 1940 with the problem of stretching incomes of less than \$500 to provide for all their household needs."

Turning to the subject of "The Family's Food," the Extension specialist declared: "Costs of producing food for household use increase less than do retail food prices, hence farm families can offset a rise in the cost of their food by planning to produce a larger than usual share of their total food supplies. Such plans, if made with nutritional as well as financial goals in mind, may also yield returns in the form of improved family diets and in better health."

"North Carolina diets as a whole are lacking in certain important foods. The lack of milk is greatest, but there is also a lack of sufficient fruits, lean meats, poultry, eggs, whole grains, and, at certain seasons, fresh vegetables. Farm families should make every effort to produce the essential food needs for good nutrition of the family."

Improved Uniform International SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D. Dean of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for January 14

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THE PROBLEM OF FORGIVENESS

LESSON TEXT—Matthew 18:21-35. GOLDEN TEXT—And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.—Matthew 6:12.

Christianity and forgiveness belong together. Among the religions of the earth Christianity stands out as the one true faith because it properly and adequately meets the problem of sin. In Christ is provided forgiveness for sin, cleansing from all unrighteousness, a new birth by which one enters into a life of holiness and power.

Since these things are true it would seem to be almost unnecessary to urge God's children to be of a forgiving spirit. But as Bishop Ryle says, "It is a melancholy fact that there are few Christian duties so little practiced as that of forgiveness. It is sad to see how much bitterness, unmercifulness, spite, harshness and unkindness there is among men." Surely these things ought not to be.

I. The Extent of Forgiveness (vv. 21, 22).

"How long do I have to stand it?" is the question of the human heart untouched by the spirit of Christ. The injustices of life, the offenses of our fellow men against us, all seem to pile up until the burden is about to crush us. What is the answer to man's cry?

The Jews had an answer. Three times is enough. Forgive once, yes. Again, yes. But the third time, no. Peter was big-hearted enough to more than double that allowance of mercy. He was willing to forgive not just two or three times, but seven times. The point to be kept in mind, however, is that whether forgiveness means three times or seven times, if there is a limit, it is a matter of reckoning, of keeping books, and of ultimately bringing down our judgment upon the heads of the offenders.

The spirit of Christ swept all of that aside. He said that one should forgive 70 times seven. In other words, Christian forgiveness is to be untiring, unlimited, to know no weariness and have no boundaries. If one really forgives it is because he has a forgiving spirit and that spirit is not exhausted by use, but rather grows by exercise.

A word of caution is in order at this point. Let no one suppose that our Lord's instruction means that offenses against the law of the land or against the good order of society are to be overlooked and condoned. It relates to the cultivation of a personal spirit of forgiveness, the laying aside of revenge, of malice, of retaliation which do not become the Christian.

II. The Motive of Forgiveness (vv. 23-34).

Two motives are given in our text, the first being that since we ourselves are daily and hourly in need of forgiveness at the merciful hand of God, we should in turn be merciful toward those who sin against us. Compared with our offenses against the law of God, we know that the misdeeds of our neighbors against us are mere trifles. Remember what God has done for you, and then when you are tempted to be hard and ungracious with your brother, remember the mercy of God.

The second motive is the remembrance that a day of judgment is to come. There is always a time of reckoning ahead even as was the case with these servants. Remember not only what God has done for you and is doing for you, but what you must yet expect Him to do in that day of judgment.

III. The Importance of Forgiveness (v. 35).

A man dealing with his fellow man is apt to think that it is merely a matter between man and man. We are not dealing with a straight line between ourselves and our brother (that was Peter's error), but with a triangle at whose apex is God Himself. If I expect God to forgive me, I must let that same forgiveness flow out to my brother. If I deal with him as though God had nothing to do with the matter, then I must not try to count God's forgiveness into the picture when I stand indebted before Him.

Here again we express a word of caution. Let no one suppose that our redemption in Christ is contingent upon what we do toward our brethren. "For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves it is the gift of God; not of works, lest any man should boast" (Eph. 2:8, 9). Nor does the truth of our lesson mean that we are somehow going to bargain with God, trading a bit of our forgiveness toward others for His forgiveness of us. God is not interested in such transactions. But it does mean that if you cannot or will not forgive, you may well consider whether you are a Christian at all.

Angry Words

Seest thou a man that is hasty in his words? There is more hope of a fool than of him.—Proverbs 20, 20.

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NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

North Carolina, Macon County, In The Superior Court The Federal Land Bank of Columbia, vs.

W. N. Grist and wife, Willie Mae Grist, Ivan Owens, Frank Binson, Spurgeon Owens, Mrs. Georgia Anderson, Stover Mason, Ray Dryman, Jack Wilburn, Carl Allen, and Radford Wilson.

The defendants, W. N. Grist, Willie Mae Grist, Carl Allen, and Spurgeon Owens, will take notice that an action as above entitled has been commenced in the Superior Court of Macon County, North Carolina, to the end that the plaintiff may foreclose a contract of sale covering lands in which the above named defendants claim an interest, and the above named defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear within thirty days in the Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Macon County, North Carolina, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 27th day of December, 1939.

HARLEY R. CABE, Clerk Superior Court Macon County, North Carolina D28-4tc-J18

NOTICE OF SALE

North Carolina, Macon County.

WHEREAS power of sale was vested in the undersigned trustee by deed of trust executed by Clara E. Mitchell, Trustee, dated July 1, 1939, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Macon County, North Carolina in Mortgage Book 37, at page 64, to secure the payment of certain indebtedness in said deed of trust set forth; and, whereas, default has been made, in the payment of the same:

I will, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale by said deed of trust in me vested, on Friday, February 2, 1940, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the courthouse door in Franklin, North Carolina, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate:

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BEGINNING on the east side of Bidwell Street at the southwest corner of H. L. Guffey's home lot, and running with the south line of said lot N 77 deg. 49 min. E 400.9 feet to a stake in Mrs. George A. Jones' line, H. L. Guffey's southeast corner; thence with Mrs. George A. Jones' line S 21 deg. 24 min. E 72.5 feet to a stake, H. L. Guffey's northeast corner; thence with his line S 74 deg 45 min. W 411.5 feet to a stake on the east side of Bidwell Street, said Guffey's northwest corner; thence with the east margin of Bidwell Street 94.3 feet to the place of Beginning.

This land is being sold subject to any prior liens.

This January 2, 1940. R. S. JONES, Trustee

J11-4tc-F1

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of Walter M. Arnold and Mary Arnold, deceased, late of Macon county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 27th day of December, 1940, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 27th day of December, 1939. LESTER L. ARNOLD, Administrator

D28-6tp-F1

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of Joseph Dewesse and Lucindia Dewesse, deceased, late of Macon county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 30th day of December, 1940, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 30th day of December, 1939. J. B. SHIELDS, Administrator

J4-6tp-F8

ADMINISTRATOR C. T. A. NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator C. T. A. of Wm. E. Roper, deceased, late of Macon county, N.

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C. this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of H. L. Guffey's home lot, to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of December, 1940, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 15th day of December, 1939.

J. FRANK RAY, Administrator, C. T. A. D21-6tp-J25

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as executor of Patrick Thomson Farnsworth, deceased, late of Macon county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of January, 1941, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This the 1st day of January, 1940.

SIDNEY W. FARNSWORTH, Executor.

J4-6tc-F8

NOTICE

The annual stockholders meeting of the Macon County Building & Loan Association will be held in the Building & Loan office, Bank of Franklin Building, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. on Thursday, January 19, 1940. Please be present either in person or by proxy.

H. W. CABE, President

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE BANK OF FRANKLIN

Of Franklin, in the State of North Carolina, at the Close of Business on December 30th, 1939

ASSETS

1. Loans and discounts (including \$..... overdrafts)	\$114,137.31
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed.....	15,701.00
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	43,450.73
6. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	169,014.77
7. Bank premises owned \$12,300.00, furniture and fixtures \$878.44.....	13,178.44
(Bank premises owned are subject to no liens not assumed by bank)	
8. Real estate owned other than bank premises	1,574.10
11. Other assets	521.70
12. TOTAL ASSETS	\$357,578.05

LIABILITIES

13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations.....	\$225,093.30
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings).....	136.43
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	62,870.62
18. Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.).....	2,762.15
19. TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$290,862.50
23. Other liabilities	5,084.34
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	\$295,946.84

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

25. Capital.....	25,000.00
26. Surplus	35,000.00
27. Undivided profits	631.21
28. Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	1,000.00
29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$61,631.21
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.....	\$357,578.05

†This bank's capital consists of \$..... of capital notes and debentures; first preferred stock with total par value of \$....., total retireable value \$.....; second preferred stock with total par value of \$....., total retireable value \$.....; and common stock with total par value of \$25,000.

MEMORANDA

31. Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed; pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	\$13,000.00
(b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	42,000.00
(c) TOTAL	\$55,000.00
32. Secured and preferred liabilities:	
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	62,870.62
(d) Deposits preferred under provisions of law but not secured by pledge of assets	136.43
(e) TOTAL	\$63,007.05
34. (a) On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was	43,629.00
(b) Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to	169,014.00

I, H. W. Cabe, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: H. W. CABE, Cashier

W. A. ROGERS, Director
GROVER JAMISON, Director
R. S. JONES, Director.

State of North Carolina, Macon County.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of January, 1940, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

DON L. HENRY, Notary Public.
My Commission expires December 21, 1940.