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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1923.

Have you ripped up those cotton stalks yet? If not, you are letting the dew weevil go into winter quarters sleek and fat, ready to come out vigorous and strong next spring.

A RIGHTEOUS TAX William Rockefeller's will, disposing of his estate which would take a man 7,700 years to amass on a salary of \$100 a week, carefully abstains from handing any of it back to the public in the form of a bequest to humanity. The whole 200 million dollar estate is left in trust for his descendants.

The instance proves the justice of inheritance taxes. The federal and state governments will collect from the Rockefeller estate sixty millions of dollars to be used for public purposes. A fairer law would take more.

It is a question whether any good comes from wealth handed down to the third generation. For what a millionaire does for the public he is well paid, if not over paid, during his life time. It is a question how much further the obligation extends.—Capper's Weekly.

A PRIZE WINNER North Carolinians kick like moonshine whiskey when they have to pay taxes for the support of their government, but during the last few years they have been stung to the extent of more than twenty five millions of dollars, according to an estimate made by Insurance Commissioner Wade, and he adds the opinion that that estimate is too low.

If the state were to issue bonds for that sum of money for some public work, or for schools, there would go up a howl that would reach to the highest dome of the heavens, and the chief howlers would be the people who have been victimized by or are fit subjects for fake stock sellers.

ANNUAL STATEMENT FROM THE REGISTER OF DEEDS OF MARTIN COUNTY OF THE DISBURSEMENTS OF THE GENERAL COUNTY FUNDS, ETC., FROM DECEMBER 5TH, 1921, TO DECEMBER 4TH, 1922, INCLUSIVE. AMOUNTS PAID OUT AS FOLLOWS:

Table with columns for month (DECEMBER, 1921) and list of disbursements with amounts. Includes entries like Forest Braswell, county poor \$3.00, Clayton Moore, expense state highway 67.50, etc.

50 GOOD CIGARETTES 10c GENUINE BULL DURHAM TOBACCO. Includes an illustration of a bull.

Small table with names and amounts: home 50.00, Jarrett Skyles, county poor 3.00, Jim Nicholson, county poor 4.00.

Table with columns for names and amounts, including J. C. Smith, judge recorder's court \$125.00, R. J. Peel, clerk recorder's court 13.00, H. T. Roberson, sheriff recorder's court 4.25, etc.

JANUARY, 1922

Table with names and amounts for January 1922: W. T. Meadows, lights, court house, Nov., 1921 6.10, W. T. Meadows, lights, prison camp 46.30, etc.

DECEMBER, 1921

Table with names and amounts for December 1921: Forest Braswell, county poor \$3.00, Clayton Moore, expense state highway 67.50, Robert Downs, county poor 4.00, etc.

Table with names and amounts for February 1922: Forrest Braswell, county poor 3.00, Nancy Brown, county poor 3.00, Jane Williams, county poor 3.00, etc.

Table with names and amounts for March 1922: Titha Matthews, county poor 4.00, R. J. Peel, clerk 42.51, H. T. Roberson, recorder's court 10.50, etc.

Table with names and amounts for April 1922: Robert Smithwick, county poor 13.00, H. T. Roberson, sheriff, court schedule 55.00, E. S. Peel, court schedule 12.50, etc.

Table with names and amounts for May 1922: R. J. Peel, C. S. C. 78.49, H. T. Roberson, sheriff, court schedule 55.00, E. S. Peel, court schedule 12.50, etc.

Table with names and amounts for June 1922: Bailey and Barahill, county poor 10.00, Harrison Wholesale Co., supplies, stockade 82.00, Harris Hardware Co., and bridges, supplies 53.40, etc.

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