

## Local and Personal

**Spends Week End Here**  
Miss Minnie Robertson of Teachers College, Greenville spent the week end here with her mother, Mrs. J. L. Robertson. She was accompanied home by Miss Janet Wedmore.

**Spends Holidays Here**  
Messrs. Herbert Peete, Jr. and William Hodges, students of Wake Forest college are spending the Easter holidays with their parents.

**Spends Week End Here**  
Mr. Goodwin Gaskins of Richmond spent the week end in town visiting friends.

**Visits Mrs. Crawford**  
Mr. and Mrs. Julian Hassell and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Godard of Jamesville visited Mrs. J. C. Crawford Sunday.

**Spends Week End with Parents**  
Miss Carrie Lee Peel, who is at attending school at the Teachers College, Greenville, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Peel.

**Visits Friends Here**  
Mr. "Squash" Aydlett of Elizabeth City spent Easter with Mr. James Edwin Griffin.

**Visits Relatives Here**  
Miss Mary King Ellison and Mr. William Ellison of Belhaven spent Sunday with relatives here.

**LOST: A loose-leaf sermon book** black cover. Please return to B. D. Critcher.

**Visitor Here Yesterday**  
Mr. T. Jones Taylor of Robersonville was a visitor here yesterday.

**Motor to Raleigh**  
Messrs. Wheeler Martin, Elbert S. Peel and Louis Bennett motored to Raleigh yesterday.

**Spends Week End With Family**  
Mr. R. G. Harrison spent the week end here with his family.

**Visited Relatives Here Sunday**  
Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Mizelle and little son, Dan and Miss Eleanor Belk of Tarboro visited relatives in Williamston Sunday.

**Visiting Mrs. Smith**  
Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Barnes and little son, Collin, Jr. of Mufreesboro, arrived Friday to visit Mrs. Irene Smith. Mr. Barnes returned Sunday. Mrs. Barnes and child will spend a month with relatives.

**Spends Sunday in Town**  
Miss Mary White of Greenville spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Mollie White at her home on Main street.

**Motored to Greenville Sunday**  
Misses Elizabeth Hassell and Margaret Manning and Messrs. Harry Biggs, Brvant and Frank Carstarphel motored to Greenville Sunday.

**Spends Easter with Relatives**  
Mr. Stator J. Peel and children, spent Easter with relatives here.

**Visits in Wilson**  
Mrs. J. B. H. Knight and Mr. Chas. A. Knight visited friends and relatives in Wilson Sunday.

**CAPTAIN T. W. STOWE VISITED HERE YESTERDAY**

Captain T. W. Stone of the Coast Guard service was a visitor in town yesterday.  
Captain Stowe has been in the service for 34 years. Twenty-six years of this time he was located at Diamond Shoals, the most dangerous station in the world. During the 26 years of his service there, he has assisted in the saving of hundreds of lives.  
He is now located at a station 12 miles south of Hatteras. He asked for a transfer because of the nervous strain.

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**Motored to Washington**  
Messrs. F. W. Hoyt, D. C. Barnes, J. H. Saunders and J. S. Rhodes, Miss Frances Hoyt, and Mr. Harry A. Biggs motored to Washington to hear the cantata on Friday evening.

**Spent Yesterday in Raleigh**  
Messrs. Clayton Moore and C. D. Carstarphel spent yesterday in Raleigh.

**Attends Dance in Washington**  
Messrs. James Griffin and "Squash" Aydlett attended the dance in Washington last night.

**Spends Week End Here**  
Miss Estelle Crawford of Belhaven spent the week end in town with her mother, Mrs. J. C. Crawford.

**Leaves Tomorrow for Greensboro**  
Misses Bonner Gurganus and Emma Belle Harris will leave tomorrow for Greensboro where they will resume their studies at North Carolina College.

**From Windsor**  
Mr. Robert Turner Gilliam of Windsor was a visitor here Sunday.

**Visits Relatives Here**  
Miss Annie Louise Crawford of the Teachers College, Greenville, spent the week end in town with her mother.

### SOUTH SHOWS BIG INCREASE IN COOPERATIVE MARKETING

The tremendous increase in cooperative marketing in the Southern States during the past 10 years is brought out by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, United States Department of Agriculture, when it is shown that these States there are now some 913,000 farmers who are members of cooperative organizations as compared with 104,000 in 1915.

For the country as a whole there are now approximately 2,500,000 farmers who are members of cooperative organizations compared with 651,000 in 1925. Nearly one-half, or 46 1-2 per cent, of the total membership is in the 12 North Central States where cooperative marketing has always been a strong factor.

The New England States show 55,000 farmer-cooperators, compared with 21,000 in 1915; Middle Atlantic States 141,000, compared with 64,000; East North Central group 444,000, against 107,000; West North Central 717,000, against 259,000; South Atlantic 329,000, compared with 37,000; East South Central 320,000 compared with 36,000; West South Central 264,000, against 31,000; Mountain States 66,000, against 35,000, and the Pacific States 164,000 compared with 66,000.

## WANTS

**LOST: A BASKET OF CLOTHES** which I put in some one's car thinking that it was mine, last week. Reward if returned to Simon Lilley, Williamston, N. C.

**FOR SALE: A THOROUGHBRED** young cow. Will sell for \$75 cash. Mrs. L. C. Roberson. a10 2t

**I WOULD LIKE TO DO WASHING** for several good families. Mary Small, 112 Wilson St. m10 8tpd

**WANTED: TWO OR THREE HUNDRED** nice pigs, weighing from 25 to 75 pounds, gross weight. We will pay from 10c to 12c, according to quality or size. Phone or write just what you have. J. J. Roberson & Son, Jamesville, N. C. m27 4t

**WANTED: AN AGENT FOR A** very large old line fire insurance company to write insurance on farm property, particularly on the installment plan. We have a very attractive

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## Public Will Shoulder Increase in Postage

**Rates To Go In Effect April 15 To Be Source of Inconvenience At First**

Increased postage rates, and changes affecting the handling of mail of the second, third, and fourth class, which go into effect on April 15 throughout America, are expected to occasion some little confusion before the public becomes accustomed to the new order, and in order to acquaint the people of this section with the changes that are to be inaugurated, the following information issued by the Williamston post office is offered:

It is of the utmost importance that patrons of the Post Office understand these changes in order that the proper amount of postage be paid and collected on mail. Failure to do so may cause annoyance, delay and inconvenience to mailers. Post cards, 2nd, 3rd and 4th class matter when mailed with insufficient postage will be held at the office where mailed until the full amount of postage has been paid. The principal features of these changes are as follows:

1. The change becomes effective April 1, 1925.
2. The rate of postage on all post cards and all private mailing-cards whether written or printed will be two (2c) cents. There will be no change in the rate of postage of Government postal cards nor any other mail of the first class.
3. The rates of postage on 2nd class mail, which embraces newspapers and other periodicals of publication, when mailed by others than the publisher

ive proposition to offer. Party must be well acquainted in his community. Please state previous and present business connections. Address Post Office Box 666, Charlotte, N. C. m27 3t

### BEAT THE BOLL WEEVIL

By using WARREN'S Improved Prolific Cotton Seed. Grows medium weed and produces a heavy July crop. Field selected for ten years. \$1.2 per bushel.  
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### ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

Having this day qualified as administratrix, C. T. A., of the estate of Fernia B. Whitley, late of Martin County, this is to notify all persons claiming against the said estate to present same for payment on or before March 13, 1925, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.  
All persons indebted to said estate will please come forward and make settlement of same.  
This March 13, 1925.  
MARY W. MUNDY,  
m17 6w - Administratrix, C. T. A.

**WANTED: EVERY PROPERTY** owner to use a gallon of L. & M semi-paste paint out of any he buys and if not perfectly satisfactory the remainder can be returned without payment being made for the one gallon used. See our advertisement in this paper. Longman & Martiney

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"My mother had taken Cardui and she thought it would do me good, so she told me to take it. My husband got me a bottle and I began on it. I began to improve at once. It was such a help that I continued it until after the baby's birth."  
"I took eight bottles and I can certainly say that it helped me. It is a fine tonic. It built me up and seemed to strengthen me. I grew less nervous and began to sleep better."  
"I can certainly recommend Cardui to expectant mothers, for to me it was a wonderful help. In every way I felt better after taking it and I think it is a splendid medicine."  
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or news agent, shall be two (2c) cents for each (2) ounces or fraction thereof or for weights not exceeding eight (8) ounces and for weights of such matter exceeding eight (8) ounces the rate of postage prescribed for parcel post mail shall be applicable thereto.

4. Mail matter of the 3rd class will embrace all matter up to and including eight (8) ounces except 1st class mail and newspapers and other periodical publications when mailed by the publishers or news agents. The rate of postage thereon shall be 1 1-2 cents for every two (2) ounces or fraction thereof except that the rate of postage on books, catalogues, seeds, bulbs, cuttings and plants shall be 1c for every two (2) ounces or fraction thereof.

5. Fourth class will embrace all matter over eight (8) ounces in weight except 1st class mail, newspapers and other periodical publications when mailed by the publishers and news agents. The rates of postage on 4th class mail shall be the same as the present rate and in addition thereto there shall be a service charge of two (2) cents on each package, except upon packages on rural routes. An additional charge of (2c) twenty-five cents for each package, when the mailer desires the package to receive special handling.

"Special handling," means, practically speaking, that such parcel post is to be handled not as parcel post is customarily handled but as first-class mail is handled. So far as the nature of the mail permits the "special handling" stamp makes parcel post first-class mail. It must be carefully distinguished from the "special delivery" service, where the chief advantage applies after the arrival of mail at the post office of its destination. It requires both services and both stamps to obtain the best and speediest mail service possible.

6. The registration fee for articles indemnified for fifty (50) dollars or less is fifteen cents (15c) and for all over fifty dollars (\$50.) and not in excess of one hundred dollars (\$100.) is twenty-five cents. The minimum Money Order fee and insurance fee are both five cents (5c).  
One-half (1-2) cent and one and one-half (1 1-2) cent postage stamps will go on sale at the local office on April 15th.—Jesse T. Price, Postmaster.

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## DRAINAGE MEET AT GREENVILLE

**Seventeenth Annual Convention April 21 and 22; Interesting Program Prepared by Officials**

The seventeenth annual meeting of the North Carolina Drainage Association has been called to meet in Greenville on April 21st and 22nd. These meetings have proven of very great value to the State, fostering as they do the progress of one of our ever-existing problems, that of drainage.

A steady development of some of our latent resources has resulted from these annual conferences, thousands of acres of the most fertile lands of the South have been transformed from a serious menace to the health of the communities surrounding them into fields of magnificent production, thereby doing the State a two-fold service by adding both health and wealth to its people.

Drainage under the North Carolina plan was a new departure for the South, and its history has been one of trail blazing, at these meetings the digested results of actual experience in drainage work are subjects of study.

By comparative analysis of both success and failure met in the course of actual operation we gather data

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that fortifies against failures and guides us to success in future developments.

No small part of the immediate and lasting results of these meetings comes from personal exchange of views of interested business men who have drainage problems to meet. The sessions are always open to the discussion of any thought pertaining to drainage, its aim being to disseminate knowledge of the lasting benefits of drainage.

Greenville was selected as the point of meeting this year for several reasons, among them the great interest Pitt County is now manifesting in drainage, its central location to present drainage activities, and the expressed desire on the part of its business and civic organizations that the call be made for their city.

For those visiting there will be an expression of Pitt County hospitality in the form of one of their open-air barbecues near one of their drainage operations, where inspection of actual work will be easy.

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## NOTICE OF Town Convention

A convention is called to be held at Court House on Tuesday night April 14th, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the office of Mayor and Town Aldermen for the town of Williamston for the ensuing year commencing June first 1925, and any other business that may properly come before it.

**J. L. HASSELL, Mayor.**