

Marriage Licenses Issued in March

Marriage permits for the month of March underwent a big drop from the number issued in February. Register of Deeds J. Sam Gotsinger sold thirteen of the licenses for the county during the month, seven of the thirteen going to white couples and six to colored pairs. During the month of February there were 22 permits granted by the register of deeds, and of the 22, 15 went to colored couples. In March, while the number issued to colored couples decreased considerably from those issued in February, the whites held their number the same as it was the previous month. Two objections were filed in the previous month and one in March, the three being made by white parents.

The list follows:
White
 Lander A. Williams 40, Lillian Worthington, of Pitt County, 26; Robert Nathan Crisp 23, Olivia Harrell 20; Thomas Lawrence Lilly 21, Fannie Mae Hodges 21; David L. Harrell 21, Frances Johnson 16; Fernando Elester Bland 19, Florence Wiggins 17; Louis W. Mizelle 37, Mary Frances Rogers 38; J. see Wynn 30, Gertrude Rogers 24.
Colored
 Henry Moore 22, Margaret Outerbridge 21; James A. Peel 18, Emily Pearce 19; Zeb D. Rollins 21, Beatrice Teel 18; Walter Sheppard 20, Lucy Lilly 18; Harvey Jenkins 20, Essie Cronwell 18; Ben Fleming 26, Fannie Mae Leathers 19.

NOTICE OF SALE PERSONAL PROPERTY
 I will sell on Wednesday, the 27th day of April, 1927, all the personal property belonging to the late Harriett E. Ward at her death, not otherwise devised, at her home, and (1-2) one-half interest in five (5) bales of cotton.
 Terms of sale: Cash.
 Sale will begin at 2 o'clock p. m. This 26th day of March, 1927.
 mr29 4tw S. M. JONES, Administrator, Harriett E. Ward.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND
 By virtue of the power of a certain deed of trust, executed by J. B. Speller and his wife, Mattie Speller, the 28th day of May, 1924, of record in book Q-2, at page 133, office of the register of deeds for Martin County, N. C., same being house and lot in the town of Williamston, N. C.

default having been made in the payment of the debt secured thereby, and at the request of the holder of the said notes, I will, on Thursday, April 14, 1927, at the courthouse door, Williamston, N. C., between the hours of 12 o'clock m., and 1 o'clock p. m., sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following lots or tracts of land:
 1st. Beginning at the second cross street southwest of the A. C. L. depot at Aug. James corner, thence S. E. along said street 25 feet to Woodard's corner, thence along his line southwardly 225 feet to the Ben Spruill's line, thence N. W. along the Spruill line 47 feet to Aug. James' line or corner, thence N. easterly along James' line 219 feet to the beginning.
 2nd tract: Adjoining the lands of Ed Williams, John Harrell, Fred Harrell, and others, and being lot No. 5 in the land division of Mattie Speller's father, and which was drawn by the said Mattie Speller, and said division being of record in clerk's office of Martin County to which reference may be had for further description of the same.
 This the 11th day of March, 1927.
 B. DUKE CRITCHER, Trustee.
 mr15 4tw Craig & Pritchett, Attorneys, Windsor, N. C.

Messrs. D. D. Stalls and A. T. Crawford will spend tomorrow in Durham attending to business matters.
 Mrs. J. A. Parker and little daughter, Bettie, left yesterday for their home at Suffolk after visiting her aunt, Mrs. F. K. Hodges and Mr. Hodges for several days. Mrs. Parker is remembered in Williamston as Miss Eva Wolfe, having spent her childhood with Mr. and Mrs. Hodges.

WANTS

WANTED: 10 OR 12 SOWS WITH pigs or sows that will farrow in April or May. Price must be right. J. G. Staton. a5 2t

ANYTHING IN FLOWERS, EAS- ter lilies, corsages, roses, carnations. Right prices. Early orders mean choice flowers. Mrs. John D. Biggs, Phone 65.

A YOUNG GILT, WEIGHING ABOUT 90 pounds, white with few black spots, marked crop and staple fork in the right ear, and over keel left ear, has been in my field 2 weeks. Owner please come and pay cost. N. F. Roberson. mr 29 3tpd

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\$2,000 POLICY
\$12.50 to July 1st, 1927
 Covers all occupations, including farmers and mechanics, and costs \$12.50 first payment, which covers all costs on the insurance until July 1st. The cost is then \$10 quarterly, as follows:
 July 1, 1927, \$10 Jan. 1, 1928, \$10
 Oct. 1, 1927, 10 Apr. 1, 1928, 10

Accident Benefits
 Death \$2,000.00
 Loss of both eyes 2,000.00
 Loss of both hands 2,000.00
 Loss of both feet 2,000.00
 Loss of either foot 700.00
 Loss of either hand 700.00
 Loss of either eye 500.00
 Total disability, per month (for life) 80.00
 Partial disability, per month 30.00
 Surgeon's fees 20.00
 Financial Aid 200.00
 All the Above Are Doubled for Travel Accidents

Sick Benefits
 Confining sickness, per month \$80.00
 Non-confining sickness per month 40.00
 Benefits paid for one day or more while in hospital, per month \$125.00
John L. Rodgerson
 WILLIAMSTON, N. C.
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STATEMENT CONTINENTAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY
 Condition December 31, 1926, as Shown by Statement Filed

Amount of capital paid in cash	10,000,000.00
Amount ledger assets Dec. 31st previous year; total	67,597,336.25
Income—from policyholders, \$24,929,795.35; miscellaneous, \$5,555,895.12; total	30,485,690.47
Disbursements—to policyholders, \$13,639,520.95; miscellaneous, \$13,736,118.28; total	27,375,639.23
Fire risks—written or renewed during year, \$4,004,979,177.00; in force	4,782,047,864.00
All other risks—written or renewed during year, \$2,275,813,708.00; in force	1,263,329,669.00
ASSETS	
Value of real estate	\$ 1,723,045.68
Mortgage loans on real estate	15,200.00
Value of bonds and stocks	62,558,304.00
Cash in company's office	4,375.00
Deposited in trust companies and banks on interest	3,214,310.45
Agents' balances representing business written subsequent to October 1, 1926	2,635,230.12
Agents' balances, representing business written prior to October 1, 1926	126,530.75
Bills receivable, taken for fire risks	423,738.25
Bills receivable, taken for other risks	6,587.35
Interest and rents due and accrued	339,815.64
All other assets, as detailed in statement	229,758.89
Total	\$71,276,896.13
Less assets not admitted	331,493.19
Total admitted assets	\$70,945,402.94
LIABILITIES	
Net amount of unpaid losses and claims	\$ 2,741,896.88
Unearned premiums	26,680,043.71
Salaries, rents, expenses, bills, accounts, fees, etc. due or accrued	25,000.00
Estimated amount payable for Federal, State, county and municipal taxes due or accrued	585,000.00
Contingent commissions, or other charges due or accrued	152,154.05
All other liabilities, as detailed in statement	5,252,404.18
Total amount of all liabilities except capital	\$35,446,498.82
Capital actually paid up in cash	\$10,000,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	25,498,904.12
Surplus as regards policyholders	35,498,904.12
Total liabilities	
Total	\$70,945,402.94

Business in North Carolina During 1926
 Fire risks written, \$65,555,424; premiums received, \$17,569,25
 All other risks written, \$20,214,270; premiums received, 118,942.43
 Losses incurred—fire, \$108,780.22; paid, 4,328.15
 Losses incurred—all other, \$3,010.11; paid, 4,328.15
 President, Paul L. Haid; secretary, F. R. Millard; treasurer, Chas. E. Swan.
 Home office: 80 Maiden Lane, New York City.
 Attorney for service: Stacey W. Wade, Insurance Commissioner, Raleigh N. C.
 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
 INSURANCE DEPARTMENT
 Raleigh, February 21st, 1927.
 I, STACEY W. WADE, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the Continental Fire Insurance Company, of New York City, filed with this department, showing the condition of said company on the 31st day of December, 1926.
 Witness my hand and official seal, the day and year above written.
 STACEY W. WADE,
 Insurance Commissioner.

Report of the condition of the **BANK OF OAK CITY** at Oak City, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, March 23rd, 1927.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$100,770.61
Demand loans	3,375.00
Overdrafts, unsecured	201.57
United States bonds and Liberty bonds	12,300.00
Banking houses, \$13,500; furniture and fixtures, \$3,320.09	16,820.09
Cash in vault and net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies	29,912.91
Cash items held over 24 hours	17.80
Total	\$163,397.98

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$ 10,200.00
Surplus fund	7,956.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	416.44
Deposits—subject to check, individual	80,770.99
Time certificates of deposit, due in less than 30 days	58,571.73
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,132.82
U. S. Bonds	9,850.00
Total	\$163,397.98

I, B. M. Worsley, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 B. M. WORSLEY, Cashier.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 31st day of March, 1927.
 T. H. JOHNSON,
 Notary Public.
 Correct—Attest:
 H. S. EVERETT,
 S. W. CASPER,
 W. R. EVERETT, Directors.

NOTICE OF SALE
 Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by Ben D. Biggs and wife, Bessie Biggs, to the undersigned trustee and bearing date of January 8th, 1924, and of record in the public registry of Martin County in book Q-2, at page 6, said deed of trust having been given to secure the payment of a certain note of even date and tenor therewith, and default having been made in the payment of said note, and the terms and conditions in said deed of trust not having been complied with, and at the request of the holder of said note, the undersigned trustee will, on Monday, the 11th day of April, 1927, at 12 o'clock m., at the courthouse door of Martin County, at Williamston, N. C., offer at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to wit: Beginning on the Williamston and Washington road at the bridge below the old Rawls or Peel Mill; thence N. seventy-five (75) acres, more or less,

and being the identical tract of land conveyed to Clayton Moore by James Biggs and wife, Tamer Biggs, by deed dated December 4, 1916, which is of record in the public registry of Martin County in book L-1, at page 261, to which said deed reference is hereby made for a more accurate description. This 8th day of March, 1927.
 A. R. DUNNING,
 Trustee.
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WHAT DO YOU LOOK FOR In Choosing Used Cars? VALUES

- We are listing below a few of these values for your approval:
- 1 1926 Chevrolet Coupe \$495.00
 - 1 1926 Tudor Ford Sedan 425.00
 - 1 1926 Ford Touring 175.00
 - 1 1926 Ford Roadster 195.00
 - 3 1925 Ford Tourings, each 150.00
 - 1 1925 Ford Roadster 125.00
 - 2 1925 Ford Coupes, each 200.00

Other Good Values Not Listed
 Come and get yours before they are picked over.

CHEVROLET

Harris Motor Company
 ROBERSONVILLE, N. C.

MULE SALE

24 Broken Mules 4 to 6 Years Old

Weighting from 900 to 1,200 lbs

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Tuesday, April 12

11 A. M.

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 Handsome new coats of real distinction. Slim of line with or without fur trimmings. Ultra smart and decidedly new. Coats of satin, sheens, and novelty sport fabrics in all the favorite colors. You will find your coat here.
 We have them in a wide range of prices: \$9.95 to \$14.75.
 We especially wish to call your attention to a large line of new coats which we are featuring at—
\$17.50 and \$24.75

DRESSES FOR EASTER
 You will be delighted with these gay, youthful frocks for Easter wear. Buoyant with the fresh charm of spring, they give youthful interpretations of the new mode. Here are the unusual sleeves, charming color combinations in frocks that give that exalted feeling of knowing they are smart. Priced special just in time for Easter. We have them at prices ranging from—
\$9.95 to \$35
 And we also have a specially attractive assortment that we are offering at—
\$14.75

NEW MILLINERY STYLES
 Your spring wardrobe, of course, can not be complete without a stylish new hat. In our millinery department you will find a portrayal of all the new styles for spring. They are priced at \$2.75 to \$15. We purchased a special line of hats that usually sell for \$10, which we are offering at—
\$6.00

EXCEPTIONAL VALUES FOR MEN
 In our men's department, you'll find a pleasing display of new suits and furnishings for spring. Suits are exceptionally well tailored. All sizes and at attractive prices. We will be glad to show you our stock. Suits priced at—
\$22.50 to \$37.50

MEN'S HATS
 A fine display of the new models in men's and young men's hats. We have the famous Stetson hats at \$8, and we also have other fine values at \$3.50, \$5, and \$6.

OUR SHOE DEPARTMENT
 Ladies' footwear is an important addition to her wardrobe. In our shoe department, you'll find all the new shades, including the attractive blondes and many with lizard skin trimmings. Special values at—
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 You will find in our hosiery department hose to match any pair of shoes that you may purchase here. All the new novelty shades at prices ranging from
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