

WEEVILS INFEST COTTON IN STATE

Southeastern Part of State Especially Hard Hit, Says State's Statistician

Serious infestation by the boll weevil in southeastern North Carolina, and along the South Carolina border was reported yesterday by Frank Parker, State-Federal agricultural statistician, who has completed a partial survey of the State.

The southeastern sections shows greatest damage, according to Parker's report, and if rainy weather continues the worst damage ever experienced in the State from the ravages of the insect may be expected. Wayne County showed first infestation of the section, according to Parker, with many fields running over 50 per cent damaged. Dusting, now being practiced, is having little effect as a deterrent.

"Weather conditions have been very favorable," Parker says, "for a maximum propagation and damage. Too many farmers are not taking the weevil seriously enough and are therefore not dusting and cultivating as much as it is advisable. A large percentage of the young bolls already opened are being seriously attacked in the main or central North Carolina-cotton-belt. "Boll weevil damage had a big share in lowering the August 1 government cotton forecast, and the September 1 report may show a very much poorer condition, due to weevils, according to the present outlook."

WANTS

BENTHALL PICKER OWNERS: Take notice. I will rebuild your old peanut pickers from the trucks up and guarantee them to do the same work that a new one will do. See me at once as I can only overhaul a limited number, and if you wait until later in the season, you will be disappointed. J. S. Whitley, Prop., Williamston Supply Co. a2 6t

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GOOD USED CARS: WE HAVE one Chevrolet ton truck and several Fords with light delivery bodies. Harris Motor Co., Robersonville.

NOTICE

North Carolina, Martin County. In Superior Court. **D. G. Matthews vs. Edith Brown** The defendant, Edith Brown, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the superior court of Martin County, N. C., to sell the house and lot under and by virtue of a tax certificate sale, and said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the clerk superior court of said county in Williamston, N. C., on the 17th day of September, 1927, 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 17th day of August, 1927. R. J. PEEL, Clerk Superior Court. a19 4tw

NEARLY HALF MILLION CARS IN STATE NOW

Automobile for Every 6.6 Persons in North State Is Shown by Survey

NOW LEADING SOUTH

Automobiles Totalling 441,650 Now Owned by Tar Heels; Florida Next With 374,757

Sunday sightseers will be quick to believe that there is an automobile for every 6.6 persons in North Carolina. Automobiles totalling 441,650 are running over the roads of the Tar Heel State. For every gallon of gas consumed the State gets 4 cents for retirement of road bonds and for the building of more roads.

That the buying of automobiles has not bankrupted the Old North State is shown by the fact that for the year ended June 30, 1927, North Carolina led all the Southern States by a wide margin in the payment of Federal taxes and paid \$20,000,000 more to the Federal government than all of the New England States combined, figures at the State Capitol show.

North Carolina's automobile registration is 441,650, followed by Florida with 374,757; Virginia, 299,924; Tennessee, 269,948; Georgia, 257,760; Maryland, 245,070; Alabama, 224,843; Louisiana, 210,000; Mississippi, 198,500; South Carolina, 174,523.

Department Agriculture Wants Names Growers Of Korean Lespedeza

For several years the United States Department of Agriculture has been distributing seed of Korean lespedeza and last year was able to refer inquirers to several growers who had seed for sale. The department desires the coming fall to prepare a new list of growers who will have this seed for sale. Information can be received as late as the first of February, and insofar as practicable, should contain information showing the seed stock first sown, the approximate amount of seed that will be offered for sale, and the price asked. Information of this sort should be addressed to the Office of Forage Crops, Bureau of Plant Industry, Department of Agriculture.

MONEY FOUND IN WILLIAMSTON. Loser describe and get from C. E. Jenkins. a19 1t

NOTICE

Under and by virtue of a judgment in the action entitled, "D. G. Matthews vs. W. J. Adams," the undersigned commissioner will on the 17th day of September, 1927, at 12 o'clock noon, at the courthouse door of Martin County, offer at public sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following-described tract of land located in Jamesville Township, and known as the Carey land, and now owned by W. J. Adams, and being the same land set out and described in a tax certificate of sale dated June 7, 1926, and the same land listed by the said M. J. Adams for the year 1925. This the 17th day of August, 1927. B. A. CRITCHER, Commissioner. a19 4tw

NOTICE

Under and by virtue of a judgment of the superior court in the special proceedings entitled, "Carrie Biggs, et al vs. Harry Biggs, et al," the undersigned commissioner will, on the 31st day of August, 1927, at 12 o'clock noon, at the courthouse door of

J. C. Meekins, Jr. M. W. Meekins MEEKINS & MEEKINS Attorneys at Law WASHINGTON, N. C. State and Federal Courts

Martin County sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described property:

Bounded by Sycamore Street and a street leading from Sycamore Street to the railroad, Luke Slade house and lot of Annie House and known as the Thelma Biggs place. This the 29th day of July, 1927. B. A. CRITCHER, Commissioner. a2 4tw

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 Mrs. Eula Lee Robertson and husband, L. C. Robertson, to the undersigned trustee and bearing date of September 29, 1919, and of record in the public registry of Martin County in book B-2, at page 241, 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 12th day of September, 1927, at 12 o'clock noon, 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:

All that tract or parcel of land lying and situate and being in Hamilton Township, Martin County, and State of North Carolina, and being lot farm No. 31 on plat of land formerly owned by S. S. Hadley, plat of which is on record in Martin County Register of Deeds office in book No. 1, page 488, to which said plat for a more accurate description reference is had. Being Lot No. 3 of the Conoho farm subdivision, and for a more complete description refer to map herein mentioned.

This the 10th day of August, 1927. **WHEELER MARTIN,** Trustee. A. R. Dunning, attorney. a12 4tw

NOTICE

Having this day qualified as administrator of J. H. Davenport, deceased, late of Martin County, all persons holding claims against said estate are hereby notified to present same for payment to the undersigned on or before July 30th, 1928, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery of the same. All persons indebted to the said estate will come forward and pay same promptly. This 30th day of July, 1927. R. W. ADAMS, Administrator. Washington, N. C. a5 6tw

SALE OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon us in a deed of trust executed by B. F. Hughes, jr., and wife, Ada Hughes, on the 23rd day of June, 1925, and recorded in book of mortgages X-2, page 105 and 106, Martin County, we will on Saturday, the 3rd day of September, 1927, at 12 o'clock noon, at the courthouse door in Williamston, sell at public auction for cash, to the highest bidder, the following land, to wit:

All that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Hamilton Township, Martin County, and State of North Carolina, bounded on the north by the lands of W. N. Sherrod and Slade, Rhodes & Co., on the east by the lands of J. H. Sherrod, Slade, Rhodes & Co., and J. H. Sherrod, on the south by the lands of I. B. Pritchett, containing 316.05 acres, more or less, and being lots numbers 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, 13, 15, and 16 of the division of the Jerusha Sherrod Flem-

ing Bennett land, as shown by a map of same of record in land division book No. 3 at page 66.

Beginning at the corner of W. N. Sherrod (being corner of lot No. 4 in the above division on the Williamston and Hamilton road, thence along the said road S. 62 E. 588 feet S. 62 1-2 E. 1406 ft. S. 43 E. 408 ft. to a canal, thence along the canal S. 1 1-2 W. 136 ft. S. 29 E. 140 ft.; thence S. 42 1-2 W. 1731 ft. S. 47 3-4 E. 800 ft. S. 47 3-4 E. 800 ft. N. 42 1-4 E. 1500 ft., thence along a canal S. 30 E. 183 ft. S. 14 E. 686 ft. S. 17 E. 156 ft. S. 17 1-2 E. 100 ft. S. 21 E. 250 ft. S. 7 E. 1290 ft., thence along a branch S. 60 W. 219 ft. 47 1-2 W. 500 ft. S. 47 1-4 W. 360 ft. S. 45 W. 367 ft. S. 60 W. 439 ft. S. 60 W. 439 69 W. 134 ft. N. 72 W. 276 ft. N. 73 1-2 W. 283 ft. N. 34 W. 290 ft. N. 44 W. 286 ft. N. 9 W. 290 ft. N. 40 W. 300 ft. N. 64 1-2 W. 300 ft. N. 84 W. 268 ft. N. 45 W. 210 ft. N. 42 W. 319 ft. N. 60 W. 275 ft. N. 78 W. 204 ft. S. 67 W. 289 ft. N. 77 1-2 W. 233 ft. N. 34 W. 242 ft. N. 10 1-2 W. 170 ft. N. 2 E. 142 ft. N. 19 W. 142 ft. N. 37

W. 184 ft to Slade, Rhodes corner; thence N. 42 1-2 E. 1825 ft. thence N. 47 3-4 W. 1000 ft. thence N. 32 E. 585 ft. N. 5 1-2 E. 215 ft. N. 15 1-4 E. 58 ft. N. 5 degrees and 40 min. E. 162 ft. N. 18 degrees and 40 min. E. 210 ft. thence N. 29 degrees and 55 min. E. 450 ft. to the beginning, as shown by a map of same made by Sherman Clodfelder, C. E., on December 14, 1923, said map being recorded in the public registry of Martin County in land division book No. 3 at page 66.

This sale is made by reason of the failure of B. F. Hughes, jr., and wife Ada Hughes, to pay off and discharge the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust to the North Carolina Joint Stock Land Bank of Durham. This the 18th day of July, 1927. **FIRST NATIONAL CO., INC., OF DURHAM,** Former First National Trust Co., Durham, N. C. a5 4tw Trustee.

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