

**PINETOPS**  
LEADS EASTERN CAROLINA IN THE PRICE OF  
**TOBACCO**

In September according to figures just released by the Crop Reporting Service

Just to convince you that Pinetops sells it higher, we give below average price at Pinetops and surrounding markets

PINETOPS .....	\$28.91	Farmville .....	\$24.46
Greenville .....	\$22.80	Rocky Mount .....	\$22.17
Wilson.....	\$25.56		

**Pinetops Tobacco Board of Trade**  
C. H. Webb, Sec. and Treas.                      W. E. Cobb, President.

**RECORDER'S COURT.**

Ben Purvis, colored, retailing, 3 months on road.  
Beg Woodley, violating auto law, \$5 and costs.  
Turner Pender, assault with deadly weapon, 4 months on roads.  
Turner Pender, carrying concealed weapons, 3 months on roads.  
Frank Braswell, assault, 1 cent and costs.

**LOOK OUT FOR MAD DOGS.**

A dog was bitten a few days ago by a strange dog.  
The bitten dog was confined for ten days and turned loose.  
Now the same dog has gone mad and played havoc among a dozen or more dogs.  
The law on mad dogs is very explicit. It says that the owner of a dog knows or has reason to believe that his dog has been bitten by a mad dog, the dog should be killed at once.

**EXPECT RATIFICATION**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—Final vote on ratification of the treaty with Germany is expected in the Senate today.

**BRUSH GUESSING CONTEST.**

This guessing of the number of bristles in a 2 1-2 inch brush was lively this morning at the hardware store of the Austin Hardware Co.  
The exact number of bristles in his brush was 18,224. Mrs. John Cheshire won the prize by guessing 17,457, and so Mr. W. C. Austin gave her enough Devoe Velour finish with which to paint any room in her house.  
There will be another contest tomorrow on the number of bristles in a 4 1-2 inch brush.

**POE LITERARY SOCIETY OF PINETOPS HOLD MEET**

PINETOPS, Oct. 18.—On Friday, October 14, the Clarence Poe Literary Society of the Pinetops high school held its regular bi-monthly meeting.  
After the regular order of business had been attended to, the following literary program was rendered:  
1. Roll call, answer with quotation from any writer.  
2. Devotional exercises, Miss Brown.  
3. Short biographies of Southern writers.  
a. Paul H. Hayne, Father Ryan, and Thomas N. Page, by Milton Brown.  
b. Henry Thirard, Irwin Russell, and Joel Chandler Harris, by Clifton Webb.  
4. Story from Uncle Remus, John W. Brown.  
5. Selected poems from Southern writers, Edna Webb.  
6. Reading from Thomas N. Page, Louise Moore.  
7. "Old Black Joe," Victrola record, by Alma Gluck.  
Nettie Mae Phillips, reporter.

**SOME AVERAGE.**

Mr. G. B. Causeway said a load of tobacco on the Ruffin Warehouse floor today averaging 85 cents. One he brought \$1.06 per pound. This is the highest price paid on this market, and we think the highest of any other market in eastern North Carolina this season.

**STEPHENSON TRIAL BEGUN**

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 18.—Taking of testimony in the trial of Rev. Edwin W. Stephenson, charged with second degree murder in connection with the killing of Father James L. Coyle, Catholic priest, began today.



**A BETTER BANK SERVICE TO YOU**

It is becoming more and more evident that co-operation between the farmer, the business man and the bank is necessary for the most satisfactory growth of either.  
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We appreciate the business with which we are favored. The best, most helpful, friendly Banking Service possible to be rendered is the expression of our appreciation.

**The First National Bank**  
TARBORO'S MILLION DOLLAR BANK

**MASONS TO MEET.**                      **FOGH TO LAY WREATH.**  
Concord Lodge No. 5, R. A. M.,                      F. A. R. M., Oct. 18.—Marshal F. will meet at 7:30 tonight in the Masonic Temple. She members are urged to be present.

**MARRIAGE AT WHITAKERS**                      **NEW B. & L. SERIES OPENS**  
A surprise marriage took place at Building & Loan opened the first. Whitakers. The contracting parties this month and the opportunity were Mr. Will G. Trevathan and Miss now given all to begin in the Sallie Weeks.



*Guess how many Bristles in this Brush?*

**And win enough DEVOE Velour Finish to mottletone any room in your home**

EVERYONE in town is entitled to one guess in each daily contest to be held on the dates noted below.  
The person who comes closest and who is present in our store when the contest is decided (which will be each evening) will be given enough Velour Finish to Mottletone any room in his or her home.  
The actual contest brush will be displayed in the window of our store on the dates noted below.  
The number of bristles is known to only one person, the traveling Mottletone demonstrator. Come in each of these days and fill out your contest slip.

**OCTOBER 17 18 19**  
Austin Hardware Co.

Mottletoning gives beautiful effects of color and texture that make the wealthiest homes could find in the past.  
It can now be done easily and economically over plaster, burling or wallpaper. Devoe Velour Finish merely touched on and there with a handful of ordinary wrapping paper.  
Come in and see a square of Mottletoning yourself during the dates listed. A factory expert will be present to explain all details.



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**ONLY 5 c A PIECE FINE QUALITY**  
Pleasantly Mild—A Satisfying Smoke.  
5 IN TINFOIL                      **25c**  
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**SELF-RAISING BREAD PREPARATION**

Pure, wholesome foods, easy to digest, build robust health. Horsford's restores to flour the vital phosphates necessary to health, but which are lost in the milling process. Horsford's mixed with your favorite flour makes hot breads, cakes, pastry, taste better, more delicious, more easily digested.

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For free Prize List, write Bamford Chemical Works, Providence, R. I.

**Highly Nutritious—Builds Bone and Muscle**

**COASTAL PLAIN FAIR**

**November 1st 2nd 3rd 4th**

**TARBORO, N. C.**

**The Fair You Have Been Waiting For Bigger and Better Than Ever.**

**Big Free Attractions Day and Night**

**Attention Mr. Farmer**

Regardless of short crop, Pinetops is selling more tobacco than ever before. For the month of September Pinetops led all markets in high prices. The Planters Warehouse led Pinetops. We averaged way up in the eighties and nineties for numbers of loads. When you sell your tobacco you will make no mistake by selling in Pinetops, and with The Planters Warehouse where you are always assured the top of the market. Satisfied customers is what's making our business a success.

**Follow The Crowd To The Planters Warehouse**  
**SUGG & WEBB Props.**