

**OF INTEREST TO FARMERS ALDRIDGE CLAIMS**

Mr. N. H. Smith, the official cotton grader of New Bern, was here Saturday and made a trip through some sections of this county with the writer, and supplies were distributed to ginners for the purpose of sending samples of cotton to the New-Bern office. Several bales were sampled on the route, and Mr. Smith pronounced it to be very good.

If you want your ginned cotton graded, either see your local ginner or communicate with me. This can be arranged within a short time. In fact, you should get terms from a grader within three days after samples have been mailed to any point in the county. If there is any part about cotton grading work you fail to understand, get in touch with me or Mr. Smith.

Why not have an official cotton weigher? If you are interested in such a thing let us see what can be done. Several buyers and merchants are interested in this matter, and with your co-operation a weigher can be secured. Will you co-operate?

N. B. STEVENS.

**ENTOMOLOGY.**

**Do You Keep Bees?**

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 7, 1916. In starting the state work in Bee-keeping, a list of those who are interested is needed. Every person who keeps bees and takes special interest in them is urged to write at once to Mr. George H. Rea, Specialist in Bee-keeping, N. C. Extension Service, at Raleigh, stating the number of swarms, kinds of hives used, etc. This list will be used in sending out information and arranging visits.

A recent trip in the western half of the state in which over a thousand hives of bees were seen, showed that many swarms will enter the winter with scant supplies, and must be fed in order to be strong in the spring, and this is highly important so that they may take fully advantage of the honey-flow. The past year has not been very successful, though some of the more skillful bee-keepers made satisfactory crops of honey. Skill and knowledge pay in bee-keeping same as in other lines of business.

**No Cotton Boll-Weevil in North Carolina.**

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 7, 1916. At this season every year farmers find that many cotton-bolls are not opening as expected, and in searching for a cause they notice insects or diseases which they have not seen before. Only too often such "discoveries" are reported to local papers are given publicity under suspicion that the "Cotton Boll-weevil" is doing the damage.

Mr. Franklin Sherman, Entomologist in the State Department of Agriculture at Raleigh wishes to emphasize the fact that while such reports have been current each autumn for over twelve years, and while he has identified scores of interest sent to him under suspicion, yet no true specimen of Cotton Boll-weevil has ever yet been taken in the state, and there is no reason to suspect that it is present. A disease properly known as Anthracnose which causes the boll to rot, has been the real cause of most of the complaints. The Boll-weevil is in the southwestern third of Georgia, not yet in the rest of that state, nor in South Carolina. Mr. Sherman says that it will probably be from five to ten years before it reaches the southern border of our state.

**FOR SALE CHEAP—One Little Giant Peanut Picker.** In good condition. For particulars apply to R. H. CHESSON, Mackeys, N. C.

**FRIENDS HARDLY RECOGNIZE WIFE.**

**Tanlac adds 15 pounds to weight after suffering of a decade.**

"After suffering for ten years from indigestion, my wife got so bad that to eat solid foods was out of the question. The slightest noise would disturb her and night after night she would lay awake—sleep refusing to come. Then too, she suffered from severe pains in the side. Although she was prescribed for her condition grew worse. Then we heard of Tanlac." The speaker was W. C. Aldridge, well known High Point resident. "Now, three bottles of Tanlac have made such a change in Mrs. Aldridge that friends hardly know recognize her. 'Why, she is hungry for every meal and eats every thing she likes without serious after effects. Pains left her side, she is not nervous, her sleep is sound and refreshing, she has gained 15 pounds and is able to do her own house-work again.'"

Tanlac is sold in Plymouth by P. E. Davenport; Roper, Farmers' Union Supply Co.; Edenton, Mitchner's Pharmacy.

**COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTION.—NOTICE.**

At a meeting of the County Board of Election of Washington County held on the 25th day of September, 1916, a Voting Precinct was established at Wacona, Lee's Mills Township, and the polling place thereof to be at Roper's Store. H. A. Rice was appointed Registrar, and D. R. Paul was appointed Democratic poll-holder, the Republican poll-holder to be appointed later.

The polling place at Roper was changed from Hartner's old store to Thompson's Hall.

The polling place was changed at Creswell from Hopkins' Hall to the old bank building.

T. W. Snell was appointed poll-holder in Plymouth Precinct, to succeed J. P. Oliver, resigned.

The registration books were ordered to be opened in the various precincts October 5th, 1916, and remain open for a period of twenty days, Sundays excepted, and to be closed October 28th, 1916.

Z. V. NORMAN.  
W. T. ALEXANDER.  
E. R. JACKSON.

**ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE.**

Having qualified as administratrix, with the will annexed, of the estate of Reuben Pettiford, deceased, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the estate of the deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 24th day of August, 1917, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This August 24, 1916.

NANCY PETTIFORD,  
Administratrix.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.**

Having qualified as administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of Claudia E. Phelps, deceased, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the estate of the deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Creswell, N. C., on or before the 6th day of Sept., 1917, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This Sept., 7th, 1916.

W. J. STARR,  
Admr.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.**

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of M. S. Davis, late of Washington County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate to exhibit the same to the undersigned at Roper, N. C., on or before the 31st day of August, 1917, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons who are indebted to the said estate will please make payment. This Aug., 31, 1916.

B. S. CLARK,  
Admr.

**While Others Are Talking**

Scarcity of merchandise, we were thoughtful enough to buy the bulk of our stock months ahead. A visit to our store will convince you that we have the largest and best and cleanest selection that can be found anywhere in this part of the country. Every article that you buy from us we personally guarantee to satisfy. We also advise those who are in need of merchandise to buy their goods early, owing to the present scarcity of materials.

**Dry Goods & Millinery Galore.**

Our Dry Goods consists of Woolens, Silk Poplins, Satins, Taffetas, Wash Silks and all kinds of staples, such as Bleachings, Yellow Cottons, Flannels, Outings, Etc.

We consider it a treat for any lady to visit our Millinery Department, as our display in this department is simply delightful, and the prices are especially attractive.

Now is the time to supply your children with good, warm comfortable clothes. We have about five hundred boy's suits of good dependable cloth. Prices \$2.00 to \$10.00.

**SHOES** are the most important thing to keep children healthy; to keep their feet good and dry. You will find that we have the largest line of Children's Shoes in Plymouth. 25c to \$3.50



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