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FARMVILLE LEADS IN TOBACCO PRICE AVERAGE

Farmville Also Has One Warehouse That Is Leading Any Other in Pounds Sold This Season Pick Your Favorite Contestants In The Enterprise Campaign

Room For More Active Workers In Campaign

Only Few Entered In Enterprise Campaign; Many Districts Without Active Representatives; Big Opportunity To Enter Now and Earn Over \$100 Week; Everybody Wins Something In This Campaign

The first announcement of the names of candidates who are entered thus far in the Enterprise "Everybody Wins" campaign, in which one beautiful Terraplane Coach and big cash awards are the leading features, appear in this issue. By looking over the short list of candidates it will be seen that there is plenty of room for more names.

Is Your Name In?
Is your name included in the list of those that are to share in this wonderful gift distribution? If not then it is only a matter of good business judgment on your part to fill out the nomination blank in this issue and bring or mail it to the Farmville Enterprise at once.

John T. Thorne Advises Planting Of Improved Seed
Farmers should plan now to plant improved cotton seed next year to keep the quality of North Carolina cotton at high levels, John T. Thorne said here upon his return from the November meeting of the directors of the North Carolina Cotton Growers Cooperative Association.

New Certificates For 1935 Season
New cotton tax-exemption certificates will be issued next year to growers who do not use all their 1934 certificates, Dean I. O. Schaub of State College, has announced.

Endanger Contracts With Scrap Tobacco
Some tobacco growers are endangering their adjustment contracts by selling scrap tobacco illegally, warns, E. Y. Floyd of State College, director of the tobacco program in North Carolina.

STANDING OF CANDIDATES		
Name — Farmville —	—	Votes
Hugh L. Barrett	.....	5,000
Miss Gray Carraway	.....	5,000
Miss Bessie Dale	.....	5,000
Miss Lillian W. Gardner	.....	5,000
Miss Vivian Parker Harris	.....	5,000
Mrs. Manly Liles	.....	5,000
Mrs. C. B. Mashburn	.....	5,000
Miss Mary Louise Rumley	.....	5,000
Miss Frances Smith	.....	5,000
Miss Ellen May Taylor	.....	5,000
Miss Emma Lee Garner	.....	5,000
Mrs. Cecil Winstead	.....	5,000
Farmville, R. F. D. 2		
Miss Bessie Norville	.....	5,000
Bellard's X Boards		
Miss Thelma Flanagan	.....	5,000
Fountain		
Miss Dolly Mae Owens	.....	5,000
Maclefield		
Mrs. B. B. Phillips	.....	5,000
Manly		
Miss Mattie Lee Sugg	.....	5,000
Walstonburg		
Miss Marie Tyson	.....	5,000

ones that get out and hustle at the start, and will not allow anyone to step in at the last and win. Hurry and Get In and Win. Understand that every active contestant who fails to win one of the big prizes will be paid for their efforts as explained in the announcement of this big event.

High Quality This Year
Taken as a whole, the quality of the North Carolina crop is especially high this year," Mr. Thorne said, "and when marketed through the cooperative approximately four out of every five bales will command a premium.

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The Agricultural Adjustment Administration will recall all certificates not used this year, he said, and exchange them for new certificates of a different color, if the Bankhead act is continued in 1935.

Leaf Sales Go Beyond Goal

Prices Holding Up Well As End of Season Approaches

Approaching the end of the most successful season the Farmville tobacco market has ever experienced, in point of receipts for poundage sold, sales are growing lighter daily as the 1934 crop of bright leaf rapidly nears exhaustion. Total poundage for Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this, the 13th week, amounted to \$3,934, for which the sum of \$9,554.11 was paid, an average of \$23.46.

Prices are holding up well, though a large per cent of inferior tobacco are showing up in the offering each day, which types are having a depressing effect on the daily and general averages. Receipts this week have brought the total poundage to 18,187,942 several thousand pounds beyond the goal set for the market here this season, receipts reaching \$5,593,165.03 and the average \$30.75.

Possibly some of the growers do not know the penalties that will be imposed on those who are found making illegal sales of their scrap, he said, and it may be that some do not realize that certain sales are illegal.

Those growers who sell their scrap illegally will be required to cancel their contracts, return all benefit payments received, and pay the 25 per cent tax on all their tobacco sold this year.

The speaker urged his hearers to be honest, "to yourselves, to others, to God—you can stand fourscore and a heaven that will leave your entire community," he declared, and defended a Pledge in self, family and possessions.

Dr. Meadows Exhorts Tyson-May Families To Hold to Ancient Landmarks of Their Forefathers

New Officers Elected And Timely Resolutions Adopted at Reunion

Welcoming the members and visitors of the Tyson-May reunion in his opening remarks, delivered at the annual meeting, Saturday, November 10, Dr. J. Y. Joyner, well known and highly esteemed educator of the State, and president of this group, declared that "it is wise and well to turn away now and then from the materialistic path of the world and warm our souls at the divine fires, glowing on the altars of Kinship and Friendship."

Introduced by J. H. Paylor, one of Pitt's recently elected representatives to the State legislature, as one of the liveliest forces in the educative activities of the county, during the past 25 years, Dr. L. R. Meadows, president of the East Carolina Teachers College, Greenville, and the main speaker of the program, spoke on the theme suggested by Solomon in the words, "Remove not the ancient landmarks," exhorting the Tyson and May descendants to "remove not the landmarks of Hospitality, Industry, Education, Honesty, Pride and Religion, which have been shining and outstanding traits in your families for generations."

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Concluding his address by holding aloft the landmark of Religion as one of the essential and distinguishing characteristics of the Tysons and Mays, Dr. Meadows stated that "an atheist in either of these families is an unknown quantity. Your ancestors recognized the omnipotence of God and regarded the Bible as a guiding star—hold fast to those eternal principles that foster parity of life and character and keep this landmark ever burnished and shining."

Officers elected at this time were: Mrs. S. C. Carroll, Winstonville, president; Hon. J. C. Smith, Robertsonville, 1st vice president; Rev. J. N. Bynum, Roanoke Rapids, 2nd vice president, the secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Ed Nash Warren, holding her office for four years under the provision of the by-laws.

AN APPEAL

We, the students of the high school, wish to make an appeal to the people of the community. We are at the present time trying to sell one hundred and thirty-five subscriptions to The Delinctor, The Pathfinder and Better Homes and Gardens.

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The following resolutions, as presented by Mrs. T. C. Turnage, head of the resolutions committee, were adopted by a unanimous vote, the 4th and 5th being given assent by the act of rising:

1. Whereas—The Tyson and May families have been the pioneers in making Pitt county the greatest farming section in the world, and whereas, the farmers with singleness of purpose want an immediate sign-up of the tobacco reduction contract, Be it resolved that the Tyson-May reunion go on record as urging this program, and instruct its president, Dr. J. Y. Joyner, to convey this resolution to Governor Ehringhaus and other interested authorities, and that, We oppose any increase in tobacco production except what is absolutely necessary to meet increased consumption, and preserve the balance between consumption and production from year to year.

3. Whereas—The study of History is one of the great sources for character building in our schools and colleges, Be it resolved; That we seek to keep this subject heroic and discourage all attempts which are being made to cheapen and belittle the proud performances and those who had the terrific courage to make History.

Tobacco Prices Increase Sharply During October

Golden Weed Ball Successful

Planter's warehouse was the scene of the Golden Weed Anniversary Ball, held here Thursday evening, November 15, celebrating the first anniversary of the Golden Weed Jubilee of last year, probably the most colorful and significant event of its kind ever held in Eastern North Carolina, the Ball of Thursday evening being reported as matting it in attendance and brilliance.

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At the present the young couple are making their home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Winstead, on Wilson street.

MRS. T. B. McCARGO CLAIMED BY DEATH
Mt. Airy—Funeral services for Mrs. T. B. McCargo, 72, one of the prominent older residents of Mount Airy, who was found dead in bed at her home here last Saturday morning, were held from the Central Methodist church at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, with Rev. J. T. Mangum and Rev. D. V. Price officiating. Interment was made in Oakdale cemetery.

Greenville and Wilson continued their ding-dong battle for heaviest sales, with Wilson holding its lead for a total seasonal sales of 42,487,141 pounds, about 400,000 pounds better than the Greenville sales.

Governor Confers With Hutson, Urging Expedition of Sign-up—Farmville Shows Highest Average

Raleigh, Nov. 15.—October tobacco receipts this year were more than double those of October, 1933, it was announced yesterday by the State-Federal crop reporting service.

Announcement of the continued high returns from the first year's controlled production served to accentuate sentiment for a sign-up to extend crop control for a longer period.

Farmville Price Leads
Highest average prices paid were at Farmville, in the New Bright Belt, where 5,070,794 pounds sold for 35.9 cents per pound. Fuguey Springs paid the highest prices in the Old Bright Belt, 34.71 cents per pound being paid for 1,984,358 pounds.

Steady Price Rise
Comparing September figures with those of October shows that prices rose steadily in October to climb to the 33.7 cents per pound average. In September the figures showed an average price of 31.62 cents per pound.

In general during October best prices were paid for New Bright tobacco, a 35.01 cents average being reported for 64,000,000 pounds as against an average of 33.22 cents for 51,000,000 pounds in the Old Bright Belt.