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WALSTONBURG NEWS

Mrs. W. V. Redick and family were, Hopedew visitors last week end. Mrs. Gay Lassiter of Snow Hill was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mrs. A. R. Gay and Mrs. W. J. Shirley spent Tuesday in Rocky Mount.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Jones and Miss Annie Mae Smith were Wilson visitors Tuesday P. M.

Friends of Mrs. Sallie Shackelford will be glad to learn that she is improving after a recent illness.

Mrs. W. E. Lang, Mrs. W. A. Marlowe, Miss Lillian Corbett and Mrs. J. C. Gardner were Raleigh shoppers Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Marlowe and family were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Boyette of Lucas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lang, Miss Lillian Corbett and Mr. C. S. McKeel visited friends in Greenville Sunday.

Mrs. Red Smiley of Wilson has returned to her home after spending several days here with her sister, Mrs. Jason Shirley.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Gardner and sons, Max and Kenneth of Saratoga were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Gay Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Marlowe delightfully entertained at a lovely dinner party on Wednesday, December 1st. Covers were laid for twelve. After dinner, bridge was enjoyed.

Mrs. Trypeina McKeel and Mrs. Estelle Bailey entertained members of the Mission Band at the home of the former on Tuesday December 7, at 7:30 P. M. After the playing of various games a delicious sweet course was served.

Mrs. J. C. Gardner and Mrs. A. J. Craft entertained Members of the Christian Endeavor at the home of Mrs. Gardner at a Bingo Party on Tuesday, December 7th at 7:30 P. M. Dorothy Gay and Janie Marlowe were prize winners. At the conclusion of the games a sweet course was served.

Looking at Washington
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plain for a number of months. Having followed the "pump-priming" policy for several years in an effort to bring the nation out of the depression the Chief Executive has concluded that it is time for the Government to let natural forces take over a part of the burden. This explains the moves being made to encourage private capital and industry to get busy. It also explains the President's desire to cut down on the money that the Government has been distributing to the unemployed and other groups in an effort to develop buying power.

When Mr. Roosevelt inaugurated his program several years ago, critics freely predicted that when the time for retrenchment came, the President would find it impossible to hold down appropriations. Even those who were in hearty accord with the spending program realized that it was dangerous in that, once started, it might get out of hand. Congressmen who have heretofore supported enormous appropriations are naturally reluctant to shut off the stream of dollars which flowed into their domains.

Many of our legislators would prefer to continue the free spending of the Government rather than to curtail benefits in the interest of sound financial administration. Mr. Roosevelt, therefore, faces a major test. Whether he will be able to curb the spending urge of Congress now that, in his opinion, the emergency is not imperative, remains to be seen but anyone who is at all familiar with congressmen realizes that it will be a major political achievement if the President succeeds.

The struggle between the Administration and the public utilities seems to be moving into a state of truce following conferences between the President and leading magnates of the power industry. Confronted with repeated statements that the power people were ready to inaugurate an enormous construction program if assured that Government competition would not wreck their investments, the President explored the situation with Floyd L. Carlisle and Wendell L. Willkie. Assured that industry had nothing to fear, the utility heads lacked any promise that the Government will relax its present power policy. However, Mr. Carlisle announced that his companies would spend more than \$100,000,000 for expansion in the next two years, believing that sufficient markets for electric energy can be found to justify the investment.

Mr. Willkie, whose Commonwealth and Southern Corporation has been at loggerheads with the TVA for a good many years, stressed the difficulty of securing adequate financial support in the face of doubt as to Government competition. However, he proposed that the utilities seek a "satisfactory relationship" with the government and suggested two major concessions: (1) that the utilities eliminate from their capital structures immediately write-ups to the amount of \$1,491,000,000 reported by the Federal Trade Commission in 1935; and (2) that the utilities accept the "prudent investment" theory of valuation as desired by the Administration. Mr. Carlisle also declared that he did not dissent from the President's "general ideas of valuations for the purpose of rate-making.

Space prevents a more complete discussion of the "prudent investment" theory of valuation, advocated by the Federal Power Commission, as the basis for the rates which the utility companies shall be allowed to charge for their services. It is interesting to point out however, that this question is now pending before the Supreme Court, where the Administration hopes that the tribunal will reverse its former position and give judicial sanction to the new rate formula. Should the Court, however, decline to change its past interpretation, peace between the Administration and the utility companies may be brought about through the discussions which have begun between the President and the power companies' spokesmen.

places among them being the Grand Champion of the Show.

M. H. Tweed held an old-fashioned corn shucking on his farm on Route 3 from Marshall in Madison County last week when 25 neighbors helped him shuck 185 bushels of corn in three hours. The group enjoyed apples and candy as refreshments.

CHURCHES

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13

BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. L. B. Ennis, Pastor.
9:40 A. M.—Sunday School. G. W. Davis, Superintendent.
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship.
6:30 P. M.—Baptist Training Union.
7:30 P. M.—Evening Worship.
7:30 P. M.—Wednesday, Prayer Meeting.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Rev. C. E. Maeburn, Pastor.
9:45 A. M.—Sunday School. J. O. Pollard, Superintendent.
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship.
6:30 P. M.—Junior and Senior Endeavor.
7:30 P. M.—Evening Worship.

EMMANUEL EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Rev. Jack R. Rountree, Rector.
10:00 A. M.—Sunday School. J. W. Joyner, Superintendent.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Rev. D. A. Clarke, Pastor.
10:00 A. M.—Sunday School. J. T. Thorne, Superintendent.
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship.
3:00 P. M.—The Eastern Carolina Symphonic Chorus presents "The Messiah."
5:00 P. M.—Junior League.
6:30 P. M.—Vesper Services.
7:00 P. M.—Young Peoples' Group

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. H. M. Wilson, Pastor.
9:30 A. M.—Junior Choir.
10:00 A. M.—Sunday School. J. H. Paylor, Superintendent.
7:30 P. M.—Wednesday, Prayer Meeting.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. J. B. Roberts, Pastor.
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship.

CATHOLIC CHURCH
Father Hugh Dolan, Pastor.
10:30 A. M.—Holy Mass.

NOTICE OF RESALE

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court in the Special Proceeding entitled: "Dora Joyner, Administratrix; C. T. A. of the estate of Annie Barnes, and Dora Joyner, Individually, vs. Dempsey Barnes and wife—Florence Barnes; Narcissa Tucker and husband Paul Tucker, same being No. 2714 upon the Special Proceeding Docket of said Court, the undersigned Commissioner will, on Thursday, December 22nd 1937 at 12 o'clock Noon at the Courthouse door in Greenville, North Carolina, offer for resale to the highest bidder for CASH, the following described real estate: (bidding to begin at \$350.00).

That certain tract of land lying and being in Farmville Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows: Situated near the Southern edge of the Town of Farmville, beginning at corner of William Raspberry lot and running N 85° W 140 yards; thence S 24° W 70 yards; thence S 85° E 140 yards; to John Raspberry corner; thence N 24° E 70 yards with the Raspberry line to the beginning, containing two (2) acres more or less. Being the identical tract covered by R. L. Davis to Annie Barnes the 12th day of April 1916, deed recorded in Book J-12 at page 512. Being the first tract of land described in the petition of Dora Joyner, Administratrix C. T. A. of Annie Barnes against Dempsey Barnes and others.

This the 7th day of December 1937.
JOHN HILL PAYLOR,
Commissioner.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as Executor of the estate of Elizabeth V. Bergeron, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Farmville, N. C., on or before the 5th day of November 1938, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 3rd day of November 1937.
GARREY BERGERON,
Executor of estate Elizabeth V. Bergeron.
John Hill Paylor, Attorney. 6 wks

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by W. A. Quisley, G. Allen Ives and Frank Hart, to K. A. Pittman, Trustee, on the 27th day of April 1934, and recorded in Book O-19, page 586, of the Pitt County Registry, for the balance of the purchase price of the land hereinafter described, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured as therein provided, and due demand having been made upon said trustee to sell the same, the undersigned trustee will on the 11th day of December 1937, at 12 o'clock NOON, at the Court House, Greenville, N. C., sell the following described real estate to the highest bidder for cash:

A certain lot or parcel of land in the Town of Ayden, Pitt County, North Carolina, described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of Third and Lee Streets in the Town of Ayden and running thence with Lee street in a northerly direction 115 feet to J. J. McClees & Co., brick store; thence with J. J. McClees & Co., line and parallel with Third Street, in a easterly direction 80 feet to a stake; thence a northerly direction with said McClees' line 25 feet to an alley way; thence with said alley way in an easterly direction 55 feet to another alleyway and parallel with Lee Street in a southerly direction 140 feet to Third Street; thence with said Third Street in a westerly direction 140 feet to the beginning, and the same being known as the Wingate property, and the same property this day conveyed by K. A. Pittman, Trustee.

This 10th day of November 1937.
K. A. PITTMAN, Trustee
J. BRUCE EURE, Attorney.

EHFA PROGRAM

Among the principal objectives of the Electric Home and Farm Authority program, in addition to offering a beneficial and necessary service to the users of electricity, is to lessen the burdens in the home and to increase efficiency on the farm, through the greater use of electricity. The beneficial effects on this program are felt not only by the actual consumers of electricity but also by the producers and distributors of electric power as manufacturers of and dealers in electrical appliances. Electrical utilities and appliance manufacturers participating in this plan realize that the way to increase appliance sales and the use of electricity is to provide a plan which makes their use feasible and economical. The utilities cooperating with Electric Home and Farm Authority are selling electricity at rates which make the use of the appliances economical.

Electric Home and Farm Authority is not a manufacturing or a merchandising organization. It is interested in making the benefits of electricity more generally available by the greater use of electricity consuming appliances. It seeks to bring about cooperation among the electrical utilities and electric appliance manufacturers and the dealers with the view of accomplishing the widespread purchase and use of electricity and electric appliances.

BABY CONTEST

On Friday evening, December 10, the Baby Contest sponsored by the Senior Class will be closed. The King or Queen will be crowned, just before the Seniors give their play "Looking Lovely." There are eleven babies that have entered which are the most popular.

The votes are mounting every day. Be sure to cast your vote for your favorite baby before Friday evening. There follows a list of the Contestants and the votes each had on Friday evening.

Arlene Hobbs	2000
Lou Taylor Lewis	264
Geraldine Windham	140
Bingo Jenkins	38
Betsy Rouse	37
Marion Log Burch	21
Jimmie Knight	11
Charles Shirley	14
Nita Marie Sutton	8
Doris Marie Dixon	4
Maliene Shirley	3

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ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of Claudius L. Owens, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Fountain, North Carolina, on or before the 19th day of November 1938 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 17th day of November 1937.
GERTRUDE B. OWENS,
Administratrix of Claudius L. Owens.
John Hill Paylor, Attorney. 6 wks

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by W. C. Edwards and wife Lula Edwards to J. L. Peele, Trustee, dated March 17th 1931 recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book T-18 at page 231, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness therein secured, the undersigned trustee will, on Friday, January 7, 1938 at 12 o'clock Noon, at the Courthouse door in Greenville, North Carolina, offer for public sale to the highest bidder for CASH, the following described real estate.

A certain tract or parcel of land in Pitt County, State of North Carolina adjoining the lands of Walter Brooks and E. C. Edwards, and others and bounded as follows: Beginning at the intersection of State Highway No. 12 with County Road on East Side of East Carolina Railway, running with County Road in a North-easterly direction two hundred twenty-five (225) feet; thence in a Northwesterly direction one hundred forty one (141) feet to E. C. Edwards' line; thence about South with State Highway No. 12 two hundred twenty-five (225) feet to the beginning. This being all the land owned by Carolina White in triangle formed by intersection of State Highway and County Road that lies Northeast of said intersection.

A certain lot or parcel of land in Pitt County, North Carolina, and in the Town of Fountain, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of the late J. W. Jefferson's store lot; thence running about South one hundred fifty (150) feet; thence about West thirty three and on third (33 1-3) feet; thence about North one hundred fifty (150) feet to Wilson Street; thence about East thirty three and one third (33 1-3) feet to the beginning.

One certain parcel or piece of land, situated in the Town of Fountain and in Pitt County, North Carolina, and bounded as follows: Beginning one hundred seventy-five (175) feet from the East corner of Square 22 and running North parallel with Lynch Street one hundred fifty (150) feet cornering; thence parallel with Wilson Street fifty (50) feet cornering; thence South parallel with Lynch Street one hundred fifty (150) feet to Wilson Street cornering; thence East along with Wilson Street fifty (50) feet to the beginning, being lot G in Square 22 as shown by the plot of the Town of Fountain, N. C.

A certain tract or parcel of land in Pitt County, State of North Carolina: adjoining the lands of G. W. Jefferson, J. A. Mercer and bounded as follows: Beginning at a corner four hundred twenty (420) feet from G. W. Jefferson's residence on the South side of road that runs from Fountain to Falkland and running about East one hundred fifty (150) feet; thence about South three hundred (300) feet; thence about West one hundred fifty (150) feet; thence about North three hundred (300) feet to the beginning. This being the same lot sold to L. W. Edwards by G. W. Jefferson and wife on Sept. 8th 1919, and recorded in Pitt County registry.

This the 7th day of December 1937.
J. L. PEELE, Trustee.
JOHN HILL PAYLOR,
Attorney. 4 wks.

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TWO KINDS OF COMMERCE

The City of New York recently put on a sales tax but a high court in that State has ruled that merchandise delivered in that city by out-of-state firms is exempt from the tax. In so ruling the New York Court merely followed the law, as laid down for years by the United States Supreme Court.

The highest court of the United States has been very zealous in protecting the flow of interstate commerce from burdens of any kind of tax that State Legislatures have from time to time laid upon it. At times, in our opinion, the great tribunal has almost jumped the fence backward but with the general policy of promoting trade between the States and preventing the unjustices and undue interference with its development the justices have broadened the protection that the Constitution erected around interstate commerce.

Now, the situation in New York City is that firms of the city, making a sale, must pay a two per cent tax while firms, across the State line, making the same sale, have nothing to pay. Obviously, this is a burden upon intrastate commerce. There is nothing in the United States Constitution to prevent a State from taxing commerce within its own domains, and however, it is up to a State to determine whether it will tax its own business concerns while unable to tax their competitors who transact their business across the State line.

FOUNTAIN NEWS
(By MRS. M. D. YELVERTON)

W. E. Yelverton spent Saturday night and Sunday in Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hunt spent Sunday in Rocky Mount with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gardner, H. F. Owens and Miss Nelle Owens visited relatives in New Port News, Va., Sunday.

Mrs. E. B. Beasley spent Sunday with relatives in Shawboro. Her mother accompanied her home and will spend some time.

Mrs. Johnnie Gresham of Raleigh spent several days recently with Mr. and Mrs. George Lane.

HEARIN RETURNS

New York.—Franklin L. Hutton, dime store magnate, went to Australia last summer wearing bone conduction hearing aids but at the end of the summer, his hearing came back almost completely and "miraculously" while he was at lunch. Medical authorities have no explanation of the occurrence which occasionally happens.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF PITT
Service By Publication—Notice
K. BATSON
- vs -
RUBY BATSON

The defendant Ruby Batson will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, to obtain absolute divorce, and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said County in the courthouse in Greenville, North Carolina, on the 5th day of January 1938, 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 6th day of December, 1937.
J. F. HARRINGTON,
Clerk of Superior Court.
4 wks pd.

FOR HOME BAKED FRUIT CAKES
Light or dark, call Miss Bettle Joyner. Place orders as early as possible.

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THE ANSWERS!

1. It is variously estimated from \$500,000,000 to \$1,000,000,000.
2. In March, 1938.
3. In 1935, \$117,000,000,000 in U. S. currency.
4. Dr. V. K. Wellington Koo.
5. Robert M. Ortiz, who will be inaugurated in February.
6. They are, as a rule, showing fair-sized increases.
7. Based upon permits in a number of cities, new construction is not quite one-third of that in pre-depression years.
8. The New Year's game will be its fifth appearance.
9. Brazil's new policy is not clear but more than 300,000 bags of coffee have been destroyed since an announcement was made that the policy had been abandoned.
10. Dr. Max Ewys, now defending his title against Dr. Alexander Alekhine. The challenger leads the match.

Mitchell county farmers have ordered and used over 800 tons of ground limestone this fall. Increased acre yields of corn are recorded this season largely as a result of the soil improvement worked last year.

Woman's Club Meets

Fountain Woman's Club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Bruce Eagles, Mrs. L. P. Yelverton as assisting hostess.

During the business session led by the president Mrs. J. L. Peele, it was decided that the club donate twenty five dollars to the school library.

Miss Tabitha DeVisconti spoke on the needs and benefits derived from the Christmas Seal Sale fund and urged everyone to cooperate in making the campaign a success. Mrs. E. B. Bailey presented Mrs. P. W. Pickelimer of Greenville who gave a beautiful Christmas reading.

At the close of the meeting the hostess served a sweet course.

Entertains For Bride-Elect

Mrs. Glen Newton entertained Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Margaret McKinnon, Miss Ella Flemming and Miss Mattie Smith, brides-elect of this month.

Miss Cynthia Elthridge was awarded high score prize and Miss Connie Jordan received the consolation prize. The honor guests were presented with both sets.

The hostess served a delectable salad course. The Christmas motif was efficiently carried out in decorations and refreshments.

Pat calves exhibited by 4-H club members at the recent Asheville Fat Cattle Show won \$130 in prize money and sold for \$735.41 at public auction. The Watsons exhibit won many first

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE
NORFOLK SOUTHERN RAILROAD
BEGINNING OCTOBER 3, 1937

RAIL BUS

8:10 AM Lv. Washington	Ar. 7:00 PM
8:45 AM Lv. Greenville	Ar. 6:18 PM
9:05 AM Lv. Farmville	Ar. 5:57 PM
9:42 AM Lv. Wilson	Ar. 5:20 PM
10:27 AM Lv. Zebulon	Ar. 4:39 PM
10:36 AM Lv. Wendell	Ar. 4:31 PM
11:15 AM Lv. Raleigh	Lv. 3:55 PM

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GETS WISH

Torrington, Conn.—Expressing a wish last year to live to see just one more Armistice Day, William Buzzi, 48-year-old World War veteran, just made it. He died as "Taps" was being sounded for the war dead. Buzzi was wounded and wounded during the war and never recovered from his injuries.

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