

**MORE ABOUT Flies Fear**

wads of plain cotton to turn the trick. No, they don't catch the flies and smother them with lint—they simply fasten the cotton on their door screens and that does the trick.

"Mrs. Raby reports that the method is effective. She says that cotton wads can be seen on al-

most every front door in Norfolk. "According to a story by Sara Reaves in the Virginian-Pilot, it all started in Norfolk after Mrs. Jack Caleo got the tip while visiting relatives in Richmond. It seems that housewives there have found cotton on their screens an effective weapon against flies.

"When Mrs. Caleo returned home, she tried the remedy and it worked for her. Neighbors who had scoffed at the idea also tried it and found it effective.

"I simply haven't seen a fly on the screen since I put that cotton up," Mrs. Caleo said.

"On other cloudy days like yesterday," she explained, "flies would hover on the back screen ready to pounce in three or four at a time when the door was opened. But not yesterday."

"The cotton miraculously seemed to change all that. The flies stayed away. Occasionally the bolder ones would fly over to see if the cotton were still there, and would then retreat. While they might pause on the side of the house, none stopped to rest on the door.

"How or why a hunk of plain absorbent cotton about the size of the palm of a hand—with no chemicals on it—would drive flies away when pinned to a screen door, no one seems to have figured out.

"Housewives in Richmond

were throwing away their spray guns as fast as they pinned on the wads of cotton," Mrs. Caleo said. "But I wasn't quite that sure until I found out for myself that the scheme really works. I don't know why, but it must work every time."

"Mrs. Caleo said that the cotton can be placed anywhere on the screen and fastened by a safety pin, hair pin, bobby pin, or anything that will hold it on.

"The day after the first story about the cotton wad fly remedy appeared in the Virginian-Pilot at Norfolk, Dr. John Huff, head of the Norfolk City Health Department, said that he had tried the stunt and found it effective.

"A second article by Miss Reaves said that the cotton story also had turned up home methods guaranteed to get rid of water bugs, roaches and fleas.

"Oyster shells placed under the sink were reported as a sure cure for water bugs and roaches. And fleas are supposed to meet their downfall when they go after a small hunk of raw meat placed in middle of fly paper."

**MORE ABOUT SCHOOL NEWS**

Parley, 1st grade, Panama Canal Zone; N. W. Snellgroves, 4th, and Wynona Snellgroves, 3rd, California; Romona York, 3rd, and Phillip Powell, 7th, Alabama; Mozelle Price, 2nd, Oklahoma; La Marr Hadley, 5th, and Zachary Hadley, 1st, Asheville; Ann Jenkins, 5th, Jimmy Jenkins, 3rd, Carolyn Jenkins, 1st, Hoffman; Letha Ann Mustoe, 2nd, and Linda Hatchell, 3rd, South Carolina; Wesley Boyles, 4th, Pinnacle, N. C.; Donnie Bolton, 1st, High Point; Michael Edge, 1st, Parkton; Winifred Harwood, 1st, Wagram; Brownie Hendrix, 1st, Mildouson School; Lacy Koonce, 6th, and Gerald Smith Ray, 3rd, Rockfish School; Herman Walters, 2nd, Billy Walters, 3rd, and Mary Elizabeth Baker, 3rd, Red Springs.

**MORE ABOUT Upper Hoke**

was that the road from the Alex McFadyen residence on the Vass-Lobelia road to the Hoke-Harnett Moore county line be hard-surfaced at the Cam Johnson residence; and that the road from Lobelia to the Cumberland County line via Mt. Pleasant be hard-surfaced.

Among those going to Raeford Monday were: Archibald McGill, Frank Smith, Hurley Jones, Herbert Brooks, Laurie Brooks, W. L. Jones, D. H. Walters, Barney Blue, Cam Johnson, Murdock Cameron, David Garner, Levi Allen, J. C. Hardy, Hoyt Caddell, Wesley Hennings, Martin T. Cameron, R. L. Brooks, John Ellis Johnson and J. W. Smith.

**Lumberton Out Of Block, But Prices High As Ever**

Lumberton — After selling a million pounds a day for the first 28 sales days, the Lumberton Tobacco Market finally emerged from the block this week end, and indications were for plenty of space for all customers next week.

"Our sales have been running around 1,100,000 pounds a day for the past several weeks," Sales Supervisor M. R. Alexander pointed out, "but our last sale dropped to 853,927, so we should be able to accommodate all comers from now on.

"In fact," he continued, "they won't even have to bother to book space in the future. They can just come on in, sell the same day, pocket their check, and go home that night."

Although the quantity and quality were both off, the prices on the local market this week end remained as high as ever, grade for grade, with many growers averaging in the 60's and with one soaring to \$67.

This grower was Oscar Cummings, who lives just outside town near the old County Home and who farms with Clint Norment, prominent automobile dealer. Mr. Cummings sold 1,363 pounds at an average of \$70.02 at the Hedgpech Warehouse here in one of the top sales of the season.

This would be quite a record, considering that the weight of the crop is about 10 per cent under last year, and it is attributed by the tobaccoists to the high prices which have been obtained on the market here this season.

All of Lumberton's six old reliable warehouse firms are due to have sales — either first or second — every day next week, and from present indications, the growers may pick the house of his choice and sell the same day without booking space in advance.

**PERSONALS**

Harvey Cole entered Highsmith hospital this morning for treatment.

Mrs. J. O. Veasey is spending this week at Hasty with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carrwon of Maxton were guests of Mrs. Mary McBryde Sunday.

Miss Nell Myers of Clayton was a week end guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Webb.

Miss Betty Davis of Greensboro spent last week with her grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. B. P. Robinson. She was joined here over the week end by her mother, Mrs. Frances Davis, who visited in Wilmington last week. They returned to Greensboro Sunday.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We would like to take this way to express our sincere appreciation for the kindnesses shown us during our recent bereavement. The Frierson family.

**WANT ADS**

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**LEGALS**  
**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
The undersigned, having qualified as executrix of the estate of Betsy L. Blue, deceased, late of Hoke County, N. C. this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to exhibit them to the undersigned at her home on or before the 15th day of September, 1950, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.  
This 15th day of September, 1949.  
Ila J. Blue, executrix, 16-21P

**SERVICE BY PUBLICATION**  
State of North Carolina  
Hoke County  
In the Superior Court  
Otha Malcolm Goff  
vs  
Edna Smalls Goff  
The defendant above named will

take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Hoke County for the purpose of plaintiff obtaining an absolute divorce against the defendant on 2 years separation from the defendant; that the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the clerk of the superior court of Hoke County, N. C. and answer or demur to the complaint in said action within 30 days from the 9th day of October, 1949 or the plaintiff will apply to the court for relief prayed for in said complaint.

This 9th day of September, 1949.  
J. B. Cameron, Clerk of the Superior Court. 16-19C

**NOTICE**  
An ordinance of the Town of Raeford, duly made by its Board of Commissioners heretofore at a regular meeting, makes it a violation of the law to keep swine in the corporate limits of the Town of Raeford, North Carolina, after January first 1950. All persons are, therefore, hereby given notice that a conviction for this offense will subject them to the penalties within the Mayor of Raeford's jurisdiction.  
C. R. Freeman, City Clerk.

**NOTICE**  
State of North Carolina  
Hoke County  
In the Superior Court  
Grady A. Burns  
vs  
Lucile Markley Burns  
The above named defendant, Lucile Markley Burns, will take notice that an action as above has been commenced in the Hoke County Superior Court, at Raeford, North Carolina, by the plaintiff to secure an absolute divorce from the defendant upon the ground that the plaintiff and defendant have lived separate and apart for more than two years next preceding the bringing of this action; and the defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of Superior

Court of said County, at Raeford, North Carolina, within the 27 days immediately following the completion of service of this summons, which will be the 29th of September, 1949; and that the time for answering or demurring will expire October 27, 1949, and that she is required to answer or demur to the complaint in this action accordingly of the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint now on file.  
J. B. Cameron, Clerk of Hoke County Superior Court. 15-18C

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
The undersigned, having qualified as executor of the estate of Marcus Cecil Dew, deceased, late of Hoke County, N. C. this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to exhibit them to the undersigned at his home on or before the 9th day of September, 1950, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.  
This 9th day of September, 1949.  
Arthur D. Gore, executor. 15-20C

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