

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE FOR DELINQUENT TAXES OF CHERRYVILLE TOWNSHIP

In pursuance of an order by the Board of Commissioners of Gaston County, and required by law, the undersigned Tax Collector will sell for cash to the highest bidder at the Court House door in Gastonia, N. C., on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1954

beginning at the hour of 10:00 A. M., the following described Real Estate on which County Tax for the year 1953 remain due and unpaid. The amount given in these lists do not include cost and advertising, which will be added to each item at the time of settlement.

S. STROUP,

Tax Collector Cherryville Township

Table listing real estate for sale with columns for owner name, address, and price. Includes entries for M. C. and Hazel Alexander, W. Cone and Mae Anthony, A. A. Barrett, etc.

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GARDEN TIME

By Robert Schmidt

Now that the rains have come, many garden plants including dahlias and shrubs have broken out into rapid growth again.

This is especially important for dahlias because they have not had much opportunity to make good bush growth up to the present time. That means that there will not be so many blooms developed before frost.

From now until frost is the best part of the dahlia season. With plenty of moisture, fertility, and cool nights they will make rapid growth. This means that you will have to stake them and tie them up frequently so that storms will not break the plants down.

How can we keep dahlia blooms from wilting after they are cut? In the first place, some varieties keep better than others. If you are interested in cut flowers, you should grow varieties that are good for that purpose.

Many people advocate dipping the stem ends in hot water, or searing the stem ends with a match, but I have found that the best method is to cut the flowers early in the morning or late in the evening and immediately sink the stems in deep cold water. In an hour or two they may be transformed to a vase for arrangement.

Do not place dahlias in the breeze from open windows or electric fans. That will wilt them very quickly.

STATE COLLEGE ANSWERS

Question: Is alfalfa really the "King of the Hay Crops"? Answer: In one respect, yes. It will produce more feed per acre in good years and had than any other legume forage crop, more even than permanent pasture or any other combination of plants.

Question: Is corn subject to greater insect infestation in the field than small grain? Answer: Generally, yes. You can help prevent much insect damage to stored grain by harvesting your grain carefully.

Question: What is the best way to apply lime? Answer: Lime should be mixed thoroughly with the soil to be most effective. It should be applied at a time in the rotation of crops that will permit this thorough mixing.

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Ginners Schools Began Monday

A series of four schools for cotton ginners got underway at 9:30 a. m. Monday in Dunn at the General Utility Company's gin. Ginners from Harnett, Cumberland, Sampson and Johnston Counties are expected to attend.

The schools will be under the supervision of J. C. Ferguson, agricultural engineer for the State College Extension Service. Fred Johnston, Candler Miller and Vernon Hill of the N. C. State Department of Agriculture will assist with the instruction.

Subject matter will be discussed said Ferguson, from the point of view of the cotton gin operating crew and will deal primarily with the actual operation and technical aspects of the modern gin plant.

Upland Cotton To Be Supported At 31.58 Cents Per Pound

The average loan rate for 1954 upland cotton, basis middling 7/8 inch, will be 31.58 cents per pound, gross weight, according to F. R. Keitt, chairman of the state ASC committee.

land cotton is mandatory at the higher of the minimum prices previously announced, or 90 per cent of their parity prices as of August 1. The minimum price previously announced for upland cotton was 31.25 cents per pound, basis middling 7/8 inch.

Loan rates for upland cotton will also vary according to location. The rate for middling 15-16 inch cotton, gross weight, will vary from a high of 34.26 cents per pound in the concentrated mill area of the Carolinas to a low of 32.48 cents per pound in California and Arizona.

Mill areas in North Carolina that will carry the 34.26 cent rate will include all counties west of Granville, Wake, Harnett, Hoke, and Scotland. Other North Carolina counties (all counties east of Person, Durham, Chatham, Lee, Moore, and Richmond) will carry a loan rate of 34.16 cents per pound basis middling 15-16 inch cotton, gross weight.

Cpl. Thom. Dellinger Serving In Berlin

Berlin — Cpl. Thomas A. Dellinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Dellinger, Route 2, Cherryville, N. C., is now serving in Berlin with the 6th Infantry Regiment. The 6th Regiment guards American installations and undergoes intensive training in the former German capital. British, French, Russian and U. S. troops have occupied Berlin since the end of World War II.

Large advertisement for Ford cars. Features a car on a road, a graph showing value retention from 1954 to 1958, and text: 'DON'T GET CAUGHT WITH YOUR VALUES DOWN!'. Includes features like V-8 Power, Ball-Joint Suspension, and Stay-in-style Looks. Dealer: E. C. Sullivan, Jr., Cherryville, N. C.