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ISSUED TUESDAY AND FRIDAY

COOPERATIVE PEOPLE HAVE SUCCESS SECURING HOUSES

The directors of the Tobacco Growers' Cooperative Association who met last week in Raleigh are determined to give all tobacco growers in the Carolinas and Virginia a chance to sign the marketing contract in the campaign to enlarge the present majority membership in 26 counties of three States, according to M. O. Wilson, secretary of the association and director of field service.

Rapid progress is being made by the Tobacco Growers' Cooperative Association in the plans for marketing the 1922 crop of the 65,000 organized tobacco farmers of North Carolina, Virginia and South Carolina.

A large number of applications from marketing or storage centers in the three States have been received by the directors who met in Raleigh last week and elected T. C. Watkins, of South Boston, Va., manager of warehouses.

Mr. Watkins says: "I am happy to report that the initial survey of warehouses in the Carolinas and Virginia gives splendid promise of success, provided we can count on the immediate assistance of our members in the important matter of economic production. Let us all remember that the quality of our tobacco rather than the quantity will measure our success as individuals and as an association."

A. T. Co. Seems Back to Normalcy

With the American Tobacco Company, at least, it appears to be back to normalcy and perhaps a little better. The profits of the company during 1921 were the largest in its history, the year's turn-over yielding 11 1/2 per cent.

The sales of tobacco aggregated the enormous sum of \$155,963,752, an increase of nearly \$3,000,000 over the sales for 1920. The company has paid out handsome dividends and at the end of the year had stored away the comfortable cash accumulation of \$10,853,913 for a rainy day—if the American Tobacco Company ever knows what a rainy day is. This organization in the manufacture and peddling of tobacco gives the people a good article through established avenues of great convenience, and an appreciative public develops the patronage that keeps it going. The world seems very much given to tobacco.—Charlotte Observer.

OFFICERS THROW OUT DRAG-NET AND MAKE A WONDERFUL HAUL

The biggest haul of whiskey transporters made in the county since the Volstead act went into effect was the capture of five automobiles, seven men and 190 gallons of liquor Friday morning on the road between Price and Stoneville. The capture was made about 3 o'clock in the morning.

A squad of officers composed of E. G. Strader, H. C. Stallings, Shelly Jones, H. R. Martin, deputies of Sheriff A. P. Sands, and special deputies W. W. Garrison, of Reidsville, and Sage Fags, of Stoneville, were stationed on the side of the road waiting for the cars. A bad stretch of muddy road was selected and as the first four cars came along in a bunch and began floundering in the mud the officers on each side of the road closed in and demanded the surrender of each chauffeur. In 30 or 40 minutes another car, a Dodge roadster, containing three men came along and these were likewise taken into custody. None of them resisted arrest or attempted to escape.

The five cars contained a total of 190 gallons of liquor. It is surmised that one car ahead of the first bunch got through before the officers got in position.

The seven men captured are S. T. Price, Sam Price, J. M. Riddle, W. G. Patterson, U. Foust, Lillard Smith and J. S. Big, all of Greensboro. S. T. Price is about 40 years old, and the rest are young men in their twenties. The whiskey was probably intended for distribution in Greensboro.

The men were brought here and put in jail awaiting arrangements for bond in \$1,500 each for their appearance at the next term of court. Two of the men in charge of an officer went to Greensboro to arrange bond.

The Greensboro News says: All the men are thought to be veterans in the whiskey-running game. One of them, Til Price, was said by Greensboro officers yesterday to have a two years' suspended sentence hanging over him. Several of the others have been suspected for a long time, both by officers in Greensboro and in Rockingham county, as being engaged in whiskey business, either as out-and-out bootleggers or as transportation agents for the master minds higher up. The Prices especially have been regarded for a long time as important figures in whiskey traffic in this part of the State, and Greensboro officers made no secret of their elation that they had been caught with the goods.

Sheriff Sands had wind that the whiskey convoy was coming through Thursday night from somewhere over in Virginia to Greensboro. Deputies started early in the evening and by 9 o'clock were safely hidden in the woods along the road.

Before midnight they saw a car, later identified as the official scout car of the convoy, passing by their ambush and repassing. The driver continued running up and down the road all night to see that the way was clear, and all night the deputies watched him and let him go while they waited for the main convoy. It was a long wait, but shortly after 3 o'clock they saw the five cars approaching, all close together.

When the five cars arrived in the woods, the deputies jumped from their hiding places and in a minute had the entire convoy surrounded. They had previously scattered out so as to capture the entire group and in this they were successful except for the driver of the last car. He cut his motor dead, leaped from his car, scurried across country, and was lost to sight.

The others were taken completely by surprise. They made no attempt at resistance and Sheriff Sands said they took their capture good-naturedly. Four of the cars were five-passenger Ford touring cars, the fifth was a Dodge roadster. The roadster carried 50 gallons. The other cars were loaded with five-gallon tin cans, all filled to the brim with corn whiskey.

Sheriff Sands escorted the entire crowd to Reidsville. The two Prices are said to live in the Northern part of the county but spend a good part of their time in the city. Patterson is an automobile driver in the city and others are in and around the city frequently.

If you want baseball here this season make it be known by your presence at the massmeeting at the C. & A. Hall Friday night.

Bi-State Organizes With Four Clubs

Schoolfield, Va. Fieldale-Martinsville, Va. Leaksville-Spray-Draper, Reidsville.

The above named teams will comprise the Bi-State baseball League this year, Burlington and Mebane not asking for berths in the league that had a most successful season last year.

A temporary organization was formed here with Dr. J. W. McGehee as president, and Jas. M. Sharp, secretary-treasurer. On next Saturday night another meeting will be held in Reidsville and a permanent organization will be formed.

It has been decided that the Bi-State league this year will be strictly non-professional, not even one professional being allowed on any club. Last year each team was limited to two professionals.

Either four or six games will be played each week. This matter will be threshed out at the meeting Saturday.

Already the four teams are scouring the woods for playing material.

REIDSVILLE CONCERN INCREASES ITS CAPITAL STOCK TO \$150,000

Growing Demand For Nu-Shine Forces Reidsville Corporation to Expand.

"Often we hear the expression 'The child has outgrown the mother.'" Such is the case with Nu-Shine and The American Products Corporation of Reidsville. Two years ago The American Products Corporation was incorporated for the manufacture of toilet preparations and liquid soap. During the year 1921 they started a subsidiary, The Nu-Shine Company, for the manufacture of a combination dye, shine and leather preserver under the trade name of "Nu-Shine."

This product was placed on the market in this State about November 1, 1921, at the popular price of 25c per bottle. From the first week out of their sales force Nu-Shine has shown a steady increase in first sales as well as repeat business, until today they are far behind in production.

The manager of the corporation, B. R. Stone, realizing some step must be taken at once to meet the fast increase in business, called together the directors of the corporation Thursday to discuss the situation. After going over the sales record and viewing the situation as to facilities for handling the increased demand, they readily realized their present capital of \$50,000 could not handle the business on Nu-Shine and continue to take care of their already steadily growing business on Amprico toilet preparations. After a thorough discussion of the situation by the directors it was voted to increase the capital to \$150,000.00; the common stock from \$50,000 to \$100,000, and issue \$50,000 8 per cent preferred stock. Twenty thousand dollars of the additional \$50,000 was taken by the officers of the corporation in the meeting, and the remaining \$50,000 will be sold to non-stockholders in amounts not exceeding \$1,000 to any one person. The present statements show a nice increase in undivided profits.

The handling and placing of the stock will be put in the hands of the corporation's sales representative, Chas. B. Tarr, who is identified with the concern as special Northern representative for sale of Nu-Shine.

The additional capital resulting from the sale of stock will be used for increasing production in ways of equipping their present plant with all modern machinery and enlarging the plant as well as putting into force at once an extensive advertising scheme through newspapers in present States they are in and will open in the future.

Nu-Shine is now being marketed in the following States most satisfactorily: North Carolina, Virginia, Maryland, Pennsylvania, New York, Ohio, Illinois, and Tennessee. The following States will be opened within the next 60 days: Indiana, Kentucky, Alabama, South Carolina, Georgia, and Florida. The success of this product seems almost phenomenal and those who are identified with the concern are very enthusiastic as to its future.

INSPECTION OF REIDSVILLE MILITARY COMPANY

The regimental headquarters company of the 129th infantry, N. C. N. G., will be inspected here Thursday by Col. F. R. Day, of Columbia, S. C., and Adjutant General J. Van B. Metts, of Raleigh.

This is the annual inspection by an officer of the regular army representing the Federal government, Captain Gwynn is expecting a very rigid examination of all affairs pertaining to the local unit. It is customary for the inspector to examine the equipment and the office records during the day and inspect the men at night.

Strenuous efforts have been made by the company officers and the enlisted men to put everything in first-class condition. The armory has been remodeled so as to provide clubrooms for the men, and every room has been thoroughly cleaned and renovated. Supply Sergeant Wm. Oliver has gone over and checked carefully all small arms and each piece of equipment. Sergeant Major Ed Brewer has kept all company records up to date and filed according to army regulations. The men have been showing up well at the weekly drills, and the spirit of the outfit is splendid.

SOCIAL

On Thursday evening Miss Sara Watt delightfully entertained the Auction Bridge Club at her home on Main street. The members playing were Misses Margaret Womack, Louise Baisley, Nettie Harris, Mesdames J. L. Womack, R. G. Wray, R. D. Capen, Misses Margaret Richardson and Louise Graves, of Carthage, were guests. Miss Margaret Womack was awarded the high score prize and Miss Graves the visitor's prize. The hostess served a delicious lunch.

Mrs. M. P. Cummings was hostess to the members of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church on Monday afternoon. Her attractive new home was made more attractive by the use of vases and baskets of beautiful jonquills. The president, Mrs. J. B. Pipkin, presided over the meeting. The topic was Home Missions, and it proved to be a most interesting subject. Mrs. Gladstone and Mrs. Kiker read very interesting articles. Mrs. Pipkin tendered her resignation as president. The society regretted very much her having to give up the work, and Mrs. Will Williams was unanimously elected as the new president, and all felt that they were very fortunate in having her as their leader for the year. The delegates were then elected to attend the Woman's meeting in Charlotte March 28-30. Mrs. Will Williams with Mrs. S. N. White as alternate. At the close of the regular meeting Mrs. W. B. Kiker assisted Mrs. Cummings in serving delicious orange ice and cake to about 20 ladies, and a very pleasant hour was spent socially. The April meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. H. L. Morrison.

belonging to bridal trousseau. At the conclusion of the game Miss Bertha Hinton, of Louisville, Ky., house guest of Mrs. J. J. Taylor, of Leaksville, was accorded the highest score and awarded the prize, a beautiful hand-made handkerchief.

After the interesting game the hostesses, assisted by Miss Pearl Covington, served a salad course consisting of frozen salad, shamrock-shaped sandwiches, cheese balls, date sticks, beaten biscuits and coffee, after which came the surprise of the afternoon when a silver platter was passed on which appeared a miniature bride and groom surrounded by small baskets decorated with brides and wedding bells with cupid's attached bearing the initials "M. E. R." and "W. R. S.—Sprong."

The guests were not long in unraveling the mysterious message that the engagement of Miss Maudie E. Reynolds, of Westworth, and Mr. William R. Snow, of Winston-Salem, was being announced, the wedding to take place in the early spring.

Miss Reynolds is the only child of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Reynolds, who up to a year ago resided in Winston-Salem. She is a graduate of Salem College and St. Mary's, Raleigh, and is highly accomplished in music and art and with charm and graciousness has won many friends both here and in her former home Mr. Snow is the cashier of the Farmers Bank & Trust Co. in his hometown.

The guests of the afternoon consisted of the Westworth friends of the bride-elect and her relatives of Leaksville.

ROTARY CLUB A TRAINING SCHOOL

The Rotary Club recently organized in Reidsville proposes to accomplish the betterment of the individual member and of his business both in a practical and in an ideal way; to accomplish the betterment of each member's business and profession as a whole; and to accomplish the betterment of his home, his city, State and country.

This is rather a broad platform but time has shown that the Rotary Club is peculiarly fitted to take a leading part along with the other civic and commercial organizations in the affairs of the community.

The Rotary Club, its members say, is more than an organization; it is associated vision and effort; it is cooperative, not competitive, service. It transmits kindly desires into helpful deeds, turns dreams into accomplished facts. It is a training school in unselfishness, where personal gain is subordinate to public good.

ON THE TRAIL OF THE HOOTCH AND THE FOXY BOOTLEGGERS

It looks like the bootleggers and the bootleggers are going to live hard from now on. Over in Henry and Patrick the prohibition authorities are waking up, and the State of Virginia has passed a law making it a fine of \$100 to buy hooch from a bootlegger or anybody else. Congress has recently made an appropriation of nearly two million dollars to enforce prohibition, and in all the revenue headquarters the raiding forces are being doubled or trebled.

In Rockingham county Sheriff A. P. Sands in the beginning of his term announced a policy of law and order, and he has persistently hunted down the stills and arrested the men who were engaged in the whiskey traffic, retailers as well as bootleggers. During the last week or so several arrests have been made by the sheriff and his deputies.

RALEIGH HIGH GIRLS QUINT BEAT REIDSVILLE, 31 TO 30

Raleigh High School girls, staging a great come-back in a cage contact with Reidsville High girls in Greensboro Saturday night won by a final count of 31 to 30, thereby assuring themselves of a chance next Saturday for the basketball championship of the central district.

An extra five minutes was necessary to play off the 30-30 tie at the end of the second half.

The first half ended with the Raleigh quint ahead 12 to 6 but the Reidsville tilters nerved themselves for extra effort and at one time were ten points in the lead in the second half.

In the second half it was a toss up as to the winner, with both quints going for all they were worth. The come-back of the Raleigh quint was remarkable and not less so the surprising rally of Reidsville just preceding it.

For Reidsville Burton and Cardwell were the stars. Cardwell being responsible for 21 points, Burton for the other 9.

K. K. K. TO BRING THE NEGRO BULLOCK BACK?

A special from Hickory says: Speaking before a large audience in Hickory last night, Dr. Arthur Tammage Abernethy, of Asheville, lecturer for the Ku Klux Klan, referred to a case in which he said, Governor Morrison was refused extradition of a negro by Canada and asserted that one million klanmen from Maine to Texas have been pledged to see that the negro is returned to North Carolina for trial. "And this will happen in the next 90 days," he added.

While Dr. Abernethy did not mention the name of the man he said was sought by the authorities of this State, the audience understood him to refer to Mathew Bullock, wanted at Norfolk on a charge of attempted murder growing out of a race riot at that place about a year ago. Bullock was recently given his liberty by Judge Snyder at Hamilton, Ont., where he was arrested, when Governor Morrison refused to send witnesses to Canada to testify at his extradition hearing.

WOMAN VOTER SUGGESTS BEN TRITTER FOR SENATOR

A woman voter sends The Review this from Leaksville-Spray: Good Morning, Mr. Editor: Since nominations seem in order I newly privileged, hasten to add the name of Mr. B. C. Trotter, who has every qualification necessary to make a winner. Mr. Trotter gave unsparringly of his time and unusual abilities to his party in the campaign of 1920 and so was a great Democratic victory achieved.

In tendering him the Senatorship of Rockingham county we, the Democracy of the county but express our appreciation of his untiring efforts in the past and our confidence in his ability and integrity in whatever emergency might arise in the future.

JULIAN S. CARR, JR., OF DURHAM, DIED IN NEW YORK

Julian S. Carr, Jr., "hosiery king" of Durham, died in a New York hospital Friday. Death followed an illness of several days duration with heart trouble.

Mr. Carr was 45 years old, the son of General Julian S. Carr, and is survived by his wife and three children.

Baseball massmeeting 7:45 p. m. Friday, C. & A. Hall. Be there.