

Advocates Dresses For Women, Long Hair For Teachers and Tobacco Tax

Raleigh.—There is still hope for the eager old maid and old bachelor but little hope for the young flapper, bobbed-haired teachers, friends of Lady Nicotine and enemies of Mr. Volstead and those who believe in personal liberties, if recommendations for new laws for North Carolina made to Revenue Commissioner Doughton by a merchant of Avery County, should all be enacted into the statutes of the Commonwealth.

The letter to commissioner Doughton reads: "I have just read the sketch from Raleigh as to the vacation of you official men in visiting your homes during Christmas. Hope you all had a nice time. "Then I notice other things you all are doing, and in which I am interested. I hope you all will see that the taxes on cigarettes, cigars and all tobacco are raised; then that there will be no man or woman, other than married, sober and modest, to superintend our public schools (so as to cut out these courting schools) and that after 1927 that there will be no lady teacher with bobbed hair allowed to teach in North Carolina; then that the female sex all wear dresses rather than trousers and leggings. "Then, if it can be done, where a man gets a living off of others without working, that those who he owes shall have a perfect right to take him up and hire him out and keep one-half of his earnings to apply to his indebtedness and the other half to go to the maintenance of his family.

"Then that a boy under 18 years of age, having no income, be not allowed to run an automobile for pleasure. "Then I wish that something could be done for the farmer to aid him in securing farm labor. "Hoping to hear from you when you find time, and hoping to have you visit me some time, and with kindest regards to you and yours, I am very respectfully yours and fraternally."

The letter is signed by a merchant of Avery County with a genealogical review of his family for two generations. Commissioner Doughton stated that he had received many requests and many suggestions in regards to the business pertaining to his department and how it should be run, "but" he added, this is the most expansive one of all and it beats them all, though they came from the four corners of the State."

Cleveland Springs.

Charlotte Observer.

The people of Shelby get the greater benefit of the hotel at Cleveland Springs by reason of one circumstance alone. They are on the short end of the road. The property has been long regarded very much in the nature of a Charlotte asset, even in the rough old days of coach travel and muddy roads and ramshackle buildings. Affairs, so far as the accommodations there are concerned, might have been as they were then but for the coming of a fire that cleared the ground and pushed Shelby into action. The business men of that town came to Charlotte on a proposition of cooperation in establishing a condition there on modern basis and to build and equip a hotel which would meet the requirements of the new times. The hotel was built and was turned over to Mr. Vanstory, who seemed to

have been born for that particular job. The intention was to establish the hotel not only as a resort, but as an all-the-year institution. It has been kept open for two winter seasons and with a developed patronage which has made that feature a permanency. It has been doing a capacity business and an enlargement is now in prospect. The directors, in recognition of the services of Mr. Vanstory, are going to make it possible for him to give entertainment to a larger number of people and will expend the capacity of the hotel against the coming of the summer season.

It is an open secret that the success which has been scored by the hotel is due mainly to the excellent character of its management. The people of Shelby took a big venture in placing their money in an expensive plant, but they realized that with good management the risk would be minimized. The enterprise is now on a solid foundation, and the proposed enlargement is a circumstance in which the people of Charlotte will take particular delight. It's two hours close to the city any day, rain or shine, and the spunk back of the Shelby money is now reaping the reward that was expected. Shelby enterprise has found an institution ahead of which there is a great day.

BUTCHER 105 YEARS OLD ATTENDE SON'S WEDDING

Newark, N. J., Jan. 12.—Kupper Bier, 105-year-old Hoboken butcher, was the guest of honor here today at the wedding of his 23-year-old son, Arthur, to Miss Ethel Batemans. The butcher's birthday anniversary was last Sunday but he had postponed formal observance of the occasion to permit the double celebration today. He was accompanied by his wife, Mrs. Ethel Bier, 79.

TRY STAR WANT ADS.

PEACOCK HAS FEDERAL JOB IN CALIFORNIA

Thomasville.—Dr. J. W. Peacock, now of Cajon, Calif., but adjudged a paranoiac when tried for the slaying in Thomasville of Chief of police J. E. Taylor, and escaping from confinement in the criminal insane department of the penitentiary at Raleigh a year later, has accepted the position of chief surgeon in a government veterans' hospital in California, according to reports reaching here from members of the Peacock family now in California.

BLOCKADED

Every Household in Shelby Should Know How to Resist it.

If your back aches because the kidneys are blocked, You should help the kidneys with their work. Doan's Pills are especially for weak kidneys. Ask your neighbor! Recommended by thousands—home testimony proves their merit. J. G. Jones, grocer, Martin St., residence 602 S. Morgan St., Shelby, says: "I have used Doan's Pills off and on for some time whenever my kidneys troubled me and I always found them to be a good remedy. At times I almost got to where I couldn't keep going. My back ached and I had sharp catches over my kidneys when I stooped. I always felt lame and stiff mornings. My back ached and my kidneys acted too frequently most of the time. I used Doan's pills for these ailments and they have never failed to rid me of the attacks." 00c at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. Ad In these days of auto banditry, traveling is more flattening than broadening.

AUDITOR'S REPORT FOR FOURTH QUARTER 1924.

Table with columns for Salary Fund—Receipts, Disbursements, County Fund—Receipts, and Disbursements. Total receipts for County Fund: \$111,042.36. Total disbursements for County Fund: \$60,665.40. Balance county funds Jan. 1st: \$50,976.96. Total receipts for School Fund: \$102,700.21. Total disbursements for School Fund: \$95,335.59. Balance January 1st: \$40,976.17.

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Note These Prices They are below all comparison HUDSON on the Famous Super-Six COACH \$1345 SEDAN (5 Pass.) \$1795 SEDAN (7 Pass.) \$1895 Freight and Tax Extra HOEY MOTOR COMPANY

A husband who will carry in the coal and dry the dishes too is more than any woman should expect. Another pleasant thing about prohibition is that the water wagon is never crowded the first of the year.

Dr. C. M. Peeler Dentist Office in Whisnant Building Over Battery Store. Office Phone 99-W. Residence Phone 460-W.

Practical Nurse Tells Mrs. N. E. Snow, of Route 1, near Paris, Tenn., tells the story of her experience as follows: "I am 62 years old and I have been a practical nurse for more than 20 years, taking mostly maternity cases. One of my daughters suffered from cramping at . . . She would just bend double and have to go to bed."

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. The Board of Education of Cleveland county will receive construction and heating bids for the erection and steam heating of a school building to be erected in Fallston, N. C. Bids will be received in office of the County Superintendent, Shelby, N. C., until 2 p. m. January 22nd, 1925. Plans and specifications may be secured from the County Superintendent or from Linthicum and Linthicum, Architects, Raleigh, N. C. This advertisement authorized by the Board of Education of Cleveland County. LINTHICUM & LINTHICUM, 9-13-16-20

GARDUI The Women's Tonic was recommended to her and she only had to take about two bottles, when she hardly knew that it was . . . she suffered so little pain. "My youngest daughter was run-down, weak and nervous, and looked like she didn't have a bit of blood left—just a walking skeleton, no appetite and tired all the time. I gave her two bottles of Gardui. It built her up and she began eating and soon gained in weight and has been so well since." Gardui, the Woman's Tonic, has helped suffering women for over forty years. Try it. At all druggists. E-100

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. (First publication January 9, 1925). Having qualified as executrix and executor of the estate of L. S. Gardner, deceased, late of Cleveland county North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present same for payment to the undersigned at Shelby, N. C., or their attorney P. Cleveland Gardner in said city, on or before the 9th day of January, 1925, 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 January, 1925. M. A. GARDNER, Executrix, T. C. GARDNER, Executor, P. Cleveland Gardner, Atty. for Executrix and executor.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior court of Cleveland county made in special proceeding entitled, "Robert Newton et al., vs. Annie Newton et al." I, as commissioner, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the court house door in Shelby, N. C., on Saturday, January 17, 1925 within legal hours the following described real estate situated in No. 11 township, Cleveland county, and being a part of the W. C. Newton land, adjoining the lands of Sallie Downs, James Self and others and bounded as follows: Beginning on a stone in old road in James Self's line thence with James Self's line south 85 1-2 east 70 poles to a stone in Sallie Downs' line, thence with her line north 33 West 168 1-4 poles to a stone, corner of G. W. Peeler and Ryburn & Hoey (now Newton), thence with Ryburn & Hoey (now Newton) line south 8 1-2 east 133 poles to the beginning, containing 31 1-4 acres. Bidding will begin at \$2016.00. Terms of sale: All cash upon confirmation of sale. This December 31, 1924. CLYDE R. HOEY, Commissioner.

NOTICE Under the virtue of the authority vested in me as Administrator of the Estate of W. L. Justice, deceased, late of Cleveland County, N. C., I, John F. Justice, will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash on the premises (Known as W. L. Justice old home place) in No. 6 Township, about 3 miles North of Shelby, N. C., on SATURDAY, JANUARY 31st, 1925, at 11 o'clock A. M., all the personal property in possession of said W. L. Justice, including: 1 rubber tire top buggy; 1 two-horse wagon; 1 Cole Cotton Planter, and other farming tools and implements; Household and kitchen furniture; 50 bushels of corn; 100 bushels of cotton seed; 200 bundles of fodder and feed materials. This the 5th day of January, 1925. JOHN F. JUSTICE, Administrator.