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WARS PRESENT AND FUTURE.

While pacifists talk of peace and try to get our government to forbid the export of war materials, the world goes merrily on making war and buying the makings.

Only recently Persia placed an order with us for machine guns and other material which could have gone elsewhere, and the money with it. China has placed an order for \$25,000,000 worth of ammunition from a British firm, which is \$25,000,000 worth of raw material and wages and new wealth to England no matter how you figure. Japan spent \$8,000,000 with France.

That Persia figures it might have a war with England over some oil leases she has canceled, or that China might want to kill off a few of the Japanese messing up her country, or vice versa, goes without saying. China today is the best example the world has ever had of a nation which has adopted ways of peace and then paid for it by being cut to pieces.

But why be carried away with a pious wish? The people who want to fight are going to fight, and someone is going to sell them the arms. The only way to make these warring factions let up on each other would be for some one to go over there and hand them a good trimming, which would be war in any language, and wasting rather than earning money.

Taking the entire international situation in this 15th year of so-called peace, we have the following wars actually going on: Bolivia vs. Paraguay; Peru vs. Columbia; Japan vs. China; and France vs. desert tribes.

We also have the following powder kegs with matches already lighted and causes designated: Germany vs. Persia (oil); England vs. India (independence); France vs. Germany and Italy (fear and jealousy); and of the Balkan States against almost any of the others (general cussedness); Russia vs. Japan (Manchuria); U. S. vs. Japan (control of Pacific); Moros vs. Tagalogs in Philippines (religion); Finland vs. Russia (communism); Poland vs. Russia (hatred); Poland vs. Lithuania (jealousy).

With all these potential customers, why send the arms trade next door?

NORTH CAROLINA ELECTION METHODS
 ("Aristocrat" In Greensboro Daily News)

A curious thing of statewide importance has happened in Surry county. The attorney general of the state came to the conclusion after careful investigation that six men in that county ought to be indicted for fraudulent manipulation of the primary election in Surry county. Mr. Brummitt not only brought the charge of fraud but named the men whom he considered guilty and asked the grand jury to indict them. The grand jury refused to comply with his request on the ground that such irregularities have become common in the counties of the state. In other words nothing could be done about it since grave election irregularities have become common in most of the counties.

The irregularities listed embraced the voting of persons who could not be located, people who had been absent six years or more and those who testified that they voted in person in distant counties. The Surry grand jury declared that they could not see their way clear to indict the men of their county for stealing an election or attempting to steal it while other counties were tolerating the same thing.

The gentlemen of the grand jury were probably prepared to prove their statement if called on to do it. The attorney general deserves credit for exposing the methods employed in the conduct of elections in Surry county. The methods employed in Buncombe county were thoroughly exposed by Dr. R. F. Campbell, pastor for 40 years of the First Presbyterian church, of Asheville, soon after the election of November, 1930. Speaking of absentee voting he said: "These absentees did not vote, they were voted through the corruption of the ballot by the ring. No medium was present to communicate with them as to how they wanted their votes cast." The 60 prohibition agents in Madison county might tell the world how elections are managed in that county.

The pitiful thing about all this is that the most skillful manipulator of votes in a fraudulent election stands the best chance now to be appointed to important federal office.

Colored School and Community News

Edited by the Members of the Senior Class of the Selma Graded School—Surluta B. Bell, Editor-in Chief.

HONOR ROLL FOR FEBRUARY.

Because of dis-organized conditions we were not able to announce the Honor Roll for the month of January, however, we are glad to announce the Honor Roll for the month of February, which is as follows:

Senior Class:
 Attendance—Lester Revel, Thomas Ricks. Scholarship—Surluta B. Bell.

Junior Class:
 Attendance—Grace Mae Lane, Rubie Saunders. Scholarship—Grace Mae Lane.

Sophomore:
 Attendance—Maude Bell, David Nobles, Thomas Freeman. Scholarship—Maude Bell.

Freshman Class:
 Attendance—Needham Lewis, Nestor Sanders, William Saunders, Bernice Kelly, Annie McLaughlin, Louise King, Dorcas Wilson, Helen Porter, Lester Fryar. Scholarship—Nestor Sanders, Bessie Davis, Bertha Davis, Johnnie High, Helen Porter.

Fourth Grade:
 Attendance—Roy Richardson, Joseph Mials, Rosa Lee Degraffle. Scholarship—Beulah Edwards, Estell Eatman.

Third Grade:
 Attendance—Helen Foye, Vivian Jordan, Walter O'Neal, George Curtis.

Second Grade "A":
 Attendance—Mary Ella Akin, Magdalene Singletary, Percy Hastings, Thomas Mozelle, Christine Winstead. Scholarship—Charles Edwards, Dorothy Stevens, Annie Barnes, Eugene Blackwell.

Second Grade "B":

Attendance—John Turner, Lewis Smith, Otis Richardson, Joseph Shaw, George Dudley. Scholarship—John Turner, Lewis Surret, Otis Richardson.

First Grade "A":
 Attendance—Nathaline Reid, Eliza Newson, Alice Smith. Scholarship—Alice Smith, Nathaline Reid, Eliza Newson.

First "B":
 Attendance—George Reid, William Owens, Robert Sims. Scholarship—Inez Cappedge, Robert Sims, Marvin Edwards, James Gardner, Annie M. Merrit, Carrie M. Lane, J. D. Bailey, Luella Gardner, Alberta Baines.

First "C":
 Attendance—Moses Warren, Walter Warren, Ruth Durham, Thomas Warren, Clara Mae Whitfield, Albert Stancil, Willie Mozell, James Brooks, Buster Stancil, Albert Stancil. Scholarship—Moses Warren, Walter Warren, Ruth Durham, Rosa Lee Smith.

Debating Club.

Friday evening, March 17, there will be a preliminary debate given at the First Baptist Church. The debate, which is given under the auspices of the North Carolina Debating League, is to be between Carver High School of Mt. Olive, and Selma.

This debate will decide which of these teams will attend the final State-wide contests to be held in Greensboro, April 7th.

The negative of Selma will go to Mt. Olive, while the affirmative of Selma will remain here to debate the negative of Mt. Olive.

Wins Bridge Prize.

Mrs. H. D. Culbreth of Selma was the winner from Johnston county in a bridge contest staged recently by the Lance Packing company of Charlotte. The prize was 32 packages of sandwiches. Mrs. Culbreth is proprietor of the A. C. L. and Southern Cafe.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by a certain deed of trust executed to the First National Company of Durham, Inc., and the Union Trust Company of Maryland, Trustees, on the first day of July, 1928, by ELIZABETH H. JOHNSON (widow) on the lands herein described, said deed of trust being recorded in Book 238, page 522, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Johnston County, N. C., the undersigned will, having been so instructed by the holder of said indebtedness, offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in Johnston County, N. C., at twelve o'clock noon on Monday, April 24th, 1933, the purchaser assuming all unpaid taxes and street assessments, the lands described in said deed of trust, to-wit:

BEGINNING at a stake, the northeast intersection of Stallings and Kildee Streets, and runs as Kildee Street north 47 degrees 15 minutes East 105 feet to a stake; thence as Mrs. Johnson's line south 42 degrees 45 minutes East 150 feet to a stake in Dr. Payne's line; thence as his line south 47 degrees 15 minutes west 105 feet to a stake in the line of Stallings Street; thence as said street north 42 degrees 45 minutes West 150 feet to the beginning.

The Union Trust Company of Maryland having resigned as Trustee, as in said deed of trust provided, the sale is being advertised and conducted by the undersigned trustee.

This first day of March, 1933.
 W. G. BRAMHAM and T. L. BLAND, Receivers, First National Company of Durham, Inc., Trustee.

Mar. 16-4t.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Under and by virtue of authority contained in a certain Mortgage Deed executed by W. J. McLamb and wife, Zilphia J. McLamb, to the undersigned, on January 20, 1930, Mortgage deed is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Johnston County in Book 242, page 22, and default having been made in the payment of the principal and interest, the undersigned Mortgagee will sell for cash to the highest bidder, at public auction in front of the court house door in Smithfield, Johnston County, North Carolina, on Saturday, April 15, 1933, at 12:00 o'clock M., the following described real estate:

Beginning at a stake near the bridge in the White Oak branch, M. V. Barefoot's corner; thence North 150 poles to a small black gum in the run of the Watery Branch, M. V. Barefoot's corner; thence down the meanders of said branch to the run of Stony Creek; thence down the run of said creek to the old path nearly South to a hill, a lightwood stump; thence down the creek to the run of White Oak branch to a gum; thence up the meanders of said branch J. L. Johnson's line to the beginning corner, containing thirty-seven (37) acres, more or less.

For further reference see Book 171, page 557, Registry Johnston County, N. C.

ELIJAH WHEELER, Guardian, Mortgagee.
 This March 10, 1933.
 PARKER & LEE, Attorneys.

Mar. 16-4t.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by a certain deed of trust executed to the First National Company of Durham, Inc., Trustee, on the first day of September, 1928 by E. R. Gulley and wife, Oneida B. Gulley, on the lands herein described, said deed of trust being recorded in Book 238, Page 61, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Johnston county, N. C. the undersigned will, having been so requested by the holder of said indebtedness, offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the Courthouse door in Johnston County, at twelve o'clock noon on Monday, March 20th, 1933, the lands described in said deed of trust to-wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land, situated in Clayton, Johnston county North Carolina, the same being described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the eastern boundary line of Horne Street, said point being 114 feet Northward of the Northeastern corner of the intersection of Horne Street and O'Neal Street, at the Northeastern corner of lot No. 13, according to survey recorded in the Registry of Johnston county, in Book 1-12 at page 594, runs eastwardly along the Northern end of Lots 13 and 14, 100 feet; thence Northwardly in a line parallel with Horne Street 55 feet; thence westwardly in a line parallel with O'Neal Street 100

feet to the East-tern boundary line of Horne Street; thence Southwardly along the boundary line of Horne Street 55 feet to the point of Beginning. This is lot No. 12 according to the survey recorded in Book 1-12 at page 594, and includes in addition to said lot 12 a strip of land immediately North of said Lot No. 12, said additional strip of land facing on Horne Street 10 feet and extending Eastward 100 feet. The said lot 12 was conveyed by Sam T. Honeycutt, Commissioner to E. R. Gulley, by deed dated March 26th, 1931, recorded in Book Z-7 at page 186; and the additional strip of land North of Lot 12, 10 feet wide and 100 feet deep, was conveyed by Hugh A. Page and wife, to E. R. Gulley by deed dated January 22, 1914, recorded in Book T-12, page 397. The residence situated on this lot is known as 206 Horne street.

The purchaser at the foreclosure sale assumes the payment of all unpaid taxes and street assessments.

This 14th day of February, 1933.
 W. G. BRAMHAM & T. L. BLAND, Receivers, FIRST NATIONAL COMPANY OF DURHAM, INC., Trustee

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE OF LAND

State of North Carolina, County of Johnston.

The Federal Land Bank of Columbia, plaintiff, vs David R. Hocutt, and wife, Bessie Lee Hocutt, E. J. Wellons, Mrs. Pauline C. Griffin, Admrx. of Dr. T. A. Griffin, deceased, F. D. Finch, assignee of N. B. Finch & Company, Gurney P. Hood, State Commissioner of Banks, defendants.

Pursuant to a judgment entered in above entitled civil action on the 13th day of February 1933, in the Superior Court of said County, by the Clerk, I will on the 18th day of March, at 12 o'clock M., at the county courthouse door in said county sell at public auction to the highest bidder therefor the following described lands, situated in said county and state in Wilders Township, comprising 148 1-2 acres, more or less and bounded and described as follows:

All those certain tracts, lots or parcels of land, containing 89 1-2 and 59 1-4 acres, more or less, located lying and being in Wilders Township, Johnston County, North Carolina, about three and four miles, respectively south of Wendell, N.C., having such shapes, metes, courses and distances as will more fully appear by reference to plats thereof made by T. R. Fulghum, Surveyor, in 1907 and B. Baker, Surveyor, in 1917, copies of which are attached to abstract on file with the Federal Land Bank of Columbia. The 89 1-2 acre tract is bounded on the North by the lands of R. B. Whitley; East by lands of W. D. Moody; South by lands of Ruffin Holder and West by lands of Charlie Carpenter. The 59 1-4 acre tract is bounded on the North by the lands of W. D. Moody; East by the lands of Josiah Pully heirs (undivided lands) South by the lands of Josiah Pully heirs and West by the lands of W. D. Moody.

The terms of sale are as follows: One-fourth of the accepted bid to be paid into the court in cash, and the balance on credit payable in Five equal annual installments with interest thereon at six percent per annum from the date of sale until paid, and secured by a first mortgage of the premises on the part of the purchaser, provided that the purchaser shall have the right when complying with the terms thereof, to pay in cash the whole or any part of the credit portion of the purchase price, should the cash portion of the sale not suffice after paying the cost of this action, the expenses of the sale, including the compensation to the commissioner, and all unpaid taxes and assessments, then assessed upon the property, to discharge and pay off the judgment in favor of the plaintiff in full, then any balance due upon said judgment shall be evidenced by a separate bond and secured by a first and separate mortgage of the premises on the part of the purchaser, the purchaser shall pay for the preparation and recording of all papers.

All bids will be received subject to rejection or confirmation by the Clerk of said Superior Court and no bid will be accepted or reported unless its maker shall deposit with said Clerk at the close of the bidding the sum of Three Hundred (\$300.00) Dollars, as a forfeit and guaranty of compliance with his bid, the same to be credited on his bid when accepted.

Notice is now given that said lands will be resold at the same place and upon the same terms at 2 o'clock, p. m. of the same day unless said deposit is sooner made.

Every deposit not forfeited or accepted will be promptly returned to the maker.

This 15th day of February, 1933.
 JAMES D. PARKER, Com.

CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION.

To All to Whom These Presents May Come—Greeting:

Whereas, It appears to my satisfaction, by duly authorized record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that the Selma Lumber Company, a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated in the Town of Selma, County of Johnston, State of North Carolina (T. M. Benoy and C. S. Hicks, being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served), has complied with the requirements of Chapter 22, Consolidated Statutes, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution:

Now Therefore, Stacy W. Wade, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 18th day of February, 1933, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my official seal at Raleigh, this 18th day of February, 1933.
 STACY W. WADE, Secretary of State.

NOTICE OF SALE

North Carolina, Johnston County.

Under and by virtue of authority contained in a certain Deed of Trust executed by J. A. Wellons and wife, F. E. Wellons, to the undersigned, on April 1, 1932 and recorded in Book 288, page 93 of the Office of Register of Deeds of Johnston county, North Carolina default having been made in the payment of the principal and interest the undersigned Trustee, will sell for cash, at the Courthouse door in Smithfield, Johnston County, North Carolina, to the highest bidder on Monday, March 27 1933, at 12 o'clock M., the following described lands:

A one-fourth undivided interest in the three following described tracts of land:

1st Tract: Beginning at a stake in Wyatte Whitley's line and runs S. 86 poles to a large pine; thence W. 16 poles to a stake; thence S. 64 W. 265 poles, to Buffalo swamp; thence down Bufalo Swamp to Larkin Lynch's corner on said swamp (as described in a certain deed this day made to Larkin Lynch); thence with Larkin Lynch's line in a straight course to the beginning containing 96 acres, more or less. See Registry Book 7, page 40, also Land Book 3, page 113, Office of the Clerk of Superior Court, Johnston County.

2nd Tract: Beginning at a stake on the old road, J. G. Jones' corner, and runs as his line S. 65 E. 24.57 chains to a stake in Price's line; thence S. 42 1-2 W. 9.90 chains to the old road; thence as said road 23.60 chains to the beginning, containing 12.1-3 acres.

3rd Tract: Beginning at a stake in the old road, corner of Lot No. 2, and runs thence with the line of said Lot and passed the corner W. 161 poles to a stake in Wilson & Waddell line; thence with their line N. 2. E. 81 poles to a stake; thence N. E. 46 poles to a stake; thence N. 6. poles to a pine on the road; thence down said road to the beginning, containing 65 acres, more or less.

Also a one-twelfth undivided interest in the three following tracts of land:

1st Tract: A tract of land situated in Wilson Mills Township, adjoining the lands of the late Ida Johnson and the late Merriett Holt and other and being the tract of land descended to J. J. Wallace and J. C. Wallace and other as heirs-at-law of the late Ashley Price and being the lands conveyed to Martin Holt, and containing 91 3-4 acres, more or less.

2nd Tract: Beginning at a stake on Norris Creek and runs South 159 poles to a stake; thence E. 40 poles to a red oak; thence N. 116 poles to a popular, dead, on Norris Creek; thence with said Creek to the beginning, containing 85 1-2 acres, more or less.

3rd Tract: Beginning at a popular on Norris Creek and runs S. 59 E. 64 poles to a pine; thence S. 40 W. 84 poles to a stake on the old road; thence with the old road to a red oak; thence N. 47 E. 103 poles to a stake on Norris Creek; thence with said Creek to the beginning, containing 71 1-2 acres, more or less.

All of said tracts being the lands conveyed by the heirs-at-law on Martin Holt and by him to P. E. Whitehead and by P. H. Whitehead to the Grantors in this deed to convey all the rights, title and interest, they own in the aforesaid tracts of land.

This February 24, 1933.
 J. IRA LEE, Trustee.
 PARKER & LEE, Attorneys

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