

PITTSFIELD ELECTRICIANS TOY WITH TEN MILLION HORSE-POWER

The greatest amount of energy ever concentrated by human ingenuity—more than 10,000,000 horse-power—was erected, toyed with and finally docilely placed back in its cradle yesterday by a single man.

The significance of the spectacular demonstration was that twice as much electric voltage as ever before was produced and safely handled. It also was made to do the bidding of a man operating a small switch with all the unfathomable wizardry of a magician bringing rabbits out of a hat. For a small part of a millionth of a second the power was equal to all the electrical power in America.

The exact voltage was 2,000,000, which, as estimated by Charles P. Steinmetz, an electrical expert, is one twenty-fifth the power of a bolt of lightning.

The demonstration was made in the Pittsfield laboratory, renowned among electrical men as the transmission experimentation center. It was in charge of F. W. Peek, Jr., who directs the high voltage research and Giuseppe Facioli, chief electrical engineer of the Pittsfield works.

Mr. Facioli said the laymen might get some conception of the power handled when it was realized that the greatest single amount of electrical voltage now transmitted for public use is 230,000—that in California. Mr. Peek pointed out the objective was to keep research ahead of need—so that when it is desirable to carry 2,000,000 volts in a wire it can be done.

A model village was built and the electricity transformed into a bolt of lightning was whirled back and forth, up and down, striking the lightning arrestor of a little church steeple. The artificial lightning was shot through realistic clouds which rolled and rumbled while rain they produced fell in torrents.

The engineers were unable to explain what the chemical substance produced when walnut wood, touched by the great voltage, disappeared from their sight and left no perceptible residue.

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Mother's want it for it quickly clears away the choking phlegm, stops the hoarse cough, gives rest and sleep. Safe and reliable.

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No Narcotics

FOR SALE:—One pair of mules. Six years old. Also some hogs. Price right. Terms right. J. M. Sheward Sugar Grove, N. C. 323

INFORMATION WANTED

Any information leading to the whereabouts of my mother, Mrs. Mary McClard, will be most highly appreciated by her son, Mr. Thos. Luther Love, recently returned from the north. He is 23 years of age, being born June 17, 1900, at Watauga Falls, N. C., and has no recollection whatever of her. When last heard from she was in Avery County. Send all information in care of Democrat, Boone N. C. 41.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND FOR TAXES

For the purpose of collecting the taxes for the years 1920 and 1921, I will on Monday, July 2, 1923, sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estates, to-wit:

- Boone Township, 1921.**
- I. T. Barnett, \$7.06 200 Acres.
- Fred B. Hartley, \$0.70 Town lot.
- H. W. Horton, \$23.14 5 acres.
- G. A. Hodges, \$21.00 45 acres.
- B. T. Brannock, \$1.12 Town lot.
- T. A. Norris, \$16.91 66 acres.
- Will Wineberger, \$2.06.
- Boone Township, 1920**
- Bungarner, J. S., \$7.80 53 acres.
- H. R. Greene, \$7.80 106 acres.
- J. M. Harbison, \$8.53 55 acres.
- E. J. Harbison, \$16.30 100 acres.
- J. G. Norris, \$1.84 4 acres.
- J. W. Presnell, \$5.46 15 acres.
- Blue Ridge**
- David Horton Heirs for 1921 \$7.50
- David Horton Heirs for 1922, \$6.60 100 acres.
- Donia Richardson 1922, \$0.33 1 acre.
- Oscar Storie, 1921, \$0.46 13 acres.
- Oscar Storie 1922, \$0.33 13 acres.
- Blowing Rock Township**
- E. P. Colton for 1921, \$6.08 Town lot.
- E. P. Colton for 1921, \$5.51 town lot.
- Mrs. G. M. Wiley, 1921 and 1922, \$1.42 Town Lot.
- D. C. Kiever, 1922, \$2.94 Town Lot.
- H. E. Kinsman 1922, \$7.30 Town Lot.

This June 1st 1923.
J. E. YOUNG, Ex-Sheriff

C. B. KEARFOOT

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Watauga County made at the spring term 1923 in that certain action entitled J. E. Justes and Minnie Justes vs. W. H. Byrd appointing the undersigned a commissioner to sell the hereinafter described lands according to the terms of a certain mortgage deed executed by J. E. Justes and wife Minnie Justes to W. H. Byrd on the first day of March 1920, I will on **Monday June 18, 1923, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m.** at the court house door in Watauga county sell to the highest bidder for cash and according to the terms of said judgment, the following described lands, to-wit:

Being and being in Watauga county, State of North Carolina and in Watauga Township, Beginning on a lot at Ed Franklin's corner, and runs to-wit: Thence north 22 1-4 degrees east 8 poles and one link to a double oak fence north 34 degrees east 20 poles and one link to a chestnut W. H. and M. E. Byrd's corner, then North 26 1-2 degrees east 23 poles and one link to a stake, M. E. Byrd's corner, thence north 8 degrees west 17 poles to a chestnut, M. E. Byrd's corner, thence north 8 degrees west 17 poles to a chestnut, the division line between Joel Eagers and the E. Justes, thence south 75 1-2 degrees east 75 poles to a black oak W. H. Byrd and Joe Eggers' corner, thence south 57 degrees east to a chestnut near a ledge of rock, thence S 63 degrees west 30 poles to a bunch of yew and chestnuts, then south 97 degrees west 2 poles to a stake, thence south 29 degrees west 51 poles to a bunch of chestnuts, thence south 61 degrees west 315 poles to a stake, thence north 64 degrees west with Ed Franklin's line 50 poles and 12 links to the beginning, containing 80 acres more or less.

This the 21st day of May 1923.
A. W. SMITH,
Commissioner.

MONEY TALKS

WHAT DOES YOUR MONEY SAY?

"GOODBYE FOREVER"

OR

"WATCH ME GROW"

YOU CAN TEACH IT TO SAY EITHER
DEPOSIT IT WITH US AND WE WILL
MAKE IT TALK FOR YOU. YOU
WILL BE PLEASED

The Peoples Bank & Trust Company
BOONE, N. C.

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