

HILL DONATES FOREST FOR DEMONSTRATION USE

Three hundred acres of rugged forest land heavily timbered with a variety of trees and containing over three million board feet of lumber has been given to the forestry department of the North Carolina State College by George Watts Hill, young Durham capitalist and farmer.

Gift of the forest was announced by Dr. E. C. Brooks to the board of trustees at their annual meeting during the last commencement exercises. The tract will be under the supervision of the school of forestry and will be used for field studies and demonstration purposes by agricultural students specializing in forestry work.

The woodland is located seventeen miles north of Durham on paved highway number 13 to Boxwood. It is in the northern part of Durham County and was formerly a part of Mr. Hill's modern Quail Forest Dairy Farm. The area extends back to Flat River, is traversed by excellent cross roads and contains a variety of types of timber including the bottom land, slope and upland growths are found. The principal species of timber according to a survey by Dr. Julius W. Hofmann, head of the forestry department, includes Virginia pine, shortleaf pine, loblolly pine, white oak, red oak, maple, cedar, dogwood and birch.

Dr. Hofmann says a permanent camp will be established within the forest as soon as possible. This will be used by students while engaged in practical forestry work. Student surveyors from the school of engineering will also use the area for farm surveying.

This gift is characterized by President Brooks as one of the most valuable ever made to the college. Not only will it help the college to develop commercial foresters but it also will be of untold value in teaching the proper handling of farm woodlands, he says.

THE YONAHLOSSEE OPEN

(Charlotte Observer)

It was nearly ten years ago that the State took over the scenic highway known as the Yonahlossee Turnpike, connecting Blowing Rock with Linville, and at last it is turned over to the public in improved condition. It is a hard gravel road and is ready for traffic, but is to receive a finishing coat of gravel and tar in the fall. This highway has been accepted by the Federal government as a section of the Park-to-Park Highway and was the one required link to make that system complete. The Yonahlossee is a road famed in story and is generally recognized as the State's road of broadest scenic revelation. Information that it is now at the service of the public in its entirety will be good news to home-lookers and to tourists alike.

WOMAN HAD BIG PART IN BATTLE OF KINGS MOUNTAIN

Gaston, N. C.—During the rigorous days of the war for American independence, while men in the Carolinas fought for liberty or, defeated, were forced to hide themselves from Tory vengeance, their women filled the fields and managed the farms. They, like their husbands and fathers, were hardened to the discomforts of pioneer living and many incidents of their pluck and bravery have been recorded in histories of that period.

On October 7, 1780, the day of the Battle of Kings Mountain, many women waited anxiously for news of loved ones who had joined the mountaineers in their search for Colonel Patrick Ferguson and his Tory militia. That there would be a desperate battle they knew, but of the time and place they were uncertain. At last, about three o'clock in the afternoon, there was heard the thunderous noise of nearly two thousand rifles incessantly firing as British and Americans fought. According to old letters in the possession of her family, one woman of Lincoln (now Gaston) County, North Carolina, was blowing in the field when the guns were heard. Knowing that her husband was with Colonel Campbell's men, she quickly unhitched the horse from the plow and mounting, rode in the direction of the firing. On her way she was joined by some of her neighbors, who were equally anxious for news of the outcome of the battle.

These hardy women, guided by the noise of battle, reached Kings Mountain late in the afternoon. They stopped on the edge of the battleground, and removing their voluminous underskirts, tore them into bandages for the wounded men. Their assistance was timely, for the Americans had no such luxuries as medicine chests and first aid kits among their scanty provisions. After the battle those who were too badly wounded to be taken on the hurried march from Kings Mountain were left in homes in the surrounding district, where they were cared and nursed back to health.

Another interesting story is that much of the powder used by the mountaineers at Kings Mountain was made by an Englishwoman who lived on what is still known as Powder Creek, in Tennessee. An American general who found out that she knew the trade of powder-making built a mill for her there to help supply the colonists with ammunition. This patriotic woman gave five hundred pounds of her valuable product to the men of the Watuga settlement before they set out across the mountains in answer to Ferguson's challenge. She later removed to Cleveland County, North Carolina, where her descendants still live.

READ THE ADVERTISEMENTS

CRAMER APPOINTED TO TEXTILE FOUNDATION

Washington, Harry D. Thompson of New York, Stuart W. Cramer of Charlotte and Crumpton, N. C., and Franklin W. Hobbs of Boston, Mass., have been named by President Hoover as directors of the Textile Foundation.

IRVIN B. TUCKER APPOINTED TO FEDERAL PAROLE BOARD

Washington, June 12.—Attorney General Mitchell announced Saturday that Irvin B. Tucker of North Carolina, Dr. Amy N. Stannard of Washington, D. C., and Arthur D. Wood, of Michigan, has been selected as members of the Federal Parole Board.

NOTICE

State of North Carolina, County of Watauga, in the Superior Court before the Clerk: R. F. Reins, administrator of Mrs. M. A. Bingham deceased, vs. Lillian B. Brooks, Lundy Noble, C. M. Bingham, W. D. Bingham, S. J. Bingham, Roy Bingham, Virginia Bingham, G. F. Bingham Jr., C. F. Bingham Sr., Lucy Bingham (wife of Luther Bingham) and Gertrude and Martin Luther Bingham (minor heirs of Luther Bingham), heirs at law of Mrs. M. A. Bingham.

The defendants above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Watauga County, North Carolina, to sell real estate to make assets to pay debts; and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county in the courthouse in Boone, N. C., on the 17th day of July, 1930, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 16th day of June, 1930.

A. E. SOUTH, Clerk Superior Court Watauga Co. 6-19-30

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

By virtue of two certain deeds of trust executed to the undersigned trustee by C. L. Dula and wife, Bertha M. Dula, one of said deeds of trust being dated the 14th day of April, 1926, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Watauga County in Book 5 at page 212, the other being dated the 4th day of March, 1927, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Watauga County in Book 5, page 270. Said deeds of trust securing the sum of \$1,500.00 and \$600.00 respectively, I will, on Monday, July 14, 1930, at 1 p. m., at the courthouse door of Watauga County, sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, to-wit:

BEGINNING on a stake on the south side of Boone Street, on the corner of lot No. 13 and runs south 81 degrees east 68 feet to a stake; thence south 4 west 139 feet to a stake; thence north 84 west about 82 feet to the corner of lot No. 13; thence north 9 east with the line of lot No. 13, 141.6 feet to the beginning, and being lots Nos. 10, 11, and 12 of the Cox property as subdivided by the Carolina Land Company, and surveyed by G. L. Stein. This the 13th day of June, 1930.

W. H. GRAGG, Trustee. Bingham, Linney and Bingham, Attorneys. 6-19-30

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Watauga County, made in a special proceeding entitled U. S. Faganian, administrator of John R. Faganian, deceased et al, vs. William Ward Hagaman, Woodrow Wilson Faganian, owners, and Hunter Martin, guardian ad litem, the undersigned commissioner will on the 21st day of July, 1930, at 11:30 a. m., at the courthouse door in Boone, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash or on terms satisfactory to the court, that certain tract of land in Boone Township, either the land or timber thereon separately or together, and more particularly described as follows:

FIRST TRACT: Lying on the waters of Baird's Creek, Boone Township; beginning on a white oak, Walker's corner, also the common south corner of lots No. 4 and 5 of the late Thomas Hagaman estate, and runs as follows: East 80 poles to a black oak; north 44 poles to an ash in branch; east 40 poles to a white oak; south 52 poles to a stake; East 14 poles to Dugger's old corner; and continuing the same course one hundred poles to a stake in Green's line; north 79 poles to a stake on top of the dividing ridge between the waters of Baird's Creek and the waters of Brushy Fork Creek, then course northwesterly 150 poles more or less, following said dividing ridge to its extreme height, to a stake and runs south 32 degrees west 28 poles north 53 west 50 poles to a maple on bank of road ledge and branch; north 67 west 29 poles to a stake in Walker's line; thence course (south 7 west) with said Walker's line to the beginning, containing 110 acres, more or less.

SECOND TRACT: Beginning on a gum in Thomas Hagaman's old line, on the west side of Raven Rock ridge road, and runs west 40 poles; south 40 poles; west 60 poles; south 25 poles; east 100 poles to a stake in said Hagaman's old line and runs with same to the beginning.

THIRD TRACT: Beginning on a white oak corner of Thomas Hagaman's tract and runs west 48 poles; south 40 poles to a stake in said Hagaman's line; runs with said line west eighty poles crossing Raven Rock ridge to a stake; north 140 poles to a stake; east 130 poles to a chestnut corner, thence to the beginning; tracts two and three together containing 40 acres, more or less.

This the 17th day of June, 1930. FOLGER TOWNSEND, Commissioner. 6-19-30

JULY 4th "SWING HIGH"

SENATOR SIMMONS MAY GET FEDERAL JOB AFTER MAR. 4

Washington, D. C.—It was stated here Tuesday on good authority that Senator Simmons might have a position after March 4, if he wants it. President Hoover will have a few non-partisan places by that time. The late Governor R. B. Glenn was ap-

pointed to the International Joint Commission after he was through holding office in the State. The commission jobs are much sought after. Friends of Mr. Simmons realize that like many public men, he has made fame, but not money by his long service here. He will go out of the Senate a poor man, as did Mat W. Ransom, Zebulon B. Vance,

and other distinguished men of the South. Senator Simmons would be a good man for the Tariff Commission and that is the sort of work he likes and knows.

Sales of wool at the yards held in Western North Carolina by farm agents this spring amounted to 141,025 pounds.

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The money derived from this convention will go to the Izaak Walton League of this county, for the purpose of preserving the wild life of this region. Prizes will be given to all contestants in keeping with the decision of the judges. There will be contests for fiddlers, guitar and banjo and dancers.

We are expecting some bands from other counties and states and feel confident that we will have some of the finest music that has ever been pulled off at a fiddlers convention in this county.

For further information communicate with either member of the following committee.

W. H. GRAGG, J. W. BRYAN, G. H. WINKLER, Committee for Izaak Walton League

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