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Senator Simmons Will Vote Against Confirmation of Linney

On Ground That He Undertook to Mislead the Voters or is Trying to Mislead The Senate--Judge Connor Makes Bankrupt Order.

FOUR KILLED SUNDAY BY AUTOS.

How Accidents Happened---Capital Stock Tax Returns Must be in by July 31st---Encampment Ended at Morehead Sunday.

(By Maxwell Gorman.)

Raleigh, July 26.—Evidence that the State Guardsmen have broken camp at Camp Glenn was furnished here Monday when Company K of Mount Gilead stopped over in Raleigh as the guest of the local service company and participated in a parade. The first train load of soldiers left Morehead City Sunday afternoon and the work of encampment ended. The grand finale of social events was the Saturday night dance at the Atlantic Hotel, which ended, under order, at 11 o'clock.

Counter Proposals on Rate Decision.

Six traffic representatives of commercial organizations, with rate expert W. G. Womble, of the North Carolina Corporation Commission, went to Washington early this week to prepare counter-proposals to the revision of western and Virginia cities rates, suggested by the railroads, in view of the recent decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The committee was appointed at a conference of shippers of the State held in Raleigh Saturday. The railroad people are understood to have worked out a schedule increasing the western rate fifty cents per hundred on first-class hauls from Cincinnati to North Carolina points, and will submit this to the Interstate Commerce Commission. The rate experts will file another schedule.

Linney Confirmation.

The news comes from Washington that Senator Simmons, according to his statement given out this week, will oppose the confirmation of Frank A. Linney, nominated to be U. S. District Attorney for the Western North Carolina district, which is expected to come up in executive session any day soon.

A correspondent at Washington says:

"In this matter the position of Senator Simmons is understood to be that while he does not question Mr. Linney's ability as a lawyer or his character as a man, still he will vote against him because it is clear to the Senator's mind that Mr. Linney as chairman of the Republican party in North Carolina either undertook to mislead the voters of the State or in his testimony before the Senate Committee he is seeking to mislead the Senate as to the position his party took on the negro question in the North Carolina campaign in 1920."

New Bankrupt Case Order.

Declaring that "the appointment of a receiver before adjudication frequently works injustice to the alleged bankrupt and creditors and always involves expense to the State," Judge Henry G. Connor, in United States District Court, has made an order requiring more detailed information in affidavits setting forth the necessity for receivership.

Death in Reckless Driving of Autos.

Four men were killed instantly, and five more or less seriously injured in two automobile crashes within a radius of 30 miles of Raleigh Sunday. H. L. Jones and S. B. Hutchins of Norfolk were instantly killed shortly after midnight when their car turned over on a railroad crossing three miles north of Franklinton, and Charles E. Martin and Ralph Webster, both of Durham, were instantly killed, and five other Durham men were injured when a touring car somersaulted with them near University Station, 12 miles west of Durham.

An oblique turn across the Seaboard trucks north of Franklinton, a driver unfamiliar with the road, and a car too long to negotiate the turn at any but low speed caused the death of Jones and Hutchins.

Taking the ditch to pass a car that declined to surrender half the road brought disaster to the Durham automobile, with the death of two men and injury of five others.

From Spencer came news of another smash in which members of two leading families were injured in a crash resulting when a third car backed suddenly away from the curbing and jammed traffic. Neither of the casualties in this case were fatal, but five people were sent to the hospital and two automobiles smashed.

Last Day of Tax Returns July 31.

July 31st is the last day for filing returns on the capital stock tax and returns must be in the hands of collectors of internal revenue on or before midnight of that date, according to a statement issued yesterday by J. W. Bailey, Collector of Internal Revenue. Blank forms are available at the office of the Collector of Internal Revenue. Form 707 is required for domestic and 708 for foreign corporations.

"The capital stock tax is a special excise tax imposed on corporations with respect to carrying on or doing business.' The tax on domestic corporations is $1 for each $1,000 or so much of the fair average value of its capital stock for the preceding year ending June 30th, as is in excess of $5,000. Foreign corporations are required to pay a tax at the rate of $1 for eace $1,000 of their capital employed in the transaction of business in the United States without the benefit of the $5,000 deduction. The tax is payable in advance, returns filed in July of this year covering the taxable year, beginning July 1, 1921, and ending July 30, 1922.

"The Bureau of Internal Revenue estimates that approximately 325,000 such returns will be filed, and that the amomnt of revenue collected from this source will be approximately $90,000,000.

"Returns are required of every domestic corporation regardless of the par value of its capital stock, and of every foreign corporation irrespective of the amount of capital employed in this conntry in the transaction of its business. Certain corporations not organized for profit are exempt from capital stock tax. The class of organizations entitled to the exemption is described in regulations 59, revised copies of which may be obtained at the office of Collector J. W. Bailey, Raleigh, N. C.

"Corporations claiming exemptions are required to file returns setting forth their reasons for such claims, accompanied by evidence in support thereof.

"If, because of lack of complete data or other reasons than illness or absence, it is impossible to file a complete return on or before July 31, a tentative return may be filed, reporting the approximate fair value in order that an initial assessment may be made, thus avoiding penalty.

"The penalty for failure to file a return within the time prescribed is an added assessment of 25 per cent of the amount due unless it is shown that the failure was due to reasonable cause and not to neglect.

"In addition to the added assessment a fine of not more than $1,000 is provided for failue to make a return on time. For wilful refusal to make a return, wilful evasion of the tax, wilful refusal to supply information requested by the commissioner, or attempting in any way to evade the tax and payment when due, the penalty is a fine of not more than $10,000 or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both.

"With a view to the prompt collection of the capital stock tax, and for the convenience of the tax-payer as well as the Government, the bureau suggests that corporations submit checks with the returns for the amount of tax due. This method is appealing to corporations as it lessens liability to penalty."

BIG INCREASE OF PREPARED TEACHERS.

Original Folk Plays—Colsolidated Schools Must Replace One-Teacher Schools.

Cor. of The Gleaner.

Chapel Hill, N. C., July 26.—With addresses by Dr. C. E. Brooks and Professor Lee L. Driver, director of the bureau of education for the State of Pennsylvania, two performances of original folk plays by the Carolina Playmakers, and two musicales, with artists from a distance assisting, the fourth week of the University summer school held for the student a great deal of pleasure and cultural value.

Dr. Broks' message to the teachers was one relative to the State's plan for getting and maintaining a prepared profession with adequate salaries. His figures on the increase during one year of the number of prepared teachers in North Carolina are wonderfully encouraging. They read for different grades of teachers as follows:

	1920.	1921	Increase.
Below Standard	8502	7382	13 pr. ct.
State Certificate	7491	10241	35 "
Highest Standard	2368	4367	85 "

Mr. Driver is the highest authority in America on the consolidated school, having been converted to the cause, he says, as surely as he was converted to the cause of Christianity. In a lecture illnstrated with eighty slides of consolidated and one room schools, he convinced the six hundred North Carolina teachers who heard him that the consolidated schools must replace the one teacher variety if the State is to make the most of its educational opportunities.

The Vamp, by Bill Royal of Goldsboro; The Miser, by Paul Green of Lillington; and In Dixon's Kitchen, by Wilbur Stout of Burlington, made up one of the best bills of original folk plays ever presented here by Professor Frederick H Koch and his corps of Playmakers. In order to accomodate the audiences two performances were given in the Chapel Hill Playhouse.

On Thursday and Friday evenings Mr. John Paul Weaver directed two musicales when the summer school chorus sang a mixed program and Il Trovatore. The principal solo parts were sung by Mrs. James Price, mezzo-soprano and Mr. Troxel, all of New York.

On Friday at Chapel, the 1100 students of the school went definitely on record as in favor of the programs of the State Department of Education and Public Welfare. Definite resolutions were adopted urging the maintenance of the present salary schedule for teachers, and the expansion of work in the field of public welfare.

HOME ELECTRIC PLANTS.

Streams That Will Afford Two Horsepower Can be Used for Lighting Homes and Doing Other Farm Jobs—Extension Farm Engineer Will Advise You.

Unless two horsepower can be developed from small streams, home electric plants from water power are not practical, according to investigations made in North Carolina by E. R. Raney, Farm Engineer of the Agricultural Extension Service.

Many requests for assistance in developing home electric water power plants have been received by Mr. Raney during the past year, but in most cases investigations revealed that such plants were impractical because there was not enough water and fall, or the plants would have to be located so far from houses that the cost of wire would be prohibitive.

No two propositions are exactly the same, because local conditions always vary, states Mr. Raney, in telling about small home plants. Four hundred gallons of water per minute falling 10 feet is equivalent to one horsepower. The amount of water or fall may be varied one way or the other, but will give the same results. For example, 200 gallons of water per minute falling 20 feet is equivalent to one horsepower, or 800 gallons of water per minute falling 5 feet would be the same thing.

Where there is a small stream with water and fall giving the equivalent of two horsepower, located near the home, an electric lighting plant sufficient in size to light one home and operate an electric iron, as well as other small motors could be installed This same plant would furnish lights for two homes, if the small motor were not used.

Where the streams are of sufficient size, these plants could be made to furnish electricity for lighting small communities, and operating motors for doing small jobs.

Anyone interesting in developing propositions of this kind can get information regarding their particular cases by getting in touch with E. R. Raney, Extension Farm Engineer, Raleigh, N. C.

UNITED STATES NOW LEADER

Europe, Exhausted by War, Must Yield First Place in Medical and Surgical Supremacy.

World leadership in medicine and surgery no longer is in Europe, but has been transferred to the United States, as one of the results of war, so Dr. George W. Crile of Cleveland stated in his address to the American College of Surgeons in convention at St. Louis recently, says the Ohio State Journal. This country made enormous contributions in all branches of medicine and surgery during the war, he pointed out, being particularly well equipped to render that important service because of the research and development work that have been so conspicuous in the field of scientific medicine here during the last quarter of a century.

With the end of the war European nations are exhausted and have limited resources and little of spirit to go ahead with that important work, while this country has resources without limit and spirit equal to the opportunity. Europe is all topsy turvy, its famous old medical schools are shaken, its great hospitals are exhausted, its professional life shocked and wearied. Doctor Crile states the situation with marked distinctness when he says: "The torch, all but gone out, has been handed us because we alone are left the means to light the way." It was his thought that the medical schools and research institutions of the land be supplied with every resource, their work broadened and requirements raised, that the World war opportunity may be developed and the problems of the future met successfully.

YEARS TOLD THEIR OWN TALE

In Her Plenitude of Power Proud Beauty Felt the Saddening Approach of Old Age.

Mercedes took a perfumed bath, steamed her face, dashed cold water on it, then massaged it; then she lay down and relaxed for an hour.

After that she manicured her nails, rubbed cold cream into her face, added powder and rouge, then a little more powder, arranged her permanently waved hair and donned her silken garments.

She looked at herself long and earnestly, turning slowly around before the long pier glass. She was well satisfied with herself. She was a trifle larger, rather mature, but not old looking, not in the least.

She crossed the ballroom floor, looking proud and regal. The mothers sighed in envy, the young society buds trembled in affright, and the women of her own age felt very old and faded. The men one by one gathered around her.

One of the youngest set came up, and she thought him callow and crude; a ladies' man of her father's age drew near and she thought him silly and childish; a man just old enough for her, rich, talented and successful, showed his admiration of her, but she thought him conceited and tiresome.

She stood before the pier glass again. She looked young and she was beautiful—but all men bored her.

She knew she was old.—Katherine Negley, in Judge.

Siamese Love Motion Pictures.

The Siamese love the "movies." They flock to Bangkok's motion picture theaters. In each of these theaters there is a royal dais, with a chair for the king and a table for the royal elbow and a jar for the royal spittle (the king does not chew betel nut, but all of his subjects do; so the jar is de rigueur). The king often comes for the premiere of a new picture. Usually the film is a well-worn French or American product, which has been broken so often and pieced together so quaintly that following the story becomes an acrobatic feat. The Siamese follow it eagerly, unmindful of strange gaps in the plot. But Charlie Chaplin may gambol in vain if the king is in the theater, for the audience turn their backs on the screen to look at royalty.

Worth One's Salt.

The phrase "not worth his salt," dates back to the time when salt was regularly doled out to the soldier as part of his pay, and one's rank was designated by his place at the table in reference to the position of the salt—members of the family and honored guests being placed above the salt, while retainers and servants sat below it. The Arab considers as sacred the guest who has partaken of his salt, a custom that might well be adopted elsewhere. In Africa a handful of salt will purchase a bride, and while we have all heard of those rare mortals who are worth their weight in gold, or whose price is above rubies, apparently no one in that section has achieved the distinction of being worth his weight in salt. What a find Lot's wife would have been to an African tribal king!

STUDIOS ON WALLS OF ROME

Practical Plan to Provide Housing for Artists in the Confines of the Eternal City.

An attempt is being made by the commune of Rome to remedy the studio shortage—which is only one phase of the general housing crisis—by the original plan of allotting some of the more habitable towers and turrets in the ancient city walls to various artists.

Many of these old towers can be made perfectly habitable, and when fitted with electric light and comfortable furniture will provide large and picturesque studios for a number of painters. The "master of the walls," Signor Francesco Randone, has instituted a school of educative art for children in the tower of Belisarius.

The new artist tenants of the turrets and towers will have to assume the nominal duty of keepers or custodians in addition to their responsibility as tenants, but this duty will be only a formal one. Some of the new studios, though they have the disadvantage of being a little distant from the center of the city, will have fine views over the Campagna and will form extremely picturesque abodes. A kind of summer house in the Villa Borghese (the Hyde park of Rome) has been offered to a widely known artist without a studio.—Living Age.

The Sport of Kings.

Tennis was ever a distinguished sport. It has been favored by the nobility. In the recent tournament at Cannes the king of Sweden and the ex-king of Portugal handled their rackets with skill and dexterity in mixed doubles with Mlle. Lenglen and Mrs. Bemish for partners. Mlle. Lenglen and King Manuel won the first set from Mrs. Bemish and the king of Sweden; in the second King Manuel and Mrs. Bemish were defeated by Mlle. Lenglen and the king of Sweden. Thus honors were even in that each king had a victory, though Mrs. Bemish was twice defeated.—Petit Parisien.

Ships Long in Service.

The vessels of past centuries had a career which seems to us moderns like the longevity of the patriarchs. The Princess Mary, which brought William of Orange to England, was in active service for more than 200 years. She was seventy-two years old when she arrived with the Dutch troops in Torbay. Under the name of Betsy Cairns she continued her labors after her two hundredth birthday in the transport trade between Britain and the West Indies, foundering at last off the English coast at the venerable age of two hundred and fifty years.

Servants of the People.

"I want to serve my country."

"A praiseworthy ambition!" commented Senator Sorghum. "But you want to bear this in mind. A country is likely to be tremendously fault-finding about the service and not a bit liberal when it comes to tips."

Sale of Real Estate!

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance county in Book of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust No. 84, page 217, wherein the undersigned is Trustee, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby as therein provided, the undersigned Trustee will, on

MONDAY, AUG. 1, 1921,

at 12 o'clock, noon, at the court house door in Graham, N. C., offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, a certain tract or parcel of land in Boon Station township, Alamance county and State of North Carolina, adjoining the lands of J. B. Gerringer, Geo. Simpson and others, bounded as follows:

Beginning at an iron stake, Geo. Simpson's corner; thence S 1 deg W 174 feet to an iron bolt on north edge of side-walk and 25 feet to center of street; thence N 89-30 W 206.6 to a stake in center of Lee Avenue; thence S 1 deg E 199 feet to a stake in Lee Avenue, J. B. Gerringer's corner; thence S 89-30 E 206.6 feet to the beginning, containing 95-100 acres, more or less.

This 30th day of June, 1921.

Alamance Ins. & Real Estate Co., Trustee.

W. S. Coulter, Att'y.

Mortgagee's Sale of Land.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed executed by V. B. Elkins and wife, Willie J. Elkins, on the 15th day of May, 1920, to secure the payment of a bond of even date therewith which became due and payable on the 15th day of May, 1921, and default having been made in the payment of said bond when due, and the said mortgage having been duly registered in the office of Register of Deeds for Alamance County in Book . . . . . at Page . . . . , the undersigned will expose to sale at the Court House Door in Alamance County, N. C. on

SATURDAY, JULY 30th 1921,

at 9 o'clock a. m., to the highest bidder for cash, at publi auction, the following described tract or parcel of land, situated in Patterson Township, Alamance County, N. C., and bounded as follows to-wit:

Beginning at a stone, old Graham Road, and running thence with McPherson line 10 poles to a stone in Graham Road; thence with said road 61 poles to McPherson's line; thence with McPherson's line 14 poles to Thompson's corner; thence N 74½ deg W 84 poles to J. W. Compton's corner; thence S 45 deg W 94 poles to Elwood Thompson's corner; thence S 16 deg W 80 poles to a stone in McVey's line; thence S 77 deg E 102 poles to Webb Parrish's corner; thence N 2½ deg E 56½ poles to a stone Parrish's corner; thence S 87½ deg E 92 poles to the beginning, containing 100 acres, more or less.

This 30th day of June, 1921.

Mollie J. Harris,
Mortgagee.

R. F. Paschal, Att'y.

Seller City.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Alfred S. Moore, deceased, the undersigned hereby notifies all persons holding claims against said estate to present the same, duly authenticated, on or before the 1st day of July, 1922, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement.

This June 22, 1921.

JOHN R. MOORE, Admr
of Alfred S. Moore, dec'd.
Graham, N. C., R. F. D. No. 1

Chas. A. Hines, Att'y. 23junest

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Joe L. Hendrix, deceased, late of Alamance county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 20th day of June, 1922, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This June 13, 1921.

J. N. TAYLOR, Adm'r
of Joe L. Hendrix, dec'd.

Parker & , Att'ys. 16junest