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UNCONSTITUTIONAL

The United States Supreme Court says NRA is unconstitutional. The decision shattered work and wage codes. The decision was unanimous.

The creation of the NRA was not vicious. It was prompted by the best of motives—to promote employment for the unemployed at a living wage and curb the slave-driver and sweatshop master.

has done a good work. It has created a spirit of fair competition and social justice, and to an extent that business enterprises and industries of standing and repute throughout the country are proposing to operate on the same basis with little or no variation.

The improvement and upturn in business have been steady and substantial.

Some are frightened, but if labor is treated justly there should be no reason for alarm.

The Supreme Court is both praised and censured. The Supreme Court has a duty to perform when matters are presented for its decision. The Constitution is its limit and did it not uphold its provision against encroachment it would be derelict in its duty and prove itself and the Constitution useless institutions.

The French-Canadian Dionne quintette sisters were one year old Tuesday and a 11 going strong, making May 28th one of the notable of all birthdays.

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt will deliver the literary address at Chapel Hill commencement on Tuesday, June 11th. A large crowd is expected and the speaking will be in the Kenan stadium.

There is a State law requiring lobbyists to register and report compensation to the Secretary of State. A report sent out from Raleigh lists a number. The highest paid was Hon. J. Elmer Long of Durham, former Lieut. Governor, who headed the list with \$3,500, several times more than any one else received. He represented the State Bottlers' Association. It will take lots five-cent bottles generously watered to cover that little item of expense.

Former President Herbert Hoover is taking time off from whatever is his occupation to indulge in criticism of the Roosevelt administration in its effort to lift the country out of the slough in which he left it so hopelessly bogged. He fired his last anathema from Palo Alto, California, last Saturday. Republicans are not making any great ado over Mr. Hoover in his efforts to extricate himself from the gloom in which his sun set. Mr. Hoover may have a come-back ambition—that is, to succeed Mr. Roosevelt, but it is not at all probable that he can do what Grover Cleveland did, the only president to serve a second term with an intervening term.

"One of the less spectacular but more significant indices of basic business recovery has been the improvement in the real estate situation in communities throughout the country."

It's An Office, Not Merely a Job.

The clerk of the Superior Court of Alamance County is confronted with the task of securing an assistant to fill the place of Assistant Clerk of the Superior Court. The vacancy occurs on June 1st on account of the resignation of the present assistant.

The choosing or appointment of an assistant is the business of the Clerk and he recognizes the importance of securing a person who will be able to help perform the duties of the office and meet and deal with the public, such as have to come to the office for such services as are pertinent to his office. Hence he is asking the aid of the County Commissioners in securing a fit and available person for the position.

The Clerk knows, after his years of service in the office, that he will not be able to secure one that can "carry on" from the moment the oath is taken. The duties of the office must be learned and they are learned by experience, study and application. It's a dull day in the office when something new or something not known before is not learned. There are legal matters to be dealt with and disposed of—such is the experience of the present incumbent and those who have had experience in the office.

It is learned that there is a long list of applicants for the vacancy. The writer has not seen the list and is not advised who compose it, but the appointee, whoever he or she may be, will have to learn and be taught the duties incident to the office, and the task of teaching will devolve principally upon the Clerk.

The position of Assistant Clerk of the Superior Court is an office, not a mere job or sinecure, and the appointee will find that there is plenty to learn and something to do.

The public is interested and has an interest in the office and it is hoped the appointee will be one that will meet the expectations of the Clerk and the public.

Yielding to the tearful plea of the victim, Miss Mary McElroy, who was kidnaped by Walter McGee, and his gang on May 27, 1933, and held for ransom in the state of Kansas, Gov. Guy B. Park of Missouri on Monday commuted McGee's sentence to life imprisonment. McGee was to have been hanged on May 31st, and his brother George is now serving a life sentence for his part in the crime. Miss McElroy is socially prominent and the daughter of Henry F. McElroy, City Manager of Kansas City. The young lady was unharmed and was accompanied by her father to present her plea to the Governor. She stated that if McGee had been hanged it would have haunted her all the rest of her life. Her forgiving spirit is beautiful, a supreme virtue, and commendable, and if her intercession does not make a model prisoner of McGee, it will all have been in vain. McGee is the first to have had the death sentence pronounced against him for kidnaping.

IN THE JUNGLES

Exploring the African jungles with M. Pierre Ichac, famous adventurer, is one of many fascinating articles in the June 2nd issue of the American Weekly, the big magazine which comes every Sunday with the Baltimore American. Buy your copy from your favorite newsdealer or newsboy.

School Commencements And Graduates.

Right now, the State over, the schools are in the midst of commencement season or school closings.

Hundreds are going out from the Colleges and Universities and thousands from the High Schools. Most of them may not believe or realize they are taking leave of "happy days." It is the pivotal point between youth and the stern reality of grappling the problems of life. The home training and the schooling constitute the preparation. If these have been good and properly observed and appreciated, the way will be cleared and the going less difficult, but the competition will be keener than in years past—so many more in the race. But the brave and courageous, if they have properly husbanded these qualities, have nothing to fear.

Timely Farm Questions Answered at State College.

QUESTION:—What percent of old hens should be carried over for layers next year?

ANSWER:—From the standpoint of commercial egg production it would be well to carry only pullets for layers. However, the increase in egg size of the hen over the pullet egg size should be considered where there is a specialized market demand for large eggs. The only way to arrive at the number of hens to carry over is to watch the flock very carefully and keep only those hens that moult early and are heavy producers.

QUESTION:—In planning to save feed for next winter, how much hay and silage should be provided for each cow?

ANSWER:—A mature cow will need from one and one-half tons of legume hay and three tons of silage for a six month feeding period. When hay is fed alone two and one-half tons should be provided but a combination of hay and silage is much preferred. Silage furnishes succulence which is very much needed in the winter ration. It is also the cheapest feed grown on the farm as one acre of good corn or sorghum will produce enough silage to feed three cows for six months.

QUESTION:—How can cabbage and collard worms be controlled?

ANSWER:—These pests can be easily controlled by dusting with rotenone. The material may also be used as a spray but dusting gives better results. Apply from 15 to 20 pounds of the chemical to the acre, depending upon the size of the plant and the rate of infestation. Rotenone is non-poisonous and may be used at any time during the growing season. Second and third applications are sometimes necessary for complete control of the worms.

BANKS RAPIDLY REDUCE DEBT

Although the sum of \$1,860,000,000 has been advanced to banks and trust companies by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation since it began operations in February, 1932, down to April 30, 1935, these institutions have repaid no less than \$1,340,000,000, or more than 72%. This rate of repayment is reported as being considerably in excess of that made by any other type of borrower.

Loans were authorized by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to 7,396 banks and trust companies in an aggregate amount of \$2,350,000,000, but of this sum \$345,000,000 was withdrawn or cancelled and \$140,000,000 has not yet been taken out by the borrowers.

Simplification of Bank Checks

New York.—In a bulletin issued by the Bank Management Commission of the American Bankers Association, plans are described for carrying on the simplification of bank checks, notes, drafts and similar instruments in respect to size and uniformity of arrangement of subject matter.

Detailed recommendations for this end were formulated by the association about ten years ago, the bulletin says, and promulgated by the United States Department of Commerce among banks, business houses using large numbers of checks, commercial stationers and lithographers. As a result about 85 per cent adherence to the recommendations was brought about. The present bulletin, which describes the standard specifications in full, is issued to maintain this high level of adherence to the recommendations.

TO DISCUSS AND INTERPRET NEW STATE AND FEDERAL LAWS

Institute of Government Meeting in Chapel Hill June 10-11—Bailey and Doughton to Speak—Seawell, Johnson and Other State Officials to Lead Discussion—Prepare Summaries.

Chapel Hill, May 27.—North Carolina public officials are continuing the unique and valuable system they initiated through the institution of Government in 1933 for cooperation between the Legislative and administrative branches of the government.

Representatives of city and county governments in every section of the State will meet with their State and National legislators here Monday and Tuesday, June 10 and 11, to hear interpretations of the new State and Federal acts and to discuss by groups the laws affecting their particular offices, towns and counties.

The first such meeting held here in 1933, met with an enthusiastic response. More than a thousand people, representing 98 of the State's 100 counties, took part, and the addresses and discussions proved so stimulating and beneficial, it was decided to make interpretation meetings a permanent affair.

The system for keeping the two branches in touch with each other was expanded further this year. A joint meeting was held in the fall at which organizations of official and citizen groups had the opportunity, for the first time, to lay their legislative programs before the newly-elected representatives for consideration in advance of the meeting of the General Assembly.

A Bulletin Service was initiated which kept officials and citizens alike in touch with the day-by-day doings of the Legislature. A copy of the releases, which summarized the contents and reported the progress of each bill, were sent free to every newspaper in the State as well as to a designated official in each city hall and court house.

Senator Josiah W. Bailey and Representative Robert L. Doughton have accepted invitations to deliver the principal addresses at this year's session for their interpretation of new Federal Legislation.

They will be assisted in their discussion of the methods for financing, allotting and administering the new four billion dollar public works and work relief program by H. C. Baity, Mrs. Thomas W. O'Berry, and the State heads of other federal agencies.

A number of ranking State officials, including Attorney General A. A. F. Seawell, Chas. M. Johnson and W. E. Easterling of the Local Government Commission; A. J. Maxwell, Commissioner of Revenue; Capus M. Waynick, Chairman of the Highway Commission; and Clyde Erwin, Superintendent of Public Instruction.

The Institute of Government this week brought out its comprehensive 20,000 word summary of State-wide acts passed by the 1935 General Assembly. The summaries of New Laws affecting each office and of Local Acts affecting each town and county are now in preparation and will be distributed to officials at the June meeting.

LET INDUSTRY ALONE!

"Industry, let it alone, is the only thing that can bring about recovery," said Governor Eugene Talmadge of Georgia, recently.

"Industry, let it alone, is the only safety for our government.... You cannot reform a scared, disconcerted, idle people. The first steps to reform are to let business recover."

That comes from a man in high public office. If the attitude it represents would swiftly spread to other officials, in both state and federal government, the nation would be considerably nearer better times.—Ex.

All 4-H club members over 14 years of age in Stanly county have received physical examinations in preparation for the district and State 4-H health contest.

The new, improved strain of Porto Rico sweet potatoes developed at the Coastal Plain Branch Station will be tested by H. T. Watkins of Caswell county.



G. H. ENFIELD

Moonlight often casts a reflection. Some folks feel so embarrassed, if caught at work, they'd hide behind a weed.

To say to a poor, hungry man, "You're unfortunate," may fill his heart but not his stomach.

Many a person meets his fate at the cross-road.

If it takes a vaudeville to get folks to church, it will also take a vaudeville to keep them in church.

There are those who do no more fencing to keep the Devil out of their lives than to keep their cattle out of the neighbor's corn.

"What do you have in your garden this spring?" "The neighbors' chickens."

"Pat, how are road bosses like bird dogs?" "Both are setters."

A little patch here And a big patch there; All the patches are To cover the bare.

GIRLS MEN DON'T FORGET

Fascinating works of art in beautiful colors. One of many in the June 2d issue of the American Weekly, the big magazine which comes regularly with the Baltimore Sunday American. Ask your favorite newsdealer or newsboy for your copy.

Report of growers in Bertie county indicate that stands of cotton are poor due to the heavy and constant rains last September when the crop was maturing.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of J. Edgar Shoffner, deceased, late of Alamance County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned, duly authenticated, on or before the 15th day of June, 1935, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This, the 14th day of April, 1935.

G. E. M. MAY, Administrator of the Estate of Edgar Shoffner, Deceased, Gibsonville, N. C.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of J. E. McAdams, deceased, late of Alamance County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned, duly authenticated, on or before the 25th day of May, 1935, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This May 20, 1935.

E. E. McAdams, Adm'r of J. E. McAdams.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of J. H. Graham, deceased, late of Alamance County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned, duly authenticated, on or before the 25th day of April, 1935, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This 19th day of April, 1935.

A. L. GRAHAM, Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of L. S. Walker, deceased, late of Alamance County, State of North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Graham, N. C., on or before the 17th day of May, 1935, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This 15th day of April, 1935.

J. C. WALKER, Administrator of L. S. Walker, Coulter & Allen, Attorneys.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE

Having qualified as Executrix of the last will and testament of Mrs. C. E. Vernon, deceased, late of Alamance County, this is to notify all persons holding claims against said estate to present them, duly authenticated, to the undersigned on or before the 25th day of May, 1935, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This May 18, 1935.

CARRIE SUE VERNON, Exec'tx, Burlington, N. C.

Commissioner's Sale of Land.

Under and by virtue of the power vested in the undersigned Commissioner by judgment of the Superior Court of Alamance County in a special Proceedings therein pending, No. 1553, wherein W. Ernest Thompson et al. are petitioners and John Parks et al. are respondents, I will sell at the Court House door in Graham, on Saturday, June 22nd, 1935, at 12:00 o'clock, noon, the following described real estate, in Burlington Township, Alamance County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of Mrs. J. T. Fogleman Arnold Brooks and others, and bounded as follows;

Beginning at an iron pipe, corner with said Brooks; running thence N. 53 1-3 deg. E. 115 1-2 ft. to an iron pipe, also a corner with said Brooks and Haywood Loy; thence N. 35 deg. W. 87 ft. to an iron bolt, corner with said Jot, Fogleman and R. N. Thompson; thence S. 53 deg. W. 137 ft. to an iron pipe, corner with said Fogleman and Conklin; thence S. 51 1-2 deg. E. 89 ft. to the beginning, containing 1-4 acre, more or less. On the above described property there is situated a four-room cottage. The said property is the same conveyed to parties of the first part by H. F. Straughn by Deed recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance County in Deed Book 93, page 151.

Also that said tract or parcel of land adjoining the lands of Frank Straughn (now Dumont C. Patterson and wife), Webb Ave. M. E. Church South of Burlington, N. C., one Wilson and others, and more particularly bounded and described as follows;

Beginning at the corner of the said H. F. Straughn lots, near the North side of Webb Ave. and running thence N. E. with said Straughn now Patterson and wife, line 139 ft. to a corner in said Wilson's line 22 1-2 ft. to a corner with Webb Ave. M. E. Church's line; thence with the line of the said Webb Ave. M. E. Church 138 ft. to a corner with the Burton System Billing Posting property on Webb Ave. thence with said Burton System line 22 ft. to the beginning, the said land being described in Deed by H. F. Moore, F. S. Cheek, to Frank Straughn, dated May 12, 1917, recorded April 25, 1921, in Book 71, page 563, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance County, N. C. The above described lot is the same as that conveyed to John W. Long and Millie E. Long by H. F. Straughn by Deed recorded in Book 99, page 276, Register of Deeds for Alamance County, North Carolina.

This sale will be made subject to confirmation by the Court and advance bid.

Time of sale; 12 o'clock, noon, Saturday, June 22nd, 1935.

Place of sale; Courthouse door, Graham, N. C.

Terms of sale; One-half cash, one-half in six months with interest from date of sale at 6 per cent

This, May 21st, 1935.

W. D. BARRETT,

Commissioner

Cook & Barrett, Attys

Terms of sale; One-half cash, one-half in six months with interest from date of sale at 6 per cent

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Wednesday, June 12th, 1935, at 12:00 o'clock, noon.

at the courthouse door of Alamance County, in Graham, North Carolina, sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following described property;

A certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Alamance County, State of North Carolina, in Newlin's Township, defined and described as follows, to-wit;

Adjoining the lands of William Ellington and C. V. Ferguson on the North, the lands of C. V. Ferguson, R. R. Richardson on the West, running with the thread of the Lick Branch on the South and on the East by the lands of Mollie Holton and J. W. McBane and containing 190 acres, more or less, the same being that tract or parcel of land deeded to G. W. Thomas, March 6th 1874, by the heirs of Alvis M. Thomas, deceased.

This sale is made on account of default in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust.

CLAIBORNE YOUNG, Atty.

NOTICE!

NORTH CAROLINA ALAMANCE COUNTY.

In The General County Court, Addelene Todd, Plaintiff,

vs.

G. A. Todd, Defendant.

The Defendant, above named, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the General County Court of Alamance County, North Carolina, to obtain a decree of absolute divorce; and that the said Defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear in the office of the Clerk of the General County Court of Alamance County, North Carolina, in the court house in the Town of Graham, in said County and State, on the 16th day of June, 1935, and answer or demur to the complaint of the Plaintiff in the said action, or the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This 15 day of May, 1935.

E. H. MURRAY,

Clerk of General County Court of Alamance County, Rhodes & Shoffner, Attys.

NOTICE!

NORTH CAROLINA ALAMANCE COUNTY

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

Before the Clerk

Lizzie Brown and husband, W. H. Brown, and Charles Tyson and wife, Ida Tyson,

vs.

Neeter Horton and husband, Thomas Horton, Respondents.

You will take notice that a motion in the above cause has been made by J. S. Cook, the Commissioner, to require that you appear at the courthouse in Graham on or before Monday, July 1, 1935, and show cause, if caused you have, why you should not comply with the terms of your bid for the land mentioned and described in the above entitled cause.

This the 11 day of May, 1935.

IZORA McCLEURE,

Asst. Clerk of Superior Court of Alamance County, Cook & Barrett, Attys.

NOTICE!

NORTH CAROLINA ALAMANCE COUNTY

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

Ola G. O'Briant, Plaintiff,

vs.

J. S. O'Briant, Defendant.

The defendant, J. S. O'Briant, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Alamance County, N. C., to secure an absolute divorce on the statutory grounds, to-wit, two years separation, and the defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear before the Clerk of Superior Court of said County at the Courthouse in Graham, N. C., on the 7th day of June, 1935, 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 6th day of May, 1935.

IZORA McCLEURE,

Assistant Clerk Superior Court, Claiborne Young, Atty.