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Initiative

The son of a drainage engineer. who had done a great deal of supervisory work with and for his father, was inducted into the United States Army during the war. Before he had grown familiar with discipline he found himself digging a ditch to divert surface water from camp. His instructions had been verbal and reasonably plain but were not precise in every detail.

The youth had some knowledge of soil drainage and a real interest in it, so he set about to distinguish himself with good workmanship. he was nearly half finished, his sergeant appeared, ruddy with indignation. Firmly the sergeant denounced the breach of discipline, going beyond orders. The recruit was confused and made a second mistake, speaking in his own defense. Central Planning

"But, Sergeant, I thought . . ."
"Oh, you thought!" scornfully echoed his superior. "What right have you got to think? Are you drawing a thinking man's pay?"
Such is regimentation! The young

Such is regimentation! The young man was not in school, where perior work yields superior grades. He was not in business, where better work means better pay. He was in

This is not a criticism of military discipline or army efficiency. I am no military expert. I use this story to illustrate how regimentation kills initiative. By the very nature of its workings, it is destructive of progress in peaceful pursuits. In despot-ruled countries, things happen to all thinking civilians very much like what the young recruit experienced.

Competition a Remedy In lands where authority is com-pletely centralized, strict obedience to orders is the matter of gravest importance to private indivi-However wise and kind the dictator. when power-hungry henchmen reach into what we Americans call private (as invariably they do) progress is paralyzed. Farmers and all other workers learn from unhappy experience to do as they are told, period.

Admittedly, parallel things happen occasionally in private enterprise but competition corrects them. Sometimes owners of businesses become indifferent, live apart from their interests and try to run live industries by dictum, as if methods they worked out years ago were eternally right. These cases develop their own cure quickly. Every office and every shop of such a pro-prietor becomes a hatchery of po-

tential competitors.
Efficiency Rewarded American business in general is operated with an aim to get maximum yield per hour of work. Ex-ecutives and supervisors exist for no other purpose. More yield per hour means better wages for workers, more profit for management and lower prices for buyers who conrecruit on any job can get paid for an idea that improves production.

America is famous as the best lace on earth to live. Many people know it who don't know why, but here's why: In America, ideas count. No matter who originates them, they have value. Anybody with an idea is free to use it and, if it's good, we all benefit. Thus, Americans live better than people under centrally planned systems where only the few think who are fficially appointed to think.

PRIZE EDITORIAL SPEAKS FOR DOGS

Canines Wonder Why Man Doesn't Behave Like God,

G. W. Barrette, editor of the Peoria (Illinois) Journal-Transcript, has been awarded a \$100 victory bond by the Gaines Dog Research Center, New York, as author of the "best editorial on a dog topic appearing in an American newspaper during the 1945 National Dog Week," it is announced. Mr. Barrette's editorial, titled "A Dog's Eye View," appeared in the Journal-Transcript on September 17.

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Mr. Barrette's editorial was chosen Mr. Barrette's editorial was chosen by a committee of judges which included Sydney H. Coleman, president of the American Humane Association, Albany, N. Y.; Gapt. Will Judy, editor of Dog World magazine, Chicago; and Harry Miller, executive secretary of the Gaines Dog Research Center, New York City.

The judges also voted "honorable mention" to Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt for the "very constructive, helpful" dog information carried in her syndicaled newspaper column on Sept.

Your Red Cross watches over the comfort of hospitalized veterans and service people everywhere. Help put its 1946 Fund Campaign over. Give generously!



January Disasters Bring **Quick Red Cross Action**

lies in rural areas of 11 midwestern sheltered, clothed, and fed. and southern states were affected.

last year helped their communities through 260 disasters have again worked 'round the clock. Assisting Red Cross disaster conference in worked 'round the clock. Assisting them have been doctors, nurses, and others rushed by the Red Cross to ripped through the city. Outstanding stricken areas. Surveys for the refurnishing, rebuilding, and repairing of damaged or destroyed homes barns, and other buildings began immediately. Rehabilitation will be completed in March. Undoubtedly new disasters will strike during the spring months and will keep the organization working at top speed in this humani-rarian parade which never ends.

In providing food, clothing, shelter, medical and nursing care, varying problems confront the Red Cross, particularly in rural sections.

Red Cross has obtained a priority reshortages in disaster areas were re-lieved when Red Cross action resulted "We all have a share in the Ameri-

Destructive floods and tornadoes be- In floods and hurricanes, local Red ginning in early January were grim Cross disaster units, through advance reminders that more Americans died in home-front accidents and disasters warned residents in time for safe during World War II than as war evacuation; in remote sections, they have effected rescues. In all disas-By mid-month the siege, brought on ters, tornadoes, fires, floods, hurriunseasonably early by warm weather canes, train wrecks, they have quickly and heavy rains, had claimed 54 dead and upwards of 150 hospitalized, and arranged hospital care. Hundreds records indicate. Thousands of fami-

In Paterson, New Jersey, a new Red Cross chapter workers who chapter disaster chairman successfully Montgomery, Alabama, a tornado care given the injured wrote a bright page in the year's disaster history.

In states where polio outbreaks occurred, Red Cross chapter volunteers hurriedly improvised hospital articles. In Salt Lake City, Disaster Service supplied face masks, children's nightgowns, hospital shirts, surgical gowns for nurses, blankets, and sheets. When flannelette could not be found for hot packs, Red Cross supplied 1,000 diapers for the purpose.

But whether disaster or any of many other Red Cross services, all are available to people in rural communi-In flooded Mississippi valley areas, ties no less than in large cities. Home nursing, farm accident prevention, aslease of house trailers to supplement sistance to families of men in uniform tents used in sheltering farmers rescued from flooded areas. When evacution of farm families and livestock the Red Cross is appealing for \$100,has been necessary, coast guard and 000,000. It needs every bit of that navy boats have assisted. Recent coal amount to meet obligations to the

in diversion of fuel to critical sections.

An hour after surveys have been Red Cross Chairman, when announcecompleted, the Red Cross has obtained ing the appeal. "Let's all maintain priority release of lumber and other that share by contributing generously to the 1946 Fund Campaign and keepscreen wire to help prevent the spread ing our Red Cross society the strong of disease in malaria affected areas. est in the world."

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Following is the Journal-Transcript editorial in full:

"This being National Dog Week, we wonder what a dog's eye view of mankind would be. It might be..."

"Well, the war is over, we dogs have proven our usefulness as sentries, message carriers, Red Cross.



G. W. Barrette

helpers, guards, agricultural workers and aides to disabled soldiers. We think we've done our part as morale builders during the conflict. We have guarded prisoners. We have learned to lead the blind—men who had eyes, once, but whose eyes were put out by other men. We didn't invent the atomic bomb. But since we live with human beings we were its victims, too. We never won or lost a war, but we gave our lives in war servicejust because humans set us the example. We are dependent upon you humans for food and care, particularly in the city, but if that food and care is not given us we do not turn care is not given us we do not turn and rend you like people might do. We just become stray curs, an obliga-tion of yours and a reproach to your humanity.

humanity.
"We serve your children by teaching them that inferior creatures deing them that inferior creatures deserve their kindness and protection. In return, we give protection to you. We are the first to give notice of danger and to detect the presence of a marauder. We have an instinctive urge to rescue those who are drowning. We smell fire smoke sooner than you do. We enjoy running and playing, but don't enjoy standing people up against the wall and shooting them or beating them to death in concentration camps. Indeed, perhaps, our morality is the morality of loyalty-loyalty to you human be-

"All we ask in return is that you recbe a little loyal to us—that you rec-ognize the ancient alliance between dog and man. This alliance is so old in the human race that we don't resent it, one whit, even when you abuse us But we don't know how to abuse you, unless you desert us and ignore us, forget us and starve us, destroy our morale and neglect

"To us, you are pretty close to God. deed, you're the only God we now. We sometimes wonder why u don't behave like God—both in your relations with human beings and with us."

Behind-Your Bonds



APPLES AND WHEAT rd of the Nation's apple crop is ced in the State of Washington. produced in the State of Washington. The eastern section sinually produces 60 million bushels of wheat. Dairy and goultry products have increased tremendously in recent years to add resources to the Nation's wealth that guarantees Victory Bonds.

U. S. Treasury Department.

THRIVING CITY Populated by 3,785 persons in 1886, Albuquerque, N. M., is the State's largest sity with 35,378. Packing plants, canning factories, the growing State University, railway shops, tile and metal works make it hum. Its annual payroll of over 520 million hints at the riches it will contribute to back Victory Bonds.

U. S. Tressery Department

-Behind-Your Bonds Lies the Might of America



STEEL WILL HELP

Steel-a billion dollar industry in Pennsylvania — will pour millions into the Nation to guarantee the Savings Bonds in which Americans invest. Its production in this state alone is said to equal that of any other nation. Mills must turn out materials for ships, railroads, buildings for the world's reconstruction. Vital industries in all parts of the Nation must have its output.

U. S. Treasury Departs



PENNSYLVANIA GLASS

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of J. G. Garrett, deceased, late of Alamance County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said de ceased to exhibit them to the under-signed at 708 Morehead St. Burlington, N. C., on or before the 10th day of March, 1947, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate ill please make immediate payment. This, he 5th day of March, 1946.

J. R. GARRETT.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as Executors of The defendant, R. D. Jesse Overman

ill please make immediate payment. This, the 18th day of February, 1946.

A. J. MURRAY, W. G. MURRAY, Louis C. Allen, Atty-

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

THOMAS W. CATES.

Executor of the estate of S. A. Thorrpson, deceased. Louis C. Allen Atts.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as Administratrix Robt. T. Wilson, Atty. of the estate of Arthu: T. Walker, deceased, late of Alamance County, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceasclaims against the estate of said deceas.

SERVICE BY PUBLICATION field Neese and others, vs. Jack Goley notice that he is required to appear at at Graham, North Carolina, on or before the 2nd day of February, 1947, NORTH CAROLINA or this notice will be pleaded in bar of ALAMANCE COUNTY. their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate

will please make immediate payment. This, the 29th day of January, 1946. MABEL WALKER,

Administratrix Louis C. Allen, Atty.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

North Carolina, this is to notify all said defendant will fur-ter take no-described as follows:

of Alaman estate to exhibit them to the un-tice that he is required to appear at Beginning at an iron stake, corner C. C. Cates, Jr, Atty.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Mrs. Bessie F. Carter, deceased, late of Alamance County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the es-tate of said deceased to exhibit them Carolina. Box 231. on or before the 19th day of February, 1947. or this no- NORTH CAROLINA fice will be pleaded in hor of their re- ALAMANCE COUNTY

ill please make immediate payment. This, the 1st day of February, 1946. ROBERT H. CARTER.

Administrator of the estate of Mrs. Bessie F Car er, dec'd.

Sale of Real Estate.

of December, 1935, and is recorded in courthouse in Graham, North Carothe Office of the Register of Deeds for lina, within thirty days from the 1st ing station or other business property Alamance County, in Book of Mort- day of March 1948, and answer or degages and Deeds of Trust No. 125, at murrer to the complaint of the plainpages 42-43, default having been made tiff in this action, or the plaintiff w.ll date of this deed. in the payment of the indebtedness se- apply to the Court for the relief decured by said instrument, the under- manded in the said complaint. signed will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House oor in Graham, North Carolina,

Saturday, March and, 1946. at 11 o'clock, a. m.

the following described real property: A parcel of land in Fourerson Township, Alamance County. North Caro- SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION be required to pay ten (10) per cent lina, adjoining the lands of N. O. Overman, James Shepherl, et als, and NORTH CAROLINA escribed as follows:

ner with Tromas Allen, thence S. 87 James A. Bethel, Plaintiff. deg. E. 5.90 chs, to a tock, corner with said Allen; thence N. 3 deg. E. 7 Phenose L. Bethel, Defendant. chs. to a rock, corner with said Allen; The above named defendant, Phen-

deposit ten per cent of his bid when separate and spart for more than two ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE the same is knocked down to him, years next preceding the bringing of Harvey, which bears date of the 15th and the balance upon confirmation.

ine Allen, Deceased.

Mortgagee.

NOTICE .

SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

NORTH CAROLINA. ALAMANCE COUNTY IN THE GENERAL COUNTY COURT Beulah Overman,

R. D. Jesse Overman.

of E. I. Murray, de-of E. I. Murray, de-will take notice that an action the estate of E. L. Mirray, deceased late of Alamance County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at ht 2. Burlington, North Carolina, on or refore the 23rd day of February, 1947, or this notice will be needed in the defendant for absolute that an action NOTICE

NOTICE

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

NORTH CAROLINA,

ALAMANCE COUNTY

IN THE GENERAL COUNTY COURT

L. Cates, Subdivision on the Glencoe will be pleaded in bar of their recovery lute divorce on the grounds of two Maggie M. Beckom All persons indebted to said estate year's separation; That the defendant is a non-resident of the State of North J. D. Beckom Carolina, and the plaintiff is a resi- The defendant above named will This is a resale, and bledding will beent and domiciled in the State of take notice that an action entitled as gin at \$399.30. Executors of E. L. Murray. North Carolina, and this is one of the above has been commenced in the Deceased. causes of action in which service of General County Court of Alamance deposit ten per cent of the bid when summons may be made by publication Ctunty, North Carolina, for divorce; the same is knocked down to him, and as provided by law. The defendant will any the said defendant will further the balance upon confirmation further take notice that he is required to ap-Having qualified as Executor of the ed to appear at the Office of the Clerk pear before the Clerk of the General late of Alamance County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons havlina, this is to notify all persons having the General County Court of Ala-ling claims against the estate of said mance County, North Carolina, in the on the 22nd day of March, 1946, arki deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Burlington, North Carolina, twenty days from and after the 7th said action, or the plaintiff will apply on or before the 9th day of February, 1947, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

Said action, or the plaintiff will apply day of April, 1946, and answer or to the Court for the relief demanded bar of their recovery.

NORTH CAROLINA ar of their recovery.

All persons intebted to said estate or the plaintiff will apply to the Court This, the 18th day of February, 1946. IN THE GENERAL COUNTY COURT fill please make immediate payment.
This, the 4th day of February, 1946.

PRIORES W. CATES

Plaint.

This, the 6th day of March, 1946. F. L. WILLIAMSON Clerk Superior Court and Ex-officio Clerk of the General County Court of AlamanceCounty,

North Carolina.

NOTICE

IN THE GENERAL COUNTY COURT Anella P. Toombs, Plaintiff,

Henry Toombs, Defendant.

take notice that an action entitled as to-wit: above has been commenced in the That certain tract or parcel of land ply to the Court for the relief demand-General County Court of Alamance in Graham Township. Alamance Coun- ed in said complaint. Having qualified as Administratrix County, North Carolina, for an abso- ty, North Carolina, adjoining the This, the 29th day of January, 1946. deceased, late of Alamance Cosmy, consecutive years separation; and that Street and others, and bounded and Clerk of the General County Court

dersigned at Et. 1, Liberty, North Carothe of the Clerk of the General with the intersection of said Travoralina, on or before the 15th day of February, 1947, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

Graham, North Carolina, within twen-liberty, North Carolina, within twen-liberty, North Carolina, within twen-liberty, North Carolina, or the Western margin of Mel-All persons indebted to said estate ty days after the 29th da; of March, stake in the Western margin of Melwill please make immediate payment.

1946, and answer or densur to the comville Street and a corner with Lot 36; This, the 7th day of February, 1946. plaint in the said actic o, or the plaintheace with the line of Lot 96 N. 83 ELVIRA SCOTT SERRY. Administratix. tiff will apply to the Court for the re- deg. 31 mm. W. 150 feet to an Iron lief demanded in said action.

F. L. WILLIAMSON

Barnie P. Jones, Atty.

NOTICE

All persons indebted to said es ate IN THE GENERAL COUNTY COURT ister of Deeds for Alamance County in Minnie Burcham Hamlet, Plaintiff,

William T. Hamlet, Derodant.

The defendant, William T. Hamlet. will take notice that an action en-Uiled as above has been commenced in the General County "cort of Ala- lic roadways or other easements that mance County, for a divo ce based up- may be over across, ... ader or upon Under authority of that certain on the grounds of two years separation, said lands, and all warranties herein ortgage Deed execu of and delivered and the defendant will further take the underrsigned, (scherine Allen, notice that he is required to appear at ments. Jeter Alston and hushand, Ned Al- the office of the Clerk of the General on, which bears date of the 2nd day County Court of said county in the

> This, the 26th day of February, 1946 F. L. WILLIAMSON.

Clerk of General County Court. Alamance County, North Carolina William C. Perdue, At v

NOTICE

ALAMANCE COUNTY

Henry W. Seigel, ironmaster who turned to blowing and molding delicate and beautiful glassware, pioneered an industry in Pennsylvania that leads the Nation in many grades. Albert Gallatin, once Secretary of the Treasury, established the first flint glass industry at Pitts burgh in 1807. It adds wealth to guarantee Savings Bonds.

U.S. Treasury Department this action; and the defendant will This, the 21st day of January, 1946. further take notice tool she is requiring the Office of the Register of Deeds ed to appear at the of'ecc of the Gen-Administrator of Cather- eral County Clerk of Alamance County, in the courthouse in Graham, North Carolina, within thirty days after the at page 22, and a judgment of 23rd day of March, 1946, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in sald

complaint. This, the 21st day of February, 1946. F. L. WILLIAMSON. Clerk of General County Court

Alamance County.

Dameron & Young, Atys.

NOTICE

SARA MURRAY, Asst. Clerk of General County Court,

J. J. Henderson, Atty.

NOTICE Public Sale Of Real Property

ty as entered in that certain special the grounds of two years separation; Stanfield and others, your undersigned the office of the Clerk of the General in Graham, North Carolina, on

Saturday, March 30, 1946. at 12:00 o'clock, noon,

stake in the Eastern margin of Lot This, the 27th day of February, 1946. 106; thence with the line of Lot 106 S. 3 deg 45 min. W. 61 feet to an iron Clerk General County Court, stake in the Northern margin of Iravora Street, thence with the Northern margin of Travora Street S. 86 deg. 31 min. E. 150 feet to the point of beginning and being all of Lot 95 of the to the undersigned at Graham, North SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION subdivision of Travora Manufacturing Company Mill No. 1 properties, as made by W. T. Hall, C. E., plat of which is recorded in the Office of Reg-

> Plat Book 1 at page 133. This conveyance is made subject to all rights of way and easements now outstanding for the use and maintenance of water lines, sewer lines, electric power lines, telephone lines, pubmade are made subject to said ease-

The above described property is con veyed subject to the restriction and reservation that no store building, fillshall be erected or maintained thereon for a period of fifteen years from the

The above described real property is the homeplace of the late W. L. Stanfield and is a desirante cottage well located in the mud village of Travora in the Town of Graham, North

Said property is being sold subject to advance bids and confirmation of the Court, and the purchaser will of his bid and to pay at least one-half (%) of his bid upon confirmation, and the balance within six (o) months, de-Beginning at a rock in a road, cor- IN THE GENERAL COUNTY COURT ferred payment to bear interest at six (6) per cent and title to be retained until the entire purchase price is paid.

This, the 2nd day of March, 1946.

GEORGE A. LONG. Commissioner

Notice of Re-Sale

Morigage Deed executed and delivered to the undersigned Duncan C. Bryan by Oscar Harvey and wife, Renner for Alamance County, in Book of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust No. 126. resale, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said instrument, the indersigned will offer iar re-sale to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door in Graham, North Caroling

at 11:00 o'clock, a. m.,

Saturday, March 16th, 1946, the following described real property: A certain tract or parcel of land in Burlington Township, Alamance Coun-

Being Lots Nos. 25 and 26 of the J., Road. For better description see Plat Book 3, page 10, recorded in the Register of Deeds Office in Graham, N. C.

The purchaser will be required to

This, the 27th day of February, 1946 DUNCAN C. BEYAN.

NOTICE

Alice L. Mills, Plaintiff.

William G. Mills, Defendant. The defendant, William G. Mills,

will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the General County Court of Alamance Under and pursuant to the order of County, North Carolina, for the purthe Superior Court of Alamance Coun pose of securing an absolute divorce on proceeding entitled, M:s. Lillian Stan- and that the said defendenh will take commissioner will offer for sale as County Court of Alax, ance County, public auction at the Courthouse door North Carolina, at the court house in Graham, North Carolina, not later than twenty days from the 1st day of February, 1946, and answer or de-The defendant, Henry Toombs, will the following described roal property mur to the complaint of the plaintiff in this action, or the plaintiff will ap-

of Alamance County.