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Hold the Line

The Office of Price Administra-tion died officially on June 30, 1946. Before it had been inoperative ten days, everybody whose life and work were affected by it knew the nation had sustained no serious loss. Calamities that were supposed to fall upon the consumers of America did not happen. Some prices rose a little; others fell. The law of supply and demand was still working. It had not been on vaca-

In the building industries, among real estate and lumber people, tim-id home seekers had predicted the wildest of run-away prices because of the unprecedented housing demand. Everything necessary to make prices sky-rocket was present, but the crepe-hangers were dis-appointed. Industrial leaders went into huddles and resolved for moderation, regardless of pressure from eager buyers.

Returned to Life

The dead bureau was resurrected on July 25 by political pressure. One powerful factor was the influence of thousands of bureaucrats whose easy jobs were all but lost. Lame and weakened by legislative modi-fications, the OPA lives and has certain functions. But those 25 inactive days proved something: The long-er we lived without the OPA the more useless it appeared.

Individuals who want to stay in government, whether they serve any useful purpose there or not, may be expected to keep on trying, during the next few months, to justify a supposed necessity for governmental price-fixing. In reality, increas-ing production may be depended upon to hold most prices down. Prices of some things will advance in spite of anything the OPA can do. Look for Advances

In subsidized industries, where sharp advances were expected at first, operators are using modera tion in making upward revisions. While industrial leaders "hold the price line," channels of trade are filling up steadily with new pro-duction and growing stocks hold prices down. Meat is only an exfilling up steadily with new ket. Steaks and chops are on the

menu again. There will be exceptions! It is signed Comissioner will, on likely that the human race will never be free from opportunists ready to profiteer when there are no restraints and crafty enough to run black-markets when restric-tions are in force. Maybe there to the highest bidder for cash, the actually was an unhappy couple in California on July 2, whose sandwiches advanced in price from 15c to 40c while they were being toasted. Anyway it was a good story.

Good Citizenship

We, the American people, are heirs of a dearly bought liberty. We have in opportunity to prove that we are worthy to inherit it. We can do this by a fair approach to every price problem. Whether we are do not need anyone to play the role of dictator. Truly no price was ever fixed successfully by statutory law.

heir confidence and by refusing to buy unnecessary things. We should be slow to retaliate against price rises that are needful. especially, will let growing produc-tion adjust prices before calling for higher wages, it will go far toward hastening recovery for everybody.

Subversion However successful America's system of free enterprise has been, faith in planned economy has spread rapidly over this nation's political thinking in the last 25 years. It is strange that the world's most prosperous and influential people should forget how its power was built, and think about imitating a plan that fails every time it is tried, but that's the picture.

How did planned economy into the picture in the United States? This is the country with no peasant class! It is here that laborers drive their own motor cars. This is the land where farmers live like lords in older countries. It must have been a strange set of circumstances that turned the eyes of a favored people to look with envy at under-fed and

over-worked races beyond the seas. They Only Heard The facts were not all known. If farmers and craftsmen of America could see how men of similar skills elsewhere must live, they would thank God for giving their forefathers wisdom to safeguard in our Constitution the right of ownership. Americans who lean toward socialism have seen years little of socialism have seen very little of it and heard only one side. Planned sconomy invaded America thus: swallowed down by an open-minded

Poisonous Teaching orators started braying against invested capital. Crafty minds coined such slurs as "entrenched greed" and "economic royalists" to stir up envy and make success in business seem dishonorable. Wordy wars against "coupon clippers" frightened investors, large and small, and choked the flow of capi-

tal into business.

It is not possible in any country to provide abundant lives for the people were trained to rely on government instead of on themselves. Even in schools supported by the state, boys and girls learned to question the value of individual op-portunity, a cardinal liberty.

Government Control War came, and it was two years old before victory was even reasonably certain. Government rightly seized the nation's resources and manufacturing plants, and (presto) a lion's share of America's bread winners were in war work drawing the highest pay they ever heard of; Uncle Sam going in debt 150 million dollars a day. Things to buy be-came scarce, and loose money rat-

tled in every pocket.

Quite naturally people gave government the credit when, after four years of government management they had more money than they could spend. Actually the facts are not related. When a public debt, that approximates the country's worth, keeps growing, people are not pros-perous even if their wallets do bulge with "lettuce" because there are not enough things to buy.

Professional Income

The relation between income and number of years in practice is found to be similar in all professions: income rises for a time, then declines. In medicine and dentistry, professions in which scientific advance has been rapid and skill and dexterity are required, younger men have an advantage and the peak income is reached fairly early-between the 13th and 20th year of

Notice of Re-Sale

Court of Alamance County, North demanded in said complaint. Carolina, entitled Alamance County, Plaintiff, vs. Bettie Fuller, widow, Livestock hurries to mar- Robert Fuller, Lewis Fuller, Erness Fuller, et al, Defendants, the under-

Wednesday, August 21st, 1946,

at 11.00 o'clock, a. m., at the Courthouse door in Graham, property described as follows:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Burnington Township, Alamance Courty, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of Milton Turner, and others, and

Beginning at a rock, corner on Big Falls Road, and running thence S. 2 Coy C. Hunter and wife, Madge Huntchs. 90 lks. to a post, corner with Richard Duck; thence with the line of manufacturers, marketers, or con-sumers, we have a part to play. We Big Fall Road; thence W. with said road, 50 ft. to the beginning, being the real property owned by Lewis Fuller Consumers can keep prices right at the time of his doath and descended time of his death and descended to the said defendants.

This is a re-sale, and bidding will begin at \$121.00.

the same is knocked down to him, and the balance upon confirmation.

This, the 31st day of July, 1946 LOUIS C. ALLEN. Commissioner

NOTICE

NORTH CAROLINA ALAMANCE COUNTY IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

BEFORE THE CLERK

- V8 -Hattie Lea, widow of Bruce Lea. Catherine Lea and her husband. John Doe. Ardella Lea and her husband, Richard Roe; Walter Stade and his wife, Mrs. Walter Slade; Lawson Slade and his wife, Mrs. Lawson Slade; Thelma Slade Holloway and her husband, Holloway; Mary Lea Searcy; Bedford Lea, Jr., and

After Liberty Bell had been silent 150 years, the Statue of Liberty grew green with tarnish and people began taking freedom for granted. Carefree descendants of men who and her husband, Richard Roe, Wal- at the late residence of said Thos. B. Slade; Lawson Slade and his wife, the following real estate: to be without freedom. Sly digs at way. Many Lea Searcy; Bedford Lea. America and her people were Jr. and wife Zelma G. Zen will take Jr., and wife, Zelma G. Lea, will take C. L. Gilliam, T. B. Richmond and above has been commenced in the Su-direction 6 % rods to a pine tree; Protected by the free - speech perior Court of Alamance County, thence 28 rods to pointers in a N. E. NORTH CAROLINA clause in our Constitution, soap-box North Carolina, for the purpose of se-North Carolina, for the purpose of se- direction; thence 29 1/2 rods, thence ALAMANCE COUNTY. described in the petition, it being a or less or less parcel of land in Haw River (b). Adjoining the above described Pauline Menkis, Defendant. 1946, and answer or demur to the petition of the petitioners filed herein or the petitioners will apply to the Road from the above tract and benetition.

> This, the 6th day of August, 1946. F. L. WILLIAMSON. Clerk Superior Court Louis C Allen, Atty. Long and Ross, Attys

NOTICE

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION NORTH CAROLINA ALAMANCE COUNTY

L. T. Mallory, Plaintiff,

Margaret Mallory, Defendant.

The defendant, Margaret Mallory, with usual buildings. vill take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the General County (curt of Alapurpose of securing a diverce absolute Church. on the grounds of two years separation and the said defendant will take notice that she is required to appear at the Office of the Clerk of the General County Court of Alamance County at the Courthouse in Graham, North Carolina, not later than thirty days from the date hereof and answer or demur to the complaint of the plain. By virtue of a judgment made and tiff filed in said cause, or the plaintiff entered in an action in the Superior will apply to the court for the relief

This, the 31st day of July, 1946.

W. H. ALDRIDGE. Asst. Clerk General County Court W. L. Shoffner, Atty,

NOTICE

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

ALAMANCE COUNTY.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

BEFORE THE CLERK Lettie Dibbie Hunter Crutchfield, and husband, James H. Crutchfield, June E. Hunter, Nancy Albright, et al. Petitiomers

er, Lois Albright, Sterling R Holt and wife, Amnie Holt, et al.

Respondents The respondents, Sterling R. Holt and wife. Artnie Holt, will take notice that a proceeding entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior by shunning racketeers who play to the defendants, and all other real their customers for suckers, by patronizing merchants who appreciate their confidence and by refusing to the County, North Carolina, for the purpose of securing their confidence and by refusing to owned by the said Lewis Fuller at the the sale of the real property described in the petition, it being a parcel of land in Newlin Township, Alamance County, North Carolina, adjoining W. H. Thompson, and others, containing The purchaser will be required to 61 acres, more or less, and being the deposit ten per cent of his bid when W. J. Albright property, and fully described in the petition filed herein for division among the tenants in common, the said respondents having some interest in said seal property and being interested in the subject matter of the action, and the said respondents will further take notice that they are SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION required to appear at the Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court for Alamance County, at the Courthouse in Graham, North Carolina, on the 31st day of August, 1946, and answer or demur to the petition of the petitioners C. P. Williamson and wife, Mary Cipital filed herein, or the petitioners will ap-Williamson. John Dickey. Docie ply tt the Court for the relief demand-

McBroom and husband, Bedford ed in the petition.
McBroom, et al. Petitioners.

This, the 22nd of This, the 22nd day of July, 1946. F. L. WILLIAMSON, Clerk of Superior Court,

Alamance County. Louis C. Allen, Attv.

Valuable Tobacco Land

Under and by virtue of the authority vested in me by the last will of Thos. wife, Mrs. Zelma G. Lea, Respond- B. Byrd, I will offer for public sale to A LEW the highest bidder on

Saturday, August 17, 1946, at iz:uv o'clock, noon,

ter Slade and his wife, Mrs, Walter Byrd, East of Cross Roads Church,

(a). Beginning at a rock, corner of notice that a proceeding entitled as Leslie Garrison, thence in a northern SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

curing an order or judgment of the s-W. direction to a rock, the beginning IN THE GENERAL COUNTY COURT Court for the sale of the real property point and containing 9-100 acre more Sidney Menkis. Piaintiff,

Township, Alamance County, North lot and beginning at a rock, corner Carolina, and being the real property with Gilliam and Vincent in the middle will take notice that an action en- ALAMANCE COUNTY. formerly owned by Brown Lea, and of public road to Vincent Mill, thence titled as above has been commenced in IN THE GENERAL COUNTY COURT fully described in the petition filed N. 10 deg. E. 1.68 chs. to a rock, the General County Court of Alamance Cora Jane Warren herein, for division among the tenants corner with R. W. Vincent; thence N. County, North Carolina, for the purin common, the said respondents hav- 0 deg. 30 min. E. 4.28 chs. to a rock in pose of securing a divorce absolute on Archie Warren masses by raiding the rich, but the ing or claiming some interest in said vincent's line thence S. 51 deg. The grounds of two years separation; and the said defendant will take notice that an action as above real property and being interested in W. (B. S. 51% deg.), 12.65 chs. to a and the said defendant will take notice take notice that an action as above the subject matter of the action, and rock, corner with said Gilliam. Rich- that she is required to appear at the entitled has been instituted in the Genthe said respondents will further take mond and Garrison on the north side office of the Clerk of the General eral County Court of Alamance County, notice that they are required to appear of said Road; thence N. 70 1/2 deg. E. County Court of Alamance County, at North Carolina, for the purpose of obat the Office of the Clerk of the Su- into and with said Road 6.56 chs, to a the Courthouse in Graham, N. C., not taining an absolute divorce on two perior Court of Alamance County, bend N. of a B. Jack tree; thence S. later than thirty days from the dats years continuous separation, and the at the Courthouse in Graham North 38 deg. E. 3,34 chs. to the beginning hereof and answer or demur to the said defendant will further take notice Carolina, on the 7th day of September, and containing 2.39 acres more or less, complaint of the plaintiff filed in said that he is required to be and appear at upon this tract is the home place.

> Court for the relief demanded in the ginning at a rock, corner with S Y. Bakes lands (Now O. S. Sellars) and running thence N. 13 deg. W. 13.31 chs. to a rock, corner with lot of R. W. W. L. Shoffner, Atty, Vincent: thence S. 79 deg. E. (B. S. 80 % deg.) 42,43 chs. to a rock on West bank of Stagg Creek, corner with said Vincent, lot measured to center of SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION Creek: thence down said Creek S. 18 NORTH CAROLINA deg. W. 4.60 chs.; S. 56 deg. W. 1.90 ALAMANCE COUNTY chs.; S. 28 deg. W. 7,55 chs. to the IN THE GENERAL COUNTY COURT center of said Creek (Rock on the Paul Edward Jackson, Plaintiff, west bank of Creek), thence N. 78 % IN THE GENERAL COUNTY COURT deg. W., (B. S. 78 deg.) 33.7 chs. to Mary Pacifico Jackson, Defendant the beginning and containinf 47 acres The defendant, Mary Pacifico Jack nore or teas.

Time of Sale: 12:00 o'clock noon. August 17, 1946. Place of sale. On the premises, a

nance County. North Carolina, for the mile or more East from Cross Roads notice that she is required to appear at

Terms of sale: Reasonable terms County Court of sald county in the J. S. Cook, Atty.

cash. This, the 10th day of July, 1946.

D. M. VINCENT.

Administrator, c. t. Mebane, R.F D. No. 3. J. S. Cook, Atty.

NOTICE

The defendant, Pauline Menkis, NORTH CAROLINA.

SECOND TRACT: Lying across the Court for the relief demanded in said the Courthouse in Graham, N. C., not

This, the 31st day of July, 1946. W. H. ALDRIDGE,

Ass't Clerk of the General County

NOTICE

son, will take notice that an action en-This property is good tobacco land titled as above has been commenced in the General County "arrt of Alamance County, for a divorce based upon the grounds of two years separation, and the defendant will further take

the office of the Clerk of the General

may be made or purchaser may pay courthouse in Graham, North Caro- ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE. lina, on or before the 16th day of September, 1946, and answer or demurrer to the complaint of the plaintiff in this action, or the plaintiff w.ll apply to the Court for the relief de-North Carolina, this is to notify all nanded in the said complaint.

This, the 29th day of July, 1946. T. L. WILLIAMSON. Clerk of General County Court.

William C. Perdue, At y. NOTICE

SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

cause, or the plaintiff will apply to the the office of the Clerk of said Court in later than the 30th day of August, at the Courthouse door in Graham, will apply to the Court for the relief property described as follows: therein demanded.

This, the 1st day of August, 1946. F. L. WILLIAMSON Clerk of the General County Court of Alamance County. Walter D. Barrett, Atty.

Having qualified as Administrator with the will annexed, of Thos. B. Byrd, notice is hereby given to all perns having claims against said estate to present the same, duly varified, to the undersigned on or before the 12tn day of July, 1947, or the claim will be barred.

rill please make immediate payment. This, the 9th day of July, 1946.

D. M. VINCENT,
Administrator, c. t. a., R. F. D.
No. 3, Mebane, N. C.

Having qualified as Administratrix o persons having claims against the es-ate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned, at Elon College, North Carolina, on or before the 20th Clerk of General County Court. day of July, 1947, or this notice Alamance County, North Carolina will be pleaded in bar of their re covery.

All persons indebted to said estate vill please make immediate payment. This, the 11th day of July, 1946. MRS. ALLENE PATTON RICH,

Administratrix of the estate of Rev. John Webster Patton, dec'd,

Notice of Re-Sale

By virtue of a judgment made and entered in an action in the Superior Court of Alamance County, North Carolina, entitled Alamance County. plaintiff, vs Edgar Isley, Arthur Isley et al, Defendants, the undersigned Isley Murphy and husband, John Doe Murphy, defendants, the undersigned Commissioner will, on

Wednesday, August 21st, 1946,

at 11 o'clock, a. m.,

1946, and answer or demur to the North Carolina, sell at public auction complaint filed herein, or the plainting to the highest bidder for cash, the

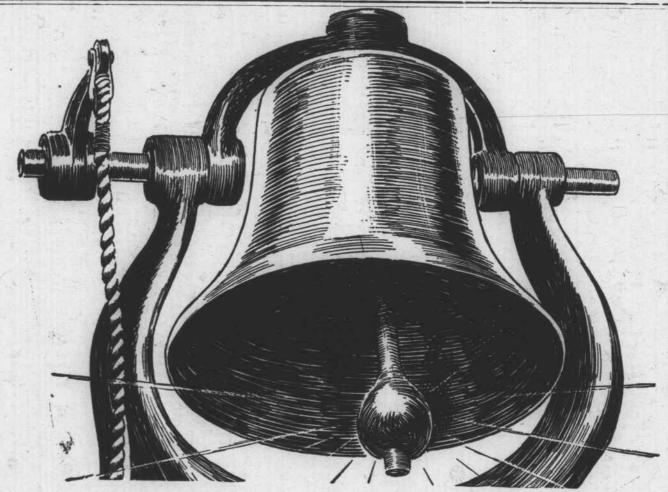
A certain tract or parcel of land, lying and being in Graham Township, Alamane County, North Carolina, adjoining Washington Street, and others, and being Lot-No. 3, of the division of the Monroe Harden lands, as shown by Commissioner's Report as the tract allotted to Rosie Taylor, ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE which report is filed in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance County, in Book of Deeds No. 97, at page 384.

> This is a re-sale, and bidding will begin at \$77.00

The purchaser will be required to deposit ten per cent of his bid when All persons indebted to said es ate the same is knocked down to him, and the balance upon confirmation.

This, the 31st day of July, 1946. LOUIS C. ALLEN,

Commissioner.



些不是好了 A Bell for Bethania



THIS is a story of two bells. This is a story of the One hung in the belfry of the little Moravian Church in Bethania, N. C. It was made 105 years ago from coins and treasured

The other bell had traveled hundreds of thousands of miles on a Southern Railway locomotive. After many years of service it was bound for the scrap pile.

When fire swept the Bethania church in 1942, the sweet-toned bell made from coins and trinkets was destroyed. Parishioners missed its pleasant call. So, when the church was restored, a search was made for a bell of the same pure tone. But it couldn't be found. Then a member of the church, Frank T. Miller, recalled the beautiful tones of some of the locomotive bells of his boyhood days. He wrote a letter to the Southern Railway System . . . and now, a mellow-toned old bell from a Southern Railway locomotive hangs in the belfry of the Bethania church.

We like to think of this bell of ours still serving the community. . . still "belonging" to the people it served in another way for so many years. We like to think the whole railway "belongs" in the same friendly way in all the communities it serves.

Whether it's transporting freight or passengers...or providing a "Bell for Bethania"... our job is, and always will be, to serve the South in every way we can.

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