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That little word "illegal" is given as the principal cause for war between the United States and Germany.

The Board of Aldermen will meet tonight. An invasion of the city by the members of the Civic League.

The Board of Aldermen have already begun action on some of the suggestions made by Edward J. W. Proffitt.

LIFE IN BELHAVEN.

Life in Belhaven must be awfully exciting and diverting. How the residents of that fair city can stand such strenuous work.

"We apprehend no contradiction when we state that Belhaven possesses as many domino fiends and checker experts as are to be found within the bounds of North Carolina.

The Journal doesn't say, but we bet they also play croquet and tiddle-de-winks to beat the band in Belhaven.

A timely suggestion comes from the Greensboro Daily News in the form of: "Quick, Lansing, another note!"

WORK OF THE CIVIC CLUB.

The Civic Club has some excellent suggestions to bring before the Board of Aldermen at tonight's meeting.

The club deserves to be encouraged in the work it is doing. It has accomplished a number of useful works for Washington and judging from its present activity and the interest that is displayed by its members, it will not be idle in the future.

ON THE OTHER LEG.

President Wilson's plans for defense, if carried out, will undoubtedly result in the United States having the largest navy and army in the world.

In connection with this, the Greensboro News gives a most appropriate illustration of the true state of affairs:

"So the President has come out flat for the greatest navy in the world. That's logical. The war department has already come out for an army including every able bodied man in the country.

"Germany attempts to have the biggest army in the world were set down to militarism. In England attempts to have the biggest navy in the world were set down to navalism. But in America attempts to have both will of course be set down to pure pacifism.

EDGECOMBE IN THE LEAD.

The University News Letter, in a current issue, makes mention of the following progressive work done in Edgecombe county:

"The other day Edgecombe county appropriated \$1500 for a whole-time county health officer, \$600 for a farm demonstrator, and \$500 for home demonstration work; \$2700 invested in a single day in progress and prosperity in a single county!

Beaufort county's appropriation for home demonstration work and a farm demonstrator are probably sufficient at the present time. What the county needs, however, and what would undoubtedly prove a paying investment, would be a whole-time health officer.

ADVERTISEMENTS IN THE DAILY NEWS GIVE RESULTS

An American Merchant Marine Is an Insurance For Peace

By Former Congressman WILLIAM H. DOUGLAS, New York

WITH our great seacoast line, sea facility in reaching China, Japan, Australia, etc., from the Pacific coast, with our sea at the south and the Panama canal, there is no other country better situated to become a great world power than ours.

We ought to have one of the largest export trades in the world following this war and, soon after, larger than that of England, but congress will give us nothing to protect that interest.

UPPIH MINDED.

"She's crazy to have her husband get an airship." "What for?" "So that she can look down on her neighbors, I suppose."

FOR RHEUMATISM.

As soon as an attack of Rheumatism begins apply Sloan's Liniment. Don't waste time and suffer unnecessary agony. A few drops of Sloan's Liniment on the affected parts is all you need.

NOTICE OF TAX PURCHASE.

You are hereby notified that at a sale for taxes by W. C. Ayers, City Clerk of the city of Washington, N. C., held on Monday, April 5, 1915, at the Court House door of Beaufort County, J. K. Hoyt, purchased at said sale the property which was sold for delinquent city taxes for the year 1914 due on said property, which was listed in the name of Ed Latham, including the cost of said sale amounting to \$12.13.

You are further notified that you can redeem said property by the payment of the taxes and cost allowed by the law to the undersigned and if said redemption is not made April 5, 1916, the undersigned will demand a tax deed for said property.

NOTICE.

At a meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Washington, N. C., held January 31, 1916, the following ordinance was enacted: "That it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to use, turn on, or in any manner tamper with the fire hydrants, or water coming through the city hydrants, excepting in the event of fire.

FAMILY AVOIDS SERIOUS SICKNESS

By Being Constantly Supplied With Theford's Black-Draught.

McDuff, Va.—"I suffered for several years," says Mrs. J. B. Whitaker, of this place, "with sick headache, and stomach trouble.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

Novelized by Samuel Field From the Successful Play by ROY COOPER MEGRUE and WALTER HACKETT

The long, uniform rows of New York house fronts stretched away on either side of them in the obscurity.

"You mean people are actually coming into the store and buying it?" he went on. "At a dollar a cake," said Bronson.

CHAPTER XIX.

A Wedding Present. RODNEY and Mary waited, and love was rewarded once more by nothing less ethereal than a second order for soap that very morning.

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By virtue of the power of sale contained in two deeds of trust in me executed by Richard Johnson, one dated January 1, 1910, recorded in the Register's office of Beaufort County in Book 145, page 147, and the other dated April 16, 1912, recorded in said Register's office in Book 164, page 134, both of which are referred to, I will sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder at the Court House door of Beaufort County on Monday, February 21, 1916, at noon, that tract or parcel of land situated in Long Acre Township, Beaufort County, adjoining the lands of Charles T. Gordon, W. S. D. Eborn and others, containing 34 acres, more or less, and being the same on which the said Richard Johnson formerly lived, more particularly described in deed from John B. Respass and wife to him, dated January 15, 1875, recorded in said Register's office in Book 62, page 62-63, which is referred to for description.

Having qualified as administrator of Cornelius Blackledge, deceased, of Beaufort County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before January 19, 1916, of this notice will be filed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA Department of State.

Certificate of Dissolution To All to Whom These Presents May Come—Greeting: Whereas, it appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that The Chocowinity Company, a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated in the town of Chocowinity, Beaufort County, State of North Carolina, (J. B. Patrick being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served) has complied with the requirements of Chapter 21, Revised of 1905, entitled, "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution:

Now, Therefore, I, J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did on the 28th day of January, 1916, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my office as provided by law.

By virtue of execution to me issued out of the Superior Court of Beaufort County on Judgment in favor of W. J. Pippin and F. T. Woodard, trading as Pippin & Woodard, against E. T. Harris and L. P. Harris, trading as E. T. Harris & L. P. Harris, I will sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder at the Court House door of Beaufort County on Monday, March 6, 1916 at noon, all the right, title and interest heretofore owned by said L. P. Harris in that tract of land in Long Acre Township, Beaufort County, which is described in a deed from John J. Bowen to Thomas W. Harris, dated April 1, 1874, and recorded in Book 41, page 425; it being the same land described in a deed from L. P. Harris and others, dated June 15, 1914, and recorded in Book 181, page 385, which deeds are referred to for description, the said judgment having been rendered and docketed prior to the execution of the last mentioned deed.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage deed, executed by T. E. Cutler and wife to G. A. Phillips, dated February 7, 1914, and recorded in Book No. 174, page 449, Register's office and hereinafter referred to, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at public auction on Saturday the 26th day of February, 1916, at 12 o'clock noon at the Court House door of Beaufort County, the following property conveyed and described in said mortgage, to-wit:

You are hereby notified that at a sale for taxes made by the Sheriff of Beaufort County on the 3rd day of May, 1915, the undersigned purchased a tract of land listed in your name, described as follows: One lot in the city of Washington, N. C. You are further notified that said land may be redeemed by the payment of the sum of \$4.82 and cost together with interest as provided by law to the undersigned on or before May 3rd, 1916. Said sale was made for the delinquent State and County taxes.

You are further notified that if you fail to redeem said land on or before May 3rd, 1916, by paying the amount due on same together with all cost that the undersigned will demand a deed for said property from the Sheriff of Beaufort County. This February 2nd, 1916. A. W. HAILLY.

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