

**Notice of Land Sale.**  
By virtue of the powers vested in the undersigned by decree rendered in the Superior Court of Randolph County in the special proceedings entitled "A. M. Barker, Exr. of Franklin Stout, dec'd vs. Shelly Stout et al." I will sell at public auction on the 10th day of March, 1914, at 12 o'clock M. at the court house door in Asheboro, N. C., the following lands situate in said county and bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post oak, runs south 23.78 chs. to a stone; then east 15 chs. to a stone; then north 13 chs. to a chestnut oak; then east 19 chs. to a stone; then north 12.78 chs. to a stake; then west 25.50 chs. to the beginning, containing 52 acres, more or less. This land will be sold in two tracts, to-wit: 32 ac. lying on the west end as one tract and the remainder as another tract.  
This is a re-sale account of the 5 per cent advance bid of J. C. Allen on the bid of John Waddell.  
Terms of sale: One-third cash, balance in 6 months; approved security being given for deferred payments, the same to bear interest from day of sale.  
This Feb 21, 1914  
A. M. BARKER,  
Exr. of Franklin Stout, deceased.

**NOTICE.**  
Superior Court, Before the Clerk. North Carolina, Randolph County. J. B. Coltrane and Thad Coltrane, petitioners. v. H. H. Elder and Geo. R. Collins, individually and as Trustee for Harlan Page, S. Westray Battle, A. J. Overton, Geo. R. Collins, H. T. Collins, Geo. L. Endman, Susie T. Pollard, Swen Pilsen, Jonathan Jenks, Crumby Bolton, Sr., Crumby Bolton, Jr., Richard D. Bolton, Mrs. Harriet Adams and husband—Adams, Dr. Allen P. Peckham, John C. Clifford, Rev. F. F. Kennedy, Ethel M. Cardin, Geo. J. Seidler, J. Edgar Slippery, S. James Logan, Mrs. Anna S. Stevens and husband—Stevens, R. Park Lowe and Anna M. Cardiff, defendants.  
The defendants above named, Geo. R. Collins and also those parties for whom he is trustee, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Randolph County, North Carolina, before the Clerk of said court against each and every of said defendants and that summons has been issued against them in said action returnable before said Clerk at his office in the County Court house in Asheboro, North Carolina on the 11th day of March, 1914; that the nature and subject matter of said action is as follows: An action to sell for division among petitioners and defendants a certain tract of land in said county and state, the said tract of land, said land being known as the James Allred land in Franklinville township; said defendants will further take notice that they and each of them are required to be and appear at the aforesaid time and place named for return of said summons and answer or demur to the petition of petitioners now filed in this action or the relief therein demanded will be granted and said lands will be sold for division as prayed for.  
W. C. HAMMOND,  
Clerk Superior Court,  
Randolph County.  
This Feb 11, 1914.

**NOTICE.**  
Having qualified as Admr. on the estate of Sarah Lowmilk, deceased, before W. C. Hammond, Clerk of the Superior Court of Randolph County; all persons having claims against said estate are notified to present them to the undersigned, duly verified, on or before the 20th day of February, 1915, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery; and all persons owing said estate will come forward and make immediate settlement.  
This 16th day of February, 1914.  
J. T. WOOD, Admr.

**NOTICE.**  
Mortgage Sale  
By virtue of the power of sale contained in the mortgage executed by J. M. Smith and wife Emma N. Smith to S. V. Young, dated the 10th day of July, 1908, and duly registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of Randolph County, in Book 127, Pages 543, 544 and 545, and by virtue of the power of sale contained in another mortgage executed by the said J. M. Smith and wife Emma N. Smith to N. N. Newlin, dated the 26th day of January, 1909, and duly registered in the same office, in Book 133, Pages 24, 25 and 26, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door in Asheboro, Randolph County, State of North Carolina, on Monday the 23rd of March, 1914, at 1:00 o'clock P. M. the following described real estate, to-wit:  
First Parcel. A tract or parcel of land in the County of Randolph and State of North Carolina in Providence Township, adjoining the lands of H. F. Bisher, Dennis Coble, Hughes, et al, and bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at Hughes' corner in the middle of Greensboro road and running thence northwardly with the Greensboro road 516 1/2 yards to Dennis Coble's corner; thence west 73 rods to a stake in the Brown line; thence south 180 rods to a post oak in the Hughes line; thence east 87 rods to a white oak; thence north 48 rods; thence east 173 2/3 yards to the beginning, containing 93 acres, more or less.  
Second Parcel. Beginning at a stone in W. N. Calvin's line on the east side of the Greensboro road, in Providence township and runs thence north 2 1/2 degrees, west 35 poles to a stone; thence east 44 poles to a stone; thence south 2 35/100 poles to a stone; thence west 44 poles to the beginning, containing 10 acres more or less.  
This 17th day of Feb., 1914.  
D. W. YOUNG,  
Administrator of S. V. Young, Mortgagee.  
N. N. NEWLIN, Mortgagee.

**NOTICE.**  
Town taxes for 1913 are past due and must be paid at once to save further cost and trouble.  
See me at once at my home.  
H. H. KENNEDY,  
Town Tax Collector.

**DR. JOHN SWAIM**  
Dentist  
Asheboro, N. C.  
Office over Postoffice

**Sale of Valuable Real Estate.**  
By virtue of authority in the undersigned vested by a decree of the Superior Court of Randolph County in the special proceedings entitled "Benjamin A. Scott and Joseph M. Scott vs. Clara Parks and her husband, Colon Parks, Annie L. Scott et al." the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on Thursday, the 5th day of March, 1914, at 12 o'clock M. on the premises at the late residence of Benjamin S. Scott, in the town of Ramseur in said county, the following real estate:  
One lot or parcel of land situate in the town of Ramseur in said county, and bounded as follows:  
1st. Beginning at N. B. Gunter's fourth corner at a stake on south side of public road leading from Pags Toll House to Ramseur, N. C., and runs as his line marked S. 53 1/2° east 415 feet to a stake in N. R. Gunter's third corner; thence N. 36 1/2° west 415 feet to a stake; thence north 36 1/2° east 105 feet to the beginning, containing 1 acre, more or less.  
The foregoing will be sold in 2 lots.  
Also another tract in Columbia township about three miles from the town of Ramseur, and bounded as follows:  
2nd. Beginning at a pile of white flint (flint rocks on the south side of the old stage road, kindred Craven's corner (now Jackson Craven's) and running with his line (ven's) and running with his line 90 chains and 14 links to a stone thence south eight east 21 chains and 90 links (21.90 chns) to white flint in the old line; thence north nine chains and fourteen links (9.14) to a stake in the old stage road; thence with various courses of said road to the beginning, containing 2 1/2 acres more or less.  
3rd. Beginning at a stone and runs south 5 chains and 7 links to a persimmon bush, Craven's corner; thence south 5 east 21 chains and 90 links to a persimmon bush, Craven's corner; thence north 5 chains and 11 links to a white flint, the south-east corner of the 20 acre tract described above; thence north 8 west 21 chains and 90 links to the beginning, containing 11 acres more or less, except 1/4 acre.  
The foregoing lands being in and near the flourishing town of Ramseur are very valuable.  
Terms of Sale. One-third cash, payable on the day of sale, one-third on a credit of six months; and the remaining one-third on a credit of 12 months, the deferred payments to draw interest at the rate of six per cent, per annum and purchaser to give note with security for said deferred payments.  
This the 2nd day of Feb., 1914.  
S. D. SCOTT,  
G. S. Bradshaw, Commr.

**NOTICE.**  
Having qualified as administrator on the estate of Nora S. Alexander, deceased, before W. C. Hammond, Clerk of the Superior Court of Randolph County, all persons having claims against said estate are notified to present them to the undersigned, duly verified, on or before the 29th day of January, 1915, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery; and all persons owing said estate will come forward and make immediate settlement.  
This 22nd day of January, 1914.  
KEMP ALEXANDER, Adm.  
Asheboro, N. C.

**Application For The Commutation of the Sentence of Ret M. Foust.**  
Application will be made to the Governor of North Carolina for the pardon of Ret M. Foust, convicted at the December term, 1912, of the Superior Court of Randolph County for the crime of larceny, and sentenced to the State Penitentiary for a term of five years.  
All persons who oppose the granting of said pardon are invited to forward their protests to the Governor without delay.  
This 17th day of Feb., 1914.  
RET M. FOUST,  
By John T. Brittan, Attorney.

**Notice of Surviving Partners.**  
As surviving partners of F. T. Finch, J. S. Spencer and W. S. Thayer, trading as W. S. Thayer and Co., this is to notify all persons holding claims against said company to present them to the undersigned, or either of them, on or before the 14th day of March, 1915. All persons indebted to said company are expected to make immediate payment and settlement.  
This 15th day of Feb., 1914.  
F. T. FINCH,  
J. S. SPENCER,  
Surviving Partners.

**NOTICE.**  
North Carolina. Superior Court. Randolph County. Avannah S. Hunsucker vs. Geo. U. Hunsucker. Notice.  
To George U. Hunsucker: Take notice that on the 7th day of March, 1914, the plaintiff will take the deposition of G. C. Campbell in the office of R. C. Brent, commissioner, in the town of Roanoke and State of Virginia to be read as evidence in the trial of the above action when and where the said George U. Hunsucker is notified to appear if he desires. The taking of said deposition will be at 3 o'clock p. m.  
And the said George U. Hunsucker will further take notice that on the 12th day of March, 1914, the Clerk of the Superior Court will open said deposition taken on the said 7th day of March, 1914. Said opening will be at 10 o'clock a. m. when and where the said George U. Hunsucker can attend.  
This the 14th day of Feb., 1914.  
W. C. HAMMOND,  
Clerk of the Superior Court for Randolph County.

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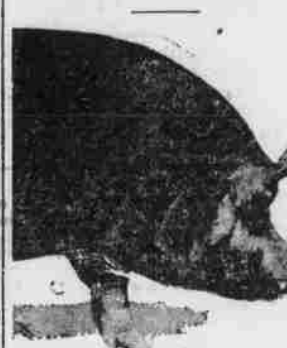
**NOTICE.**  
Having qualified as executor on the estate of James H. Cheek, deceased, before W. C. Hammond, Clerk of the Superior Court of Randolph County, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash on the premises on the 16th day of March, 1914, the following personal property, to-wit: two cows, a lot of farming tools, a lot of household and kitchen furniture, one one-horse wagon, one buggy, a lot of plow gears and harness, about 50 bushels of corn, a lot of hay and rough feed and other articles too tedious to mention.  
All persons having claims against said estate are notified to present them to the undersigned, duly verified, on or before the 30th day of January, 1915, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery; and all persons owing said estate will come forward and make immediate settlement.  
This 24th day of Jan. 1914.  
W. N. HAYES, Exr.,  
Seagrove, N. C., Route No. 1.

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No. III.—Hog Cholera—Potato Disease—Poultry Raising.  
United States Soils.



(Official News Summary of Up to Date Matters Compiled by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

**T**HE United States department of agriculture is engaged in experiments looking to the control and eradication of hog cholera. During the past twelve months the disease caused a loss among swine of over \$100,000,000. While this was slightly larger than in previous years, the loss has run into many millions of dollars each year for a decade or more. The Sixty-second congress appropriated \$75,000 for the department to begin work against the ravages of the disease. The work is now going on in Indiana, Missouri and Iowa and is meeting with some encouragement, although it was only begun in July, 1913.

Hog cholera usually makes its appearance in the spring and then spreads with increasing rapidity until autumn. Therefore the department met in the beginning a handicap, as the appropriation was not available until July 1. The plan of the work which is being done in Montgomery county, Ind.; Pettis county, Mo., and Dallas county, Ia., is for the department to place in each county in those states three or more inspectors, who will have charge of the work and who will control the administration of the department's serum to hogs.

The agricultural colleges of the states will gather statistics and inform the farmers of the ways in which they can aid in the campaign, while the duty of the state veterinarian will be to control the movement of live stock and require the disinfection of stock cars, loading chutes and pens in such a way that the chances for disseminating the disease will be lessened.

**Potato Disease Quarantine.**  
The federal horticultural board of the department of agriculture has made a decision of considerable importance to potato growers. It is the continuation indefinitely of the potato quarantine that has been maintained during the past year against certain countries from which our main importations of potatoes come. The countries against which quarantine is to be continued are the British Isles, Germany, Austria-Hungary, Newfoundland and two islands belonging to France in the St. Lawrence river called St. Pierre and Miquelon.

The object of the quarantine is to prevent the introduction into the United States of a dangerous potato disease, now unknown in this country. This disease is known as the potato wart, the potato canker or black scab. The decision of the department not only insures the potato crops from the ravages of this disease, but will probably affect the price of them.

The quarantine shuts off practically all supply from abroad, though it does not affect potatoes from Bermuda or Canada and means that we shall have to produce practically all the potatoes we consume for an indefinite length of time. In 1911, the year before the quarantine was issued, 13,000,000 bushels of foreign potatoes were imported into the United States.

Although the London bureau of agriculture has asked the state department, through the British embassy, that the quarantine against potatoes be raised or modified the federal horticultural board has ruled that the risk of introducing new diseases into the United States is too great to justify a change.

or confine all male birds as soon as the hatching season is over.  
"Begin marketing the cockerels as soon as they weigh one and one-half pounds or obtain a marketable weight and," continues the advice, "market white shell and brown shell eggs in separate packages. Small or dirty eggs should be used at home. When taking eggs to market they should be protected from the sun's rays. Infertile eggs will withstand marketing conditions much better than fertile eggs.

"The hen's greatest profit producing period is the first and second years, and unless a hen is an exceptionally good breeder she should be disposed of at the end of her second laying season and before starting to molt.  
"Few eggs can be expected until the pullets are matured.  
"Pure bred poultry means uniformity of products, and that means increased profits if the products are properly marketed. Given the same care and food, pure bred fowls will make a greater profit than mongrels.

"In order to obtain eggs it is necessary to have healthy, vigorous stock properly fed. A splendid mixture for laying hens is equal parts of cracked corn, wheat and oats, which should be scattered in litter. Plenty of exercise increases the egg yield. Cabbages, mangels, potatoes and sprouted oats make excellent green food, and when wet mashers are fed be sure they are crumbly and not sticky. For the first three days chicks may be fed a mixture of equal parts of hard boiled egg and stale bread or the latter soaked in milk. From the third or fourth day until the chicks can eat wheat and cracked corn commercial chick food is a good ration. Plenty of pure fresh water, grit, shell and green food should be available from the first day. There is very little danger of over-feeding young stock. Feed your chickens about five times a day."

**Soils of the United States.**  
"Soils of the United States" is the title of a bulletin just issued by the department of agriculture which contains a comprehensive study of the soils of the country, showing the locations of the 1,650 different types of soils surveyed and mapped by the department and their crop adaptation. The department has made soil surveys in every state, embracing an area of over 600,000 square miles.

The most important group of soils on which the majority of the trucking crops of the country are produced lies in the Atlantic and gulf coastal plains province, according to the report, comprising about 365,000 square miles, extending from the northern end of Long Island to the southern extremity of the Florida peninsula and along the coast of the gulf of Mexico to the mouth of the Rio Grande. These soils are pre-eminently early truck soils, and their most economic use lies in the production of high priced crops for the early local and distant markets accessible to rapid transportation. The fine sands are undoubtedly the most valuable early truck soils, as in adaptation they include the whole range of vegetable crops. Norfolk fine sand is an



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Important member of the group as well as being the most extensively developed. It is the best early truck soil of the section.

On the soils of the glacial and loessial soil province is grown the bulk of the great staple crops of the country. The silt loams have by far the largest areal development of any of the groups. They furnish the greater portion of the cereals directly produced for local consumption and export the hay and grain used in the production of meat and other meat supplies. Dairying is also an important industry. The Marshall silt loam is the principal corn soil of the country and is only slightly less important for the production of wheat and is also an excellent soil for the production of oats, alfalfa, tobacco and sugar beets.

**Simple Canning Methods.**  
Recently a western Pennsylvania farmer, dissatisfied at selling his peas at a very low price, decided to can them according to the method advocated in bulletin 359, agricultural department, on the "Canning of Vegetables in the Home." He used the ordinary fruit jar as a container. He disposed of some to a local store, which soon took all he had and agreed to take all he could furnish in the future. He is preparing to put up a much larger amount next year.

**English Cattle to Be Admitted.**  
The secretary of agriculture, at the request of the British ambassador, announces that the foot and mouth disease affecting cattle, sheep and swine of England, Ireland and Scotland has been eradicated and that prohibition against the importation of these animals has been removed.

**PNEUMONIA.**  
How to Get It and How to Miss It.  
February is the worst month for the worst disease, PNEUMONIA. Pneumonia kills more people every year than any other human malady, not even excepting consumption. Pneumonia is a germ disease, and is caused by a small organism similar in some respects to those causing other diseases with which we are familiar.

The germ of pneumonia gets into the lungs through the mouth but not every one who has the germs in his mouth will have pneumonia. If he did practically all of us would have the disease before the winter is over. It is only when the system is "run down" that the germs do their dread work.  
We here give three good ways to encourage pneumonia, first drink lots of alcoholic liquors, the poorer the quality the better, second expose yourself without sufficient clothing, particular in extreme weather, third and best of all live and sleep with your windows closed.

If you don't want pneumonia heed the following ways of avoiding it, first let all alcoholic drinks alone, second dress according to the weather instead of according to the fashion, third if exposed to rough weather or if you get wet and numb undress in a warm room, rub the skin with a coarse towel and go to bed, fourth avoid constipation by eating more fruits and less meats and pastry and drinking more water and taking more exercise, fifth keep your feet warm and your head cool and last of all live and sleep in the fresh air all the time.

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**LAND SALE.**  
By virtue of the power of sale in the special proceeding entitled Willard A. Smith and others against F. S. Smith and others, I will sell on the premises in Randolph county, on the Public Road leading from Asheboro to Waddell's Ferry, between the Will Clark place and the Vester Moore place on the 14th day of March, 1914, at 12 o'clock M. the tract of land described in the petition in this cause. Said land described as follows, to-wit:  
Beginning at a rock pile in J. J. Hancock's line, running North 24 chains to a stone pile in Solomon Williams' line; thence West 25 chains and 60 links to a white oak on the West side of a branch; thence South 19 chains and 50 links to a stone formerly a red oak; thence West 8 chains and 65 links to a stone on John Pressnell's corner, formerly petitioner's corner; thence South 9 chains and 50 links to a stone pile in said Pressnell's or formerly petitioner's line; thence East 20 chains and 5 links to a stone pile in I. F. Hancock's line; thence North 4 chains and 85 links to a stone pile around a pine snag on said Hancock's corner; thence East 4 chains and 75 links to a stone pile the beginning, containing 80 acres more or less.

**TERMS: CASH.**  
JOHN T. BRITAIN,  
Commr.  
This the 25th day of Feb., 1914.

**VALUABLE LAND SALE.**  
By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Randolph County, made in a proceeding therein pending, in which W. A. Tinnin, Executor of the estate of Mary Elizabeth Slier, is plaintiff, and J. H. B. Holt and others are defendants, the undersigned will sell at public outcry to the bidder at the court house door in Asheboro on **MONDAY, APRIL 6, 1914,** at twelve o'clock, noon, the following described real property, to-wit:  
A tract or parcel of land lying and being in Randolph County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of W. J. Pugh and others, and bounded as follows:  
**BEGINNING** at a stone, Pugh's corner, running South 49.50 chains to a stone in the Noah line; thence East 10.25 chains to a flint; thence East 20 chains to a stone in Julian's line; thence West 10.20 chains to a pile of flints; thence N. 12 deg. W. 14.44 chains to a stone, Wilson's corner; thence West 6 feet to a stake; thence S. 6 deg. E. 16.25 chains to a black-oak; thence West 24.25 chains to the beginning, containing 181.34 acres, more or less.

This land will be sold upon the following terms: One-third of the purchase price to be paid in money down, and the other two-thirds to be paid in equal installments, at six and twelve months, the deferred payments to be evidenced by bonds of the purchaser, carrying six per cent. interest from day of sales until paid.  
J. DOLPH LONG,  
Commr.