

old and will do to wear a little longer. I have another pair ten years old which has been half soled a dozen times and the welts renewed twice. The two pairs referred to will be my every-day shoes for another year or more. My Sunday shoes while on furlough are still used for the same purpose, though six years old. I have another pair three years old which have been worn on three trips from home. For two or three months each year I wear low shoes, of which I have had three pairs during the last eleven years. One pair was knocked out by the flints in the Sparger orchard to which reference has been made; and another pair is still in service, still carrying a pair of oil tanned half-soles put on in Mount Airy; and the third pair is new and never been worn. Here soles and half-soles are hand-sewed, making the welts last much longer on account of using the same perforations for thread. A cobbler in the home land, on seeing a pair of my shoes declared that they were machine sewed with sixteen stitches to the inch; but I knew better. I have all my winter shoes made congress gaiter style, so that they are easily and quickly removed and put on. This saves time on account of the custom here in Japan of removing our shoes on entering Japanese hotels, homes and churches. Moreover, I am too corpulent to enjoy lacing even my low

shoes which do not have to be removed during "action" except when going to bed. Possibly, I was the only man in Mount Airy who wore congress style shoes while on vacation there. When the overall club was organized in Mount Airy a few years ago, Editor George and I did not join; but we mutually agreed that wearing old clothes was a practical solution of the problem then confronting the people. Now if the above shoe story is not sufficient evidence of my loyalty to the old clothes principal I will add that I am today wearing a coat thirteen years old and that when the Prince Regent visited our city I wore a Stetson hat purchased at Burke's, Mount Airy, in 1912. I am trying to qualify my old clothing for a resting place on the rag pile. August, 1923.

Executor's Notice

Having qualified as executor of the estate of J. T. Humphreys, deceased, late of Surry County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at The Bank of Mount Airy, N. C., on or before Sept. 19th, 1924, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

E. C. Bivens, Atty.
The Bank of Mount Airy, Executor
of J. T. Humphreys, deceased
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NOTICE TRUSTEE'S SALE OF LAND

By virtue of authority vested in me in a certain deed of trust executed the 18th of April, 1922 to the undersigned trustee by L. E. Mosley for E. A. Kidd to secure an indebtedness of \$550.00 and recorded in the Register of Deeds Office of Surry County in book 78 page 367, default having been made in the payment of the note therein secured and at the request of the holder, I will sell for cash, to the highest bidder at public auction, in front of The First National Bank, Mount Airy, N. C., on

Saturday October, 13th, 1923, at one o'clock, P. M.

Lying and being in Eldora township, Surry County, N. C., and beginning at a black gum and runs S. 18 deg. E. 3 3-4 chains to a stake in the Mount Airy and Silom road; thence N. 50 deg. W. with the said road 5 1-2 chains to a stake in said road; thence East 3 chains to the beginning. Containing 1 1-2 acres more or less.

Sale made to satisfy a debt of \$550.00 principal, interest and cost of sale to add. This 10th day of Sept. 1923.
Edw. M. Linville, Trustee.

NOTICE

North Carolina, Surry County, Mt. Airy Township.
Mrs. Will Worth vs. Ernest Mabe.
Notice of summons and Warrant of Attachment.
The defendant in the above action will take notice that a summons is

TRUSTEE'S SALE

By virtue of a deed of trust executed to the undersigned trustee on the 29th day of March, 1922 by Z. A. Scott recorded in Book 66 page 113 of the record of mortgages of Surry County, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the First National Bank of Mt. Airy, on

Oct. 6th, 1923, at one o'clock, P. M.

the following described real estate to-wit:

A lot known as the Z. A. Scott home place adjoining the lands of John Banner and others. Beginning on the north side of Franklin street extension the town of Mount Airy and in the west edge of a twelve foot cart way and runs with same N. 7 deg. west about 157 feet to R. L. Haymore's line, thence with his line South 70 deg. West 87 feet to Franklin street, thence with the street South 21 deg. East 97 feet, thence South 41 deg. East 55 feet to beginning. For further description see deed from Rhoda Bronscomb to Zulphia Scott dated Sept. 19th, 1921, and duly recorded in Book 87 Page 173 Records of Surry County. Sale made to satisfy an indebtedness of \$287.51 principal, interest and cost of sale to add. This Sept. 1st, 1923.
R. K. Simmons, Trustee.

Dr. W. M. Hollingsworth
DENTIST
Mount Airy, N. C.

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a deed of trust executed to me by J. D. Minick on the 22nd day of October 1913 to secure a debt of Six Hundred (\$600.00) Dollars due Mrs. Cora A. Gilmer, upon which there is a balance of Four Hundred (\$400) Dollars principal money and interest on said principal from the 22d day of October 1913, subject to a debt of fifty (\$50) Dollars. On application of the holder of the note secured by said deed of trust I will sell for cash to the highest bidder in front of First National Bank in Mount Airy, North Carolina on the

LETTER FROM JAPAN

By Rev. J. W. Frank.
In my last communication I left off with our sojourn of ten days in Kobe on our way from Uwajima to our summer home. Not only was our stay in Kobe needed for taking over the extra Mission work which Dr. Demaree assigned to me until the arrival of Rev. W. J. Callahan, who recently visited Mount Airy, but the time was needed for making purchases and having clothing made. Here in Japan we do not have access to stocks of ready made clothing, unless it be something like ladies' shirtwaists and such like; but we have our measurements taken and select goods in a tailor's establishment, and have our clothing made to order. Except for the inconvenience of waiting, this is quite satisfactory. We have choice of excellent English goods, superior to American made cloth. The tariff is not quite so prohibitive here. Likewise I have all my shoes made here according to measurement and from the best of material obtainable and by skilled workmen. These advantages tell in the way my shoes last especially when my ponderous weight of two hundred twenty-five pounds and my activity in bicycling and walking are taken into consideration. I have discarded only three pairs of shoes during the last eleven years, one being the pair I wore when we came here from the United States in 1912, one pair made here in the autumn of 1912, and one pair of low shoes which was finished up by walking over the Sparger orchard when at home on furlough. The pair I wore for every-day in Mount Airy in 1919 and 1920 is now nine years

20th day of October, 1923, at one o'clock P. M., the following described real estate lying and being in Mount Airy Township, Surry County, North Carolina and bounded and described as follows:

That certain tract or parcel of land adjoining the J. D. Minick race right-of-way, the lands of T. N. Brock and J. A. Tesh & others, containing 12 30-100 acres more or less and being particularly described in deed from Cora A. Gilmer to the said J. D. Minick registered in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Surry County, said deed bearing date the 22nd day of October, 1913.

Sale made to satisfy the amount due on said deed of trust together with costs of sale.
This Sept. 17th 1923.
J. H. Folger, Trustee.

NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Tyler Smith, Dec'd, I hereby notify all persons having claims against his estate to present them to me on or before Sept. 1, 1924 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please pay me at once.
This Sept. 1, 1923. 10-12p
George M. Sparger,
Adm. of Tyler Smith

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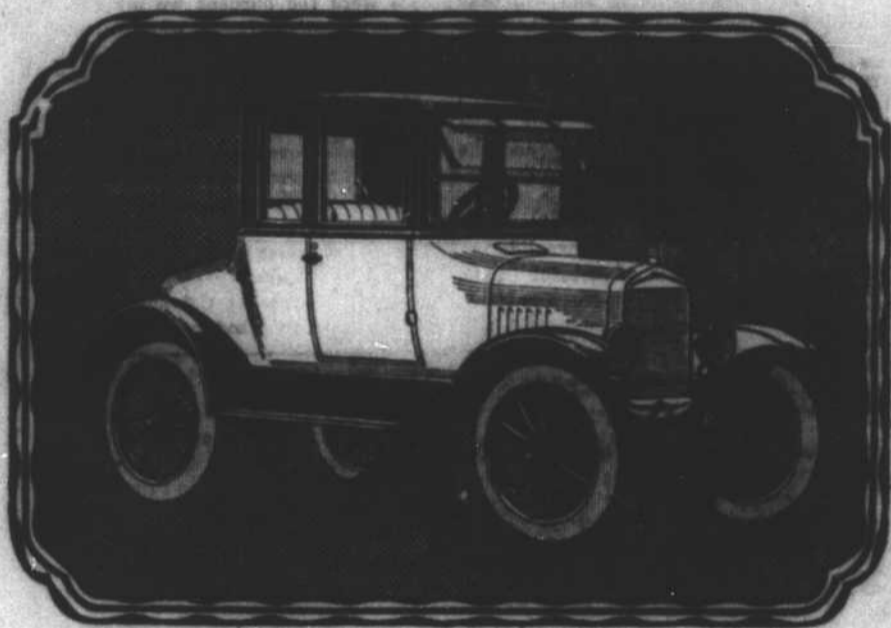
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