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Arbor Day November 3.

Arbor Day is only three weeks off as it comes November 3rd this year. A special effort has been made to have the day appropriately celebrated all over the State and it is hoped that all the schools will observe it in some way. A new "Arbor and Bird Day Manual" was prepared by the State Geo-

Notice of Service by Publication.

State of North Carolina, In the Superior Court, County of McDowell, January Term, 1917.
 Lonisa Mace, plaintiff,
 vs.
 Robert Mace, defendant.
 The defendant, Robert Mace, named above, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of McDowell County to obtain an absolute divorce by the plaintiff from the defendant; and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the term of the Superior Court of said county to be held on the sixth Monday before the first Monday in March, 1917, at the court-house of said county in Marion, North Carolina, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint. Said complaint will be deposited with the Clerk of the said Court more than thirty days prior to the commencement of the said term of the said Court.
 This 12th day of October, A. D. 1916.
 THOMAS MORRIS,
 Clerk of the Superior Court.

logical and Economic Survey at the special request of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, and this was ready for the printer the beginning of August. For some unaccountable reason the printing of this Manual has been delayed to such an extent that it hardly seems possible to have it properly distributed before Arbor Day. This is a great misfortune, as the County Superintendents of Public Instruction throughout the State made an almost unanimous demand that these books be distributed this year earlier than was done last year so that the teachers would have plenty of time to teach the children their exercises. Instead of being earlier, the Manual will be much later, too late to be of any use whatever in preparing Arbor Day observances. It will now be necessary for the teachers who are organizing Arbor Day exercises to use again the Manual for 1915. If additional copies of this are needed, they can no doubt be secured by applying to the County Superintendent or to the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Raleigh.

Bring in or phone your news items to The Progress office.

NOTICE.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of North Carolina, at Asheville. No. 389.
 United States
 vs.
 B. F. Spencer, et al., Holston Corporation, et al., C. W. Godfrey, et al., J. M. Greenlee, et al.
 To B. F. Spencer and Ella B. Spencer, his wife; M. H. Stebbins and Addie C. Stebbins, his wife; L. L. Bailey and Carrie H. Bailey, his wife; Reece Lloyd, J. Mac Haines and Thomas W. Haines, Jr., Executor of Thomas W. Haines; Carson Snipes and Laura Snipes, his wife; Bessie G. Haines; Thomas W. Haines, Jr.; and Marie Frances Haines, his wife; J. Mac Haines; Unknown heirs of Sallie Godfrey Harris; Unknown heirs of John Godfrey; Jeff Berry and Maria Berry, his wife; Plato Gibson and Letha Gibson, his wife; Horace A. Stroud, a minor; Hannah L. Stroud, a minor; H. A. Stroud, widow; Unknown heirs of J. A. Curtis; Unknown heirs of Eleandor Herring; Unknown heirs of Joshua Curtis; Unknown heirs of Delbert Curtis; Unknown heirs of Augustus Curtis; Unknown heirs of Alexander Curtis; Unknown heirs of Ephriam Curtis; Unknown heirs of David McCracken; Unknown heirs of Richard Bird; Unknown heirs of Mrs. F. M. Stepp; Unknown heirs of T. B. Allison; Samuel Bird and..... Bird, his wife; Unknown heirs of Richard Ivy Bird; Unknown heirs of G. W. Curtis; Nancy M. Buchanan; Unknown heirs of E. P. Buchanan; Unknown heirs of David Gillespie; Mary M. Hensley, a person of unsound mind; J. C. Hensley, Guardian of Mary M. Hensley; Frank W. Scheller; John A. Scheller; Unknown heirs of Measheak Burchfield; Unknown heirs of J. N. Curtis; Jennie Mockridge; Lavinia N. Mockridge; Chester R. Mockridge, a minor; Norma Mockridge, a minor; Mrs. Frederick Mockridge, a widow; Unknown heirs of John Strain; Martha Hastings and J. E. Hastings, her husband; J. M. Greenlee and Mary Tate Greenlee, his wife; Unknown heirs of George Ward; John R. Carson and Eliza Carson, his wife; Laura Carson Myers; George A. Austin; Julia A. Forham; F. B. Austin and Ida Austin, his wife; Unknown heirs of Edward Austin; Eva B. Bacon; Henry Phillips and..... Phillips, his wife; Unknown heirs of Henry Phillips; Unknown heirs of..... Phillips, wife of Henry Phillips; Beneficiaries and heirs at law of James Bowron; W. Moss Bowron; Unknown heirs of W. Moss Bowron; Joseph Bowron; Unknown heirs of Joseph Bowron; J. Wise Norton and Frances Norton, his wife; Marvin F. Scaife; J. B. Hartsell and M. H. Hartsell, his wife; L. C. Hice and..... Hice, his wife; Ezekiel Hilliard and Mattie Hilliard, his wife; J. Harvey Greenlee and wife, name unknown; J. W. Haines; David S. Haines; Mary Hill; Elizabeth Wheeler; Effie Norris; Elizabeth G. Haines; Mrs. David M. Renno; Mary C. Turner; Mildred Pierce; John Renno; Susan Flemming; and William Flemming, her husband; Unknown heirs of Susan Flemming; Tyruso Reel and Isaac Reel, her husband; Unknown heirs of Tyruso Reel; Thomas Curtis; William Curtis; Nancy McCurry; B. L. Curtis; Conney Slate; George W. Chapman and Nora Chapman, his wife; J. E. Allison; Mrs. J. E. Allison; Unknown heirs of Jane O. Godfrey; Unknown heirs of James A. Bird; Robert Chapin and Kate Chapin, his wife; Charles Carson and Kate Carson, his wife; Ola Snipes, a minor; Mercedes Mace; Jane McKinney and J. F. McKinney, her husband; Effie Snipes, a minor; E. J. Snipes;
 And all other persons whomsoever owning or claiming to own any estate, lien or interest of any kind or character in and to the lands described in the petition in this proceeding.
 You will take notice that an action entitled as above has been com-

menced in the District Court of the United States for the Western District of North Carolina, at Asheville, for the condemnation of certain tracts of real estate.
 (1). Two tracts of land lying on the waters of Little Buck creek, Tom's creek, and other waters of the Catawba river, in Marion township, McDowell county, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of Pete Hensley and others, said two tracts containing in the aggregate 1896.03 acres, more or less, covered by Grants 15819, 498, 566, 14751, 14383, 14959, 513, 16374, 15130, 6051, 281, 1559, 9819, 315, 358, 13887, 15829, 329, (359?) 3893, 5793, 6053, 650, 5049, 548 and 120; and a certain tract of land containing 41.96 acres, more or less, formerly a portion of the C. W. Godfrey tract, in Marion township, McDowell county, North Carolina, covered by Grants 5793, 650 and 317, lying on south bank of Betsy branch, all of which said lands are now claimed by B. F. Spencer and Ella B. Spencer, his wife, L. L. Bailey and Carrie H. Bailey, his wife, M. H. Stebbins and Addie C. Stebbins, his wife, of Wellsboro, Pa., and Reece Lloyd, J. Mac Haines and Thomas W. Haines, Jr., Executors of Thomas W. Haines, of Wilkesbarre, Pa.
 (2). Situate, lying and being in Marion and North Cove townships, McDowell county, North Carolina, on the headwaters of Tom and Lime Kiln creeks, tributaries of the Catawba river, adjoining the lands of Pete Hensley and others, containing 811.66 acres, more or less, covered by Grants 412, 5327, 499, 530, 12484, 197, 6128, 6151, 557, 468, and now claimed by Holston Corporation, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Virginia.
 (3). Situate, lying and being in Marion township, McDowell county, North Carolina, on the waters of Tom's creek, adjoining the lands of N. A. Riddle and others, containing

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103.96 acres, more or less, covered by Grants 3893, 161, 317, 15083 and 3127, and now claimed by C. W. Godfrey, of Marion, N. C.
 (4). Situate, lying and being in North Cove township, McDowell county, North Carolina, on the waters of Lime Kiln creek, and Wood's Knob, containing 109.63 acres, more or less, covered by Grants 566, 415, 412, 499, 12484, 498 and 2127, and now claimed by J. M. Greenlee and Mary Tate Greenlee, his wife, of Studley, Va., the said lands having been selected by the Secretary of Agriculture, with the approval of the National Forest Reservation Commission and found necessary for the purpose of carrying out an Act of Congress of the United States approved March 1, 1911, being Chapter 186, page 961, Vol. 36, Stat. at Large, as amended by the Act of August 10, 1912, 37 Stat. 269-300, Chap. 284.
 And the said nonresident defendants above named, and all persons whomsoever owning or claiming to own any estate, lien or interest of any kind or character in and to the lands described in the petition in said proceeding, defendants named as aforesaid, will further take notice that they are required to appear in the District Court of the United States for the Western District of North Carolina, at Asheville, on the 28th day of November, 1916, and answer or demur to the petition or complaint in said proceeding, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said petition.
 This notice issued by order of Court, directing that publication be made once a week for six successive weeks in The Marion Progress.
 This 13th day of October, 1916.
 J. M. MILLIKAN,
 Clerk, District Court of the United States, Western District of North Carolina.
 By W. S. HYAMS,
 Deputy Clerk.

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