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**RESPONSIBILITY RESTS ON THEIR ELDERS.**

"Still a third class of persons seeking a remedy for the unhappiness of family life and hoping to end forever the war in the homes of America turns on the young of this generation, condemning them as idle, frivolous, devoid of purpose, inconsiderate, selfish, pleasure seeking and vain. Such talk annoys me, not that it may not be true, but because it nevertheless is unjust. If there is anything wrong in the manners, morals and outlook of the young people of today, responsibility rests not on them, but on their elders. The fathers and mothers of the land are the real offenders. We have not halted the trend of the times. We have not uprooted the evils which are imperiling our children. When we rear and train our children properly, instill in their hearts and minds reverence for home and parenthood, school them thoroughly in the right conception of government, religion and society, we shall need no longer any court of domestic relations and will not have to bother ourselves further about uniform laws of marriage and divorce and public boards to examine applicants for marriage licenses."

Thus spoke Mr. Thomas R. Marshall, and truer words we have seen from any one. We do not believe the young girls are all going to the devil simply because they persist in their right to dress comfortable, use all of the paint and powder they please and vote the Democratic ticket—as most of them do in this State. Like a caged animal—not meaning they are animals, when given its freedom it does not know what to do, and so it is with these sweet girls, they have come into their own so suddenly that they just don't know how to act. We must admit they do some things we do not approve of, they seem to think because they are recognized as man's equal in all things they are perfectly able to take care of themselves and consequently do not want an old maiden aunt or some other sour somebody parading around with them as chaperones. But don't work yourself up to a frenzy, for these sweet creatures will get back to normal and we will wonder how nicely they managed it.

**ADVERTISING AN EXPENSE LIKE RENT.**

Montgomery Ward, the great mail order house, finds its selling cost to be approximately eight per cent. Local merchants who complain of the invasion of the mail order man and want the country publisher to fight their battles should bear these figures in mind. If the local stores would spend five per cent of their income on advertising in their local newspapers the mail order man would soon be put to rout, but we have too many shopkeepers and too few merchants in the small towns. Even today many of the local storekeepers have not realized that advertising is a recognized part of overhead, like rent, light and help. The patience of the local publisher with shopkeepers such as these, and there are many of them, is profound.—American Press.

All eyes are on New York this week, but from reports at this writing it will be some time before you will get much satisfaction as to who is to head the Democratic ticket. McAdoo will lead on the first ballot, which will probably be Friday morning, with Smith a close second. However, it seems almost certain a "dark horse" will win, and our guess today is John W. Davis, of West Virginia.

In a recent speech Governor Morrison said the North Carolina tax system was almost perfect. Well, may be, but we advise the Gov. when he comes this way this summer or fall on his speech-making tour in behalf of his shipping bill not to talk that way to the farmers up here, or there may be some one leaving town astride a rail.

Blessed is he that hath a southwest corner apartment these nights; but most blessed is he that hath his habitation in the country. It was said by them that were of old, God made the country and man made the town. But when the mercury gets to fooling in the high nineties, it is more as if the devil had made the town—Greenboro News.

**NOTICE OF SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PERSON COUNTY ON MONDAY JUNE 16th 1924, it being an adjourned meeting from June 2nd, an election was ordered held in the section of Person County hereinafter designated, as to whether a special tax of not exceeding thirty cents on the hundred dollars valuation of real and personal property in said section, should be levied and collected for the purpose of erecting a suitable building for, and the operating of a high school in said section.

Said election will be held on Saturday August 2nd 1924, at the store of D. L. Whitfield and Brother, at Hurdle Mills, N. C., under the rules and regulation prescribed for regular elections.

D. L. Whitfield was duly appointed Registrar of said election, and C. A. Monk and W. T. Hawkins judges of election.

The Registration books will be opened Saturday June 21st 1924, and closed on Saturday July 19th 1924.

Those favoring the increase in taxes for the purpose of maintaining a high school will vote a ballot on which shall be written or printed, "FOR HIGH SCHOOL TAX"; those opposing same will vote a ballot on which shall be written or printed, "AGAINST HIGH SCHOOL TAX."

That the section of Person County included in the application as filed, and in which said taxes will be levied and collected, if a majority of the qualified voters in said section approve same is as follows:

Beginning at the point in the Person and Caswell county line, that is now the South West corner of District No. 5 (Bushy Fork) thence with the line of District No. 5 in an Easterly direction to the corner of the lands of Daniel Long and N. P. Hurdle, thence following Hurdles South line to his South East corner, thence his East line in a Northerly direction, to the North line of W. A. Hicks, so as to include W. A. Hicks, Emily Allen, J. A. Hicks, W. W. and J. A. Whitfield to the West line of A. J. Dixon, thence in a northerly direction so as to include the William Burton place, thence to the road leading from Bushy Fork to Paynes Tavern, then this road in an Easterly direction to its intersection with the Roxboro-Flat River, Hurdle Mills road, just in front of Flat River church, thence follow Roxboro, Flat River, Hurdle Mills road to the ford of Flat River, thence down the river to the line between John Moore and Mrs. Sallie Wilkerson's farms, then this line South so as to include Wilkerson and Moore farm, to the Helena High School district line (District No. 3) thence along this line to the Orange County line, thence the County line between Orange and Person to the corner of Person, Caswell and Orange counties, thence the Person and Caswell line to the beginning.

W. H. Harris,  
 Chairman Board of County Commissioners, 6-18-4ts.

**NOTICE**

Owners and mortgagees take notice that the land listed and described below was sold for taxes and must be redeemed by August 27th, 1924, or deed will be applied for same.

- M. N. Gentry 68 acres in Holloway township.
- Lula Bailey 28 acres in Roxboro township.
- John W. Hester 60 acres in Mt. Tirzah township.
- Heywood Davis 1 acre in Wooddale township.
- Mack Burton 100 acres in Mt. Tirzah township.
- W. C. Carter 40 acres in Wooddale township.
- D. W. Ledbetter
- W. G. Bradsher.

Flower Pots, Flower Pots. See Farmers Hardware Co., they have a car load.

**FARM FOR RENT**

Good 6 or 8 horse farm, four miles of Roxboro on sand clay road, well improved soil, adapted for grain, tobacco and cotton. 4 tenant houses, 7 tobacco barns, 2 pack houses, 1 store house, 5 good meadows, fine orchard, near church and high school. Communicate with

**LOCK BOX 93, ROXBORO, N. C.**

**PEACEFUL**



OUR service gives an impression of peace and understanding, thus relieving the bereaved of all worry and responsibility. We carry out all instructions.

We Understand  
**R. A. SPENCER & SON**  
 Funeral Directors  
 Roxboro, N. C.

**FRANKLIN SPRING MAGNESIA-LITHIA WATER.**

TONIC — ALTERATIVE — APERIENT — DIURETIC.

A Natural Remedy that Cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation and all Diseases arising from Disordered Stomach or Bowels.

It cures Rheumatism, Gout, Torpid Liver, Menstrual Irregularities, Stone in the Bladder and Diabetes. It is highly beneficial in

Diseases of the Blood and Skin. The Water is Shipped Fresh from the Spring, Cunningham, N. C.

**FRANKLIN MINERAL SPRING**  
 Semora, N. C.

**STEWART, COOK & CO.**  
 Undertakers.

We will open on June 1st our Undertaking establishment and will be prepared to care for your wants in this line.

Our manager, James S. Stewart, has had a long experience in this work and we cordially invite our colored friends to give us their business.

All kinds of repair work. We especially want to do any repair work needed on your furniture and bot-toming chairs.

**Stewart, Cook & Co.**  
 Reams Avenue,  
 Roxboro, N. C.

**RAIFF'S SALE NOW ON AT A Great Reduction**

- Great Reduction On A Splendid Line Of LADIES AND MENS READY TO WEAR AND PIECE GOODS**
- It Will Pay You to Read These Prices.
- 2 1/2 yds. wide, unbleached sheeting. 50c
  - 2 1/2 yds. wide, white, good quality sheeting. 58c
  - Aluminum ware. 69c
  - \$13.00 and \$15.00 dresses. \$9.95
  - Dresses up to \$18.00. \$14.95
  - \$35.00 coats. \$17.50
  - \$25.00 coats. \$12.50
  - Dresses up to \$27.50. \$19.75
  - Voile dresses, nice quality. \$3.95
  - \$7.50 linen dresses. \$5.48
  - Voile up to 45c. 35c
  - Voiles up to 65c. 50c
  - 36 inch Everfast suiting. 39c
  - 40 inch dotted swisses. 50c
  - 36 inch dotted swiss. 29c
  - 36 inch stripe satinet, dandy for underwear, sale price. 48c
  - \$1.00 and \$1.25 silks. 85c
  - 40 inch silk Rashaia crepe \$3.50 quality, sale price. \$2.69
  - Flat Canton crepe, black and white, \$3.50 quality, sale price. \$2.69
  - Silk shirting. 95c
  - Bungalow aprons. 75c
  - Dress linen sponged and shrunk, \$1.00 quality, sale price. 89c
  - Millinery at a great reduction.
  - Boys Kaki pants. 75c
  - 2 yds. wide floor oil cloth. \$1.19
  - Grass rugs. 89c
  - 39 inch white cloth. 12 1/2c
  - 36 inch bleaching. 18c
  - 27-inch tissue voile. 12 1/2c
  - 1 lot of Chambray and apron goods. 10c
  - Curtain goods. 10c
  - Turkish towels. 10c
  - Turkish towels. 25c
  - Hospital counterpanes. \$1.98
  - 2 1/2 lb. quilt goods. 69c
  - Mens work shirts. 85c
  - Work pants. \$1.48
  - Sunday pants. \$1.48
  - EXTRA
  - Sample straw hats up to \$5.00 quality, sale price. 98c and \$1.48
  - English Broadcloth shirts, \$3.50 quality, sale price. \$2.69
  - Many of other things are greatly reduced.

**New Shoes**  
 By Yesterday's Express

The last word in ladies Pumps and Sandals has just reached us from Shelby Shoe Co. These are high class shoes moderately priced with all the style you could wish for, widths A to C.

Low Heel, Low Cut Patent Sandals.  
 Medium Heel, Stylish Cut Out, Black Suede Pumps.  
 Medium Heel, Stylish Cut Out, Patent Pumps.  
 Medium Heel, Neat Cut Out, Black Kid Pumps.

We shall be glad to show you these shoes.

**Harris & Burns**  
 ROXBORO'S BEST STORE



**He banked his Money; He became a Partner.**

Big business men are always on the lookout for young men who have the qualifications for big positions. The main thing they want to know is: "has he MONEY SENSE?" That question can only be answered in one way: by a Pass Book showing REGULAR deposits. The routine of the business a man can be taught, but the value of money he must learn for himself with his own money.

If you haven't yet started to regularly deposit some of your money, come in and open an account and start. You will be on the road to prosperity when you do.

**THE Peoples Bank**  
 The Bank of The People"

**HINT TO PRICE SEEKERS**  
 We are still doing Business at the same old stand,  
 And carry a big line for beast or man.  
 When you want what you want, when you want it stop at

**FOX'S CASH STORE**  
 AT THE CROSSING.

**PAINTING**  
 —and—  
**Paper Hanging**

I have a complete line of the very best PAINTS, VARNISHES, ENAMEL AND WALL PAPERS.

Let me figure with you on your needs.

**H. H. Masten**