

SELMA SCHOOL NOTES.

The Selma Graded School bought a Liberty Bond last week. We are all very proud to say that we are doing something to help win the war.

Friday morning, October 26, the chapel exercises were very interesting. After Mr. Moser had made a few remarks to the school, the third and fourth grades gave an interesting program.

Miss Hand had charge of the chapel exercises Friday morning. It was a patriotic program, and was good, indeed. The program was as follows: Recitation by sixth grade, on Our Flag.

The meeting of the Moser Literary Society for November 1st was called to order by the president. The roll was called and the minutes of the last meeting was read and approved.

Arbor Day Program.

Selma School is planning to observe Arbor Day on November the 16th. The following program has been planned by Miss Passmore, chairman of the program committee:

A LOSS OF FEED.

How Lice and Worms Cut the Pork Profits.

Some time ago I visited a certain feed lot and discovered a very evident loss of feed due to an all too common cause. It was in the fall of the year and the owner had just commenced the feeding of a fine bunch of pigs on new corn.

During the short conversation I had been looking more closely at a few of the pigs. I had discovered something, and drew the owner's attention to it. I took hold of his arm in a friendly sort of way and pointed to a number of monstrous hog lice crawling over the backs of some of the near shoots.

The young fellow had been feeding his pigs before it was light in the morning and after it was dark at night due to the great pressure of his other fall work.

Lice are the sure enemy to profits on the hog at all seasons of the year. They crawl over the body and bite him after night till he cannot sleep. They scurry through his bristles by day till he cannot forage his living.

Worms are another source of great loss in the hog lots. There are several commercial worm killers on the market but there is a cheaper remedy if we will only use it. A little turpentine mixed with a good bucket slop once a week will clean out the worms in great shape.

Sugar Shortage and High Prices.

If it was right to raise the price of sugar to twelve or fifteen cents a pound because there was a scarcity it would have been right to raise it to forty cents. We are told that there was a good profit in sugar at eleven cents last week. If so, it will be so whenever there is any sugar in town.

Mr. Hoover gave warning some time ago that sugar must be conserved or there would be a shortage; the people failed to observe his warning, the shortage came on schedule, but through Mr. Hoover's prompt action he has saved the people, in some measure, from the results of their own short-sightedness.

Look out for the aeroplane at the Fair today and tomorrow.

WILSON'S MILLS SCHOOL.

By Harriet Uzzle.

Thursday and Friday were test days at the school. These test days come once a month for seven months during the year. If a pupil averages as much as ninety per cent on the seven monthly tests there is no final examination for him or her.

The motto spirit has caught the school. Cards are being prepared on school mottoes. The following are some of the mottoes:

"Our Flag," "Our State," "Our Corn," and "Our Mosquito." Our Principal visits some teacher in her room on test day. He was with Miss Bridges this time. He reports that Miss Bridges is well prepared to receive the second section of fifth and sixth grade pupils who have been assisting in housing the crops and will soon be in school.

A health survey is being taken. This covers all health conditions. Each pupil is being questioned. When the enrollment is complete, the results in figures will be published.

Friends of the school were glad to read in the November number of North Carolina Education of the endorsement of the work being attempted by our Principal when he combined the Reading Circle Work, the Community Club Work, and the Literary Society Work in one workable organization.

We are learning more about the use of our library since it has been indexed anew. References, and we have many, are not so hard to find. We notice very few books that can be used in the Primary Grades.

The society under the direction of a committee is preparing to present the play, Aunt Dina's Quilting Party, some time about Thanksgiving.

Under the head of Community Club Work we have to report that at the invitation of the Franklin Literary Society the Christian Sunday School held a Halloween Party at the school building, Friday night.

Mrs. R. A. Pope and Miss Mary Mangum were in Selma shopping Thursday.

Johnston County Baptist Association.

The Johnston County Baptist Association closed a three-day session at Corinth church in Oneals township Friday. This was the fifteenth annual meeting of the Association.

There were some changes made on the executive committee. The newly elected committee is as follows: Rev. John E. Lanier, chairman; J. T. Holt, J. B. Creech, J. F. Pool and J. L. Hall. Mr. J. M. Beatty who has been chairman of the Executive Committee since the organization at Selma fourteen years ago, declined a re-election.

A resolution was introduced in the Association changing the time of meeting from Wednesday, Thursday and Friday to Friday, Saturday and Sunday. After a full and free discussion the matter was postponed for definite action at the next meeting of the body.

Rev. Lunda Lee Dead.

Rev. Lunda Lee died last Saturday at his home several miles from Dunn. He had been in poor health for more than a year and his death did not come as a surprise to those closest to him.

DR. J. F. FOSTER Physician and Surgeon KENLY, N. C.

WHAT WILL RUSSIA DO?

Charles Edward Russell Back From Slav Republic With Startling Revelations.

"What the new Russian republic does, whether it continues in the war or makes a separate peace with Germany may mean one million American lives and twenty billion American dollars," says Mr. Charles Edward Russell, who has just returned from his trip as special investigator for President Wilson on conditions in the new Slav republic.

He does not believe that the new Russia will desert her allies. The fact that some things go poorly in the government does not surprise him half so much, he says, as the fact that anything goes well. This is particularly true, he thinks, of conditions in the army; and he continues to show in his article in Heart's Magazine, which under the circumstances amounts almost to an official report on these matters, why the breaking down of army discipline was inevitable, and why in spite of the loss of Galicia and Riga and a general demoralization in other sections of the line, the Russian fighting force will come through stronger and better than ever and play a dominant part in the great general offensive which it is an open secret the allies will undertake next spring.

What If It Were Your Child?

What would you think of the father and mother who knowingly sent their child with a sore throat to school who a few days later came down with a bad case of diphtheria? And how much harder would you think, if you knew that the infected child had, innocently so far as it was concerned, exposed your own little boy or girl to this dread disease?

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When Housework Drags

Keeping house is hard enough when well. The woman who has a bad back, blue, nervous spells, and dizzy headaches, has a hard lot, for the family tasks never let up.

A Smithfield Case.

Mrs. R. L. Sanders, Smithfield, says: "I had dull pains in my back. I was stiff in the morning. I had headaches and dizzy spells and at times my sight was blurred. I bought Doan's Kidney Pills at Hood Bros. Drug Store and they relieved me very much, putting my kidneys in good shape. I gladly recommend them."

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Dr. A. J. Newman, late Police Surgeon of the City of Chicago, and former House Surgeon, Jefferson Park Hospital, Chicago, says Nuxated Iron has proven through his own tests of it to excel any preparation used for curing chronic indigestion, building up the nerves, strengthening the muscles and correcting digestive disorders.

Dr. N. H. Hornsline, for ten years Physician in the Department of Public Health and Charities of Philadelphia, says that tests made with Nuxated Iron on a number of stubborn cases where other tonics had failed absolutely convinced him of its remarkable and unusual power. If you are not strong or well, you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of Nuxated Iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see how much you have gained.

HOOD BROS., Smithfield, N. C. CRECH DRUG CO., Smithfield, N. C.

NOTICE.

The undersigned having qualified as Executor of the estate of W. H. Graham, deceased, hereby notifies all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to me duly verified on or before the 30th day of October, 1918, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery; and all persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment.

W. H. UPCHURCH, Executor.

SALE OF LAND FOR ASSETS.

Pursuant to an order of the Superior Court made in the cause of Leon G. Stevens, Admr., of C. B. Sanders, deceased, vs. M. F. Sanders, M. B. Stevens, et als, heirs-at-law of C. B. Sanders, deceased, the undersigned will sell the following described real estate on Monday, December 3rd, 1917, at public auction at the Court House door in Smithfield for Cash:

Being Lots Nos. 12 and 13 in Block "E" in the subdivision of B. A. Wood-all's lands, the plot of which subdivision is recorded in Book "F" No. 10, page 170 of the Registry of Johnston County, reference to which is made for a full description. Said lots were deeded to C. B. Sanders by W. P. McRae. See "F" No. 12, page 307.

This sale will be made subject to confirmation of the court; and ten days will elapse from first sale for a 10 per cent rate before a deed will be made to purchaser. Time of sale—December 3, 1917, at 12 o'clock noon.

LEON G. STEVENS, Administrator.

NOTICE.

North Carolina, Johnston County, In the Superior Court, Before the Clerk.

Jacob Boylin, et als, vs. Martha Narron, Hackney Boykin, et als.

The defendants, Elsie Valmer, Fred Valmer and Wilmer Valmer, Jesse Batten, Martha H. Deans will take notice that an action entitled as above has been instituted in the Superior Court of Johnston County before the clerk and has been continued to be heard on Wednesday, November 28, 1917, at the office of said Clerk in the town of Smithfield, N. C., said suit is for the purpose of partitioning the lands of L. H. Boykin, deceased, amongst the heirs at law of said L. H. Boykin by selling the lands and dividing the assets.

The defendants above named will take notice that they are required to appear and answer or demur to the complaint which has been filed in the office of said Clerk on or before the 28th day of November, 1917, or the relief demanded in the complaint will be granted. This November 3, 1917.

W. S. STEVENS, Clerk Superior Court. FREDERICK H. BROOKS, Attorney.

NOTICE.

The undersigned having qualified as administrator on the estate of Alice Morgan, deceased, hereby notifies all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to me duly verified on or before the 6th day of November, 1918, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery; all persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment. This second day of November, 1917.

MOSES M. WATSON, Administrator. Wendell N. C., Route No. 1. W. H. RHODES, Attorney. Wendell N. C.

HAULERS WANTED.

We can furnish hauling for several teams regular work. Short haul on good road. Must have good team and strong wagon. Apply this week at our office. Rand & Lawrence.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF LAND.

North Carolina, Johnston County, In the Superior Court, Before the Clerk.

Walter Fason, Dan Eason, Stella Radford and her husband, Rufus Radford; Hugh Eason, Enoch Eason, Ora Eason, India Eason, and Emmett Eason Heirs at Law of Elijah Eason, and the last three being Minors appeared by their Guardian Ad Litem, A. M. Noble, Ex-Parte.

By virtue of the judgment of the Superior Court rendered in the above entitled matter the Undersigned Commissioner will offer for sale on the 8th day of November, 1917, at the Court House door in Johnston County, at 12 o'clock M., the following described tracts of land:

FIRST TRACT: Beginning at a stake Benjamin Eason's corner, and runs N. 102 to a stake on the Smithfield road; thence N. 57 1/2 W. 125 to a sweet gum on Mill Swamp; thence down said stream to Neuse River; thence down Neuse River to the Slaughter Branch, C. Radford's corner; thence up said branch and a North prong of the same to a stake; thence South E. 60 to a black gum C. Radford's corner; thence N. 70 E. 36 to a stake, Benjamin Eason's corner; thence East 52 to the beginning, containing 104 1/2 acres. See Book "E" 87, Registry of Johnston County.

SECOND TRACT: Beginning at a stake in the building line of Anderson street as extended, in the Town of Selma, N. C., at the corner of Ethel Mill Lot; thence South 36 degrees W. 140 feet to a stake on the edge of a 20 foot space set apart as an alley; thence Westerly with said alley and parallel with Anderson street 50 feet to a stake; thence North 36 degrees East 140 feet to a stake in the building line in said Anderson street; thence easterly with said street 50 feet to the point of beginning and being Lot No. 1 in Block "B" of D. H. Graves property, West of Selma, and lying partly in the corporate limits and it is that same lot of land described in deeds from D. H. Graves et als to J. L. Fulghum and by J. L. Fulghum and wife to J. D. Eason, Jr. See A. 10, 532, Registry of Johnston County. Walter Eason and Van Eason have \$100.00 in this land from date of deed, and will sign for their interest.

THIRD TRACT: Lot No. 7 described and contained in a map of the Radfords' lands made by Francis Deaton, C. E., said map being recorded in Registry of Johnston County in Z. 12, 502 to which reference is hereby made for meets and bounds, dimensions on the N. 58 S. 137; 6 South 55.75 W. 143. 7. See Book 1-14, Van Eason has \$78.00 in this lot from date of deed, and will sign deed to convey his interest. Terms of sale: 2-3 cash and 1-3 on 1 and 2 years time to suit purchaser. 10 per cent cash deposit on day of sale and sale remains open 20 days. J. W. JONES, Commissioner.

NOTICE OF SALE.

Under and by virtue of the authority contained in a certain mortgage deed executed on January 2nd, 1917, by J. I. Peele to Jas. H. Abell and H. G. Gray (doing business as Abell & Gray), and recorded in the Registry of Johnston County, in Book No. 24, page 215, default having been made in the payment of the bonds secured by said Mortgage Deed, and the conditions of said Deed having been broken, the undersigned, Mortgagees, will, on Friday, November 23rd, 1917, at twelve o'clock M., at the Court House door of Johnston County, in the town of Smithfield, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder, for Cash, that certain parcel or tract of land situate in Wilders township, Johnston County, and State of North Carolina, and described and defined as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at a stake in the run of Spring Branch in J. D. Creech's line, and runs with said line S. 5 degrees W. 66.8 poles to a stake, corner of Lot No. 6; thence with said line S. 9 degrees W. 175 poles to a stake in the run of Buffalo; thence up the run of said Buffalo to the run of Spring Branch; thence up the run of said Branch to the beginning, containing one hundred and fifty-nine (159) acres, more or less, and being Lot No. 5 in the Division of the lands of John D. Eason, deceased, as recorded in Land Book No. 5, page 482, Clerk's Office of Johnston County.

This 22nd day of October, 1917. JAS. H. ABELL, and H. G. GRAY, Mortgagees.

A. & W., Attorneys.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage deed executed August 18th, 1913, by J. D. Dodd to E. D. Barnes and duly recorded in Book "R" No. 12, page 92, and the same being duly recorded and transferred to W. W. Cole and the conditions of said mortgage deed having been broken the undersigned, will on Thursday, the 29th day of November, at 12 o'clock M., 1917, at the Court House door in Smithfield, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described lot with a house on it:

Lying on Smithfield and Wilson's Mills road on west side of said road in front of Greytown and being the lot bought of J. W. Stephenson and wife by deed dated August 7th, 1913. For further description of said lot see deed from J. W. Stephenson duly recorded, October 29th, 1913. Lot contains about one-half acre. E. D. BARNES, Mortgagee. W. W. COLE, Transferee.