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Better English Week

Better English Week is giving the school children of the town plenty of amusement—or, perhaps we had better say, excitement.

It is said that no language on earth is so mutilated, by both tongue and pen, as the English. It seems to have more variations than most languages, which may be in part the cause of so many mistakes. Yet "American smartness" has much to do with our many harsh and incorrect expressions. We are a very careless people in our expression, and easily fall into the habit of bad usage and improper expressions.

Better English Week is a campaign for the purpose of making the student think and select the best word to use to convey his ideas, and to use his words in the right way.

Every student in the school was given a card Monday morning which he loses if caught using bad English by a fellow student. The student making the correction gets the card and adds it to his own. This will be a fine way for the student to check up on himself. Not only will it mean that he will learn more, but it will cause him to use that which he has to a better purpose.

A Case for the Authorities

We have a report of one home in this county, composed of a father, mother, and five children, wherein the oldest child, a daughter of about 18, not married, has two children; a daughter of about 16, unmar-

ried, has one child; and the third daughter, 13, unmarried, expects to become a mother soon.

It would seem that there is work for the welfare department, and the courts, too, in this case. Why should not the welfare department take these children and place them in homes where they will have a chance in life? And place these child mothers in some colony where they may get some chance at moral uplift. There seems to be a chance to help in each case, since the State has made some faint effort to better the conditions of fallen women. And, too, we have a few big-hearted people in the State who are maintaining a home for children.

So far as the men who have been, and are now, hanging around this home, with liquor and in drunken revelry, to debauch girls who have had no chance in life, the State has plenty of places for them in the various prisons it maintains for just the fellows who ruin the lives of 13-year-old girls.

Let the welfare officer and the solicitor go to the bat.

Unjust Discrimination

Many of the school children of the county, in the six-months' districts, are being taken out of the eight-months schools this week and next.

It seems rather unfair for one man's child to have only six months in school when his neighbor's child has eight months.

The barrier should be removed that keeps any child out of school while a neighbor's child, with whom he will have to compete in his life's work, is allowed a longer term.

The eight-months school term should be placed within the reach of every child, no matter where he lives.

An Indictment Against the Whole Republican Party

Secretary Fall gave the nation's richest oil lands to Sinclair. Sinclair paid over a part of the profits to Will Hayes to spend in the election of Calvin Coolidge in 1924. Now, why is not that sufficient evidence to convict the Republican party?

The worst thing about it seems to have been that every one of those greedy Republicans in the "high-up" councils grabbed this corruption fund with great relish; except old Andy Mellon. He evidently told the committee that he was making plenty out of his aluminum and other Republican-protected trusts, without dirtying his hands up with stolen oil.

Some people seem to think that Senator Walsh is smoking the Republicans out of their holes, but that is wrong; he is heating them so hot they are afraid the boiler is going to burst; they are not crawling out to rest their eyes, they are running to save their scalps.

The country will be blessed if Will Hayes, the ex-Postmaster General, and the hundred who received the corrupt fund to buy the Coolidge election, are jailed.

Washington has evidently been a stinking place with all the corruption that has existed there.

NOTICE OF RESALE

By virtue of the order of sale made by the clerk of the superior court of Martin County in that certain proceeding entitled "W. R. Cratt, executor, etc., vs. John M. Cratt, et als.," the undersigned will, on Monday, the 2nd day of April, 1928, at 12 o'clock noon, at courthouse door such Martin County, offer for sale, at public auction, for cash, and to the highest bidder, all that certain tract or parcel of land situate, lying, and being in Bear Grass Township, Martin County, N. C., adjoining the lands of John Bullock, Claude Lee, and Robert Harris, and containing 90 acres, more or less; and being the same lands conveyed to Sophie Cratt by M. G. Cratt, by deed dated November 10, 1914, and of record in book G-1, at page 197.

At the election of the undersigned, terms may be afforded the purchaser. The aforesaid sale will be reported to the superior court of Martin County, for confirmation, as required by law; and the successful bidder will be required to deposit as much as 10 per cent of his bid, immediately at the close of the sale, as evidence of good faith, and pending confirmation. Upon failure to make such deposit the said lands will be resold at the same place and on the same date at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m.

This 23rd day of February, 1928. JOHN H. BONNER, Commissioner.

SALE OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon us in a deed of trust executed by Jesse A. Leggett and wife, Katie Allen Leggett, on the 8th day of May, 1923, and recorded in book of mortgages, page 357, of Martin County, we will on Wednesday, the 21st day of March, 1928, at 12 o'clock noon, at the courthouse door in Williamston, sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following land to wit:

That certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Poplar Point Township, Martin County, North Carolina, containing 96 and 1-3 acres, more or less, bounded on the north by the lands of Taylor and Leggett, on the east by the lands of J. L. Wynn, on the south by the lands of Griffin and Harris, and on the west by the lands of Joseph Harris, and being the same land deeded to Jesse A. Leggett by J. W. Allen and wife by deed dated December 10th, 1909, and of record in the public registry of Martin County in book SSS, at page 15, and more particularly described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a pine stump, the corner between Joseph Harris and the land herein described; thence S. 32 3/4 E. 119 poles to Moon Springs branch, thence N. 80 1/2 E. 40 poles, thence N. 51 E. 48 poles, thence S. 81 1/2 E. 36 poles, thence S. 23 E. 16 poles, thence N. 47 E. 40 poles, thence S. 46 E. 14 poles, thence N. 75 1/2 E. 23 poles, thence N. 60 W. 10 poles, thence N. 16 W. 40 poles, thence N. 68 W. 38 poles, thence S. 45 1/2 W. 56 poles, thence N. 83 W. 40 poles, thence N. 24 W. 64 poles, thence S. 81 3/4 W. 24 poles, thence N. 76 1/2 W. 34 poles, thence S. 45 1/2 W. 23 poles, to the beginning.

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NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a judgment of the superior court of Martin County, entered at the January special term, 1928, in the case of J. T. Smithwick vs. Henry Carson, the undersigned commissioner, in execution of the power in said judgment contained, and pursuant to and in accordance therewith, will, on Monday, the 9th day of April, 1928, at 12 o'clock noon, at the courthouse door of Martin County, at Williamston, N. C., offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described tracts of land, to wit:

1st tract: Containing two acres, adjoining L. H. Williams and Ed Lee,

and being the same land conveyed to Henry Carson, by William Jones, and wife, by deed dated May 14th, 1912,

and recorded in book E-I, at page 545, Martin County public registry.

2d tract: Containing four and one-half acres, and being the same land conveyed to Henry Carson by William Jones and wife, by deed dated September 5th, 1913, and recorded in book E-1, at page 544, Martin County public registry.

3d tract: Containing five acres, and being the same land conveyed to Henry Carson by William Jones and wife, by deed dated November 21, 1911, and recorded in book C-1, at page 200, Martin County public registry, reference to

the deeds above designated being hereby made for a better description of all three of said tracts of land.

Place of sale: Williamston, N. C.

Date of sale: April 9th, 1928.

Terms of sale: Cash. This March 5th, 1928. A. R. DUNNING, Commissioner.

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