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Halifax Having Her Troubles

Halifax county is having her troubles. Four deputy sheriffs have been indicted there for embezzlement, and several of its bankers are up for various and sundry short-comings.

We have heard a long and loud wail about property losses for the past several years but apparently we lost more honor than we did money. "So many people have shown themselves dishonest by stealing, embezzling, lying and cheating that some steps should be taken to establish more honesty and truthfulness. A special course should be provided in the schools to guard against the wrongs.

Tennessee's Political Brawl

Tennessee is having trouble with her governor. The legislature is after the high official for apparent misconduct in helping a few friends rob the state and everyone else they could get their hands on.

As is in most political brawls, it is now difficult to see and understand what the end will bring. The governor and his friends are shouting persecution while the people are shouting robbery.

It is quite possible that both sides have some grounds to support their arguments, but the affair goes to prove that human nature has lost very little, if any, of its hogghishness.

Bertie Makes a Wise Decision

A wise decision it was when Bertie county voted to continue farm demonstration work there.

We have neglected for too long a time the importance of the farm and its proper management. And now is the time to make it the most desirable, the most profitable and most honorable of all professions or vocations in life.

One of the troubles now is that the town has outgrown the county. It is time to say, country, you must increase and town, you must decrease.

One of our greatest troubles results because it costs the country too much to sustain the town or city.

Farmers Also Have Surplus of Advice

No class of people has ever had more advice than the farmers. Sometimes the advice was good, and some times it was bad. Most of the time it has been bad advice.

Naturally, everybody wants to see the farmers do well, for when they succeed, business is good, and when they lose out, things generally become critical. However, we feel free to advise the farmer to work for quality this year and not for pounds. We already have 185,000,000 more pounds of tobacco on hand than we had a year ago, and unless all signs fail, real poor tobacco will not be worth curing this fall. On the other hand, the farmer having a large per cent of good tobacco stands some chance of making a little profit.

Experience has taught us that by putting plenty of dirt to the plants at every cultivation better results are obtained. Side dressing with soda or other high-powered amonia is dangerous as well as costly.

A light crop with good quality will undoubtedly pay better, and every farmer should work for quality.

North Carolina leads all States in the Union in the number of cotton mills, the number of active spindles, and in the consumption of raw cotton.

North Carolina manufactures more hosiery than any State in the Union—about 26,000,000 dozen pairs annually.

More cotton goods are manufactured in North Carolina than in any other State.

NOTICE of Special Tax Election in Sandy Ridge School District, Martin County, North Carolina

In compliance with the wishes of a petition signed by necessary number of qualified voters of Sandy Ridge School District No. 6, white, which was duly approved by the Board of Education of Martin County and is in accordance with provision of Article 17 of New School Code of 1925.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the school building of said district on the 20th day of July, 1931, in said district, which is described hereinafter, for the purpose of ascertaining the will of the qualified voters of the Sandy Ridge School District as to whether a majority of such voters favor the levying and collecting annually of a special

Mussolini and the Pope

The controversy between Mussolini and the Pope may yet grow into much trouble. Without attempting to enter the present controversy or to give any opinion it does appear to us that Mussolini is going to get himself and his country into serious trouble some day.

It is apparent that the Italian dictator regards himself above religion of all classes, both Protestant and Catholic. When any man thinks more highly of himself than he does of the sanctity, both political and religious, which has required a thousand of years for the best minds and best hearts to establish, then our civilization is in danger.

Good Advice From Will Rogers

What this country needs is for Will Rogers to tell the government heads what to do. From appearances, Mr. Rogers has more sense than any or perhaps all all of them together. And then he has another valuable quality that would go along way towards good government and that quality is honesty.

Pulling Together

The load is never heavy if all pull together. What this country needs is a friendly pull by everybody, rich, poor, and all the other classes.

If every community would practice this virtue, we would not hear of hunger nor see rags. And then if folks in every community would pull together they would have happiness and peace.

When we study our condition and find that no less than 98 per cent of our trouble comes to us on account of our own shortcomings, it is hard to understand why we are not willing and anxious to pull together, to make our church, our schools, our neighborhood, our towns, our homes, and ourselves better.

We are evidently wasting too much of our valuable time trying to get the other fellow to do the right thing and not enough hammering out our own selves into useful, honorable, unselfish citizens.

All in the Same Fix

Uncle Sam seems to be exactly like his 120,000,000 children. He is losing money, and so are we. Then why should we criticize each other for doing exactly alike.

There are only about a dozen in the whole country who have not lost money. They are the tobacco man, electric man, automobile man, chain store man, motion picture man, and one or two others. If we will stop trading with these big money makers for a while, we will stop losing, too.

And Uncle Sam will have to stop so much wild spending for war and other unnecessary things, too.

Pinchot a Good Democrat

Pinchot would make a fine Democratic presidential candidate. Anybody that the old-line Republicans fight as hard as they have Pinchot is bound to be Democratic in spirit and evident regards men as valuable as money.

War Is Costly

Nearly seven million dollars was distributed among former service men in North Carolina during the month of April. This was done through the United States Veterans' Bureau located in Charlotte. Of course, the same thing has been going on all over the country and is still going on. Many of those who got the money were in need of it and spent it for useful purposes. Some of it was wasted, of course, but anyway it all got into circulation and perhaps helped to some extent to stimulate business. It all goes to show, though, that war is a mighty costly business.—Beaufort News.

Hard To Find a Place

The several thousand graduates who are being turned out of the colleges and universities in our State this week will, in many cases, find it hard to find a place. The schools are full, and a thousand of the teachers in them are to be turned out and added to the young army who are anxious to find a place to start life and make a living, only to find too many lawyers, too many doctors, too many book-keepers, too many clerks, too many merchants, too many people for the jobs. The result will finally be that all those who are faithful, diligent, and willing to do their best will soon find jobs, and be absorbed in the machine of progress. But those who stand and wait for a call will doubtless stand a long time.

ial tax with which to supplement the funds for the six months public school term appropriated by the Board of Education of Martin County, the rate of said special tax not to exceed a maximum of 35 cents on the \$100 valuation of property, real and personal, within the bounds of the district hereinafter described:

Beginning at the mouth of Sweeten Water Creek, thence up the creek to the mouth of Keepers branch; thence up said branch to the Manning school district line; thence with said school district line northward to the Smithwick school district line; with said line to the Devils Gut; thence up said Gut to the river, and up the river to the beginning.

At said election those who are in favor of the levy and collection annually of a special tax not more than 35 cents on the \$100 property valuation with which to supplement the funds for 6 months school vote a ticket on which shall be written or printed the words, "For Local Tax," and those who oppose the levy and collection annually of a special tax of not more than 35 cents on the \$100 property valuation with which to supplement the funds for 6 months school, shall vote a ticket on which shall be written or printed the words, "Against Local Tax."

That L. D. Hardison shall be appointed registrar, and N. R. Griffin and E. G. Godard are hereby appointed poll holders for said election. That a new registration is hereby ordered and that the registration books will be open for such purpose beginning the 6th day of June, 1931, and will continue open until the 11th day of July, 1931. The registrar will be at his home during the above dates for the purpose of registering all those qualified voters in said district. Done this 2nd day of June, 1931, by order of the Martin County Board of Commissioners.

T. C. GRIFFIN, Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.

Attest: J. SAM GETSINGER, Register of Deeds of Martin County and ex-officio clerk to the County Board of Commissioners of Martin County.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE Having this day qualified as executrix of the last will and testament of William E. Warren, deceased, late of Martin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned for payment on or before the 29th day of April, 1932, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereon. Persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This 29th day of April, 1931. Deborah Fleming Warren, Executrix. Coburn & Coburn, Attys. myl 6t

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ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE Having this day qualified as administratrix of the estate of W. A. Burroughs, deceased, late of Martin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned for payment on or before the 23rd day of March, 1932, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereon. Persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This 23rd day of March, 1931. Mrs. W. A. BURROUGHS, Administratrix. apr21 6tw

SERVICE BY PUBLICATION North Carolina, Martin County. In the Superior Court, Before the Clerk. The Dennis Simmons Lumber Company, a Corporation, vs. James A. Robertson, A. L. Manning, C. C. Coltrain, J. and W. Land Company, M. O. Pouth, Administrator of the Estate of A. T. McDonald, Miss Sarah A. McDonald, A. M. Baxter, E. A. Morris, Mollie Lee, Margie Clark, Dr. Sampson Hadley, H. D. Robertson, W. T. Ward, Ethelene Carson, The Federal Land Bank, and others. The defendants, J. and W. Land Company, M. O. Pouth, Administrator of the Estate of A. T. McDonald, Miss Sarah A. McDonald, A. M. Baxter, E. A. Morris, Mollie Lee, Margie

Clark, Dr. Sampson Hadley, H. D. Robertson, W. T. Ward, Ethelene Carson, and the Federal Land Bank, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the superior court of Martin County, North Carolina, for the purpose of having the title to certain lands described in the petition filed herein registered and confirmed pursuant to chapter 90 of the Public Laws of 1913 and amendments thereto; and said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear at the courthouse door of Martin County, in Williamston, North Carolina, within thirty (30) days and answer or demur to the petition in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said petition. This the 26th day of May, 1931. R. J. FEEL, Clerk Superior Court, Martin County. my29 4tw

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned trustee by King David Smithwick and wife, Gracey Smithwick, on the 26th day of February, 1920 and of record in the public registry for Martin County in Book A-2 at page 207, said deed of trust having been given for the purpose of securing a certain note of even date therewith and default having been made in the payment of the said note and the stipulations contained in the said deed of trust not having been complied with and at the request of the holder of the said note

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Dear Friends:

You advertise Kruschen Salts for reducing, so I finally tried them and when I started I weighed 219 pounds and when I took them for a year and 3 weeks, I lost exactly 102 pounds.

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I am always telling my friends about the wonderful salts. I am always advertising them.

I took 2 bottles every month for a year and 3 weeks. It amounted to \$25 for reducing 102 pounds but it was worth it.

If I can be of any help to you let me know.

Your truly, Miss Nellie Simpson, 1903 Wayne Street, Swagsville, Pa., Oct. 31, 1930.

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An 85c bottle of Kruschen (lasts 4 weeks) is sold by leading druggists the world over—so start this SAFE method to lose ugly fat TODAY! Clark's Drug Store sells lots of it.

the undersigned trustee will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash on Friday, the 12th day of June, 1931, at 12 o'clock noon, at the courthouse door in the town of Williamston, N. C., the following described real estate lying and being in Martin County, to wit:

fifteen acres, more or less. This the 12th day of May, 1931. R. G. HARRISON, Trustee. m-15-4t Elbert S. Peel, Attorney.

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My mother says that she wonders how she ever kept house without our automatic electric water heater, because now she has plenty of hot water morning, noon and night. She doesn't have to run up and down the stairs any more; she just turns the faucet and there it is! She told dad it was certainly an investment in comfort, convenience and happiness.

Dad thinks it's swell because it speeds his morning shave. I heard him tell mother that every family should have an electric water heater now that they could get one for only \$10. down and pay the balance in small monthly payments.

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