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Improving Conditions

The Associated Press summarizes conditions as greatly improved, with unusual advances in the business world, retail trade outlook active, and the business barometer measuring abnormal gains for the season.

The moral is: Stick to the Roosevelt administration and do not listen to Morgan propaganda.

Two Forward Steps

Williamston has recently taken two forward steps which will mean much for the good of those participating and the people generally.

One is the formation of a band, with about 40 boys participating; the other is the reorganization of the Boy Scouts, with 60 boys as members.

Few things thrill man and beast more than a brass band. It seems to bring out and develop the best in people. And Boy Scouting goes a long way toward making good men out of boys.

Every person in the town should give every encouragement and render every assistance possible both to the band and to the Scout work.

There are a few boys unable to buy Scout uniforms and books, and also a few boys who are unable to buy band instruments who are very anxious to be with the other boys.

Giving People What They Want

Shall we give the people what they want? It seems to be the accepted order of things these days to appease the clamor and wishes of the people, big, little, old, and young.

The newspapers and magazines try to please the people with comics, disgraceful pictures, and shady stories. The theaters run Mae West because she draws more people than "Little Women."

So far as we are able to see, the only way this unfortunate condition can be adjusted is by drowning our desires for pleasure in the tears of sinful sorrow.

Opposing the Farmers

The National Association of Manufacturers doesn't like the idea of farmer organizations. They know what it means. They have stripped the farmers one by one for so long that it is just fun for them.

The case is very similar to that of the huntsmen who catch bear. They always go to the den and grab the young bear while the mother is away.

The wheat, corn, cotton, tobacco and other manufacturers and buyers of farm products know that when the producers of this country get in line, the opportunity to snatch their goods from them passes.

Mistaken or Lying

Those folks who claim the NRA, the FERA, and the whole Roosevelt New Deal is ruining the country are shown to be either mistaken or purposely lying, according to reports from Dunn and Bradstreet, from banks, from motor manufacturer, and from the surveys made by the United States Department of Commerce.

Japan the Danger Point

Did the sailing of 100 of Uncle Sam's warships from the Pacific coast to the Atlantic waters cause Japan to bristle with impudence? If that is the cause, then the ships should be ordered back to the west coast to watch Japan.

There can be no mistake about the Japanese policy of seeking to make the yellow race dominators of the world, and when China is put under her dominion and militarized, no power on earth will be able to cope with her.

The matter at issue now is whether the culture and civilization of the white or the yellow race shall finally be the governing basis of the kingdoms of the earth. The nations that prefer the Christian way will do well to stand together, or the yellow race and their religion will dominate the human family.

Japan is the only danger point on the world political horizon today.

To Make Taxes Impartial As Well As Certain

Hertford County Herald.

It is tax listing time again. The law commands that all owners of property, real and personal, appear in person before the list-takers and give an accounting of all that they own. It requires also that all males between the ages of 21 and 50, whether they be property owners or not, appear before the listers to give in polls to be taxed.

And, if taxes are to be levied and collected fairly and equitably, everything depends upon the completeness of the listing, upon getting the taxable property on the books; upon how well and honestly the citizens discharge their obligation to give in any and all of the property that is theirs.

First tract: Beginning on the south side of the New Mill road at a pine tree, thence east along a line of marked trees to a pine in Spring Branch; thence north along a line of marked trees to a white oak, a corner in Emma Modlin's line; thence a west course along a line of marked trees to Cullins Tar Kiln Branch, thence a line of marked trees to the beginning, containing 20 acres, more or less, and being the same land deeded to Eli Gardner by Thomas Gardner by deed of record in book JJ, at page 146.

Second tract: Beginning in Spring Branch at a short-strawed pine tree, thence a south course to Thomas Sheppard's line, thence along said line to the Gardner road, thence down said road to a white oak tree, W. T. Gardner's corner, thence along Thomas Gardner's line to the beginning, containing 10 acres, more or less, and being the same land deeded to Eli Gardner by M. H. Modlin and wife by deed of record in book JJ, at page 147.

Third tract: Beginning at a light wood stump on the Mill Pond road in the east corner of the Ed Lilley path, thence a straight line, a southerly course, by a persimmon tree, to the Spring Branch, thence up the said Spring Branch to the Mill Pond road, thence an easterly course along the Bon Gardner line to the Ed Lilley path, thence a

The Smith Standard

Greensboro Daily News.

Taps were sounded yesterday for General W. A. Smith, commander of the North Carolina department, United Confederate Veterans, who died Monday at the age of 92; one of the lads who had shouldered a gun—19 he was at the time—in 1861 and left off an education to fight for what developed into a lost cause.

With all honor to the soldier dead, there stand out in the picture of his career fighting qualities which carried beyond the field of battle into the struggle of life with all the rigors and handicaps which characterized the reconstruction period.

Young Smith was wounded, seriously wounded, at Malvern Hill in the second year of the war. For six months he hovered between life and death, but life triumphed and he returned to the serious business of rebuilding in the post-war days.

Here was one of those veterans—how many of them the south had—who knew nothing of bonuses, of hospitalization, of war-risk insurance, of the mounting benefits which governments have subsequently been called upon to pay to the fighting men.

Times have changed, conditions have changed. By the Smith standard—and Smith is truly a representative name—so have the veterans.

THE LETTER-BOX

ARE YOU DISCOURAGED?

All of us, more or less, are spotted with egotism and some of us are more, but most folks are not blessed (or cursed) with enough to lift them over all the depressed spots in life. We sometimes see, but more often hear, of the "great things" others are doing, and because we cannot measure up with them we feel like quitting.

So there is a place for every one in this great drama of life, and if you fail then the play will be marred. "It isn't how much you do but how well it is done that counts." To fail to do your bit in making the world a better place will be as a stone around your neck and cause much unhappiness.

C. T. ROGERS.

NOTICE

North Carolina, Martin County, in the superior court, before the clerk, C. D. Carastaphen, Administrator of the Estate of Eli Gardner, Deceased.

Pursuant to an order to resell made in the above entitled proceedings by Sadie W. Peel, clerk of superior court of Martin County, on the 9th day of April, 1934, we will, on Wednesday, the 25th day of April, 1934, at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the courthouse door in the town of Williamston, North Carolina, offer for sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, to wit:

First tract: Beginning on the south side of the New Mill road at a pine tree, thence east along a line of marked trees to a pine in Spring Branch; thence north along a line of marked trees to a white oak, a corner in Emma Modlin's line; thence a west course along a line of marked trees to Cullins Tar Kiln Branch, thence a line of marked trees to the beginning, containing 20 acres, more or less, and being the same land deeded to Eli Gardner by Thomas Gardner by deed of record in book JJ, at page 146.

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southerly course down the Ed Lilley path to the beginning, containing 10 acres, more or less, same having been allotted to her as her dower in the above entitled proceedings.

This the 9th day of April, 1934. ELBERT S. PEEL, C. W. JONES, Commissioners.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed on the 27th day of February, 1929, by W. A. Mizelle to the undersigned trustee, said deed of trust being of record in the public registry of Martin County in book P-2, at page 234, said deed of trust having been given for the purpose of securing a certain note of even date and tenor therewith, default having been made in the payment of 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 said note, the undersigned trustee will, on Monday, the 21st day of May, 1934, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, at twelve o'clock noon in front of the courthouse door in the town of Williamston, N. C., to the highest bidder the following described real estate, to wit:

Beginning at a corner in A. W. Bailey's line, running a southern course with the Albert Rogers line to the run of Bear Grass swamp, thence a west course with the run of said swamp to J. T. Bullock corner, thence a northern course with J. T. Bullock line to A. W. Bailey corner, thence an eastern course with W. Bailey line to the beginning, containing 90 acres, more or less. This only covers one third (1-3) interest in said tract of land, being W. A. Mizelle interest. ETAOINRnowishmeritwednodthumr This the 20th day of April, 1934. A. B. AYERS, Trustee.

a24 4tw Elbert S. Peel, attorney.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed on the 27th day of November, 1919, by George Roberson and wife, Emma Roberson, to the undersigned trustee, said deed of trust being of record in the Public Registry of Martin County in book A-2, at page 323, said deed of trust having been given for the purpose of securing a certain note of even date and tenor therewith, default having been made in the payment of 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 said note, the undersigned trustee will, on Monday, the 21st day of May, 1934, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, at twelve o'clock noon in front of the courthouse door in the town of Williamston, N. C., to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, to wit:

Commencing at the Whitley road on Ashley Taylor line, thence down and along said Whitley road a southern course to Silas Chance line, thence an eastern course with and along said Chance line to a corner in J. B. Burroughs line to a stub, thence a northern course along the said J. B. Burroughs line to a stub, a corner, thence along said J. B. Burroughs line a northern and western course to an iron stub, Ashley Taylor corner, thence with and along Ashley Taylor line to the beginning, and containing 24 acres, more or less. Also another tract of land bounded as follows: Beginning at Henry Clark corner in the old Wilson line, thence north 15 1/4 east 23 poles to a corner, Alex Thompson's line, thence south 60 east 54 poles to a corner, thence south 3 west along the division line of James Wilson and wife between them and J. B. Joyner and Henry Clark 23 poles, thence 61 west 58 1-2 poles to the beginning, containing 7 2-3 acres, more or less, and being known as the section 1 in the division of what was known as the Tom Wynn lands, among the Navin Joyner heirs. Also another tract of land bounded as follows: Beginning Joseph Joyner land that was conveyed to D. J. Meeks corner and at a poplar, running thence N. 26 degrees 30 east 1400 feet to a stake on a ditch, thence south 58 degrees 35 east 1031 feet to a stake, thence south 3 degrees 20 west 1146 feet to a stake, thence north 78 degrees 30 west 980 feet to a gum, thence north 58 degrees 30 west 380 feet to the beginning, containing 25 1-2 acres, more or less, and known as plot of the Tom Wynn lands, also conveyed to the said George Roberson.

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son and wife this day by V. G. Taylor. This the 20th day of April, 1934. a24 4tw R. N. GRIMES, Trustee. Elbert S. Peel, attorney.

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