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### Schools Open Again Soon

Schools are on the eve of opening for another session.

What condition will the three-quarters of a million children in North Carolina present when they enter upon their work for the 1934-35 school year? How much worth-while knowledge have they gained since the close of the last school year? Have they gathered lessons of culture, modesty, and a finer sense of the human association and duties to society, or have they been permitted to enter a wider range of selfishness and bigotry, a greater determination to do as they please? Are they more determined to shirk their duties to parents, home and church? Have they neglected too many of the duties of life and a willingness to work for the games and fads of the day? Will they be prepared to make the grade and go into a higher class at the end of the year, or will they slumber and shirk the work that is necessary to make good men and women and hold not only themselves but others back in their classes?

The cost of educating "repeaters" in school is very heavy. Yet some parents will permit their children to loiter around the streets and waste their time and fail at the end of the year. Such parents should be double-taxed, if such failure is caused for the same reason that is generally found to exist. No father or mother has the right to let their child waste their time and then let the public pay the extra cost of teaching their child for another year for no reason except carelessness, neglect, and laziness.

Parents should remember that most children who fail in school are likely to fail in life. Do not let your children fail. Lead them on.

### Work Or Go Hungry

All those people who have failed to make due preparations will soon hear the cry "The harvest is past, the summer is over and gone." Then they will have to listen to the wail of the winter wind and face the pangs of hunger until springtime comes again. Of course, they expect the government or some organization to feed them.

What we need is a citizenship willing to do all they can to care for themselves. It is a great burden to have to carry the lazy and slothful that never make any effort to do their part in making their own living. It will be a good thing to teach every man how to earn a living and then, if he fails through his own neglect, let him go hungry until he is willing to work.

### Good News From Recorder's Court

The news coming from Recorder's Court Judge H. O. Peel that he will not longer tolerate laxness in the payment of fines and costs will be hailed as good news by the law-abiding public.

For a time the court has been little more than a joke, since very little was required of a culprit coming up before the court for crimes and misdemeanors. If the fine was meted out, the defendant would pay his money to a lawyer to try to evade the payment, and all kinds of excuses would be presented why the fine should be remitted and the costs paid by the county.

The court now seems to be inclined to start sending defendants to the roads and jail for violations of the law, which is the proper thing. When men go into the business of wife beating, or neglecting their own wives and children and begin giving their attention and bestowing their goods on other women, or getting drunk and driving wildly on the highways, or stealing their neighbors' goods, then a fine is too good for them and a season of hard road work is what they need.

The law-abiding people will be with you, Judge Peel, when you levy heavier fines and send more folks to jail.

### Pay Old Debts First

Debts are easily paid when we have money, and the surest way to pay taxes and debts is to pay them with the first money we get.

Tobacco is selling high, although we have a short crop and will not have many barrels of money when it is all sold. The peanut and cotton crops are both short and we will possibly not get as many dollars for them as we had hoped. So the safest thing to do is to get all the old debts out of the way as quickly as possible so we will feel better.

### Deadly Enemies

Newspapers for a price are the most deadly enemies the country faces today.

Big business has thousands of men writing for them, praising their work and trying to discredit every move that is made for democracy.

Many newspapers are owned or dominated by these fellows, and it is surprising to see the power they have over the ordinary mind.

Mr. DuPont, one of the favored wealthy, thinks we need to restore confidence. That is not what he wants, however. He wants to restore a particular kind of confidence. He knows that since the inauguration of President Roosevelt 95 per cent of the American people have gained confidence in their government and know that it will no longer stand for the wealth of this country to dictate government and suck the life blood out of our entire business system while poverty stalks the homes of the laborer, the farmer, the teacher, the doctor, the lawyer.

So, Mr. DuPont, you are mistaken when you say the people have lost confidence in the government. What you want is the restoration of confidence for you and your gang that you may have privileges without bounds to gamble and speculate on the government's resources, on the products of the laborer, and the crops from the farms. And then let you go further, make shot and shell and high explosives, then go out and talk war so you can sell them for big profits and have young men slain on battlefields in order to increase your profits.

Mr. DuPont, your loss of confidence means nothing more than your realization that under the new deal you cannot plunder, rob and kill human beings to increase your ill-gotten gains.

The truth is the honest people have confidence in the new deal. It is the greedy gang which has been curbed in their nefarious designs who have lost confidence.

And, Mr. DuPont, you are one of the fellows who are trying to fool the folks. If they are wise, they will not believe you.

### Pay More—And Get More

News comes from every quarter of North Carolina that many of the best teachers are resigning their positions in the schools to enter other fields of work. They are not to be blamed.

A wise thing it seems when we consider the salaries paid teachers and the rigid requirements demanded of them. The schools will eventually have to pay decent salaries or the school system will suffer greatly. A man or a woman with the character, training and ability will not enter any life's work that does not offer more inducements than the teaching profession now offers, and the future teachers will have to come from those who use the profession as a stepping stone to something higher.

Pay more, require more and you will get more.

### "The Unwritten Law"

The News and Observer editorially thinks a man should not plead the unwritten law to save his neck at the expense of a woman's honor. It is very doubtful that there is much honor to protect in most such cases. If, however, there is, it should be protected.

As we see it, no killing is more justifiable than in most cases where the "unwritten law" finally becomes the grounds of defense.

Certainly, it is far more justifiable than the old self-defense plea so often brought into court.

If there is anything that comes into the mind of man that excites him to kill, it is unfaithfulness and the destruction of the home. And when the facts are clear, then the "unwritten law" is the best defense.

### September Planting Month

September is the rye month. Rye holds the fertility in the soil, keeps it from washing, gives good grazing and furnishes vegetable matter to make a better crop next year. All good farmers say it pays to sow rye. The hogs, the cows, the horses, and the hens all like it.

Some good farmers recommend sowing more rye and buying less costly fertilizers. Oats will make just as good grazing as rye, but will not stand as much cold.

You can also sow turnips, rutabagas, and a half dozen other garden crops now. It pays to have plenty of winter "greens." They are cheaper than high-priced meats and better for you. It will be too late to sow pretty soon.

### Wise Farmers

Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

Hats off to farmers of Georgia, North and South Carolina who so wisely are using their tobacco money to wipe out production credit debts before attempting to partake of luxuries. According to information from the Farm Credit Administration, many Georgia farmers have completely wiped out their entire production credit debts and other farmers of the Carolinas are taking advantage of the opportunity offered by the excellent prices they are receiving for their tobacco to reduce their indebtedness to the government. Only yesterday we heard of several local farmers who had all ready paid off in full their government loans which were used to produce the crop, and the cash from the tobacco crop did the work, they said.

It looks like the down-trodden farmer is getting a break this year, and his joys are being shared by every one alike, for we all rejoice in the dawning of the new day for the man of the soil.

Those men who are using their first tobacco money to curtail or wipe out their government loans are using the wisdom of Solomon and will be free to spend the rest of their "weed" money for the luxuries they want. We commend their actions and rejoice with them in the prices they are getting for their crops.

### NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power contained in that certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned trustee by Dow Slade and wife, Dora Slade, on the 13th day of April, 1920, and recorded in Book J-1, page 387, we will on Monday, the 10th day of September, 1934, at 12 o'clock noon, at the Courthouse door in Martin County, Williamston, N. C., sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following land, to wit:

All of our undivided interest in and to a certain tract or parcel of land situated in Poplar Point Township, Martin County, lying on the east side of the public road leading from Poplar Point to Williamston, N. C., and more particularly known and described as the Joseph Slade tract of land, adjoining the lands of T. B. Slade & Son and Turner Spruill, containing about 150 acres more or less.

This the 6th day of August, 1934.

T. B. SLADE, JR., Trustee.

Aug 10-4t

### NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned Trustee by W. S. Barnhill and wife, Ida E. Barnhill, J. T. Barnhill and wife, Telitha E. Barnhill, S. L. Foberson and S. Gertrude Barnhill and J. Elliott Barnhill on the 18th day of August, 1931, and of record in the Public Registry of Martin County in Book H-3, at page 42, said deed of trust having been given for the purpose of securing certain notes of even date and tenor therewith, and default having been made in the payment of said indebtedness, and the stipulations contained in said deed of trust not having been complied with, the undersigned trustee will, on Friday, September 14th, 1934, at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the court house door in the Town of Williamston, North Carolina, offer for sale for cash the following described property, to wit:

Their two-thirds undivided interest in the lands situated in Cross Roads Township adjoining the lands of J. G. Barnhill and L. A. Clark.

Beginning at a bridge in Island branch, thence a westerly course down said branch to the fork of a branch a corner, thence southeastern course up spring branch along W. F. Wynn line to a corner, thence an eastern course with J. G. Barnhill and L. A. Clark line the old Davis land to an oak a corner, thence a north course to the road, thence an eastern course to the public road, thence a northeast course along said road to a bridge the beginning, containing by estimation three hundred (300) acres, and known as the Barnhill old place and the Asa Wynn place.

This the 13th day of August, 1934.

H. L. BARNHILL, Trustee.

Aug 14-4t

### NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in that certain deed of trust executed by H. A.

Gray and wife, Bettie Gray, to the Raleigh Savings Bank and Trust Company, trustee, which said deed of trust is dated April 14, 1925, and recorded in book X-2, page 57-59, of the Martin County Registry, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and in the conditions therein secured, the undersigned substituted trustee by instrument recorded in book M-3, page 229, Martin County Registry, will on Friday, October 5, 1934 at or about twelve o'clock noon, at the courthouse door at Williamston, North Carolina, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described property:

Being two certain tracts of land, the first containing 20.8 acres, more or less, and the second containing 39.8 acres, more or less, situate, lying and being on the road leading from Robertsonville to Gold Point and about 2 miles N. E. of the town of Robertsonville, Robertsonville Township, Martin County, North Carolina, and described as follows:

First tract: Adjoining the lands of Joshua Haislip on the north; the lands of H. L. Keel and J. A. Ward on the east; the lands of Larry Bunting on the south; and the lands of Simon Woolard on the west, and beginning at a post oak on the Robertsonville and Gold Point road, corner of the lands of Joshua Haislip and Simon Woolard; thence with the line of said Haislip south 80 degrees east 22.60 chains and north 70 1-2 degrees east 10 chains to a maple, corner of said Haislip and H. L. Keel; thence with the line of H. L. Keel and J. A. Ward south 1 degrees west 6.10 chains thence with the line of Larry Bunting south 71 degrees 30 minutes west 9.80 chains; north 67 1-2 degrees west 4.50 chains; north 23 degrees west 2.30 chains and south 70 degrees 30 minutes west 20.80 chains to the said Robertsonville and Gold Point road; thence with said road and the line of Simon Woolard north 15 degrees east 13 chains to the beginning.

Second tract: Adjoining the lands of Larry Bunting on the north, the lands of Claude House on the east; and the lands of J. D. Roberson on the west, and beginning at a stump in the road, corner of the lands of Claude House, J. A. Ward, and Larry Bunting; thence with said road and the line of Larry Bunting south 73 degrees 30 minutes west 24.50 chains to a stake, corner of J. D. Roberson in said road; thence with the line of said J. D. Roberson south 41 degrees west 25.30 chains to a gum, corner of said Roberson and Claude House; thence with the line of Claude House north 1 degree east 33.80 chains to the beginning.

DR. VIRGIL H. MEWBORN Optometrist

Next Visits: Bethel, at Rives Drug Store, Monday, August 20.

Robersonville, Robersonville Drug Store, Tuesday, August 21.

Williamston, N. C., at Peele's Jewelry Store, Wednesday, August 22.

Plymouth, at Liverman's Drug Store Thursday, August 23.

Eyes Examined - Glasses Fitted - At Tarboro Every Friday and Saturday

Terms of sale cash and trustee will require deposit of 10 per cent of the amount bid as evidence of good faith. This the 4th day of September, 1934. JOSEPH L. COCKERHAM, Substituted Trustee. Robert Weinstein and Victor W. Thompson, Attorneys, Raleigh, N. C.



# FARMS FOR SALE

SEE C. V. CANNON Ayden, N. C. Representing N. C. JOINT STOCK LAND BANK

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