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Mr. Bailey Is Agin It

Even if he thought it was constitutional, Senator Josiah W. Bailey said last week that he would be disposed to vote against the general farm bill for 1938. The senator may be right in predicting that the new bill will not solve the agricultural problem; he may be right in predicting that North Carolina farmers will not have as much cotton and tobacco to sell this fall. He pictures all the possible bad features the bill holds, forgetting all about the bad features that the old system of 1932 and 1933 holds.

Kentucky farmers, after going to great expense in increasing their tobacco production by about 100 million pounds, are reported to have received less for their crop in 1937-38 than they did for a normal crop a year ago. Mr. Bailey forgets all about that, or at least he never points out the defects of the system he apparently fa-

Mr. Bailey is staking his political life on the gamble that the 1938 bill will not prove workable, and to protect himself in that gamble he is doing and can be expected to do all in his power to make the plan fail. About the only thing the senator has ever proposed in behalf of agriculture was to pay a bounty to cotton farmers on their exports, a plan that cannot operate year after year without some degree of control over production. The senator can be depended upon to point to that absurd plan as his proposed contribution to the American farmer. The Senator has not advanced any plan of

his own or cooperated in any plan advanced by others to check the return of the farm land of this nation to the feudal lords. He has done nothing, absolutely nothing, to correct the system that has taken nearly 70 per cent of the land from small owners and placed it under the tenantry system. He stands idly by and smiles as the land banks gobble up farm after farm and turn the victims of a cruel economic system into the highways to forage for a living. He will forfeit at the throne of wealth the life of the lowly man that the lowly man may die in a false freedom.

Farmers throughout the Southland are fast making plans for another crop. Under the haphazard system they do not and cannot anticipate the demand for their products next fall. The only guide they have is plant every acre possible and trust that the market manipulators will be fair to them. Once the crop is planted, they cannot shut down as Henry Ford and General Motors do. They have to follow it through and sacrifice their year's labor to the fancy of an organized middle market.

Yes, the 1938 farm bill may fail, but it will stand a better chance at operating successfully if Mr. Bailey and his kind will support and not

How Can We Keep Out of War?

Always a crusader for peace, Dr. Clarence Poe, editor of the Progressive Farmer, preaches a telling sermon on the subject in the two following paragraphs:

"Every generation hates war-yet every generation waits till too late to do anything about it. The result is that from each generation this bloody juggernaut god of war takes its hideous toll-puts into millions of graves the corpses of young men suddenly changed from beauty into carion, puts on other millions the crippling or mutilating wounds of its gory talons, and slowly suffocates other millions who have been exposed to its serpent-breach of poison gas.

How can the youth of America be saved from the ever-threatening curse? Will our new so-called neutrality save some lives today but bring on consequences that will destroy a million lives tomorrow? In my opinion, your boys and mine will be far, far safer if America adopts a policy of world co-operation to promote peace than if it depends on mere isolation and neutrality as the way to peace. As has been well said: 'The world is now so small that for one nation to try to keep out of war when all other nations are fighting is like one man in a crowded room trying to keep neutral and unhurt when everybody else is shooting.' Would there not be perpetual fighting and death between individuals if we had no courts to which men could go and have their causes heard and settled-settled by courts whose government enforce their decrees? And are not wars between nations likewise inevitable so long as there is no Supreme Court of Nations to hear cases and with power to enforce its decrees?"

Little Travels to **HomesoftheGreat** By H. B. C.

Anatole France, whose real nam f Thibault is sunk in his literary ignature, was born in Paris, Apri

His father, a wealthy bookseller eems to have been a thoughtful, meditative man, and his mother, a woman of great refinement and tenness. Their son showed the result of the double influence. Always fond of books, he early devoted himself to literary work, and made his debut as a writer in 1868 in a biographical study of Alfred de Vigny. He s the author of many novels and omances, and several volumes of esays, critical introductions to splendid editions of Racine, Moliere, La Fontain, Le Sage and others, and numerous studies of men and books In December, 1896 he was received is a member of the French academy. This fine artist writes with exquisite taste and grace. His perfection of style, clear, distinguished, scintillating with wit and fancy, furnishes a strong contrast to the painful and heavy style of some writers. He is an nthusiastic humanist, delicately sensitive to the beauty of the antique, the magic words, and the harmony of phrases

Outside of France, his best known works, are, "The Crime of Sylvestre Bonnard," and "My Friend's Book," the former book being crowned by the academy. Into the character of Sylvestre Bonnard, that intelligent, contemplative, ironical, sweet-natured old philosopher, he has put most of himself. In "My Friend's Book," are reflected the childhood and youth of the author. It is a living took, holding the very essence of moral grace, written with exquisite rony, absolutely free from bitterness. The writer of these lines, knows one person who has read "The Crime of Sylvestre Bonnard" three times.

NOTICE OF SALE

In accordance with Section 62, page 20, of the North Carolina School law for 1923, the Martin School law for 1923, the Martin County Board of Education will of-fer to the highest bidder at a public sale to be held in front of the court-house door in the Town of Williams-ton on Monday, March 7, 1938, the following presents to wife following property, to wit: The old colored school site located

on Rhodes Street in the town of Wil-liamston, and approximately 1.40 of an acre of land adjoining the gram-mar school building on the west and the property of B. S. Courtney on the north and east and a public street in the town of Williamston. For fur-ther description of these properties, interested parties are directed to records of deeds on file in the office of the Martin County Board of Edu-cation at its office in Williamston. The board reserves the right to on Rhodes Street in the town of Wil Har

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and then sell at private sale these properties.

J. D. WOOLARD, Chairman,
Martin County Board

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Education.

NOTICE OF SALE North Carolina, Martin County. Under and by virtue of the pow of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned trustee on the 27th day of November, 1925, and of record in the public registry of Martin County in Book Q.Q2 at page 450, said deed of trust having been given for the purpose of securing a certain rate of pose of securing a certain note of even date and tenor therewith, and the stipulations contained in said deed of trust not having been com-plied with, default having been made in the payment of said note, and at the request of the owner of said note, the undersigned trustee will, on Wednesday, the 16th day of Febru-ary, 1938, at twelve o'clock noon, in front of the courthouse door in the town of Williamston, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the fol-lowing described real estate, to wit: One-eighth (1-8) undivided inter-

One-eighth (1-8) undivided interest in the following tracts:

FIRST TRACT: Bounded on the North by the lands of B. F. Peel, Bear Trap Mill Pond; on the East by the lands of Ellis Malone. Wheeler Rogerson and Eli Rogerson; on the South by the lands of G. A. Peel; on the West by the lands of J. C. Rawls and W. D. Roberson estate, saving and excepting that part of farm that was devised to Della A. Green in the will of the late C. V. Harrison, containing 130 acres, more or less, and being known as the Home Place of the late C. B. Harrison.

SECOND TRACT: Bounded on the North by the lands of M. D. Taylor

North by the lands of M. D. Taylor and the Dennis Simmons Lumber Company; on the East by the lands of the Dennis Simmons Lumber Company; on the South by the land of J. Rogers and Bro., and on the

DR. V. H. MEWBORN

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West by the lands of M. D. Taylor ontaining 50 acres, more or less. The 1-8 undivided interest in the bove two tracts of land being all the right, title and interest of the said R. G. Harrison in the lands of his father, the late C. B. Harrison.

This the 12th day, January, 1938. ELBERT S. PEEL,

Under power of sale in that deed of trust executed by Jesse Williams and wife. Cora Williams to C. C. Close, Trustee, on the 6th day of March, 1920, and of record in the Public Registry of Martin County in Book U-1, at page 253, and the authority of the undersigned, which was on the 14th day of December, 1937, appointed as substituted trusting for said C. C. Close, now deceaswas on the 18th as substituted true 1937, appointed as substituted true tee for said C. C. Close, now deceased, and at the request of the holde of the notes thereby secured, do for the having been made in the particular having been made in the particular true. of the notes thereby secured, de-fault having been made in the pay-ment thereof, and by virtue of the order of the Clerk of Superior Court of Martin County, entered on the— day of January, 1938, directing the undersigned to resell the property herein after described, by reason of a raise or bid in a former sale, the undersigned will on the 15th day of undersigned will, on the 15th day of February, 1938, at 12 o'clock Noon, in front of the courthouse door in the town of Williamston, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cas the following described real proper

hence a South course to John Ben thence a South course to John Bennett's corner, thence an East course along Columbus Williams line to Columbus Williams corner, thence a North course to Scott Pippins line, thence a West course along Fred Harrell's line to Alex Powell's corner, the beginning. Seventeen and one-half (17 1-2) acres more or less, known as the Bob Williams land, Lot No. 9 known as the Bob William Lot No. 9.

W. H. COBURN, Substituted Trustee

NOTICE OF SALE

North Carolina, Martin County. Under and by virtue of the por of sale contain truste executed to the undersigned trustee on the 3rd day of May, 1924, and of record in the public registry of Martin County in Book S-2 at page 8, said deed of trust having been given for the purpose of secur-ing a certain note of even date and tenor therewith default bevious been tenor therewith, 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 owner of the said note, the undersigned trustee will, on Wednesday, the 16th day of February, 1938, at twelve o'clock noon, in front of the courthouse door in the town of Williamston, N. C., offer for sale to the higher bidder for cash the fol-lowing described real estate, to wit:

Beginning at what was known as ond Coffield corner on a ditch a sweet gum, thence down said ditch to Mollie Moore's corner on

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Williamston	Thursday, February	17th
Robersonville	Friday, February	18th
Oak City	Saturday, February	

THE FOLLOWING PRICES WILL BE DATE

	THE WILL DE LAID.
Heavy Hens, lb 18c	Ducks, lb 12c
Leghorn Hens, lb14c	
Roosters, lb 9c	Tom Turkeys, lb 20c
Geese, lb10c	Toms, No. 2, lb 17c

County agents, in cooperation with the Farmers Cooperative Exchange, have arranged for a poultry car to be placed on sidings for one day at each of the above places.

T. B. Brandon, County Agent

