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**COBBS, W. S. S.**  
Publicity Manager  
Washington County.

**NOTICE.**

**OCRATIC VOTERS OF WASHINGTON COUNTY;**  
ereby requested to various polling plangton County Satur- 10th, at 3 p. m., for of appointing dele- County Convention et at Roper, N. C., ril 6th, at 10 o'clock purpose of appoint- s to the State Cor- n meets in the city . C., April 10th. ndance is requested, 1918.

**DAVENPORT,**  
Dem. Ex. Com.  
Washington County.

**OF ELECTION.**

on it is ordered by Commissioners of County that an elec- on Saturday, April for the purpose of al school tax of 30 \$100.00 valuation of 90 cents on the poll districts where the purpose does not al- to this sum, and pose the following ad Poll-holders are ed:

Precinct—Jas. H. rar; B. D. Latham uill, poll-holders Precinct—H. L. ristrar; Geo. Dixon ession, poll-holders, e Precinct—C. V. rar; C. L. Everett enport, poll-holders g Precinct—Jas. F. rstrar; H. W. Bate- . Peal, poll-holders ecinct—H. Bocker, S. Polson and L. ll-holders.

1918.

**J. W. STARR,**  
Chairman.

**CONSERVE MORE URGENT**

ust Be Reduced 30 to Feed Allies and Pre- Famine at Home.

Food Administration the recent announce- less meals and pork- need not be observed few weeks should give impression that there let-up in the conserva- our. On the contrary ration officials an- more strenuous ef- onservation of wheat made if our people, to our armies and our go through a period before the next har-

no flour famine if the Food Adminis- and the consump- is reduced by 30 at this reduction is ary. The Food Ad- not only u ing the other cereals and po- but is requesting less bread.

**ERS INTERFERED WITH**

ouncement has been d Administration that weighing up to two d will not be affected der of the Food Ad- bilitating the killing of s except for strictly unlicensed dealers.

**NOT A LIVING CHILD UNDER 8 IN POLAND**

**ALL HAVE SUCCUMBED TO STARVATION, WHICH WE COULD HAVE ALLEVIATED.**

**CRYING FOR BREAD WE WASTE**

Editor Clarence Poe Sets Forth Need of Informing Our Rural Population of True Conditions.

(Clarence Poe in Progressive Farmer)

She was a good woman and she talked much about how good the Lord had been to her and to her children. But at the same time she said: "No meatless and wheatless days for me! I've got wheat enough and I've got meat enough laid up in my pantry, and my children like it, and they are going to have it as often as they want it, and as much of it as they want."

After hearing this well-meaning woman talk the writer picked up that night a European paper that comes to the home and read this paragraph:

It is said that there is not a living child in Poland under eight years of age.

"Not a living child in Poland under eight years of age!" With little bodies unable to endure the hardships and starvation of a war-ruined land, they have died by thousands and tens of thousands. Thousands and tens of thousands of mothers as good as the woman who made this thoughtless remark, mothers who loved their children as much as this mother loved hers—they with heart-breaking helplessness have seen their children slowly starve before their eyes, while American mothers say, "No, I will not even vary my diet in a harmless way, I will not even make substitutions to save meat and wheat, in order that part of it may save the lives of starving babies and little ones in Europe!"

No, we don't mean that any American mother is saying this in words. Certainly the good woman of whom we write would not have said it or thought it—and yet by her acts, that was what she was saying. If someone could have shown her a photograph of one starving Polish child, with wan, pinched face and hollow eyes, crying to its mother for bread she did not have—oh, how quickly this American mother would have said: "Yes, I have plenty of wheat and I have plenty of meat, and I'll gladly divide my last crust to save the lives of little ones like that!" With such a picture before her eyes, how quickly would this American mother have called to mind the Last Judgment, awful curse on all the uncaring and hard of heart, "I was an-hungered and ye gave me no meat!"

But she didn't know. And thus again the Lord she tries to worship might lament as of old over His people, "Israel doth not know! my people doth not consider!" To this good woman the Hoover rules for meatless days and wheatless days were simply Government regulations—simply official red tape. She didn't know they were meant to save the lives of little ones once as fair, as merry, as bright-eyed, as love-inspiring as her own dear boys and girls!

And today there are thousands of others like this mother who do not know! Well-intentioned people, good-hearted people, God-fearing people! But they simply "do not know."

Friends and readers, it is our duty to help these people know! Let us give of our money, but let us also give of our time and effort for a campaign of education in these matters—to show the need of food regulation, War Savings Stamps, Liberty Bonds, Red Cross work, Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. campaigns! We must save food for the starving; we must give money to protect the wounded and to provide wholesome moral recreation for our soldiers instead of unwholesome and immoral dissipation. And if our farmers—as is so often charged—have not supported these movements as they should, it is not because they are more selfish, more hard-hearted, less patriotic, than city people. It is only because they have not been informed. And all of us who do really understand must here and now resolve to help inform them. In every school, in every Sunday school, in every farmers' club, in every farm woman's club, and even as a part of almost every church service, our men and women of light and leading must do their part to arouse rural America. In the Revolutionary war it was the "embattled farmers" at Lexington who "fired the shot heard around the world!" In the Civil War it was the stubborn courage of our farm men and the steadfastness of our country women that won the world's applause for Confederate heroism!

Because this war is a little farther from our doors is no reason why we should play a less noble part. And there is little time to lose. Many people think that twelve months hence peace will be in sight. Let us resolve therefore that during the coming year our rural people in every county will make a record of patriotism that our sons and grandsons will mention with pride even as we take pride in the exploits of our ancestors of the 60's. What we do in the next twelve months will fix our place in history.

**NOTICE**

North Carolina, No. 2343.  
Tyrrell County.)

To B. B. Jones, Register of Deeds and Ex-officio Entry Taker for the County of Tyrrell and State of North Carolina:

I, A. L. Walker, a citizen and resident of the County of Tyrrell in the State of North Carolina, enter in your office for 158, acres of land in Tyrrell County, Columbia Township, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at an iron pin a corner on the Josiah Collins Patent line, then along the Josiah Collins Patent line the following courses; S 65 deg. W. 6.74 chs. to an iron pin; N 77. d. g. W 60 ths. to an iron pin; N. 13 deg. E. 21.25 chs. to an iron pin; then along the line of A. G. Walker and Miles T. Ansley S. 86 deg. E. 56.05 chs. to an iron pin Miles T. Ansley's corner; in the line of Edmund Sexton's line S. 6 deg. E. 25.58 chs. to a dead pine. then S. 27 deg. E. 2.52 chs. to an iron pin the point of beginning.

This February 25th, 1918.

A. L. WALKER.

Witness:  
B. B. Jones, Register of Deeds and Ex-officio Entry Taker.

**NOTICE OF SUMMONS**

North Carolina, Washington County—In the Superior Court, Before the Clerk.

Mrs. Josephine Powell and Sarah E. Hugh-s, P'tiffs.

vs.

G. W. Spruill and Wm. Spruill, D'f'ts.

The defendants above mentioned will take notice that a petition has been deposited in the office of the clerk of said court asking for a sale for partition of the following described land in Skinersville Township, Washington County, N. C., adjoining the lands of Abram Swain, and further described as follows: Beginning in Jordan Spruill's line in the line of Wm. D. Newberry, thence westerly along this line to the west boundary of said land, thence northerly along the line of Nathan Smith, deceased, to the Main Swamp, thence along the swamp easterly to the east end of New Island, thence northerly a straight course to the first station, containing 6) acres more or less, Book 53, page 233. And this summons is made returnable on the 9th day of April, 1918, at 2:30 p. m., at the court house in Plymouth, and the defendants are required to answer said petition of plaintiffs, and let the defendants take notice that if they fail to answer said petition on said date, the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded. This March 7th, 1918.

C. V. W. AUSBON, C. S. C.

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THE PLACE WHERE YOUR POTTER DOES ITS DUTY

North Carolina, Washington County in the Superior Court, before the Clerk.

John L. Roper Lumber Company vs. Eastern Carolina Home & Farm Association, Inc., Magnolia Land & Lumber Company, The Interstate Cooprage Company and G. T. Burrell.

**NOTICE AND SUMMONS.**

To Whom it May Concern: The parties above named and all others interested, will take notice that on the 28th day of November, 1917, the above named petitioner filed a petition in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Washington County to have the title to certain land described therein registered and confirmed, pursuant to Chapter 90, Public Laws of 1913, as amended, and that summons has been issued, returnable into the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Washington County on the 30th day of March, 1918, at one o'clock in the afternoon. Said tract of land is situated in Washington County, and is bounded on the North by Lake Phelps and the land of Magnolia Land & Lumber Company, on the East by the county line which divides the counties of Washington and Tyrrell, on the South by the county line which divides the counties of Washington and Hyde, and on the West by the lands of the Eastern Carolina Home & Farm Association, Inc., and Magnolia Land & Lumber Company, containing 15,812 acres, particularly described by metes and bounds in said petition and map thereto attached.

Notice is given that upon the return of said summons, petitioner will ask that the same be referred to an Examiner and that its title be registered and assured.

Given under my hand and official seal, this 2nd day of February, 1918

(Seal) C. V. W. AUSBON, Clerk Superior Court.

**EXECUTRIX' NOTICE**

Having qualified as executrix upon the estate of C. T. Spruill, deceased, late of Washington County, N. C., this is to notify all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 7th day of March, 1919, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This March 7th, 1918.

L. C. SPRUILL, Executrix.

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