

BEACON FLASHES.

Friday, March 29th, 1918.

GOOD FRIDAY.

Mr. W. T. Hopkins of Creswell was in town Tuesday.

Dr. B. F. Halsey of Roper was on our streets Wednesday.

Mr. H. S. Basnight of Ahoskie was in town the past week.

Mr. J. S. Leggett of Baltimore has been in the city this week.

Mr. F. R. Johnston made a short trip to Norfolk this week.

Mrs. J. W. Blount, county, was in town shopping last Friday.

Mr. Milton Hollis of Norfolk spent last Sunday with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Spruill of Skinnersville were in town shopping last Friday.

Mrs. W. T. Nurney and little daughter left yesterday to visit relatives in Hertford.

Mr. W. W. Hollis who is employed at Ahoskie, was at home with his family last Sunday.

Messrs. Alfred Alexander, son, Alfred, and C. B. Holmes of Creswell were in town Tuesday.

Mr. J. H. Leggett made a short visit to Suffolk, Va., the past week to see his sister, Mrs. A. S. Blount.

Mr. Whit Sanderson of Battery "B," F. A., Camp Sevier, S. C., spent a short furlough at home with his parents the past week.

We deeply sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Phelps in the loss of their little six-year-old daughter, who died at their home near Plymouth on Wednesday night.

The Peoples' Drug Store, a newly incorporated enterprise for Plymouth, is busy painting and fitting up the store in the Brinkley Block between Abe Adler and Washington County Bank, preparing to begin business about April 15th.

Easter Services at the M. E. Church.

Easter services will be observed at the Methodist Church in Plymouth Sunday at both the morning and evening hours; in the morning the children participating, and in the evening the adults. Appropriate programs have been arranged for both services and they promise to be even more interesting than ever before.

Mrs. G. W. Harpey, who has more than a state-wide reputation as a choir leader, will be musical director at both of these services, and a musical treat of exceptional entertainment and merit is in store for all who attend.

The public will be cordially welcomed.

The New Time.

At 2:00 o'clock Sunday morning all clocks are to be moved up one hour. To avoid any confusion set your clock up when going to bed Saturday night, and then forget that it is not running on solar time, and be governed by it just as though it had not been changed. Don't lose sight of the fact Sunday morning that if you intend leaving on a certain train, or attending Sunday school or church, and have not properly set your clock, you will arrive just one hour too late. All mills, stores, theatres, etc., are expected to observe this new time, the same as railroads and all other Federal industries.

At first this arrangement may cause some little inconvenience in the morning, but when we consider the great advantage the extra hour given us in the evening, so that we may spend it with our families, working our gardens, or in other recreations, we will soon properly appreciate it.

Ice Cream Supper at Swain's.

There will be an ice cream supper at Swain's School House on Friday evening, the 29th, for the benefit of the Red Cross. Everybody cordially invited.

Nitrate of Soda Distributor.

Mr. J. A. Chesson, R. D., 2, Plymouth, N. C., has been appointed by the division of markets as nitrate of soda distributor for Washington County.

According to the present plans Mr. Chesson will have the nitrate supplies allotted to the farmers of this county shipped direct to him, and he and his agents will distribute it to the farmers. Mr. Chesson has the data regarding the allotments requested by the farmers, and he will distribute it accordingly.

The first shipment of nitrate will arrive in a short while, and this shipment will be for the farmers who are planting grain crops. The nitrate for the other crops will arrive in due time.

Who's to Blame?

It is almost universally deplored that so few men attend church services. There may be many remedies for this, and one we believe is publicity of these services. All men today are inveterate newspaper readers, and are more or less, unconsciously, perhaps, influenced by what they read in them. If our pastors would give notice of sermon subjects, etc., in advance and our Sunday School Superintendents would publish from time to time notes of interest about their schools, we believe it would create more interest.

There is not a church in this county that is not within easy reach of this paper, either by telephone or mail, and not one around which the paper does not thickly circulate. Suppose you use a little effort on your part, and give it a trial? As we have repeatedly offered before, it will cost you nothing but the effort on your part; we will do the rest. We only request that you send the matter in early in the week, and do not make any one article too lengthy.

EASTER AT ZION'S CHAP.

There will be an Easter exercise presented Sunday night, March 31st, at Zion's Chapel Church, beginning at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

H. L. FREEMAN.

CLOSING PROGRAM.

The closing exercises of the Jackson School will be given Saturday night, April 6th.

The following program will be rendered:

- Recitation—"Speak Loud," Hallie Browning
Play—"Reviewing for Examination."
Rec—"When Study and School are O'er," Queenie Wynn
Song—"Sweet and Low."
Play—"Reading the Weekly Banner."
Rec—"Burial of Moses," Rosalie Browning
Play—"Bachelor Hall Medley"
Pantomime—"Home Sweet Home"
Chorus—"Merrily Oh!"
Hoop Drill—14 girls
Play—"Uncle Hiram's Cold"
Solo—"When Visitors Come Round," Della Mae Jackson
Play—"Pat's Letter"
Pantomime—"Old Black Joe."
Play—"For Love and Honor."
Duet—"Annie Laurie."
Song—"We'll Now Have to say Good-bye."

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR stops the cough and heals the lungs.

DR. JORDAN TO SPEAK

Arrangements have been made to have Dr. T. M. Jordan of the State Board of Health to lecture to the public in the interest of health matters to the people of Washington County.

This will be a rare opportunity for our people, and I know every one who hears these lectures will be pleased and instructed for their good. Bring your children.

He will speak as follows:

Cherry, Sunday, April 6th, 3 o'clock p. m. Creswell 7:30 Sunday night.

Mackeys, Monday, April 7th, at 10:30 a. m.; Roper, 2:30 p. m., and in the M. E. Church, Plymouth, at 7:30 p. m.

W. H. WARD, M. D.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE

Under and by virtue of authority contained in a mortgage deed executed by Geo. Downing and wife Martha Downing, of Washington County, North Carolina, to the Kentucky Horse & Mule Exchange, of county and state aforesaid, dated April 29th, 1915, and registered in the Register of Deed's office in Washington County in book 67 page 209, the undersigned mortgagee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door in Washington County, on the 29th day of March 1918, at 12 o'clock M., the following described land, lying and being in Washington County Lee's Mills Township, and more fully described as follows:

All that certain tracts of land in the McRae Quarter in two tracts conveyed to said Downing by H. M. Linyear, one containing 16 acres joining Jno Horton and Ck Blount, also his one lot described in said deed about one quarter acre. This Feb. 27th, 1918. KENTUCKY HORSE & MULE EXCHANGE, Mortgagee. Martin & Midgett, Attys.

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

J. D. CRAIG vs. John L. Roper Company, James Blount and Richard Peacock.

NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: The parties above named and all other persons interested will take notice that on the 14th day of February, 1918, 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 lands therein described registered and confirmed pursuant to Chapter 90 of the Public Laws of 1913, and that summons has been issued, returnable to the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Washington County on the 8th day of April, 1918. Said land is situate in the County of Washington and said State, adjoining the lands of George W. Chesson, John L. Roper Lumber Company, James Blount and Richard Peacock, it being the land on which the said petitioner now lives and occupies. This the 14th day of Feb'y., 1918. C. V. W. AUSBON, 8t Clerk Superior Court.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS

North Carolina, Washington County - In the Superior Court. Lizzie Sawyer vs. Matthew Sawyer

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Washington County by Lizzie Sawyer for the purpose of obtaining an absolute divorce; and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the next term of the Superior Court of Washington County on the first Monday in June, 1918, at the court house of said county in Plymouth, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaintiff will ask for the relief demanded in said complaint. This the 7th day of March, 1918. C. V. W. AUSBON, c. s. c.

Van B. Martin W. F. Midgett MARTIN & MIDGETT ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW

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NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by Halsey Ange and wife to the undersigned trustee, and bearing date April 3, 1916, and of record in the Public Registry of Washington County in Book 69, at page 177, and the stipulations therein contained not having been complied with, and at the request of the request of the owner of the note secured by said deed of trust, the undersigned trustee will, on Monday, the 8th day of April, 1918, at 12:00 o'clock M., at the court house door of Washington County, at Plymouth, N. C., offer at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following described lands, to-wit: Beginning at a white oak on the East side of the Long Ridge public road; running thence East 70 poles to an iron post in the Roanoke Lumber Co. line; thence South 80 poles to an iron post in the Roanoke Lumber Co. line; thence West 70 poles to the Long Ridge public road; thence North and parallel with the Long Ridge Road 80 poles to the beginning, containing 35 acres, more or less. This 8th day of March, 1918. A. R. DUNNING, Trustee.

North Carolina, Tyrrell County Superior Court, - Before the Clerk.

John L. Roper Lumber Company, Magnolia Land & Lumber Company, Richmond Cedar Works, and others.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: The parties above named and all other persons interested will take notice that on the 8th day of December, 1917, the above named petitioner filed a Petition in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of Tyrrell County, North Carolina, to have the title to certain lands therein described registered and confirmed pursuant to Chapter 90 of the Public Laws of 1913 and Acts amendatory thereof and that summons has been duly issued in this proceeding. You are further notified that this cause will be heard before the clerk of the Superior Court of Tyrrell County, North Carolina, on Friday the 12th day of April, 1918, at 4 o'clock P. M., at his office in the court-house in the town of Columbia.

Said land is described in the petition filed herein as follows: Situated in Tyrrell County, North Carolina, beginning at an iron marker where the line agreed upon between Alexander Sprunt & son and M. Makely crosses the line dividing the counties of Washington and Tyrrell, running thence with said line dividing the said counties of Tyrrell and Washington, South 65 degrees 15 minutes West 12111 feet to an iron marker, where said line intersects the Hyde County line; thence with the line dividing the counties of Tyrrell and Hyde South 81 degrees 45 minutes East 17565 feet to an iron marker in the compromise line between Richmond Cedar Works and John L. Roper Lumber Company, North 5 degrees 20 minutes East 394 feet to the Southeast corner of said agreed line, indicated by an iron marker; thence with said agreed line North 86 degrees 15 minutes West 10076 feet to the Washington County line, the point of beginning, containing 5748.3 acres, a map of the above described land being attached to the Petition. This the 8th day of February, 1918. W. N. NORMAN, Clerk Superior Court of Tyrrell Co.

NOTICE

Having qualified of executor upon the estate of W. J. Chesson, deceased, late of Washington County, N. C., this is to notify all persons holding claims against the said estate to present the same to the undersigned on or before the 14th day of February, 1919, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This Feb. 14, 1918. THOS. M. CHESSON, Executor.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE

Under and by virtue of authority contained in a mortgage deed executed by Willis Downing of Washington County, North Carolina, on the 29th day of March 1915, and registered in the Register of Deed's office in Washington County in book 67, page 208, the undersigned mortgagee, will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door in Washington County on the 29th day of March, 1918, at 12 o'clock M., the following described tract of land lying and being in the County of Washington, Lee's Mills Township and bounded as follows:

One tract of land known as the Ben Lamb tract adjoining Steve Skinner on the west; on the north by Roper road; south by William Carter and on the east by Bill Craddock, containing one-half acre more or less. This Feb'y. 27th, 1918. J. S. SAUGER, Mortgagee. Martin & Midgett, Attys.

Advertisement for The Washington County Bank. Features an illustration of a spider on a web with the word 'EXTRAVAGANCE' written across it. Text includes: 'WHY NOT BANK THE MONEY YOU WASTE?', 'EXTRAVAGANCE IS SINFUL-IT IS WASTE. IF YOU PUT THAT SAME MONEY IN THE BANK, SOME DAY YOU WILL BE ABLE TO INDULGE YOURSELF IN THOSE LUXURIES WITHOUT MISSING THE MONEY.', 'A BANK ACCOUNT GROWS-YOU WILL BE INTERESTED IN SEEING IT GROW. YOU DON'T NEED THOSE EXTRAVAGANCES. YOU WILL NEED THAT MONEY SOME DAY.', 'HAVE IT SAFE IN OUR BANK. WE ADD 4 PER CENT INTEREST. COME TO OUR BANK. The Washington County Bank.'

Advertisement for REAL ESTATE. Text includes: 'REAL ESTATE. You Sell, We Buy! You Buy, We Sell! We are in a position to handle your farm or other real estate at a profit to you. We have to offer for sale now several attractive farms at a low price. For information address the Washington County Realty Corporation, Inc., Plymouth, North Carolina, or confer with J. A. GETSINGER, Manager. Office in Harney Building.'

Financial reports for The Washington County Bank and The People's Bank. Includes sections for 'Report of the condition of The Washington County Bank at Plymouth, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business March 4th, 1918.' and 'Report of the condition of The People's Bank at Creswell in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business March 4th, 1918.' Tables show RESOURCES and LIABILITIES for both banks.

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