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It is possible to play mah-jongg without gambling, just like poker.

Most of the midnight oil these nights is burned by being stepped on.

Queer that men should take up a life of crime when there are so many legal ways to be dishonest.

House rent is so high now, it is odd that people don't stay at home more to get their money's worth.

The new microphone that makes the conversation of insects audible is clearly an accessory that comes with every mosquito.

Observation indicates that most men would freeze their ears rather than wear ear muffs. However, this is a free country.

Keep in mind the fact that the early broiler, like unto the early bird, usually gets the best work on the market. And prices talk.

Germans who thought of bringing the ex-kaiser to trial have probably decided that the satisfaction would not be worth the expense.

Every candidate would rather be right than President, of course. Unfortunately, most of them will be fortunate. They will be left.

When a farmer consults his county agent and other authorities with reference to his problems he shows signs of brain work in his farming.

There are ten thousand ways of doing a thing wrong and just one way if doing it right. If you never make mistakes you are one in ten thousand.

Club girls now make nice hats under the direction of their home demonstration agents. At one school, the girls made finished hats valued at \$75 for a total cost of \$30.

The sales made by club women on the curb market at Wadesboro during one week amounted to as much as the county pays towards the salary of the home agent.

Legumes and livestock go hand in hand to build up better soils and more lasting farm prosperity in North Carolina. Have you planned for summer legumes on that stubble land?

Club women in Richmond County sold products to the amount of \$559.64 on the four Saturdays during which the curb market was conducted in February, reports the home agent.

"What has become of the hitching posts of yesterday?" asks a newspaper inquirer. Same too, as to the carriage blocks which formerly gave distinction to the residence avenues.

Times and manners change. In Washington the game of passing the buck has about given place to that of passing the lie. And indications are that some of our nifty lawmakers have been passing the hat.

The genius of a certain Arkansas editor showed itself recently when he printed the following news item in the local columns of his paper: "Miss Beulah Blank, a Batesville belle of twenty summers, is visiting her twin brother, age thirty-two."

It may just be possible that after the National Democratic Convention we can announce the results thus:

WOOD OSCAR W. WINS ALL.

Which, being interpreted, simply means, "Oshar W. Underwood wins over all." It begins to look as though all the others have at one time or another had oil spilled on them.

Goose Holler News.

As this is about the windiest day I ever seen or heard tell of, I just thought it would be a good time to write you another windy letter. I guess Goose Holler is the windiest place in the world, anyhow, not only for windy weather, but for big windy tales too. Hit makes me think of what John Windy said happened to him way back in 1876, that was before they ever had any goose-neck hose in Goose Holler, but the hose had eyes too them just like a mattuck. Well, Windy said one morning along about the middle of March, he wedged his hoe and mattuck on the handles so tight that he knewed they'd never come off, and went to clean the briars and sprouts from his ditch banks and fence corners. He said the wind blowed so hard he had to lay down in the ditch some of the time to keep from blowing off, and when the old woman blowed the horn for dinner he knewed he'd have to do something with his hoe and mattuck or they'd be blowed off when he come back. So he found a crack in the fence big enough for the handles to go through, but too little for the hoe and mattuck to go through, and just run the handles through that crack and went on to dinner, fur he thought there'd be no chance for them to blow away. But sir, when he come back them handles was on the tother side of the fence. The wind had blowed them out of the eyes of the hoe and mattuck and he like to never found his hoe and mattuck, and when he did their eyes was blowed out, and he had to take them to a blacksmith and have some eyes put in before he could put the handles back on.

I was readin' in the paper the other day where it said that telephone messages in this country enduring 1922 numbered 24,738,758,739. Well, that may be so, and it may not, I don't know about that, I gess it is though or they wouldn't print it in no paper, and I don't want to say anything that would insult the good wimmen of Goose Holler, fur I don't know how we'd get along without them. To tell the truth this neck of the woods wuz named Goose Holler in their honor, but I do know if they wuz that many messages sent and if every one that sent them had talked as long as some of the good wimmen on our line do, it would a tuck a 100 years to a sent-them, and then some of them wouldn't a got no chance to a sent their'n.

I seen too where the paper said that the farm truck raised in the United States last year amounted to \$8,322,695,000, and I don't know whether they counted in what we raised in Goose Holler or not, if they didn't I gess you might add about \$25.75 more to it, for I believe that would be a purty fair estimate, for John Tight-Wad made about 10 bushels of corn, besides his taters and truck, and Jim High-Price says he gesses he's bought up about \$15.00 wuth of farm truck since corn gathering time.

Well, the wind hain't a blowing quite as hard as it was, and I'm about out of any more windy tales, so I'll close for this time. If you're ever down in Goose Holler come to see me, and I'll do as much for you some time. JESS NONSENSE.

Jackson County News.

Hudson's Camp, March 7.—We have been having some rough weather in Jackson this winter. Had a snow the 27th about seven inches deep.

We were glad to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hasting into Happy Hollow last week. We are glad to have all the good people we can.

Mr. Freeman Woods made a flying trip to Cashiers last Sunday.

Mr. Buster Holcomb has been sick for the past week, but we are glad to say he is improving.

Mr. U. L. Hudson made a trip to Demorest, Ga., last week.

Messrs. Roy Dillard and Taylor Holcomb were the guests of Mr. Grady Watts Sunday.

Mr. Frank Kimzey was the guest of Mr. A. J. Woods Sunday.

Mrs. Grady Watts, Mrs. Lester Norton and Miss Bertha Woods made a flying trip to Cashiers Tuesday, to buy their spring hats.

Mrs. Lawrence Hasting and Mrs. Grady Watts were visiting at Mr. G. W. Moffitt's one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hodgins were visiting at Mr. Grady Watts' Sunday. The Lower Camp boys were all visiting at Mr. Lester Norton's last Wednesday evening.

Mr. Roy Dillard was the guest of Mr. Lester Norton Wednesday.

Mr. Sam Howard is making some good roads over here. We are glad to have Uncle Sam with us. He is full of fun.

Mr. and Mrs. Eneas Smith were guests at Mr. Lester Norton's Monday evening.

Mr. G. H. Holcombe is building a new camp. He will move in a few days. CHUMS.

To Gloat Is the Thing.

In living a blameless life, a man may gloat a good deal to get full satisfaction out of it.

Tallulah Falls Railway Co.

J. F. GRAY, Receiver.

There will be sold at Public Auction at the Freight Warehouse at Franklin, N. C., beginning at 10:00 A. M., on April 12th, 1924, to meet charges of transportation, storage charges and expense of this advertisement and of the sale, the following consignments of freight:

Freight Bill No. 167—February 13th, 1922—1 Lot H. H. Goods. Consigned to Grover Sanders, Franklin, N. C.

Freight Bill No. 380—May 29th, 1922—1 bbl. Notions. Consigned to Mrs. Jane Slagle, Franklin, N. C.

Freight Bill No. 14—May 1st, 1923—3 Boxes Marble Monuments. Consigned to C. M. Dills, Franklin, N. C.

Freight Bill No. 77—April 6th, 1923—64 Bundles Roofing. Consigned to Stallcup Furniture Co., Franklin, N. C.

Freight Bill No. 487—August 29th, 1924—1 Cask E. Ware. Consigned to D. C. Stockton, Franklin, N. C.

Freight Bill No. 53—August 3rd, 1923—1 Cask E. Ware. Consigned to Stallcup Furniture Co., Franklin, N. C.

Freight Bill No. 336—Sept. 17th, 1923—2 Cs. Coffee. Consigned to D. C. Stockton, Franklin, N. C.

Freight Bill No. 203—June 15th, 1923—1 Bx. Marble (Broken) Slab. Consigned to Franklin Pharmacy, Franklin, N. C.

Freight Bill No. 160—September 7th, 1924—2 Steel Auto Rims. Consigned to City Garage, Franklin, N. C.

Freight Bill No. 311—September 17th, 1923—1 Bx. Notions. Consigned to Mrs. M. A. Bingham, R. F. D. 1, Franklin, N. C.

Freight Bill No. 219—September 12th, 1923—1 Bx. Notions, 1 Ctn. Alu. Ware. Consigned to Mrs. Hattie L. Bingham, R. 1, Bx. 93, Franklin, N. C.

Freight Bill No. 323—September 18th, 1923—4 Cs. Coffee, 1 Sx. Coffee. Consigned to D. C. Stockton, Franklin, N. C.

Freight Bill No. 42—February 1st, 1924—1 Bbl. Notions. Consigned to Miss Minnie C. Geldwell, Otto, N. C.

Freight Bill No. 41—February 1st, 1924—Lot H. H. Goods. Consigned to Rhoda McCall, Otto, N. C.

This advertisement is published in compliance with Sec. 3532, Consolidated Statutes of North Carolina. A4 E. S. HUNNICUTT, Agent.

Delaware Indians Active.

No longer content to watch the world of affairs revolve around them the Delaware Indians are striving to attain a new form of cultural life. To that end the remaining members of the tribe which once flourished in what is now Delaware, have held several assemblies and formed a council designed to look after their cultural interests. The movement has attracted attention of the educators at several of the Eastern universities.

Administratrix' Notice.

Having qualified as Administratrix of Sarah Catherine Hall, deceased, late of Macon County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 8th day of March, 1925, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This 8th day of March, 1924. ANNE PATTON, Administratrix.

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as Administrator of Chas. L. Sellers, deceased, late of Macon County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 3rd day of March, 1925, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This 3rd day of March, 1924. C. W. DOWDLE, JR., Administrator.

Executrix Notice.

Having qualified as Executrix of T. C. Cunningham, deceased, late of Macon County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 23rd day of February, 1925, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This 23rd day of February, 1924. ELLA CUNNINGHAM, Executrix.

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as Administrator of J. W. McCoy (colored), deceased, late of Macon County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of February, 1925, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This 15th day of February, 1924. J. M. BRISTOL, Administrator.

Announcements.

For Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Macon County, subject to the Democratic Primary. A. B. SLAGLE.

For Register of Deeds.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds of Macon County, subject to the Democratic Primary. J. STEVE PORTER.

For Sheriff.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Sheriff of Macon County, subject to the Democratic Primary, June 7th. ROBT. A. PATTON.

For Sheriff.

To the Voters of Macon County: I am running for Sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, June 7th. CHARLIE INGRAM.

Notice of Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale vested in the undersigned as Trustee in a Deed of Trust executed by D. C. Stockton and wife Noma Stockton to secure the sum of Two Thousand Dollars to W. A. Rogers, due and payable on the 21st day of July, 1922, which deed of trust is recorded in Book No. 26, page 559, office Register of Deeds, Macon County, N. C., and default having been made in the payment of said moneys and by request of the parties interested and to whom said money is now due, I will on Saturday the 22nd day of March, 1924, at the Court House door in the town of Franklin, Macon County, N. C., and between the legal hours of sale, sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described land, lying and being in the town of Franklin, County of Macon and State of North Carolina, adjoining the lands of J. Robert Davis, and others, and bounded as follows:

Beginning at a stake on the bank of a ditch, in J. Robert Davis' line on the north side of the Murphy road, running thence with said road N. 70 E. 12 poles and 8 links to a small black walnut; thence N. 20 W. 34 poles and 16 links to a stake; thence S. 70 W. 12 poles and 8 links to a stake in J. Robert Davis' line (Formerly J. G. Siler's line), thence S. 20 E. with said line 34 poles and 16 links to the beginning, being the same piece of land which was conveyed to the Trustees of the Episcopal Church by J. A. Deal and wife, by deed dated January 1st, 1907, and which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Macon County, N. C., in Book YY, page 359, reference to which deed as so recorded, is hereby had for further identification of the said piece of land, said land being conveyed by said trustees to Noma Stockton. This the 20th day of February, 1924. R. D. SISK, Trustee.

Notice of Trustee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a deed of trust executed by George Carpenter on the 20th day of February, 1917, to secure the balance of the purchase money for the land hereinafter described, and whereas, said deed of trust contained a provision that if any of the said notes secured by said deed of trust were not paid at maturity and the interest thereon, that the whole of said amount in default of said payment should become due and payable, and whereas, the beneficiaries in said deed of trust have made demand upon the said trustee to sell said property to pay off and discharge said indebtedness, and whereas, there are fourteen notes of Fifty Dollars each due and unpaid, secured by said deed of trust, and the interest thereon from the 20th day of February, 1917: Now, therefore, the undersigned trustee will sell on the 15th day of March, 1924, at the court house door in the town of Franklin, by public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, between the legal hours of sale, to satisfy said notes now due and unpaid, the following described tract or parcel of land:

All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the County of Macon, State of North Carolina, Franklin township, adjoining the lands of W. R. Johnston, J. E. Hurst et als, bounded as follows: Being the lands described in a deed from Willis Meadows and wife Sara Jane Meadows, dated the 24th day of April, 1909, registered in Book D-3, page 244, to which reference is hereby made to said deed for more full and definite description of said lands. This the 14th day of February, 1924. GEO. B. PATTON, Trustee.

DIRECTORY

Churches.

Methodist Episcopal, South. Rev. W. M. Smith, Pastor. Preaching service every Sunday at eleven A. M. and seven-thirty P. M. Sunday School Sunday morning at 10 A. M. F. S. Johnston, Superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7:00 P. M.

Baptist.

Rev. A. J. Smith, Pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 11:00 A. M. and 7:15 P. M. Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. each Sunday morning. Jno. S. Trotter, Supt. Prayer meeting at 7:15 P. M. each Wednesday.

Presbyterian.

Rev. J. O. Wallace, Pastor. Jno. C. Wright, Superintendent of Sabbath School. Preaching on second and fourth Sabbath at 11 A. M. Sunday School at 10 A. M. every Sabbath. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services, particularly the stranger in town. The services will also be made especially interesting to the young people.

Secret Orders.

Masonic.

T. J. Johnston, W. M. Henry Cabe, Sec. Regular meetings first and third Tuesday nights in each month. Visiting brethren cordially invited.

Order of the Eastern Star.

Nequassee Chapter meets first and third Friday nights in each month. Mrs. W. T. Moore, Worthy Matron, Jno. C. Wright, Worthy Patron. Visiting members are cordially invited to be present.

I. O. O. F.

Jno. E. Rickman, N. G. Regular meetings first and third Saturday nights in each month.

K. of P.

R. D. Sisk, C. C. Regular meetings second and fourth Thursday nights in each month.

Jr. O. U. A. M.

Frank I. Murray, C. A. J. West, Financial Secretary. Regular meetings second and fourth Friday nights in each month.

Confederate Veteran Pension Board.

Frank I. Murray, W. R. Stallcup, H. H. Raby, Alf Shope. Board meets first Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in July each year.

Town Government.

Mayor—R. D. Sisk. Board of Aldermen—T. W. Angel, W. L. Higdon, J. C. Wright, Henry Cabe, J. A. Porter, Logan A. Allen. Graded School Board—Dr. F. T. Smith, E. C. Kingsbery, Jno. S. Trotter, Jno. M. Moore, Z. W. Conley, Mrs. Gilmer A. Jones.

County Government.

Sheriff—Alex Moore. Clerk of Superior Court—Frank I. Murray. Register of Deeds—Elmer Johnson. County Superintendent of Schools—M. D. Billings. County Superintendent of Health—Dr. W. A. Rogers. County Board of Commissioners—A. B. Shazie, Lawrence Ramsey, C. R. Cabe. County Board of Education—S. H. Lyle, N. L. Barnard, H. M. Bascom.

Notice of Summons.

North Carolina—Macon County. In Superior Court.

Roxie Frisbee

vs. Randolph Frisbee.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Macon County, North Carolina, for the purpose of annulling the marriage between the said plaintiff and defendant; the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of said County on the 29th day of March, 1924, at the Court House in said county and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 1st day of March, 1924. FRANK I. MURRAY, M27-JFR Clerk of Superior Court.

PLEASE NOTICE!

We cannot and will not publish communications to the Press unless the name of the writer is signed to the letter. It is not necessary that the names be published, but we must know who the writer is. We are glad to get letters to the paper from every section, and sincerely appreciate them if they are written in the right spirit and signed. In the past few days we have received several letters from various sections of the county which we were unable to publish because the writers failed to sign them. In no case do newspapers publish the names of the writers of communications unless they are of such a nature that it is necessary, but no paper will publish articles that come unsigned. Those who write to the Press will please take notice and not neglect to sign the articles sent in. We get tired of throwing interesting letters into the waste basket almost every week because the writer did not let us know his or her name.

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