

NEWBORN AND GROWNUPS -- Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Guy's rabbit pens at their home on N.C. 211 west at the edge of Ashley Heights had these scenes last Thursday. The rabbits are purebred Rex breed, but they come in different colors, as the blacks and whites in one picture proves. The other photo shows infant Rexes only hours old. Mrs. Guy found the eight infants at 8:30 a.m. Thursday when she went to the pens. She said they were born during the night. The Guys also raise other breeds of rabbits and are members of the Cape Fear Rabbit Breeders Association, which held its 1982 show in Raeford Saturday. The large white rabbit in the lower right corner of the photo of the grownups is checking one of Mr. and Mrs. Guy's chickens. (Photos by Bill Lindau).

LAW For Laypersons

Suicide as a criminal offense was abolished by North Carolina's General Assembly in 1973.

By abolishing suicide as a crime, the General Assembly in effect also abolished the crime of attempted suicide which had been recognized in an earlier North Carolina Supreme Court case.

No criminal punishment, therefore, can result today from suicide or attempted suicide in North Carolina.

The successful suicide is thus buried, and no more is said or done. But what about the unsuccessful suicide?

What happens to the person who is found in time and the poison is pumped from the stomach or the bleeding from the slashed wrists is stopped?

The unsuccessful suicide is still with us, and we cannot ignore him.

If we can't punish the unsuccessful suicide, can anything else be done? Certainly many who attempt to commit suicide get help or

support from family and friends. Others may seek help from religious counselors, psychologists or psychiatrists.
The laws of North Carolina pro-

vide for some help for the attempted suicide in particular cases.

Chapter 122 of the North Carolina General Statutes provides for certain people to be involuntarily committed for treatment at a mental health facility

One section in that chapter provides that anyone who has knowledge of a mentally ill or inebriate person who is dangerous to himself may appear before a clerk of superior court or magistrate of district court and petition that the person be examined by a doctor.

A person "dangerous to

himself" is defined, among other things, as a person who has attempted suicide or threatened suicide or as a person who has mutilated himself or attempted to mutilate himself.

If the clerk or magistrate finds

reasonable grounds that the allegations in the petition are true, then he must issue an order to a law enforcement officer to have the person picked up and examined by a

Once the doctor has examined the person and found the allegations of the petition to be true, the law enforcement officer must take the person to a mental health facility where he will be held until a full hearing on his case is held by a

At the hearing, if the court finds by convincing and cogent evidence that the person is indeed a mentally ill or inebriate person who is dangerous to himself, then treatment may be ordered for the person at a mental health facility.

The statutory provisions of Chapter 122 provide for numerous re-examinations of the person once he has been committed to the mental health facility. If his condition has improved, he will naturally be released; if further treatment is needed, he will be retained.

Sunday School Lesson

Background Scripture: Luke 3:21 through 4:15 Devotional Reading: Luke 3:15-20.

essentially two things that we must understand about the temptation of Jesus as recorded in Luke 4. The first of these is that they were real temptations.

Lots of people have tended to regard the temptations of Jesus as more of a drama than an actual temptation, as a setting simply for a confrontation between Jesus and Satan. It is hard for these people to think of Jesus as really being temp-

"Really being tempted" means more than just having an attractive offer. It means having a yearning to accept that offer. Luke wants us to understand that the temptation in the wilderness was for Jesus a real temptation: he not only perceived the attractive offer from Satan, but he had some yearnings to accept that offer. That is why Luke tells us, "And he ate nothing in those days; and when they were ended, he was hungry." His hunger made the offer from Satan attractive

Secondly, we must realize that the temptations were appealing because they were so reasonable. A temptation that is not reasonable is no temptation at all. Note that all of the offers that Satan made to Jesus followed a kind of logic: Jesus was hungry, so if he was the Son of God, why not use his power to save him from collapse from hunger? There was nothing illogical about it. And when Satan

showed him all the kingdoms of the world and offered them to Jesus if he would worship him all the kingdoms of the world and oftered them to Jesus if he would worship him, there was a logic to that as well. No less logical and reasonable was the challenge to prove his Sonship by throwing himself down from the pinnacle of the temple. The temptor was calling his Sonship into question; was it not reasonable therefore to at-tempt to prove it?

You and I never have to wonder if our temptations are real. We know they are. We know how reasonable they seem, how logical their invitation. That is why it is important for us to know that the temptations of Jesus were real temptations, for only thus are we assured that he can understand what it means to be attempted.

And because of the way Jesus responded to his temptor, you and I know that we too can resist temptations and find redemption when we have failed to resist it. Jesus fell back for support on what he knew about God. Each time, he said, "It is written..." and remembered important truths from God that had been handed from one generation to another: "Man shall not live by bread alone," "You shall worship the Lord your God, and him only shall you serve," and "You shall not tempt the Lord your God."

Defeated for the moment, the devil departed. But he would be back at an "opportune time." Just as he returns again and again to us.

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JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION BEFORE THE CLERK FILE NO. 82 SP 64

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF HOKE

THE MATTER OF THE SALE OF LAND OF T. CARSON DAVIS, and wife, IRIS T. DAVIS, UNDER FORECLO-SURE OF DEED OF TRUST TO CHARLES A. HOSTETLER, TRUSTEE RECORDED IN BOOK 207, AT PAGE 58, HOKE COUNTY PUBLIC REGISTRY.

WHEREAS, the undersigned acting as Trustee, in a certain Deed of Trust executed by T. Carson Davis and wife, Iris T. Davis, and recorded in Book 207, at Page 58 in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Hoke County, foreclosed and offered for sale the land hereinafter described; and whereas within the time allowed by law, an advanced bid was filed with the Clerk of the Superior Court and an order issued directing the Trustee to resell said land upon an opening bid of \$112,400.00 (ONE HUN-DRED TWELVE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED AND NO/100

DOLLARS); NOW, THEREFORE, under and by virtue of said order of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Hoke County, and the power of sale contained in said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Trustee, will offer for sale upon said opening bid at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the door of the County Courthouse in Raeford, Hoke County, North Carolina, at 12:00 o'clock Noon on the 29th day of December, 1982, the following described pro-

Being a 240 acre tract known as the J.C. Thomas tract, as shown in Map Book 5, Page 7 of the Hoke County Public Registry, and BEGINNING at a stake, the Northeast corner of the Thomasfield Subdivision, in the northeast corner of the 240 acre tract allotted to C.L. Thomas for life and to his children at his death according to the Will of J.C. Thomas; and runs thence S 9-30 E 2,896 feet to a stake to the Wright line; thence S 65-00 W 2,995 feet to an iron; thence N 56-20 W 181.5 feet to an iron; thence S 40 W 100 feet to the center of the run of Raft Swamp; thence with the run of Raft Swamp, N 30-10 W 230 feet and with the run, the following courses and distances; N 33 W 176.5 feet; N 42 W 186 feet; N 23-40 W 189 feet; N 0-40 E 326 feet; thence N 8-30 E 493 feet; thence N 33-15 W 568 feet; thence N 18-10 W 234 feet; thence N 3-20 E 276 feet; thence N 28-15 E 138 feet; thence N 5-40 W 546 feet to a road, the division line between the Thomas land and the Paulsen land; thence with said farm road S 89-20 E 1,087 feet to a stake in the center of a ditch; thence with the Paulsen line, N 30-30 E 615 feet; thence N 10-50 E 168 feet; thence N 0-50 W 267 feet to the Paulsen line; thence with the Paulsen line, due East 1,693 feet to the point of

BEGINNING, containing 240 acres, more or less. EXCEPTING THEREFROM:

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EXCEPTION NO. I: The property described in Book 165, at Page 29, which runs around and embraces the Thomasfield Subdivision as shown in Map Book 6. Page 23, and described in meter and bounds as follows: BEGINN-ING at a concrete monument, the northeastern corner of the Thomas Tract and running thence with the eastern line of the Thomas tract and the western line of the Town of Raeford and Woodview Subdivision as shown in Plat Book 4, Page 82, Hoke County Registry, South 09 degrees 20 minutes East, 2096.44 feet to a point; thence following lot lines on plat of Thomasfield Subdivision Section I, as recorded in Map Book 5, at Page 23 of the Hoke County Public Registry; North 64 degrees 08 minutes West 452.80 feet to the southwest corner of Lot No. 53; thence North 25 degrees 52 minutes East, 30.00 feet to the southeast corner of Lot No. 48; thence North 64 degrees 08 minutes West, 165.00 feet to the southwest corner of Lot No. 48; thence crossing a proposed 60 foot street; North 06 degrees 24 minutes West 112.36 feet to the southeast corner of Lot No. 43; thence North 64 degrees 08 minutes West 150.00 feet to the southwest corner of Lot No. 43; thence North 25 degrees 52 minutes East, 200 feet; to the rear corner of Lots No. 44 and 45; thence with the western line of Lots 45 and 26, North 11 degrees 36 minutes East 179.74 feet to the southern margin of 60 foot proposed street, thence crossing said street, North 10 degrees 30 minutes West, 60.74 feet to the Southwestern corner of Lot No. 16; thence North 01 degrees 33 minutes West, 154.29 feet to the rear corner of Lots 16 and 17; thence North 09 degrees 32 minutes West, 138.92 feet to a point; thence North 54 degrees 40 minutes West, 126.25 feet to the rear corner of Lots 18 and 19; thence North 39 degrees and 27 minutes West, 168.37 feet a point in the rear line of Lot No. 20; thence North 34 degrees 42 minutes West 237.17 feet to the rear corner of Lots No. 21 and 22; thence North 21 degrees 48 minutes West, 107.70 feet to the rear corner of Lots 22 and 23; thence with the southwestern line of Lot No. 23, North 53 degrees 11 minutes West, 208.25 feet to the eastern right of way margin of proposed extension of State Road No. 1209; thence with the eastern margin of said road, North 17 degrees 39 minutes East 278.31 feet to Thomas' northern line; thence due East 732.36 feet to the point of BEGINNING, containing 25.369

acres of land, more or less. EXCEPTION NO. II: BEGIN-NING at an iron stake in the Southern right of way line of a private road, said iron stake being South 25 degrees 52' West, 485 feet from an iron stake, the Southeast corner of Lot No. 43 in Thomasfield Subdivision as recorded in Book of Maps No. 6, at Page 23, Hoke County Registry; thence South 25 degrees 52' West 165 feet to an iron stake at the edge of a pond; thence with the Northern edge of said pond, North 64 degrees 08' West, 120 feet to an iron stake; thence North 25 degrees 52' East, 165 feet to an iron stake in the Southern right of way line of said private road; thence with the Southern right of way line of said private road, South 64 degrees 08' East, 120 feet to an iron stake, the point of BEGINNING, and con-

taining .48 of an acre.

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EXCEPTION NO. IV: Lying and being in Raeford Township, Hoke County, North Carolina, and bounded on the North by J.H. Wright, et al; on the East by T.

Carson Davis, Jr., and wife, Iris T. Davis; on the south by McLean and on the West by Boyles, and more particularly described as follows: BEGINNING at an iron **LEGALS**

stake in the west margin of State Road Number 1244; said stake being at the intersection of the west margin of said road (40 feet from center) with the J.H. Wright and Old Thomas line, crossing said road and runs with the Wright-Thomas line, S 64-53 W 1899.15 feet to an iron near the swamp; thence N 56-20 W 181.5 feet; thence S 40-00 W 100 felt to the run of a branch (one of the tributaries of Raft Swamp); thence up the run of the branch (now in a small pond) the following courses and distances; N 30-10 W 230 feet; N 33-00 W 176.5 feet; N 42-00 W 186 feet; N 23-40 W 189 feet; N 0-40 E 326 feet; N 8-30 E 493 feet; N 33-15 W 568 feet; N 18-10 W 234 feet; N 3-20 E 276 feet; N 28-15 E 138 feet; N 5-40 W 546 feet to the center of an old field road; thence with said road, S 89-20 E 1087 feet to a point over a ditch; thence N 30-30 E 615 feet to a curve in the ditch; thence N 10-50 E 168 feet to another curve in the ditch: thence N 0-50 W 267 feet to a corner of the Lentz (now Paulsen) tract; thence with the old Lentz line, N 88-43 E 415.7 feet to an iron in a field; thence S 16-22 W 830.9 feet to an iron pipe; thence S 11-19 W 348 feet to an iron pipe; thence S 0-31 E 721.4 feet to an iron; thence S 11-48 E crossing a drain, 537.7 feet; thence S 21-36 E 464.2 feet to an iron in a field; thence S 29-48 E 720 feet; thence N 64-53 E 441 feet to a stake in the margin of State Road Number 1244; thence with said road, S 30-00 E 60 feet to the BEGINNING, containing 116.34 acres, and being part of that 240 acre tract shown in Map Book 5, at Page 7, Hoke County Registry. EXCEPTION NO. V: Lying and being in Raeford Township,

Hoke County, North Carolina and bounded on the North and East by Thomasfield Subdivision; on the South by other lands of T. Carson Davis and wife, Iris T. Davis, and on the West by State Road No. 1244. BEGINNING at a stake in a Northern edge of an unopened road, the Southwest corner of Lot. No. 16 of the Thomasfield Subdivision as shown in Map Book 6, Page 23 of the Hoke County Public Registry; and runs thence S 88-27 W 410 feet; and thence N 83-56 W 430 feet to the Eastern edge of State Road No. 1244; thence with the Eastern edge of State Road No. 1244, N 10-34 E 165 feet; thence continuing with the Eastern edge of State Road No. 1244, N 13-39 E 100 feet; thence N 16-19 E 100 feet; thence N 17-39 E540 feet to the Southwest corner of Lot No. 23 of the Thomasfield Subdivision as shown in Map Book 6, Page 23; thence with the Thomasfield Subdivision line, the following courses and distances: S 53-11 E 208.25; thence S 21-48 E 107.7 feet; thence S 34-42 E 237.17 feet; thence S 39-27 E 168.37 feet; thence S 54-40 E 126.24 feet; thence S 9-32 E 138.92 feet; thence S 1-33 E 154.29 feet to a point of BEGINNING, containing 10.45 acres, more or less, and being a portion of the property described in Book 204, at Page 558 of the

Hoke County Public Registry. Subject to the following: All easements to Carolina Power & Light Company, Highway right of way recorded in Book 187, at Page Drainage Easement to Thomas & Davis Corporation recorded in Book 171, at Page 444. Easement to N.C. Natural Gas Recorded in Book 5, at Page 250. THIS SALE will be made sub-

ject to all outstanding taxes, if any, and prior liens of record, if any. ASH DEPOSIT: Ten per cent (10%) of the first \$1,000.00 and five per cent (5%) on any addi-

tional amount bid will be required at the sale. Done, this the 13th day of December, 1982.

CHARLES A. HOSTETLER, TRUSTEE

IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION 82-E-95 82-8-153

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA HOKE COUNTY

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as Executrix of the estate of Richard Alton Norris of Hoke County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said Richard Alton Norris to present them to the undersigned within 6 months from date of thepublication of this notice or same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate please make immediate payment.

This the 9th day of December,

1982:

Kitzy N. Jones 840 E. Donaldson Ave. Raeford, N.C. 28376