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"Long May It Wave."

It is several months until 1920, but
candidates for offices to be filled next
year are letting it be known that
their "hats are in the ring."

Germany says if she doesn't like
the peace terms of the allies she will
not accept them. "Beggars should
not be choosers," we have often heard
it said.

The restaurant waiters all over the
United States are threatening to go
on a strike. Soon the familiar yell
of "ham and" and "a stack of wheat
may be silenced.

Among the many good bills passed
by the legislature was one requiring
each and every school teacher to have
a health certificate, showing that they
are not effected with tuberculosis.

The sale of pistols are now prohib-
ited, except by a certificate from the
clerk of the court guaranteeing the
good character of the would be
purchaser. This will tend to decrease
the number of "pistol toters" in
North Carolina.

Critics in the English Parliament
are telling of the mistakes made during
the war, and how it should have
been won long before it was. It is
needless to say, however, that these
critics did not give out their valuable
information until the war was
over.

Dr. Erzeberger, chairman of the
German Armistice Commission calls
the conduct of the allies as "barborous"
because they have not yet re-
leased all the German prisoners of
war. Any nation that murders little
children, destroys homes and out-
rages women as the Huns did, has its
gall to speak of "barborous" conduct.

Germany says that she will not pay
a cent of indemnification for any-
thing that happened in the war after
December, 1916, when their peace
offer was rejected. We are rather
under the opinion that the allies will
have something entirely different to
tell the Huns on this point, and they
will do just as the allies order them
to do, also.

The charges newspapers may make
for legal publications have been
changed by an act of the recent legis-
lature. In future all legals appear-
ing in the NEWS will be charged at
the rate of five cents per line, each
insertion. Six words will constitute
a line on a general average. Our
rates have been filed with the clerk
of the Superior court, as required
under this act.

William Jennings Bryan and Sen-
ator Henry Cabot Lodge are both in
favor of the League of Nations, but
are in favor of a provision whereby
the "Monroe Doctrine" will not be
placed in jeopardy. There are mil-
lions more of the same opinion in this
country, and it appears that Presi-
dent Wilson thinks there are a suf-
ficient number to have the proposed
amendment added to the terms.

The political pot in Polk county is
beginning to boil over just a little
at this time. We have some communi-
cations on file in our office that we
will publish just as soon as our rush
of spring advertising is over. In
this connection we desire to state that
the columns of the NEWS are open
to both sides of any question, and
both political parties shall receive
equal treatment. Insofar as the pa-
per itself is concerned, it will be ab-
solutely neutral. We have no axe
to grind.

We wish to inform Brother Holo-
well, of The News of Henderson
county that the joke is on the editor
of this paper. We recently told him
we would endeavor to ascertain if
there was any "syllabub" running at
large in Polk county. Imagine our
consternation when our good wife,
who has been away on a visit all
winter, told us on reading our little
squib that she had been feeding me
on "syllabub" for a long time. Such
being the case, Brother Hollowell, we
guarantee that it has no dangerous

effects, or at least it has failed to
put us to the bad.

At a recent meeting in New York,
two ex-cabinet members were pres-
ent, one, Mr. Wickersham, Republi-
can, and Mr. Garrison, Democrat.
The League of Nations was under
discussion. Mr. Wickersham favored
the League, while Mr. Garrison op-
posed. The efforts of some of our
newspapers to make this a political
issue are meeting with a merited
"frost." Neither side of the con-
troversy seems to have a monopoly of
the brains of the country. Many
prominent Republicans favor it, while
many prominent Democrats oppose.
We grant each of them the right, and
see no reason why they should be
criticized for holding their opinions.

And now the country is threatened
with an extra session of Congress be-
fore June first.

NOTICE OF PARTITION SALE.
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
Polk County.

Superior Court before the Clerk.
George T. Jones and wife, Laura
Jones, J. W. Tucker, and wife, Ar-
minta Tucker, Sue Laughter, A-
mana Pack, Ray Laughter,

vs.
J. E. Laughter, Zach Laughter, W. L.
Laughter, J. R. Blanton and wife
Elvina Blanton.

NOTICE OF PARTITION SALE.
Under and by virtue of a decree of
the Superior Court of Polk county in
the above entitled cause the under-
signed Commissioner will on

MONDAY, APRIL 7th, 1919,
at 12 o'clock Noon at the Court House
door of Polk County in Columbus,
North Carolina, offer for sale to the
highest bidder all the following de-
scribed lands known as the Allen
Laughter lands in Polk County, and
the Sallie Laughter lands in Ruther-
ford County, viz:

1st Tract: Lying on the waters of
Walnut Creek, beginning at a Span-
ish Oak on top of the hill in Dimsdale
old line running N. 15 E., crossing a
branch with Allen Laughter's line to
a Spanish Oak; thence N. 1 W. with
J. W. Ruff's line to a stake, a condi-
tional corner in J. W. Ruff's line;
thence with a conditional line to a
white oak at the Spring; thence to a
post oak at the school house, J. W.
Ruff's corner on a conditional line, a
post oak; thence South East a condi-
tional line to the beginning, contain-
ing 20 acres more or less, known as
Upper Walnut, and being land de-
scribed in Deed from Nesbit Dims-
dale and wife to Allen Laughter of
date November 7th, 1883, and record-
ed in Book 5, at page 180 of the Rec-
ords of Deeds of Polk county

2nd Tract: Situate in the County
of Polk, State of North Carolina, on
the waters of Walnut Creek. Begin-
ning on a chestnut, the beginning
corner of the old tract; thence South
16 W. 82 poles to a S. oak; thence S.
45 E. 24 poles to a poplar on the
south bank of Walnut creek; thence
down the branch nearly as it runs;
thence S. 72 E. 54 poles to a B. oak;
then a conditional line nearly east to
a stake; then N. E. to the outside line
of a black oak on the old line, and
being land described in deed from
Mary Laughter et al., to Allen
Laughter, of date April 11th, 1872
and recorded in Book 6, page 543 of
the records of Deeds for Polk county

3rd Tract: Part of Patent 1028 on
the waters of Walnut Creek, contain-
ing 36 acres. Beginning on a pine
and runs N. 58 W. 48 poles to a pine;
thence N. 24 W. 39 poles to a stake;
then S. 86 1/2 W. 16 poles to pine;
thence S. 52 1/2 W. 19 poles to a Span-
ish oak; thence S. 10 W. 16 poles to
a poplar; thence S. 50 E. 22 poles to
a chestnut oak; thence S. 74 1/2 E. 16
poles to a stake; thence S. 23 W. 45
poles to a rock in his own line; then
with said line S. 54 1/2 E. 56 poles to a
chestnut oak, then to beginning

4th Tract: 19 acres. Beginning
on black oak, his own and J. S.
Laughter's corner and runs N. 72 W.
55 poles to a poplar; then N. 42 W.
24 poles to a white oak; then S. 19
W. 14 poles to a Spanish oak; then S.
59 E. 4 1/2 poles to a chestnut oak;
then S. 40 E. 64 poles to a chestnut oak
then S. 57 E. 6 poles to a pine; then
S. 17 E. 16 poles to a pine; then S.
45 E. 10 poles to a pine; then S. 64 E.
12 poles to a pine; then South 81 E.
14 1/2 poles to a pine; thence S. 13 E.
13 poles to a stake; then S. 30 E. 10
poles to a pine; thence N. 18 E. 20
poles to a stake; then N. 35 1/2 E. 12
poles to a stake; then N. 9 W. 9 poles
to a stake; then S. 88 W. 34 poles to
a hickory; thence N. 3 E. 32 poles to
a black gum, thence to the beginning.

5th Tract: Containing by estima-
tion 20 acres, lying and being in the
County of Rutherford, in Kings Creek
Township, adjoining lands of Bill
Burgess, Jones Biddy, Jim Ruff and
Speculation lands, known as part of
the Biddy place and being that part
of the Biddy place owned by Sallie
Laughter, mother of the petitioners.
The said land will be sold in sepa-
rate tracts or as a whole, or by com-
bining two or more tracts, except the
5th tract described above known as
the Sallie Laughter tract in Ruther-
ford county, will be sold separate from
the other tracts.

The terms of said sale are one-third
cash and balance in six months from
date of confirmation, to be evidenced
by note bearing interest at six per
cent. Title retained until the pur-
chase money is paid in full.
This 6th day of March, 1919.

J. E. SHIPMAN, Commissioner.

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of power of sale contain-
ed in that certain Mortgage Deed ex-
ecuted by Will King and wife to W.
E. Mills, to secure a note for the
loan of purchase money on the 31st
day of October, 1916 I will sell at
public auction to the highest bidder
for cash at the court house door of
Polk county on

APRIL 29th 1919
at 12 o'clock noon; two lots in the
suburbs of Tryon with small cottage
on one of them. Recorded in Book
11 Page 207 to which you are referred
for further description of said lots.

This March 25th, 1919.
Assigned by T. C. Mills Admr. of W.
E. Mills to Mrs. Sallie Livingston.
J. B. LIVINGSTON Agent.
3-28-4t-pd

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old, \$10.00 to \$15.00. Grant C.
Miller.

EGGS.
Eggs of Mottled Ancona chickens
for sale, \$1.50 per setting of 15 eggs.
B. F. Copeland, Tryon, N. C.
Settings of White Leghorn eggs,
15 for \$1.50. In Polk county, 75c.
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