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**Walk Safely And Live**

The number of highway accidents that take the lives of Americans constitutes something of a reproach both to drivers of automobiles and to those who walk along the highways.

A surprising number of pedestrians are killed by automobiles and, upon many occasions, the driver of the motor vehicle is not to blame. Pedestrians can adopt proper practices for their own protection and it might be a good idea for those who use the highways on foot in Perquimans County to remember the following rules:

- (1) Carry or wear something white at night—this will help the drivers of motor vehicles to see you. Remember that very often when two cars approach at night the vision of the drivers is affected by the lights.
- (2) In municipal and suburban areas, cross the highway only at cross-walks and, when using a highway in the rural area, look carefully for speeding cars before getting into the road. Moreover, watch traffic signals, especially lights, and look twice both ways before crossing.

Another rule, which may save your life, is not to go into the highway from between parked cars. This is the cause of numerous accidents, particularly in urban areas, when pedestrians attempt to cross streets in the middle of the block.

For those travelling the rural highways, where there is no sidewalk, it is wise to walk on the left side, facing the oncoming traffic.

These rules have been given considerable publicity, but because people are prone to forget them and sometimes inadvertently violate them, we give space for their republication.

**Army Not Big Enough**

The "bare, stark fact is that today our army is not big enough to carry out the defensive and offensive necessary if war should come," declares Secretary of the Army Kenneth C. Royall.

Undoubtedly, the statement made by the civilian head of the Army is correct but a democratic country like the United States is not apt to have an army big enough for war prior to the outbreak of hostilities.

About the best we can expect is to have a trained citizenry, ready and prepared to expand the armed forces. These men must be trained for modern combat if they are to serve the purpose of an adequate reserve.

To carry out complete warfare, as Mr. Royall makes plain, the United States must have distant bases "sufficiently near to the enemy for effective and decisive bombing raids" and these must be guarded against attack by enemy ground forces. He estimates that between 300,000 and 400,000 soldiers would be necessary for each location.

There is point also to the statement made by the Secretary of the Army, stressing the contribution to peace that would be made if the three democratic nations across the seas understood that there was a great concentration of military fire-power in the hands of their American friends.

One must consider the statements of our civilian military leaders and their military advisers in connection with the probability of what will happen if war occurs. There is little reason to doubt that the United States will be involved in military operations immediately and, if it is to defend itself and acquire control of necessary bases, the nation must be like a fire department, ready to go into action immediately upon the alarm.

**CARD OF THANKS**

I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to friends and neighbors for the many cards and flowers sent me while I was sick.

MRS. ELLIS MILLER.

**Classified and Legals**

**GRADUATING FROM HIGH SCHOOL THIS YEAR?**

You are approaching a big decision! What field will you enter when you get your diploma? Will you be able to go to college? Before you have to decide, take a look at what the United States Army offers high

school graduates.

The Army's Technical School Plan provides the opportunity for you to become a specialist in the field of your own choice. Moreover, you'll receive good pay while you're learning. To learn a skill and get ahead, visit your nearest Army and Air Force Recruiting Office at 386 Carolina Building, Elizabeth City, N. C.

**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION**

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Mrs. Sarah Hurdle, deceased, late of Perquimans County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Hertford, N. C., on or before the 7th day of April, 1949, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 7th day of April, 1948.

F. R. HURDLE,  
Administrator of Mrs. Sarah Hurdle.  
Apr 9, 16, 23, 30 May 7, 14

**SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE**

Under and by virtue of the authority vested in me as mortgagor in a certain mortgage deed given by Richard H. Guild on February 5, 1946, and recorded in M. D. Book 24, page 283, Perquimans County Registry, and default having been made under the terms thereof, I will, on the 8th day of May, 1948, at the Court House door in Hertford, N. C., offer for sale for cash the following described real property, to wit:

Lying and being in Parkville Township, Perquimans County, N. C., and bounded as follows: Beginning at a point on the south side of U. S. Highway 17 where it intersects the old road from Elizabeth City to Hertford and running thence a southerly course along said old road to the northern edge of a lead ditch known as the Martin lead ditch; thence easterly along the northern edge of said lead ditch about 900 feet to the first cross ditch; thence along said cross ditch a northerly course to U. S. Highway 17; thence westerly along said highway to the place of beginning. Containing 17 acres more or less and being a part of the land known as the Martin's Fork woodland.

Dated and posted this 6th day of April, 1948.

JOHN A. ELLIOTT,  
Mortgagor.  
By W. H. Oakey, Jr., Attorney.  
Apr 9, 16, 23, 30

**NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND BY COMMISSIONER UNDER ORDER OF COURT**

North Carolina, Perquimans County.

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Perquimans County, made in the special proceedings entitled, Edwin G. McMullan vs. J. Roulhac McMullan; et al., the undersigned Commissioner will on Monday, the 10th day of May, 1948, at 11:30 o'clock A. M., at the Court House door in Hertford, Perquimans County, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at public auction that certain real property located, lying and being in the Town of Hertford, Hertford Township, Perquimans County, North Carolina, described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point on Church Street in the Town of Hertford at a fence, the corner of George T. Powell's lot and the corner of the Mary Wood McMullan lot; thence along said fence N. 41 1/2 degree E (as of the date of about February, 1897) to the Perquimans River, the said fence and line being the northerly boundary of the lot of George T. Powell and

the lot of J. W. Ward, the property formerly owned by the late F. H. Small; thence with the various courses of the Perquimans River to Church Street; thence along the property line of Church Street to the beginning of the same being the home place of the late W. T. McMullan and the late Mrs. Mary Wood McMullan, and being the dwelling house and wharf property referred to in the division agreement, made the 8th day of February, 1897, between T. G. Skinner and wife and W. T. McMullan and wife of record in Book 2, at page 269, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Perquimans County, which record is hereby made a part of this de- and lot now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Koonce, Sr.

This the 5th day of April, 1948.

JACK EDWARDS, Commissioner.  
Apr 9, 16, 23, 30

**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION**

Having qualified as Executrix of the estate of C. M. Harrell, Sr., deceased, late of Perquimans County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Hertford, N. C. on or before the 23 day of March 1949 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 23 day of March, 1948.

JOYCE B. HARRELL,  
Executrix of C. M. Harrell, Sr.  
Mar 25, Apr 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION**

Having qualified as Executrix of the estate of Dempsey E. Winslow, deceased, late of Perquimans County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Route 1, Belvidere, N. C., on or before the 15th day of April, 1949, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

EUNICE E. WINSLOW,  
Executrix of Dempsey E. Winslow.  
April 23, 30 May 7, 14, 21, 28

**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION**

Having qualified as Executors of the estate of Hughie Simons, deceased, late of Perquimans County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Star Route, Winfall, N. C., on or before the 7 day of April 1949 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 7 day of April 1948.

EUGENE SIMONS,  
HUGHUE FRED SIMONS  
Executors of Hughie Simons.  
Apr 16, 23, 30 May 6, 13, 20

**Extracts From Minutes of the Board Of Commissioners of the Town of Hertford, North Carolina, of a Meeting Held at 7:00 O'clock P. M. On April 12, 1948.**

Commissioners Present: W. H. Harcastle, B. C. Berry, M. J. Gregory and H. C. Sullivan.  
Commissioners Absent: None.

Commissioner W. H. Harcastle introduced the following ordinance which was read at length:

An ordinance authorizing the issuance of \$3,300.00 bonds of the Town of Hertford, North Carolina, for repairing water tank.

Be it ordained by the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Hertford as follows:

Section 1. Pursuant to the Muni-

pal Finance Act, 1921, of North Carolina, as amended, negotiable bonds of the Town of Hertford, North Carolina, are hereby authorized to be issued in an aggregate amount not exceeding \$3,300.00 for the purpose of repairing water tank (Water Department).

Section 2. A tax sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on said bonds shall be annually levied and collected.

Section 3. A statement of debt of the Town of Hertford has been filed with the Town Clerk and is open to public inspection.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect thirty days after its first publication unless in the meantime a petition for its submission to the voters is filed under the Municipal Finance Act, 1921, and in such event it shall take effect when approved by the voters at an election as provided in such act.

Commissioner B. C. Berry introduced the following resolution which was read and adopted by unanimous vote:

Be it resolved that the Mayor is hereby designated to make and file with the Town Clerk a sworn statement of indebtedness as provided in Section 160-383 of the Municipal Finance Act.

The Town Clerk thereupon reported that pursuant to the foregoing resolution the sworn statement of indebtedness was duly made and was on file in his office.

After some discussion, Commissioner M. J. Gregory made the motion that the ordinance as introduced and entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the issuance of \$3,300.00 bonds of the Town of Hertford, North Carolina, for repairing water tank be adopted. The motion was seconded by Commissioner B. C. Berry and was passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes: W. H. Harcastle, B. C. Berry, M. J. Gregory and H. C. Sullivan.  
Noes: None.

Commissioner B. C. Berry then introduced the following resolution, which was read at length:

A Resolution authorizing issuance of \$3,300.00 bond anticipation notes of the Town of Hertford, North Carolina:

Be it resolved by the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Hertford, North Carolina:

Section 1. That pursuant to the Municipal Finance Act, 1921, and in anticipation of receipt of the proceeds of the sale of the bonds, authorized by an ordinance passed this 12th day of April, 1948, entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of \$3,300.00 bonds of the Town of Hertford, North Carolina, for repairing water tank, notes of the amount of \$3,300.00 of the Town are hereby authorized to be issued.

Section 2. Said notes shall be dated May 1st, 1948, shall be in the denomination of \$1,650.00 and numbered 1 and 2, shall mature annually on May 1st and in numerical order one note in each of the years 1950 and 1951, shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding 6% per annum from date payable semi-annually on November 1 and May 1, and shall be payable as to both principal and interest at such place as may be determined by the Mayor and Town Clerk.

Section 3. That the Town Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to make application to the Local Government Commission for approval of issuance of the aforesaid bonds as well as the notes herein authorized and to advertise and sell said notes.

Section 4. The Mayor and Town Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute said notes after the sale thereof and the Town Clerk is hereby directed to sign the interest coupons appurtenant to said notes and to turn said notes over to the Local Government Commission for delivery to the purchasers through the State Treasurer of North Carolina.

Upon motion of Commissioner M. J. Gregory, seconded by Commissioner W. H. Harcastle, the foregoing resolution was adopted by the following roll call vote:

Ayes: W. H. Harcastle, B. C. Berry, M. J. Gregory and H. C. Sullivan.  
Noes: None.

Apr 16, 23

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Saturday, April 24—

Charles Starrett and Smiley Burnette in "SIX GUN LAW"

Sunday, April 25—

Franchot Tone and Lucille Ball in "HER HUSBAND'S AFFAIRS"

Monday and Tuesday, April 26-27—

Van Heflin and Barbara Stanwyck in "B. F.'S DAUGHTER"

Wednesday, April 28—

Double Feature  
Russell Wade in "SHOOT TO KILL"

Also  
Penny Singleton in "BLONDIE'S ANNIVERSARY"

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